

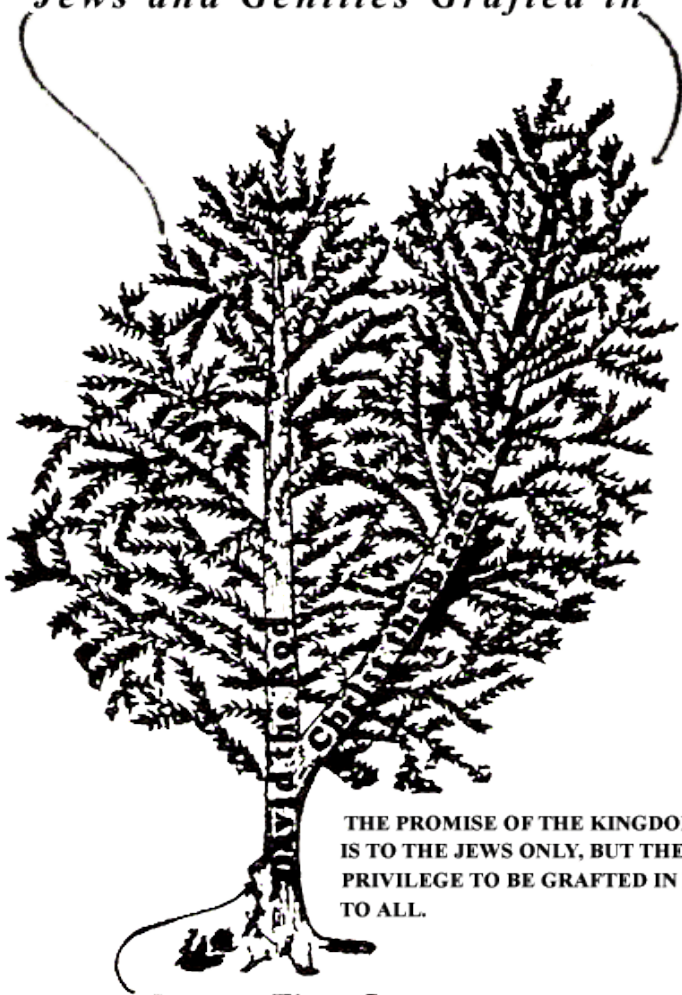
Sunday Praise & Worship Service

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The Kingdom Illustrated

"Salvation is of the Jews"

Jews and Gentiles Grafted in



THE PROMISE OF THE KINGDOM
IS TO THE JEWS ONLY, BUT THE
PRIVILEGE TO BE GRAFTED IN IS
TO ALL.

Jesse The Stem
ISAIAH 11

Bloor Lansdowne Christian Fellowship

11 AM Sunday † June 5, 2016

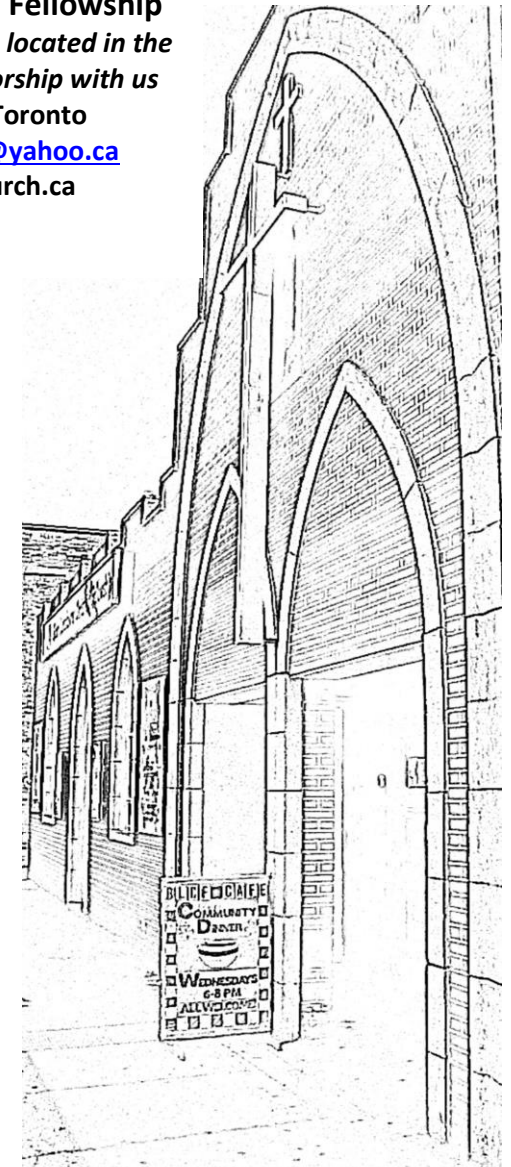
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- ❖ Sunday ~ 11:00 AM Praise and Worship Service
- ❖ Wednesday ~ 11:30 AM Morning Prayer and Bible Study
- ❖ Wednesday ~ 6:00-8:00 PM: BLCF Café Community Dinner
- ❖ Online Sermons: bloorlansdownechristianfellowship.wordpress.com

