

**St. David's Presbyterian Church**  
**98 Elizabeth Avenue, St. John's, NL A1B 1R8**  
**January 19, 2020 11:00 am Service**

**We Approach God**

Instrumental Prelude  
Welcome and Announcements  
Entry of the Bible  
Introit

Call to Worship:

Leader: We come to you, O Lord, and ask that you would prepare us for worship.

**All: O Lord, open our lips,**

Leader: And our mouths will sing your praises.

**All: O Lord, open our eyes,**

Leader: And we will see your presence with us.

**All: O Lord, open our ears,**

Leader: And we will hear your call to follow.

**All: O Lord, open our hearts,**

Leader: And we will offer you worship in love.

**All: Let us worship God!**

Opening Hymn: **#290 Immortal, Invisible, God only wise**

Prayer of Approach and Confession

Assurance of Pardon  
Passing of the Peace

**We Hear From God**

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture readings: 1 Corinthians 1:1-9 (p.1696)  
John 1:29-42 (p.1578)

Children's Hymn: **#670 Amazing grace**

Children's time and prayer

Scripture readings: Psalm 40:1-11 (p.839)  
Isaiah 49:1-7 (p.1095)

Hymn: **#683 I know not why such wondrous grace**

Sermon: *"Testify!"*

**We Respond To God**

Anthem

Offering, Offertory Prayer, Doxology Hymn (**#79**)  
Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

*Unison prayer of Thanksgiving:*

**Thank you God for all you give,**

**For food, for love, a place to live.**

**In sunshine and in rain or snow,**

**when times are good or bad we know**

**your hand provides, your heart forgives,**

**Thank you God for all you give.**

Closing Hymn: **#665 Lord Jesus, you shall be my song**

Benediction

Choral Amen

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

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

Bible Study Wednesdays (10 :30 am)

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

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

Choir practice Sunday Mornings @ 9 :30 am

Call the Church Office for more details 722-2382

Minister: Rev. David Sturtevant

Music Director: Brian Way

Session Clerk: Lillian Crawford

Manager on Duty: Tanya Shalaby

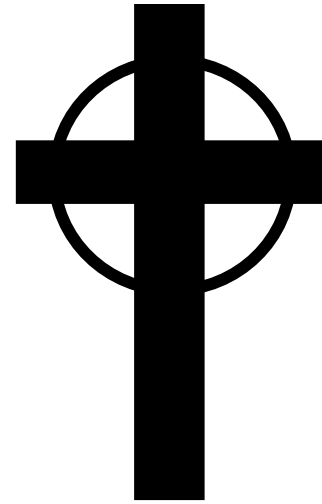
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*In case of emergency, St. David's has an Automated External Defibrillator (AED)! It is located on the wall just outside the Church Office*



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



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

## **St. David's Announcements**

**Bible Study:** Bible study will resume this Wednesday, Jan 22 at 10:30 in the Armour Room.

**Food For Thought:** Food for Thought is starting up again after the Christmas break. We will meet this Tuesday evening, Jan 21, at 7:15 at 16 Polina Road. Come join this gathering of young adults for an evening of food, Bible study and prayer. Contact Marcella Rollmann for more information and for transportation: marcellarollmann at [gmail.com](mailto:marcellarollmann@gmail.com).

We are looking for volunteers to provide meals for this group for any Tuesday from Jan 28 through March 31. See sign-up sheet on the bulletin board outside the office. Thank you for your continued support of this ministry.

**Muffin making:** We are making muffins again in January. Our first time for the New Year will be Monday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, if you are interested in helping out, please contact Monica at the office 722-2382.

**Children's Ministry Meeting:** Following the service today, there will be a planning meeting for Children's Ministry at St. David's. Parents and other interested adults are asked to attend.

**Fellowship Lunch:** Please join us today, for our first Fellowship Lunch for 2020. Plan to come and enjoy hot and hearty soup, rolls, squares, tea/coffee. No admission charge; free will offering accepted. All are welcome!

## **Community Announcements**

**Week of Christian Unity:** The St John's and Area Council of Churches invites you to join them at the Annual Service to celebrate the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity today at Salvation Army Citadel, Adams Ave, St John's.

**The St. Andrew's Society Burns Supper and Ceilidh,** have you got your tickets yet? We have haggis from our famous Haggis Lady, dancers and steak pie! We will once again have a 50/50 and a gift basket up for raffle and we will also have scotch behind the bar!! Tickets are \$60.00 and monies go towards supporting a scholarship at Memorial University so it is absolutely a worthy cause. The supper is at The Legion on The Boulevard, St. John's and is at 6 for 6:30 pm on Saturday, January 25, 2020. Contact me here at [st.andrewssociety.nfl@gmail.com](mailto:st.andrewssociety.nfl@gmail.com) to reserve your tickets today!! Tangyne Berry, President, St. Andrews Society Newfoundland and Labrador