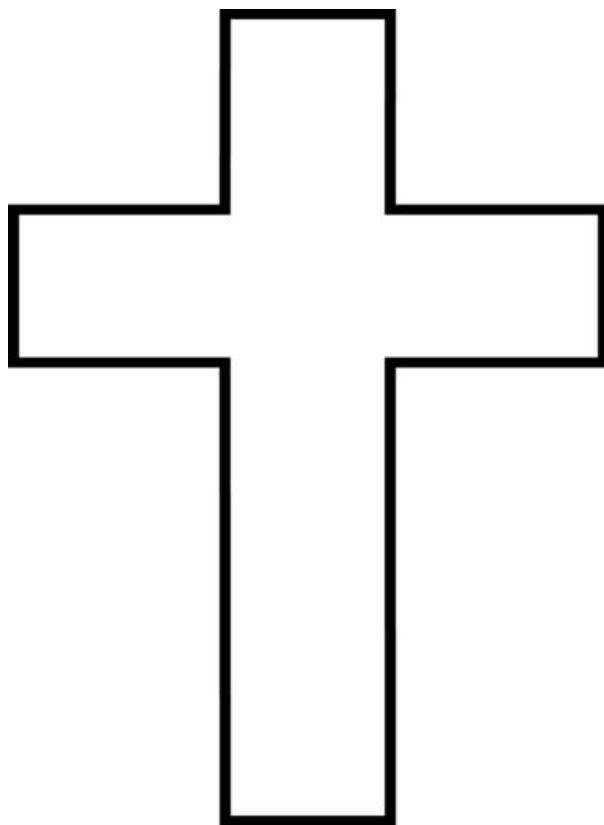


St. David's Presbyterian Church
98 Elizabeth Avenue, St. John's, NL A1B 1R8

Order of Service
November 19th, 2023



Elder on Duty: Eleanor & Aubrey Bonnell
Manager on Duty: Heather Steele Morrissey

Instrumental Prelude
Welcome & Announcements

Entry of the Bible

Call to Worship:

Let us praise the God of Truth!

Hallelujah! We seek God's truth.

Let us praise the God of Peace!

Hallelujah! We seek God's peace.

Let us praise the God of Love!

Hallelujah! In Christ we know God's love and so we offer our praise!

Hymn # 267 Rejoice, the Lord is King

Prayer of Approach

Unison prayer of Confession:

Trusting God,

you placed your mission in our hands

and gave us gifts to accomplish amazing things in Jesus' name.

We confess sometimes we've taken credit for what your love has done.

Sometimes we've called our own desires your will.

Sometimes we've stepped back and let others carry responsibilities.

Forgive us when we've failed to honour your trust in us.

The 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

Hymn: # 377 Come, children, join to sing

Children's Time and Prayer

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings:

1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 (p.1761)

Psalm 90 (responsive) (p.890)

Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18 (p.1404)

Matthew 25:14-30 (p. 1478)

Hymn: # 645 Follow me, the Master said

Sermon: "Burying Blessings"

Collection of Offering and Offertory Prayer of Dedication

Doxology hymn # 79

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Hymn # 794 Abide with me

Benediction

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.