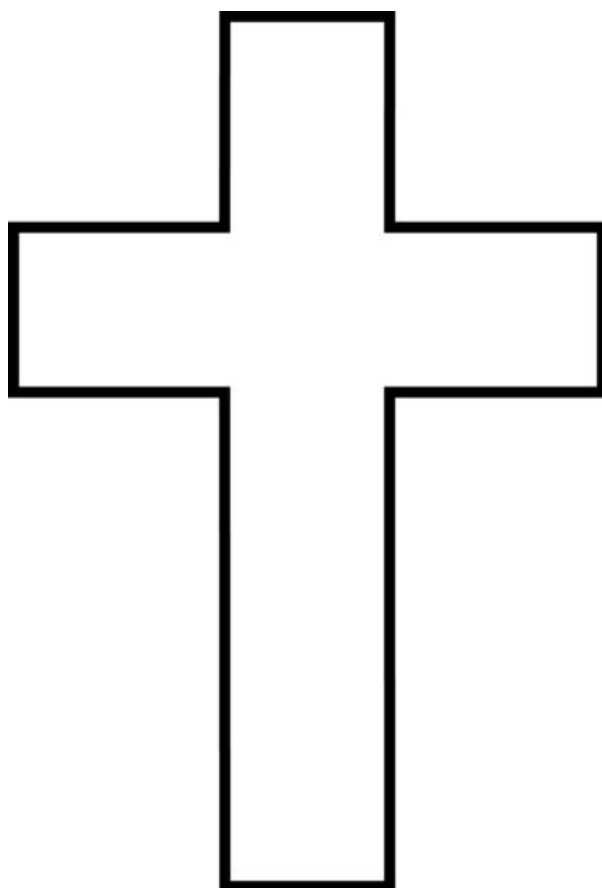


**St. David's Presbyterian Church**  
98 Elizabeth Avenue, St. John's, NL A1B 1R8

**Order of Service**  
**For Sunday**  
**July 2nd, 2023**



Instrumental Prelude

Entry of the Bible

Call to Worship:

Let us sing of God's steadfast love.

**We will offer our praise in songs of joy.**

God's faithfulness is as vast as the heavens.

**We will proclaim God's faithfulness to all generations.**

Let us worship God in our prayers and our praise.

**We will give God glory now and always!**

**Opening Hymn: #814 Morning has broken**

Prayer of Approach and Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession:

**Lord of all creation and each life,**

**We confess we can forget that life is your gift,  
especially when we face struggles  
or feel hard done by.**

**We close our eyes to the good you have put in our lives,  
and we spend our days in grumbling.**

**Forgive any hurt we have caused by action or inaction,  
and show us how to make amends.**

**May we live with you and with each other in reconciling grace  
through the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen**

Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy  
kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as  
we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but  
deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power  
and the glory, forever, Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

**Children's Hymn: #516 A little child the Saviour came**

The Sacrament of Baptism - Please refer to the insert.

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Readings:

Jeremiah 28:5-9 (p. 1175)

Psalm 89:1-8 (responsive) (p. 887)

Roman 6:12-23 (p. 1679)

Matthew 10:40-42 (p. 1451)

**Hymn: #774 God forgave my sin**

Sermon: "Loving the Least"

Responding to the Word

Collection of Offering

**Doxology Hymn # 79**

Offering Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

**Hymn: #730 O for a world where everyone**

Benediction

Choral Amen

Postlude

We **WELCOME** everyone to our worship today and pray that this hour might be one of refreshment and spiritual joy.

An unstaffed **Nursery** for infants and toddlers is available through the door at the front right hand side of the Sanctuary.

A **Fellowship Time** is held downstairs after worship. 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.