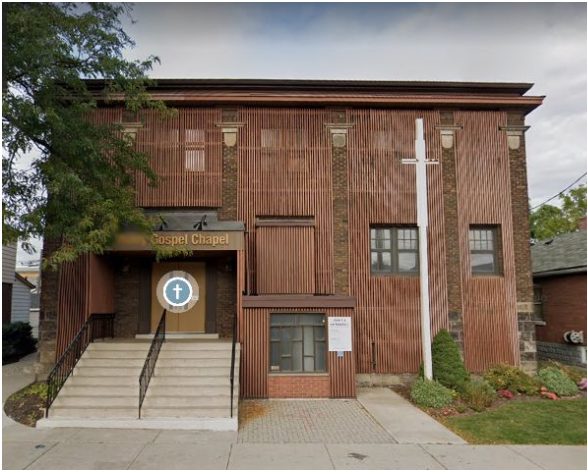


## TrueCity Conference 2021 ~ Bethany Gospel Chapel Prayer Walk

155 Gage Avenue North

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### Bethany Gospel Chapel

- Pray for openness as you walk and pray that you would get a clear picture of God's love for this neighbourhood.
- Pray that God would reveal what He is already doing in this neighbourhood and what He is praying for this neighbourhood.
- Pray for our church family that we would be united and characterised by love for one another and for our neighbours.
- Choose one home and pray for the family that lives there, that they would know God's love more deeply.

***Walk North toward Barton and Gage.***

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### Barton and Gage

- At the Bank of Montreal, pray that people would use their resources to bless others. Pray for those who do not have access to financial support.
- Pray for businesses and the people who work and shop there. Pray that they would flourish.
- Pray for individuals who have lost their jobs and for small business owners struggling to stay open.
- Allow God to bring one specific business to mind and pray for people connected with it.
- Look north along Barton to the industrial district, that God would guide our city leaders to make wise choices.



***Walk West along Barton Street to Balsam Avenue.***

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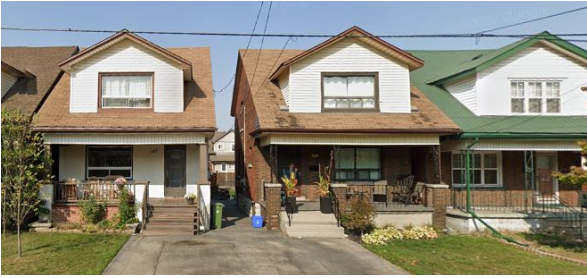
### Barton Street

- Pray for the churches that you see: Holy Trinity Polish Catholic, St Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox, St Anthony of Padua (Italian), that they would know physical and spiritual health, that they would be places of hope, peace and comfort, and that they would bless the communities they serve.
- Pray for the many ethnic groups that call Hamilton home, both long-established communities and newcomers, that they may find Canada to be a welcoming place to celebrate their past and to build a bright future.



***Continue West on Barton. Turn North on Melrose Avenue.***

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### **Melrose Avenue**

- Pray for the homes that you pass, recognizing that each one has a spiritual history and heritage. Pray against the work of our Enemy. Pray that the Holy Spirit would have freedom to do a new work of grace and life in each home.

### **Tim Hortons Field**

- Pray that the joy that many find in attending concerts, games and events in the place would lead them to the deep and eternal joy that we find in our Saviour.
- Pray for the safety of all who work, play and perform here.
- Pray that as our community comes together in places like this, Hamilton would be characterized by a strong sense of belonging and grow in its desire to serve one another.

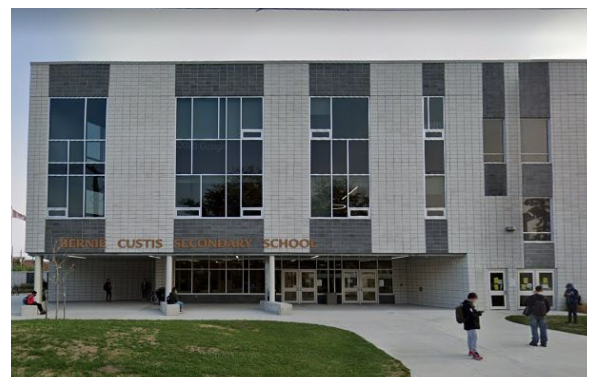


### **Prince of Wales Elementary School**

- Pray for the children who attend this school, that they may grow in wisdom, stature and in favour with God and man.
- Pray that staff would have the strength and resources they need to overcome the many obstacles of teaching this year.
- Pray for students who come to school hungry, do not feel safe at home or who are being bullied. Ask for God to bring to your mind one child who is on His heart today. Pray for that little one.

### **Bernie Custis Secondary School**

- Pray for the young men and women who are students here. Pray that they will grow into the men and women that God is calling them to be. Pray for a bright future and increased faith for each one.
- Pray that the newness of the building would symbolize new hope and new opportunities, that students would know the good plans that God has prepared for them.
- Pray for unity as students who previously attended rival schools are now under one roof learning together.
- Pray for students and staff who are followers of Jesus, that they would be salt and light to their school.

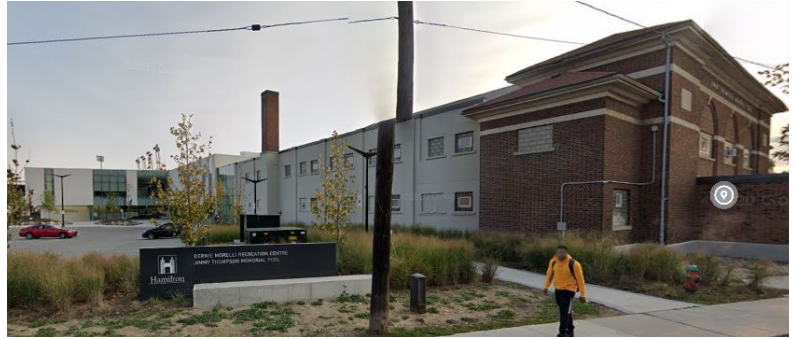


***Turn East on King Street.***

## Bernie Morelli Recreation Centre

### Jimmy Thompson Memorial Pool

- Pray that these places would foster a strong sense of community and belonging.
- Pray for physical health and strength for those who access these facilities.
- Pray that they would be places where God's people in this neighbourhood connect with individuals who do not yet know the Good News of Jesus.
- Pray that as new meets old in this community, there would be a sense of common purpose and vision.



### King Street

- Pray for businesses that you pass on King Street. Ask God what his desires are for these businesses.
- Pray for the people who live in houses and who live in apartment buildings, that they would know their neighbours well and look after one another.
- Pray that not a single person living in this area would feel lonely or isolated.

***Turn North on Gage Avenue.***

### Gage Avenue

- As you walk North on Gage, continue to pray for the families and individuals that live there.
- Stop in front of one house. Listen to the Spirit to discern what God is desiring for those who live here. Pray accordingly.
- Pray creatively. Imagine the fragrance of Jesus filling this street. Envision the light of the Spirit showing the way forward.
- Pray Scripture as you walk: "Lord, have mercy" or "Your Kingdom come, Your will be done."
- Sing or recite the lyrics to a worship song or a song of blessing.



### King George School Building

- This school was a central part of this community from 1912 to 2012. Pray for the hundreds of people who passed through these doors as students, teachers and staff.
- Pray that God would prepare this place for the next chapter in its history, that it would once again be a place that fosters growth, creativity and friendship.

***Continue north on Gage to return to Bethany.***