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Announcements and Call to Worship: Responsive Reading #610: *Christ in Prophecy* (-from Isaiah 11 and 42, Jeremiah 23, Malachi 4); Prayer

Opening Hymn #41: *Children of the Heavenly Father; Choruses*

Prayer and Tithing: Hymn #572: Praise God from Whom All Blessings;
Prayer Requests

Scriptures: Isaiah 11:1-6, Matthew 18:1-6, Matthew 19:13-14

Message by Steve Mickelson:

‘A Childlike Faith – Expressed By Our Trust, Obedience and Hope’

Communion: Matthew 26:26-29 (See Below)



Closing Hymn #317: *Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine*

Benediction – (Romans 15:13):

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

Matthew 26:26-29E (ESV) Institution of the Lord's Supper

²⁶ Now as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and after blessing it broke it and gave it to the disciples, and said, “Take, eat; this is my body.” ²⁷ And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, saying, “Drink of it, all of you, ²⁸ for this is my blood of the ^[a] covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins. ²⁹ I tell you I will not drink again of this fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom.”

Footnotes: a. [Matthew 26:28](#) Some manuscripts insert *new*



CHILD-LIKE FAITH

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Isaiah 11:1-6 (ESV) The Righteous Reign of the Branch

¹¹ There shall come forth a shoot from the stump of Jesse, and a branch from his roots shall bear fruit.

² And the Spirit of the LORD shall rest upon him, the Spirit of wisdom and understanding, the Spirit of counsel and might, the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the LORD.

³ And his delight shall be in the fear of the LORD.

He shall not judge by what his eyes see, or decide disputes by what his ears hear,

⁴ but with righteousness he shall judge the poor, and decide with equity for the meek of the earth; and he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips he shall kill the wicked.

⁵ Righteousness shall be the belt of his waist, and faithfulness the belt of his loins.

⁶ The wolf shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the young goat, and the calf and the lion and the fattened calf together; and a little child shall lead them.



I tell you the truth,
anyone who will not receive
the kingdom of God
like a little child
will never enter it.
Mark 10:15

Matthew 18:1-6 (ESV) Who Is the Greatest?

¹⁸ At that time the disciples came to Jesus, saying, “Who is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?” ² And calling to him a child, he put him in the midst of them ³ and said, “Truly, I say to you, unless you turn and become like children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. ⁴ Whoever humbles himself like this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

⁵ “Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, ⁶ but whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in me to sin, ^[a] it would be better for him to have a great millstone fastened around his neck and to be drowned in the depth of the sea.

Footnotes: a. [Matthew 18:6](#) Greek causes... to stumble; also verses [8](#), [9](#)

Matthew 19:13-14 (ESV) Let the Children Come to Me

¹³ Then children were brought to him that he might lay his hands on them and pray. The disciples rebuked the people, ¹⁴ but Jesus said, “Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven.”