

# ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Reign of Christ

November 23, 2014

**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)

Choral Introit: "Put peace into each other's hands" Kaan/Thiman

Greeting

Responsive Call to Worship

**Clap your hands, all you peoples; shout to God with loud songs of joy.**

For the Lord, the Most High, is awesome, a great king over all the earth.

**He subdued peoples under us, and nations under our feet.**

Hymn of Approach: God, our Sovereign Lord remaining #60

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 Hymn: Jesus, friend so kind and gentle #519

## THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

Questions

Confession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed #539

Choir and Sunday School

Prayer

## THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament: Jeremiah 23:1-6 Aidan Moores (p 725)

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 93 (p 549)

New Testament: John 18:33-38 Light Go (p 113)

Choral Anthem: "O Lord Thy word endureth" Tye

Sermon: "*Christ as King*"

Hymn: My shepherd is the King of Love #691

## RESPONSE TO THE WORD

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Announcements

Offering and Offertory

Doxology (822, vs. 4) and Offertory Prayer

Commissioning Hymn: Praise my soul the King of Heaven #407

Benediction - Choral Amen

Organ Postlude

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

This morning we witness the Baptism of Kade James MacDonald, son of Nicholas and Leanne MacDonald, great-grandson of Vaughan and Lorna MacDonald. Lorna was an elder of the Kirk until the family moved to Random Island. We welcome the MacDonalds back to St. Andrew's Church today and offer them our congratulations.

**If Pastoral Care is required, please contact Rev. Bob Rowlands at the church office (726-5385) or home (754-8944).**

The Service on **November 30** will be at **10:00 AM**. We will be celebrating St. Andrew's Day with a Scout Parade and members of the Masonic fraternity of Lodge St. Andrew and members of St. Andrew's Society. We will then enjoy a soup luncheon in support of the Scouts before heading downtown.

There will be a weekly **Bible Study** on the Book of Matthew held in the Parlour, Church Hall at 10:00 AM each **Friday**. The Rev. Dr. Bob Rowlands will be leading the study. Please join as you are able.

**Sunday School is in full swing for children and youth. Please come and join us as we enjoy another exciting year. If you have any questions about the Sunday School program or would like to volunteer, please contact Jenny Pallard at 697-6183 or jennpallard@gmail.com**

#### **Sunday School Shoe Recycling Outreach Project: Sunday, Nov 23**

The Sunday School has organized a used shoe collection project. We are very pleased to be working with One Step Shoe Recycling, a local group, distributing used shoes to people in need and thereby reducing the number of shoes being thrown in the garbage. For more information on One Step, go to: onestepnl@gmail.com  
**Thank you for your continuing support of our Sunday School!**

***NEW Take Home Booklets available! These booklets will change on a regular basis. Check the box in the vestibule for the latest booklets.***

**Bridges To Hope:** The Pantry at Bridges To Hope requires your donations more than ever. More and more families and individuals are hungry. Your generous support is appreciated.

Thank you to **Marcella Rollmann** for providing a delicious meal for Food for Thought this past Monday. A meal nourishes not only the body but the soul as we come together for fellowship and study. We are still in need of a meal provider for Monday, December 1st and 8th. Thank you!

**Youth Group** (grades 7-12) is meeting for the month of November at St. Andrew's church. Come join us on Sunday nights from 7-9pm for fun, faith and fellowship! This week's memory verse is Exodus 3:6 *Then he said, "I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob." At this Moses hid his face, because he was afraid to look at God.*

**Food for Thought** (university/early career young adults) meets together on Monday nights for a meal and Bible study on the book of Judges. Join us at 71 Stirling Cres for great food and discussion! Contact Amy if you have food allergies or need a ride: amyralpalmer@gmail.com; (709) 730-3676.

The Youth Ministry website has been updated: <http://pccweb.ca/newfoundland-youth-ministry>. Schedules and news will be posted there. If you have additional photos you'd like to share, please contact Amy Palmer.

Please pray this week about grace. Pray that the grace and assurance of God would be evident to our youth this week. That they would know, both in their minds and in their hearts that God loves them, gave his life for them and has rescued them. Not because of anything that they have done to deserve it, but just because God cares about them. As the old hymn states "Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine."

**Christmas encouragement cards** are being sent out to university/college students that are studying here in St. John's and also away from home. If you would like a card sent to your son/daughter, niece/nephew, grandchild, etc. please make sure to get their name and address to Amy Palmer as soon as possible.

**Music at Memorial Presents: Christmas in the Trenches** *Conducted by Jakub Martinec* at St. Andrew's Church, **Sunday, November 30<sup>th</sup> 2014 – 3pm Tickets: \$20 general, \$15 student/senior. Advance Tickets on sale through [www.ticketpro.ca](http://www.ticketpro.ca) or at The Travel Bug on Water Street and the Attic at MUN.**

**CHRISTMAS SALE AND COFFEE** - Our Christmas Sale and Coffee is coming up on Saturday, **Dec 6th** at 10am. To make it a success, we will need lots of items – knitting, sewing (crafts) and baking. Our bake table is always very popular so we will need lots of things for that – cookies, cakes, breads, jams. Whatever you like, the sky's the limit! We will set up on Friday (5th) at 7pm and will need your help then and on the day of the sale. See you there.

**THE PRESBYTERIAN CALENDARS** for 2015 are available in the church vestibule. They can be purchased for \$5. Please place your money in the donation box provided.

#### **\*\*\*Nov 23 - Nov 29\*\*\***

<b>Sun</b>	<b>11:00am</b>	<b>Worship</b>
<b>Mon</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Rovers Meeting</b>
	<b>7:00</b>	<b>Food For Thought</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>7:30</b>	<b>Choir Practice</b>
<b>Thur</b>	<b>7:30</b>	<b>Session Meeting</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>Bible Study</b>

#### **\*\*\*Upcoming\*\*\***

<b>Nov 30</b>	<b>Early Worship Time 10:00am</b>
	<b>1st Sunday of Advent</b>
	<b>St. Andrew's Day</b>
	<b>Scout Luncheon</b>
<b>Dec 14</b>	<b>White Gift Sunday</b>
<b>Dec 21</b>	<b>Pageant Sunday</b>