

Engage.
Establish.
Equip.



THE MET

April 14, 2019

Welcome

We are so glad to have you with us today. We gather each Sunday to **encourage** one another to **trust** and **follow Jesus** throughout the week. We do this as we pray, sing, and, most importantly, **hear from God's Word**.

Our mission at The Met is to glorify God by making disciples of Jesus Christ, through **engaging** people with the gospel, **establishing** believers in the gospel, and **equipping** servants of the gospel in our nation's capital and the nations of the world.

Whether you are a committed believer or a curious skeptic, **you are welcome here**.



We have lots of opportunities for kids to hear about the love of Jesus in a way that they can understand.

9AM Sunday School: For newborns to children up to grade 6

10:15AM METKids Hub: Join us in the Gym for a chance for kids to run and burn off some energy, and for parents to connect in between services

11AM Sunday School: For newborns to children up to grade 6

METKids Special Events • Summer Camps

Vacation Bible Camp • Jul 8-12

MetroHoops • Jul 15-19

METKids Summer Camp • Jul 22-26

METKids Summer Camp • Jul 29-Aug 2

METKids Summer Camp • Aug 6-9

Today

An Invitation to Paradise

A Journey of Pain (Luke 23:26-43)

Jonathan Griffiths, Lead Pastor

Songs: Songs • Lord Most High • All Glory Be Forever • Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me • Mercy • When I Survey the Wondrous Cross.
Subscribe to our Spotify playlist "The Met - Sunday Worship Playlist" to listen to the songs we sing here at The Met.

Classes:

Establish: The Unfolding Story of God - Biblical Theology • 9am • Fireside Rm

Equip: Sacred Marriage • 9am • Rm 205-207

Equip: Men@Work • 11am • Rm 205-207

Membership Class • 11am • Rm 211

Children's Ministry Volunteer Equipping • 12:30pm • Gym

Next Week:

Easter Sunday: 8:30, 10 & 11:30am

An Invitation to Paradise: A Journey to Life (Luke 24:1-12)

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Sermon Notes

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free YouVersion app



WIFI

user: metguest
pass: met@church

Take your next steps

What is your next step in your walk of faith?

Connect

If you're new, we'd love to connect in person. We have a free coffee and muffin at The Hub to say thank you for joining us. Fill in the Connect Card in the chair seatback and drop it in the offering plate for more information and to help us get to know you better. Connect with our discipleship pastor, Adam Callaway, to find out what the next growth step in your faith could be at acallaway@metbiblechurch.ca.

Serve

We are the body of Christ and every member has a role to play. Use the gifts that God has given you to serve Him and His church. Serve with one of our ministries by filling out the card in the seatback in front of you or visit metbiblechurch.ca/serve.

Give

We have many different ways for you to worship God through giving. Check out metbiblechurch.ca/give for more information.

This Week

MONDAY

Men's Bible Study Fellowship • 6:55PM • RM 265
Drop-In Sports: Basketball • 7PM • GYM

TUESDAY

METYouth (Junior High and High School) • 6:30PM • 2ND FLOOR

WEDNESDAY

Woman To Woman Easter Celebration • 9:15AM • GYM (Childcare)
Women's Evening Edition Easter Celebration • 7PM • FIRESIDE RM
Men's Study: Creation to Babel • 7PM • LOUNGE
Prayer Focus • 7PM • RM 211

THURSDAY

METYoung Adults • 7PM • CHAPEL

FRIDAY

Good Friday Services • 9 & 11AM • SANCTUARY
No Other Name • 1PM • SANCTUARY
Church Office is closed

Church Family News

Easter Special Offering

This year we will be taking an Easter Special Offering to fund our summer students and interns. We have an ambitious outreach ministry planned for our students and interns. Please use the Special Offering envelopes provided in the bulletins April 14 & 21 for your over and above gift or write "Easter" on your regular giving envelope. Thank you.

We're Hiring • Custodial Team

Are you oriented to aspects related to facility and maintenance? We are looking for the right person to provide part-time custodial support. Apply at employment@metbiblechurch.ca.

Missionary of the Week - Howie and Claudia Williams are involved in establishing a church plant among first generation ethnic Turks in Metro New York City. They also participate in teaching English as a Second Language as a way of developing relationships with Turkish-speakers. Pray for continued growth in their church and the development of several more needed leaders.

Thank you for your love and kindness extended to our family through Nancy's Dad and Mom's home-going and for your ongoing prayers. Love in Christ, Bob and Nancy Tooke.

Events

AN INVITATION TO PARADISE • EASTER SERVICES

Join us for our Easter Worship Services as we celebrate this special season. April 19, Good Friday at 9 and 11 am • April 21, Easter Sunday at 8:30, 10 and 11:30am. Volunteers are needed to help welcome our guests, sign up at metbiblechurch.ca/easter.

APR 14 • CHILDREN'S MINISTRY VOLUNTEER EQUIPPING • 12:30PM • GYM

This equipping time is for all volunteers who serve with METTykes or Kids. Lunch will be provided for those who have pre-registered.

APR 14 & 28 • MEMBERSHIP CLASS • 11AM • RM 211

This 2-part class is open to anyone who is interested in learning more about who we are and most importantly, what we believe at The Met. Register at metbiblechurch.ca/events.

APR 17 • METWOMEN EASTER CELEBRATION • 9:15AM & 7PM • GYM

Speaker: Selma Debs-Ivall, Theme: Rescued "For He has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son He loves". All women are invited. Bring a friend. (Childcare at 9:15am)

APR 19 • GOOD FRIDAY: NO OTHER NAME • 1:30PM • SANCTUARY

Bringing youth to the cross to encounter the love of Jesus by celebrating the love of Jesus. Register at metbiblechurch.ca/events.

APR 24 • CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED • 7PM • FIRESIDE RM

This is a 7-week course that introduces the basics of the Christian faith with a brief video presentation and round table group study format. Invite a friend. Register at metbiblechurch.ca/events.

APR 28 • NEWCOMERS' RECEPTION • 10:15AM & 12:15PM • FIRESIDE RM

If you are new to The Met this is an opportunity to get to know more about who we are and what we believe, as well as chat with Met leaders. Please join us. Receptions will be held after both worship services.

APR 28 • MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE • 11AM • RM 209

This 6-week class is for couples who wish to prepare for marriage at The Met or wish to be married by a Met Pastor. Register at metbiblechurch.ca/events.

MAY 4 • ESSENTIALS OF INDUCTIVE BIBLE STUDY • 9AM • RM 205

This 3.5 hour workshop will introduce you to the most essential skills for inductive bible study so you can personally interact with God's Word, understand its meaning and apply it to your life. Register at metbiblechurch.ca/events.

MAY 24 & 25 • GRANDPARENTING MATTERS SEMINAR • 6:45PM • CHAPEL

Join us and find inspiration, ideas and tools to help you realize your potential to grandparent in a meaningful way. Friday 6:45-9:15pm, Saturday 9am-12:30pm. Register at metbiblechurch.ca/events.

Easter Services

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9am | 11am

April 21 | Easter Sunday
8:30am | 10am | 11:30am

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Newcomers' Reception

April 28

FIRESIDE ROOM • 10:15 & 12:15

GRAND PARENTING
MATTERS!

SEMINAR

MAY 24 - 25

\$40: PERSON

\$75: COUPLE

Please register at
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