

St. David's Presbyterian Church
98 Elizabeth Avenue, St. John's, NL A1B 1R8
October 28, 2018
Contemporary Service

Instrumental Prelude
Announcements
Entry of the Bible

Call to worship: (Psalm 25)

One: Make me to know your ways, O Lord;

All: teach me your paths.

One: Lead me in your truth, and teach me,

All: for you are the God of our salvation.

One: Be mindful of your mercy, O Lord,

All: and of your steadfast love.

Opening Worship: **Glory (Let there be Peace)**
Great things (worth it all)
Have Mercy

Prayer of Approach

Unison prayer of confession:

Most merciful Lord, we confess before you our sinful nature, and our shortcomings and offences. You alone know how often we have sinned: in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, who are sorry for the ways we have displeased you. Teach us to hate our errors; cleanse us from our secret faults, and forgive our sins; for the sake of your dear Son.

The Lord's Prayer, Assurance of Pardon,

Children's Hymn: #348 Tell me the stories of Jesus

Children's Time and Prayer

The Word of God Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings:

Genesis 12:1-5a (p.16)

Mark 2:1-5 (p. 1490)

Psalm 25:1-10 (p. 823)

Romans 1:8-17 (p. 1672)

Hymn: #315 A Mighty fortress is our God

Sermon: "*Justification by Faith*"

Ascription of Praise

Responding to the Word

Offering, Offertory Prayer of Dedication, Doxology Hymn #79

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Depart to Serve

Closing Song: **God is able**

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 Nursery for infants and toddlers is available through the door at the front right hand side of the Sanctuary. A Fellowship Time is held after worship in the Hall. Please come and join us.

There is additional parking available for Sunday Mornings next door at Elizabeth Tower's parking lot and across the street at the English School District parking lot.

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 4th Thursday of every Month

Session 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

Women's Bible Study Wednesdays 10-12 noon

Quilter Group, Willing Hands Wednesday Afternoons @ 1:00pm

Good Companions (Seniors) Thursday Afternoons @ 2:00 pm

Choir practice Sunday Mornings @ 9 :30 am

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Music Director: Brian Way

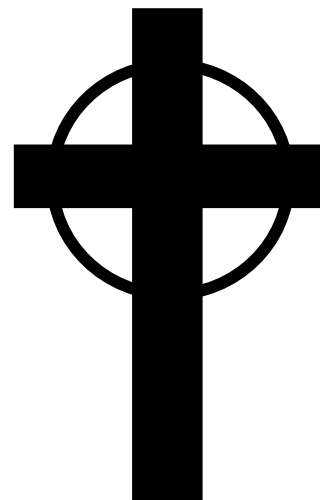
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Manager on Duty: Ken Templeton

Elder on Duty: Susan Templeton

Church Administrator: Monica McNeill

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St. David's Presbyterian Church ~ Welcomes All ~



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

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Next Sunday, November 4th, we will be celebrating All Saints Sunday. Join us at our morning service and light a candle in memory of someone who taught you of the goodness and love of God through their words and actions.

Please join us in the Hall after the service to enjoy some coffee, tea, and CAKE! We are celebrating Rev. Wishart's 60 years of ordination. He marked the occasion on September the 30th, but it seems fitting that he must endure at least 60 days of celebration for his 60 years of service.

Rev. David is preaching at our sister congregation, St. Matthew's Presbyterian, this Sunday. Our thoughts and prayers are with Rev. David and with the congregation of St. Matthew's as they continue to shine the light of Christ in Grand Falls-Windsor.

ANNUAL TEA AND BAKE SALE: Please join us on Saturday, November 17, 2018 for our Annual Afternoon Tea and Bake Sale. In preparation for this event, everyone is encouraged to contribute items for the Bake Stall, and to purchase tickets (\$7 each) from any W. A. member or at the Church Office. Watch for further details in the coming weeks.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT Food for Thought (university / early career adults) meets Tuesday nights from 7-9pm at 16 Polina Road for a time of food, fellowship and prayer. Come join us! Contact James Munroe for more information and for transportation: jmunroe at mun.ca

Meals for this group are always appreciated. If you can provide a meal for October 30, contact Marcella Rollmann at marcellarollmann at gmail.com or 726-2559.

Muffin Monday: Muffin Monday was another success! Thank-you to the volunteers that made this happen! We need one more volunteer, if you would like to join us for November, call the office at 722-2382. These muffins go straight to Bridges to Hope for snacks for the children. Come and join the fun!

OVER

COFFEE TIME: If you are interested in helping out this Fall with Coffee after the Sunday Services, please sign the Roster on the door at the kitchen. Thank-you for all the volunteers that have helped with this!

Board and Session joint meeting: Please mark your calendars that the joint meeting will take place on Saturday November 3rd, 2018 from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. If you would like to join a pot luck breakfast, that will commence around 9 a.m..

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