



**St. David's  
Presbyterian Church  
~ Welcomes All ~**



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

**St. David's Presbyterian Church**  
**98 Elizabeth Avenue, St. John's, NL A1B 1R8**  
**June 28, 2015 11 a.m. Service**

**Enter to Praise God**

Instrumental Prelude

Entry of the Bible

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Hymn: **#538 You Satisfy the Hungry Heart**

Prayers of Adoration, Confession, Assurance of Pardon

The Lord's Prayer

Children's Hymn: **#412 Come let us sing to the Lord**

Children's Time and Prayer

**The Word of God Proclaimed**

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings: 2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27 (pp.446-447) Marijke &  
Benjamin

2 Corinthians 8:7-15 (p.1725)

Psalm 130 (responsive) (p.929)

Mark 5:21-43 (pp.1496-1497)

Hymn: **# 195 Come ye disconsolate**

Sermon: *"Receiving the Healing Touch of God"*

**Responding to the Word**

Offering, Offertory Prayer of Dedication, Doxology Hymn **#79**

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

**Sacrament of Holy Communion**

The Apostles' Creed **# 539**

Communion Hymn **#530 I Come with Joy**

Communion Service Liturgy **#564**

**Depart to Serve**

Hymn: **#556 Now let us from this table rise**

Benediction

Choral Amen

Instrumental 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. **SUNDAY SCHOOL** meets during worship, adjourning to their classes just after the prayer with the children. A **Fellowship Time** is held after worship in the Hall. Please come and join us.

*Summer's here .... and the living is easy* ..... not necessarily ..... those in need of assistance in feeding their families have the same need during the summer months – their families are still hungry! Please continue to bring in non-perishable food items for Bridges To Hope during the summer – it will be a great help! If you would prefer to make a financial donation, that option is available now on line through a “Donate” button on the Bridges To Hope website: [www.bridges](http://www.bridges) to hope.ca. Your support is sincerely appreciated.

**Memorial Services** Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Hamilton Ave Extension will be held on Monday, July 6<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm and General Protestant Cemetery, Topsail Road will be held on Monday, July 20<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. In the event of inclement weather, the services will be moved ahead to 7pm the next evening.

The **Session** will be meeting on Tuesday, June 30 at 7:30 in the Armour Room.

**Bridges to Hope** Again this year Bridges To Hope will be partnering with Community Centers and corporate sponsors to provide the Bag to School Program. Last year, over 991 bags were filled for children across the province; of which 662 were packed by the staff and volunteers of Bridges To Hope for children in the St. John's/metro area. We are reaching out to all our partner Churches in the hope that each congregation will be able to sponsor a specific school item.

We are asking St. David's for **Rulers / Erasers**. If a quantity of that item could be supplied by St. David's, it will go a long way towards ensuring another successful start to the school year for the children of our city and province. Rulers and/or erasers can be placed on the food trolley each week or dropped off at the Church Office. Your support is sincerely appreciated.

**Responding to floods in Malawi** Flooding in Malawi earlier this year destroyed homes and left many in need of shelter, food and other sanitation supplies—including toilets. The loss of latrines in a flood zone is a serious problem. When proper sanitation is no longer possible, the risk of contracting waterborne diseases such as diarrhea, malaria and even cholera increases significantly. Presbyterian World Service & Development, in collaboration with local partners and health workers in Malawi, is helping rebuild 1,000 latrines. PWS&D will continue to work to reduce the risk of disease, improve sanitation and ensure that families affected by the flooding are able to continue to rebuild their lives. *-PWS&D responds to provide sanitation*

**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 Tuesday Evening of every Month @ 7:30  
WA last Tuesday of every Month @ 12 noon  
Food for Thought Mondays @ 7-9 :30 pm (71 Stirling Crescent)  
Women's Bible Study Wednesday Mornings @ 9:30 (Lori Kim den Otter)  
Quilter Group, Willing hands Wednesday afternoons @ 1:00 pm  
Good Companions (Seniors Group) Thursday afternoons @ 2:00 pm  
Choir practice Thursdays Evenings @ 7:30 pm  
Bible study Sunday mornings @ 9:30 am  
Youth Group Sunday Evenings @ 7 pm (Amy Palmer)**

**Call the Church Office for more details 722-2382**

**Minister: Rev. Dr. Jonathan Dent  
Presbytery Youth Minister: Amy Palmer  
Music Director: Brian Way  
Session Clerk: Lillian Crawford  
Managers on Duty:  
Elder on Duty: Lori Kim den Otter and Andy Versteeg  
Church Administrator: Monica McNeill  
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***In case of emergency, St. David's has an Automated External Defibrillator (AED)! It is located on the wall just outside the Church Office.***