

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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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: Jesus loves me

#373

5th Sunday after Pentecost

July 13, 2014

THE WORD OF GOD

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.

Old Testament: Genesis 17:1-9 (page 013)

Responsive Psalm: 147 (page 582)

New Testament: St. Luke 6:27-38 (page 064)

Sermon: "Giving and Getting Back "

Hymn: And can it be that I should gain #352

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

APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude

Entry of the Bible (Congregation Standing)

Greeting

Solo: Allez! devant Jesus on doit s'incliner ...Massenet

Responsive Call to Worship

Minister: Seek the Lord while he may be found.

Congregation: Call upon him while he is near.

Minister: Let the wicked forsake his way and the unrighteous man his thoughts.

Congregation: Let him return to the Lord, that he may have mercy upon him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

Hymn of Approach: Praise, my soul, the King of heaven #407

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

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 3.3.1 (page 10)
"Jesus was truly human..."

Commissioning Hymn: Sent forth by your blessing #775

Benediction

Solo: Sposa son disprezzata ...Giacomelli

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 3 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.

The Sympathy of the congregation is extended to the family and friends of Betty Smith who died July 7th. Betty, a Scottish war bride was a long standing adherent and attendee for many years of the Tuesday Ladies Luncheon.

Summer Services: This Summer our Worship Services will remain at the hour of 11 am.

We are pleased to announce that the Rev. Dr. Bob Rowlands has agreed to accept the position of "Stated Supply" for the period of September, 2014 to June, 2015. We are grateful for this stability to our services while the work of the Search Committee continues. Please keep Rev. Rowlands in your prayers during this time of transition.

This week **Alanna Fraize**, soprano will be Guest soloist. Alanna grew up in St. John's and will begin her fourth year at Manhattan School of Music in September.

John Fitzpatrick was a friend of the Kirk; never a member, never an attendee, but a contributor to our church as he was to countless charitable causes and to many churches. Many auctions were held at the Kirk hall, selling books and antiques and other items with John as Auctioneer. Over the years he was involved in many voluntary organizations, including the Christmas Hamper program with St. John's Rotary at BTH. John died Monday, his funeral was held on Friday, July 11th from St. Teresa's Church. The sympathy of the congregation is expressed to his family.

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.

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 items have 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 questions 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.... 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.

Survey Responses – It's not too late!

The Search Committee would like to thank those individuals who have completed the survey to date. If you have not done so already, please complete it online or on paper – it is not too late as we are extending the survey response date. We will advise through the Chimes once the response period is closed. Paper surveys can be returned to us by mail, by dropping it in the drop box in the church on Sunday morning or dropping it off to the church office. You can also complete the survey online by typing www.thekirksurvey.com in your Internet browser.

Thank you for your prayerful consideration,
The Search Committee

		July 13 - July 19
Sun	11:00am	Worship
July 21		***Upcoming*** General Protestant Cemetery Memorial Service