# ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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**Welcome to St. Andrew's Church!** We are glad you are here with us. May God bless you in his grace and mercy as we take time to give our love and attention to the One who has embraced us in Jesus Christ. If you are visiting with us, please take time to sign our guest book and to let us know how we can become better acquainted.

## THE ORDER OF WORSHIP, 11:00 A.M.

#### **APPROACH TO GOD**

Prelude

Entry of the Bible

(Congregation Standing)

Greeting

Responsive Call to Worship

Minister: Surely God is our salvation.

Congregation: We will trust and we will not be afraid.

Minister: The Lord is our strength and our song.

Congregation: We will praise and worship the God of our

salvation.

Hymn of Approach

Prayers of Adoration & Confession

The Lord's Prayer: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our debts,

as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the Kingdom, and the Power and the Glory forever. Amen.

Children's Story and Prayer

Children's Hymn

## THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament: Isaiah 40: 1-11 (page 667)

Responsive Psalm: 23 (page 501)

New Testament: St. Luke 15: 1-10 (page 78)

Sermon: "The Parable of the Lost Sheep"

Hymn

### **RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Announcements

Offering and Offertory

Doxology (822, vs. 4) and Offertory Prayer

Confession of Faith: Living Faith 3.2.1 through to 3.2.4 (page 10)

Commissioning Hymn

Benediction

Postlude

**NURSERY ATTENDANT** Agathe Ratsimandresy. For those who wish, a nursery is available in the church hall next door.

We welcome to the pulpit of St. Andrew's for the next 4 weeks,, the Rev. Dr. Robert Rowlands. Dr. Rowlands is an retired Anglican priest currently supporting the ministry at St. Thomas' Church here in St. John's. He has also served at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, also here in St. John's.

<u>Summer Services:</u> This Summer our Worship Services will remain at the hour of 11 am.

\*\*The coming months will be a change and a challenge for the Kirk congregation. In last Sunday's sermon Rev. Rowlands spoke of the democracy of the Presbyterian church. We are a church of the people who now need to come together. We need to support each other and the clergy who offer their ministry with us, as well as our groups and committees. We need to support the ministry of the Search Committee and keep them in our prayers.

Karen Moores, Clerk of Session

Bridges To Hope Food Pantry has experienced an increase of over 10% this year and to date we have served 3978 people. This increase in pantry usage has resulted in numerous shortages which have affected the quality and size of hampers being offered to our clients. In an effort to ensure that our organization can continually meet this growing demand, we are requesting that all partner Churches please advertise this coming week that we are urgently in need of the following items:

- -Can Milk -Can Soup
- -Can Beans in Sauce
- -Tin Pasta -Kraft Dinner

While all donations are greatly appreciated, these items are the ones which we are most urgently in need of. Thank you for your continued support of our organization.

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To All Partner Churches: Each year Bridges To Hope is pleased to offer members of our community access to our Bag To School program. With the growing demand seen in recent years; culminating with the package of 741 bags in 2013 we are reaching out to all partner Churches in an effort to engage your congregations in the collection of needed supplies.

In an effort to ensure that we receive all needed supplies, each Church will be assigned a specific item to collect which can be placed in the regular food donation bin. The following item has been assigned to The Kirk: **Pencil Cases.** 

While there is still a need for food donations during the summer months any additional assistance that will aid in our Bag To School program will be greatly appreciated.

If you have any question in regards to this program or if a congregation member would be interested in sponsoring a bag; please feel free to contact Emily Elliott or myself, Colin Malone at 722-9225.

**MEMORIAL SERVICE....** Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Hamilton Ave Extension will be held on Monday, July 7<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm and General Protestant Cemetery, Topsail Road will be held on Monday, July 21st at 7pm. In the event of inclement weather, the services will be moved ahead to 7pm the next evening.

The Search Committee Seeks Your Input...Please feel free at any time to provide your thoughts to any member of the search committee including our interim moderator Rev. Jonathan Dent, or by sending us an email at kirksearchcom@gmail.com. Members of the search committee include: Arwa Brown, Ewan Cumming, Rev. Jonathan Dent, Mike Gillan, Light Go, Corinne King, Kim Marshall, Aidan Moores, Griffith Roberts, Christina Templeton, John Templeton.

#### PLEASE RESPOND TO THE SEARCH COMMITTEE'S SURVEY.

This is an excellent opportunity for everyone to have input into identifying the gifts and skills we hope to find in the next Minister at the Kirk.

**MORNING COFFEE** will be held after the service today. Spend a few minutes before heading home to enjoy a cup of tea, coffee or juice and a cookie. Everyone is welcome.

\*\*\*July 06 - July 12\*\*\*

Sun 11:00am Worship

12:10pm Coffee Hour

Mon 7:00 Mt. Pleasant Cemetery

**Memorial Service** 

\*\*\*Upcoming\*\*\*

July 21 General Protestant Cemetery
Memorial Service