

**St. David's Presbyterian Church**  
**98 Elizabeth Avenue, St. John's, NL A1B 1R8**  
**April 10, 2016**  
**3rd Sunday of Easter**

**Enter to Praise God**

Entry of the Bible  
Welcome and announcements  
Introit: *Holy Holy Holy*  
Call to Worship  
Hymn: **#315 A mighty fortress is our God**  
Prayer of Approach, Confession, Assurance of Pardon  
The Lord's Prayer  
Anthem: *How great is our God* Chris Tomlin, Ed Cash, Jesse Reeves  
Children's Hymn: **#377 Come, children, join to sing**  
Children's Time and Prayer

**The Word of God Proclaimed**

Prayer for Illumination  
Scripture Readings: Acts 9:1-6 (p.1634) Jenny Griffioen  
Revelation 5:11-14 (p.1831)  
Psalm 30 (responsive) (p.827)  
John 21:1-19 (pp.1616-1618)

Sermon: *"The Complex Simplicity of the Gospel"*  
Hymn: **#16 I worship you, O Lord**

**Responding to the Word**

Offering, Offertory Prayer of Dedication, Doxology hymn #79  
Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

**Depart to Serve**

Hymn: **#670 Amazing Grace**  
Benediction  
Choral Amen  
Organ Postlude

We **WELCOME** everyone to our worship today and pray that this hour might be one of refreshment and spiritual joy. Please make yourself known to us by signing our register near the church door as you enter our sanctuary. A **CRECHE** for infants and toddlers, staffed by volunteers, is available through the door nearest the Memorial Tree of Life. A **Fellowship Time** is held after worship in the Hall. Please come and join us.

We would like to thank **Sam Johnson** for leading the Worship Service this morning.

The **AMS** will be meeting next Sunday, April 17th after the morning worship.

The **Choral Scholars** will be holding a concert Tonight @ 7 pm. Freewill Offering. A reception will be held following the concert in the Hall. All proceeds will go to the music ministry of St. David's.

A **baby shower** for Anci and Csongor (MaryAnn and Chongee) will be held on Saturday, April 16th from 2-4pm in the church hall. Their first little one is due early July. All are welcome to come! Contact Amy Palmer for more information.

St. David's will be holding a double wammie; a joint **PLANT SALE** and **GARAGE SALE** on June 4th. The plant sale will start as usual at 9 am and the garage sale will start at 10am. Please consider us as you do your spring gardening, and household de-cluttering, down sizing, or sadly - moving.

If you need to store some good stuff, please contact the church and leave your details with Monica. If you need to have some plants picked up, also contact Monica. We would also ask you to consider volunteering for activities associated with these sales. More details will follow.

**Food for Thought** (young adults) continues to meet on Tuesday nights from 7-9:30pm at 71 Stirling Cres for a hot meal and study on the book of Acts. Contact Amy for more information: [amyrpalmer@gmail.com](mailto:amyrpalmer@gmail.com); (709) 730-3676.

**Nicole Slaney's Graduation Recital** will take place on Tuesday, April 12 @ 7 pm at the D.F. Cook Recital Hall, Memorial University. Admission is free.

St. David's is a lively congregation of people from many backgrounds, young and old, from Newfoundland, from mainland Canada and other places around the world. A very old congregation, begun in 1775 as "The Dissenting Church of Christ at St. John's", it became part of the Presbyterian Church in Canada in 1938, and took the name St. David's in 1959.

Our historic roots nourish a mission-minded, scripture based church which seeks to express the faith for the modern day. Our aim is to foster a welcoming, loving and joyous spiritual community where all worshippers feel comfort and enjoyment.

**Church activities – Newcomers welcome**

Board of Managers fourth Wednesday of every Month

Session every 3rd Tuesday of every Month

Prayer Shawl Ministry 1st Tuesday of every month @10 am

AMS 2nd Sunday afternoon of every Month @ 12 :30

WA last Tuesday of every Month @ 12 noon

Food for Thought Tuesdays @ 7-9 :30 pm (71 Stirling Crescent)

Women's Bible Study Wednesday Mornings @ 11 :45 (Lori Kim den Otter)

Quilter Group, Willing hands Wednesday afternoons @ 1:30 pm

Good Companions (Seniors Group) Thursday afternoons @ 2:00 pm

Choir practice Thursdays Evenings @ 7:30 pm

Bible study Sunday mornings @ 9:30 am

Call the Church Office for more details 722-2382

Worship Leader: Sheena Findlay

Music Director: Brian Way

Session Clerk: Lillian Crawford

Manager on Duty: Csongor Matyas and Annamaria Imre

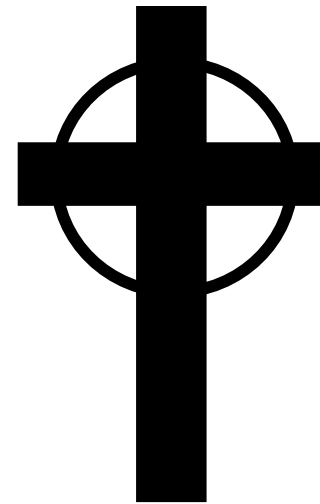
Elder on Duty: Andy Versteeg and Lori-Kim den Otter

Church Administrator: Monica McNeill

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**St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador  
Congregation founded in 1775**