

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)

Choral Introit: "O God, our Father in heaven" ...Donaldson

Greeting

Responsive Call to Worship

The Lord is gracious and merciful.

He is slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

The Lord is good to all.

His compassion is over all that he has made.

Hymn of Approach: God we praise you for the morning #436

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: He's got the whole world in His hands #339

Children's Story and Prayer

THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament: Genesis 28: 10-22 J.C. Jacob (p 025)

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 111 (p 562)

New Testament: Romans 8: 12-25 Paula Templeton (p 158)

Choral Anthem: "Holy, Holy, Holy" ...Schubert

Sermon: "*Cosmic-Consciousness*"

Hymn: Holy Spirit, hear us #381

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 2.2.1 (p 07)
"The mystery of human existence...."

Commissioning Hymn: Lead on, O King eternal #742

Benediction

Choral Amen

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

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

*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.

In keeping with the letter from Bridges to Hope with a request for each Partner Church to provide a Basket to be auctioned at the Gala on **November 21st**; we have a suggestion that the theme for St. Andrew's Basket be "Celebrate Home-Newfoundland and Labrador" with products that are 'Made Right Here'. Examples are: Jams, (blueberry, etc.), Cheese, Chocolates, Soaps, Candles, Note Cards, Pottery and Textiles, anything that fits that idea. Thank you and looking forward to our "Kirk" Creativity. If you require further information, please contact Betty Barrett at 579-5995.

Sunday School has begun for children and youth. Please come and join us as we start 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

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

The Youth Group, Food for Thought and Boards of St. Andrew's and St. David's had a great night bowling together! In the mixed teams, Team #2 took the lead with a group score of 775, Marijke leading the way with 193. For the crazy competition, Youth Group came out on top with a group score of 592, followed by the Board, and then FFT. Steve lead the charge with 135 - despite having to throw backwards, with his eyes closed and on one foot. Thank you for a wonderful evening together!

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!

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.

Thank you Penny Gillies and Lillian Crawford for the scrumptious meal Food for Thought enjoyed this past week! We are still in need of meal providers for November 3rd, 17th and 24th. If you can help, please let Amy know; amyralpalmer@gmail.com, 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 for peace, trust and courage to triumph over fear and anxiety. Pray for youth to respond in positive ways to the negative events happening in Canada and around the world. Pray for parents and teachers to have wisdom and courage when discussing these issues with them.

MORNING COFFEE will be held after the service on November 2nd hosted by our Senior Youth!. Spend a few minutes before heading home to enjoy a cup of tea, coffee or juice and a cookie. Everyone is welcome.

MUN Christian Union – Korean International Fellowship is preparing to launch **MUN CU** at Memorial University for worship, prayer and the Bible studies. We will have three meetings on Fridays November 7, 14 and 21 before the exam season. We ask for your prayer and support. For more info, visit: facebook.com/MUNCU4U

Bridges To Hope: As the summer comes to an end our food aid centre is once again experiencing shortages of certain food items. For this reason we are asking all of our partner Churches to please advise their congregations of the items most needed at this time. Currently the items that are most needed in our food pantry are canned beans in sauce, canned milk, dry pasta and canned soup. While donations are greatly appreciated, these are the items that we most need at this time. Thank you for your continued support of our organization.

WREATHS FOR MEMORIAL SERVICE: Three fresh wreaths will be used in the Remembrance Day Service to be held on Nov 9th. Members of the congregation are invited to make a donation to help cover the cost of the wreaths in memory of a loved one who was lost during a war or participated and has since passed away. Please advise the Church office by Nov 6th.

VOAR Christian Family Radio invites you to join us as we kick off our Sharathon celebrations Nov 3-5th! VOAR radio is impacting lives for Christ, and YOU can be a part of what God is doing in our province, country and around the world. Feel free to call with your pledge, clergy vote, and prayers of encouragement, as the station raises the much needed funds for the year ahead. You may reach us at 745-8627, by E-mail at voar@voar.org, or online at www.voar.org. Thank you!

*****Nov 02 - Nov 08*****

Sun	11:00am	Worship
	12:10pm	Coffee Hour
Mon	7:00	Rovers Meeting
	7:00	Food For Thought
Wed	7:30	Choir Practice
Fri	10:00am	Bible Study

*****Upcoming*****

Nov 09	Remembrance Day Service
Nov 11	Board of Managers Meeting
Nov 20	Session Meeting