

# ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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July 27, 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)

Solo: "Gabriels's Oboe" ...Enico Moricone

Greeting

Responsive Call to Worship

Minister: Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!

**Congregation: Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise!**

Minister: Give thanks to him and bless his Name.

**Congregation: For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever and his faithfulness to all generations.**

Hymn of Approach: How great Thou art #332

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: Holy Spirit, hear us #381

### THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament: Isaiah 50: 4-9 (p. 681)

Responsive Psalm: 139: 1-18 (p. 577)

New Testament: Romans 8: 26-39 (p. 158)

Sermon: "All things work together for good"

Hymn: Open my eyes #500

### 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 3.4.1 through to 3.4.3 (p. 11)  
"Jesus is Saviour"

Commissioning Hymn: Guide me, O thou great Redeemer #651

Benediction

Solo: "Ashokan Farewell" ...Jay Ungar

**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 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.*

Our Interim Moderator, Dr. Dent will be leading the Meditation devotions on VOWR, where you can tune in at 8:00am, this coming week, Monday, July 28 until Friday, August 1. These five minutes messages air at 9am. The topic for these devotions is "Needing God."

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

**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 -Tin Pasta -Can Beans in Sauce -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.

**We have a new committee at the Kirk.** Don't worry we are not asking you to serve on it. We are the "Hymn Committee" and are seeking your ideas. We would like to include hymns which are loved and well-known to you. If you have suggestions, you may write them on a note and place in the collection plate, or contact Karen by phone 745-1907 or email at themoores@nl.rogers.com. You don't have to worry about the numbers as we will look after finding that information. This is a great way to support our ministry as we move into the coming months.

**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 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.

**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.



Our Venturer Scouts are preparing for a National Jamboree to be held in Newfoundland August 2-9. 500 Youth are coming from across Canada and beyond. We have a contingent of 10 youth from our group, 3 youth joining us from Ottawa and 3 leaders from our group. The program looks to be very challenging! [www.scouts.ca/adventure14](http://www.scouts.ca/adventure14)

1<sup>st</sup> St. Andrew's has been partnered with a group from Essex, England. They have a contingent of 21 coming. Following the Jamboree the Essex group will be staying in the church hall and touring the city Aug 9-14th. **Help requested.** We have arranged to use the showers at HMCS Cabot on the Southside as there are no showers at the Kirk. If anyone is willing to do a shuttle run to Cabot on the 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, or 13<sup>th</sup> of August at 8-9am it would be appreciated. Also if anyone is willing to do a load of laundry on Sunday the 10<sup>th</sup> that would be appreciated as well. Contact John Templeton 687-7088 or [John@Templetons.ca](mailto:John@Templetons.ca)

At exactly 9:25 pm., August 4, 1914, Newfoundland Time, Governor Davidson received a telegram at Government House, St. John's, advising him that Great Britain had declared war on Germany, and that therefore Newfoundland was war. Thousands of men and women answered Davidson's call to serve overseas and at home. Over a thousand were killed and many more wounded in a disproportioned sacrifice for peace.

On Monday evening, August 4, 2014, the Basilica of St. John the Baptist and St. Bonaventure's College will host an ecumenical service of remembrance to mark the exact moment when Governor Davidson received the telegram. All members of the community are invited to remember in prayer, song, poetry, and story the leaders, adults, youth and families who gave of themselves so generously. In doing so, we commit ourselves to new efforts aimed at ensuring that all will see and experience peace in our time.

**DATE:** AUGUST 4, 2014

**TIME:** 8:30 – 9:30 p.m.

**SITE:** Basilica-Cathedral of St. John the Baptist

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**Sun 11:00am Worship**