

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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5th Sunday after Epiphany

February 08, 2015

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: "How deep the silence of the soul" Dunstan/Illiff

Greeting

Responsive Call to Worship

Praise the Lord!

Praise the Lord, O my soul!

I will praise the Lord as long as I live.

I will sing praises to my God my entire life long.

Hymn of Approach: A Mighty Fortress #315

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: On Eagles' Wings. #057

Children's Story and Prayer

THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament: . **Isaiah 40: 21-31** Eun Go (p 668)

Responsive Psalm: **147** (p 582)

New Testament: **Mark 1: 29-39** Mike Gillan (p 035)

Choral Anthem: "Jesus the Christ said: I am the bread"
Monahan/Donaldson

Sermon: **"How Jesus can Lift you Up"**

Hymn: Be Still my Soul #749

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 **9.3.1 to 9.3.4** (p 027)
'For some today, "God" is an empty word.....'

Commissioning Hymn: O God of Bethel #654

Benediction

Choral Amen

Postlude

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

ANNUAL REPORTS: It is that time of year again. Those responsible for reports for our congregational annual report are asked to submit your report to the church office by March 1st.

OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2015 are now available in the entranceway of the Kirk.

THE SYMPATHY OF THE CONGREGATION is extended to Derek Long and family at the death of his mother, Minnie (Eustace) Long, on February 1st.

Moose Dinner and Silent Auction at the Kirk!

Date: Wednesday, February 25th
(if the weather's bad, we'll have it on the 26th)

Dinner Time: 6:30 PM

Cost: \$20

Only 100 Tickets available

Advance tickets are available at the office, by calling Elizabeth at 726-5385,
or from Erin McArthur & Mike Gillan at 754-4665 -
erin1@nf.sympatico.ca

On the menu: Moose, two kinds of delicious stew and roasted. As well, Beef Sirloin, all served with roasted vegetables. Served family style.

Potluck Dessert Table - do you have a favourite dessert you'd like to share?

Silent Auction: Some of the more beautiful items donated to the garage sales will be available at this evening's Silent Auction table.

We need your help! Kitchen helpers for set-up, clean-up, serving and at the silent auction table. If you'd like to bring a dessert for the table, or help in some other way, please contact Erin at erin1@nf.sympatico.ca

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

The Friday Morning Bible Study has resumed at 10am. All are welcome!

Lay Readers - Thank you to all those who read lessons at services during the past year. New lay readers are always welcome. If you would like to add your name to the list of readers please contact Margie Coombes at 364-1148 or mcoombes@nl.rogers.com or leave your name at the church office.

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

Sunday School Mission Project: Thanks to everyone who contributed to the Sunday School bake sale this past Sunday, bakers and buyers alike! We raised **\$189.00!!** All money raised will be used to help eradicate polio around the world. Thank you again for your continued support of the Sunday School.

Youth Group is at St. David's (98 Elizabeth Ave) on Sunday nights from 7-9pm for the month of February. Any youth in grades 7-12 is welcome to come! Bring your Bible for a treat. We look forward to seeing you!

The Youth Group and Food for Thought group is going out on Friday, February 20th for an evening of fun together! We are playing indoor laser tag at Frontline (10 Pearl Place) from 7:30-9:00pm. Wear indoor shoes, bring \$5 and your enthusiasm! Please let Amy know if you and a friend are coming so that she can confirm final numbers.

Thank you Marcella Rollmann for the wonderful food on Monday for Food for Thought. It was very much appreciated! Food for Thought (university/early career) meets on Monday nights from 7-9:30pm for a hot meal and study on "Christianity in the Workplace." We meet at 71 Stirling Cres. Contact Amy for rides or if you have food limitations: amyralpalmer@gmail.com; (709) 730-3676.

Please consider providing a meal for hungry university and early career young adults. At Food for Thought it is always a blessing to eat together as a group before delving into our discussion time. We are in need of a meal provider for Monday, February 16th, February 23rd and March 2nd. Thank you!

Pray this week for renewal. Pray that the youth and young adults will feel renewed in their faith and that they might step forward in new ways in their schools, family and workplaces to shine the light of God's love, forgiveness and assurance on the world.

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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.

The CFUW annual Used Book Collection Blitz of gently used fiction and non-fiction for all ages and interests takes place Saturday, Feb. 28th from 10 am to 2 pm in our Collector Trucks at the main parking lot of the Arts and Culture St. John's and at the Wal-Mart parking lot, Mt. Pearl. We do not accept (as we are unable to sell): textbooks, encyclopedias, Reader's Digest Condensed Books, magazines, outdated technology manuals. Sale announcements for April 15-17 will follow. Contact: cfuwstjohns@gmail.com or 570-7596
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