

**St. David's Presbyterian Church**  
**98 Elizabeth Avenue, St. John's, NL A1B 1R8**  
**August 30, 2015 11 a.m. Service**

Enter to Praise God

Entry of the Bible  
Welcome and Announcements  
Call to Worship  
Hymn: **#746 What a friend we have in Jesus**  
Prayers of Adoration, Confession, Assurance of Pardon  
The Lord's Prayer  
Children's Hymn: **#373 Jesus loves me**  
Children's Time and Prayer

The Word of God Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination  
Scripture Readings: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9 (p.265) Marijke and Benjamin)  
James 1:17-27 (pp.1799-1800)  
Psalm 15 (responsive) (pp. 812-813)  
Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23 (pp.1499-1500)

Hymn: **#507 Break now the bread of life**  
Sermon: *"Inside-out Christianity"*

Responding to the Word

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

Depart to Serve

Hymn: **#670 Amazing Grace**  
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 **Dr. Gordon Stockwell** for leading the music this morning.

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

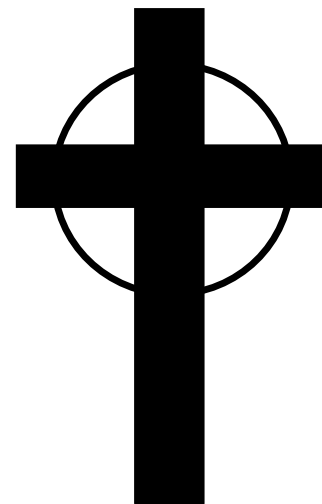
There is a **Children's Ministry Workshop** on Saturday, September 12th from 9am - 1pm in the Armour Room of St. David's. If you are a parent, a teacher, an assistant, someone with wisdom from past experience, or newly enthusiastic about working with children, please attend! Your feedback is important. 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](mailto:amyralmer@gmail.com), 237-0840.

**Volunteers are needed for the coffee hour especially on the dates of Sept 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> & Oct. 4<sup>th</sup>. Your help is greatly appreciated.**

**Thank you** to all who donated rulers and erasers for Bridges To Hope's "Bag to School" program. Last week, 538 bags were prepared for distribution in St. John's. Supplies are on hand to complete bags for those on the waiting list plus any additional requests prior to school opening. BTH also helped community groups in Burin (73 bags), Gander (90 bags) and Clarendville (110 bags) acquire the needed bags for their programs! In total BTH has helped 811 children go back to school well prepared! In addition, 100 Passion for Projects kits (supplies for school projects) have been assembled and are ready for distribution! Your continued support of Bridges To Hope, in so many ways, is sincerely appreciated.

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.



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

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.

Minister: Rev. Dr. Jonathan Dent  
Music Director: Brian Way  
Session Clerk: Lillian Crawford  
Manager on Duty: Anne Calver  
Elder on Duty: Dini den Otter  
Church Administrator: David Hodder  
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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.*



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