

Take my voice and let me sing, always, only for my King.  
Take my lips and let them be, filled with messages from Thee.

Take my silver and my gold, not a mite would I withhold.  
Take my intellect, and use every pow'r as Thou shalt choose.

Take my will and make it Thine, it shall be no longer mine.  
Take my heart, it is Thine own, it shall be Thy royal throne.

Take my love, my Lord, I pour, at Thy feet its treasure store.  
Take myself and I will be ever, only, all for Thee.

### **Announcements & Offering**

### **Offertory Prayer**

### **Prayers of the People**

### **Hymn – I'm gonna live so God can use me (#648)**

I'm gonna live so  
God can use me, anywhere, Lord, anytime!  
I'm gonna live so  
God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!

I'm gonna work so  
God can use me, anywhere, Lord, anytime!  
I'm gonna work so  
God can use me, anywhere, Lord, anytime!

I'm gonna pray so  
God can use me, anywhere, Lord, anytime!  
I'm gonna pray so,  
God can use me, anywhere, Lord, anytime!

I'm gonna sing so  
God can use me, anywhere, Lord, anytime!  
I'm gonna sing so  
God can use me, anywhere, Lord, anytime!

### **Benediction and Grace**

# **Presbyterian Church in Canada**



## **Annual Joint Picnic**



**ST. DAVID'S AND ST. ANDREW'S CONGREGATIONS  
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA  
ANNUAL JOINT PICNIC – NORTH BANK LODGE  
June 17, 2018**

**THE ORDER OF WORSHIP, 11:00 A.M.**

**We welcome** the congregations of St. David's and St. Andrew's Churches. A special welcome if you are attending for the first time or as a guest. We hope that today's service will be a blessing to you and that you will join us for the feast and fun which follows the worship service.

**APPROACH TO GOD**

**Hymn – All things bright and beautiful** (#435)

**Refrain:**

**All things bright and beautiful, All creatures great and small,  
All things wise and wonderful: The Lord God made them all.**

Each little flow'r that opens, Each little bird that sings,  
God made their glowing colors, God made their tiny wings.

The cold wind in the winter, The pleasant summer sun,  
The ripe fruits in the garden, God made them every one.

The rocky mountains splendour, the Haunting curlew's call,  
The great lakes and the prairies, the forests in the fall,

God gave us eyes to see them, and lips that we might tell  
How great is God Almighty, who has made all things well.

**Call to Worship**

L: You lay out a table before us

**A: A picnic for all the senses.**

L: The aroma of burgers on the grill

**A: The sounds of birds singing in the air**

L: The feeling of sun and wind on our faces

**A: A symphony of creation drawing us to worship**

L: You call us to the joy of your presence

**A: We respond with our worship and praise**

**Hymn – Softly and Tenderly** (#640)

Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling, calling for you and for me;  
Patiently Jesus is waiting and watching, watching for you and for me.

**Refrain:**

**Come home, come home, Ye who are weary, come home;  
Earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling, Calling, O sinner, come home!**

Why should we tarry when Jesus is pleading, pleading for you and for me?

Why should we linger and heed not His mercies, mercies for you and for me?

Oh, for the wonderful love He has promised, promised for you and for me!

Though we have sinned, He has mercy and pardon, Pardon for you and for me.

**Prayers of Approach, Confession**

**Assurance of Pardon**

**Hymn – Lord, listen to your children praying** (#449)

Lord, listen to your children praying:

Lord, send you Spirit in this place;

Lord, listen to your children praying,

Send us love; send us power; send us grace!

**Children's Story**

**THE WORD OF GOD**

Old Testament: Ezekiel 17:22-24

New Testament: Mark 4:26-34

**Sermon:** *“The Parable of the Dandelion”*

**RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

**Hymn – Take my life, and let it be consecrated** (#637)

Take my life and let it be, consecrated, Lord, to Thee.

Take my moments and my days, let them flow in endless praise.

Take my hands and let them move, at the impulse of Thy love.

Take my feet and let them be, swift and beautiful for Thee.