

St. David's Presbyterian Church
98 Elizabeth Avenue, St. John's, NL A1B 1R8
September 06, 2015 11 a.m. Service
15th Sunday after Pentecost

Enter to Praise God

Entry of the Bible
Welcome and Announcements
Call to Worship
Hymn: #438 **When morning gilds the skies**
Prayers of Adoration, Confession, Assurance of Pardon
The Lord's Prayer
Children's Hymn: #521 **Child of blessing**
Children's Time and Prayer
Sacrament of Baptism

The Word of God Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination
Scripture Readings: Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23 (pp.976-978)
James 2:1-17 (pp.1800-1801)
Psalm 125 (unison) (p.927)
Mark 7:24-37 (pp.1500-1501)

Hymn: #442 **Speak, Lord, in the stillness**
Sermon: "*Spiritual Integration or Disintegration*"

Responding to the Word

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

Depart to Serve

Hymn: #626 **Lord of all power**
Benediction
Chorale Amen

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. **While Sunday school classes are suspended for the summer season**, families with young children are reminded that pew packs are available in the narthex, please ask the manager on duty. A **Fellowship Time** is held after worship in the Hall. Please come and join us.

We would like to thank **Heather Kao** for leading the music this morning.

Today we celebrate the sacrament of **Holy Baptism of Calvin Murray Crosbie** with Thomas Crosbie and Jill Slater. We welcome Calvin to our church family!

Sunday School starts on September 13th. Come join us for a fun and exciting study on Joseph!

There is a **Children's Ministry Workshop** on Saturday, September 12th from 9am - 1pm in the Armour Room of St. David's. If you are a parent, a teacher, an assistant, someone with wisdom from past experience, or newly enthusiastic about working with children, please attend! Your feedback is important. We will be discussing Leading with Care Guidelines, what is most important for Sunday School, behavioural expectations and boundaries, and planning for the fall.

Come to **St. David's Baptismal Birthday Party** on Saturday, September 26th from 2-4pm! We are celebrating everyone's baptism! It is our birthday into the family of the church. Please send Amy a picture of your baptism (doesn't have to be in St. David's) and a current picture of yourself with your name and year on the back of each photo. We will have a matching game with prizes for who can guess the most people. There will be cake, games and information about our church's fall activities. Be sure to come! And bring a friend! Contact Amy for more details: amyralmer@gmail.com, 237-0840

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.

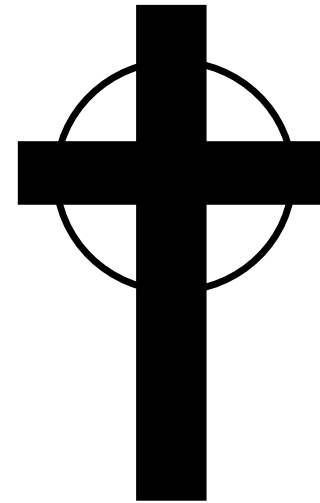
Our historic roots nourish a mission-minded, scripture based church which seeks to express the faith for the modern day. Our aim is to foster a welcoming, loving and joyous spiritual community where all worshippers feel comfort and enjoyment.

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 @ 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
Call the Church Office for more details 722-2382

Minister: Rev. Dr. Jonathan Dent
Music Director: Brian Way
Session Clerk: Lillian Crawford
Manager on Duty:
Elder on Duty: Janet Calver
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



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Presbyterian Church
~Welcomes All~**



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