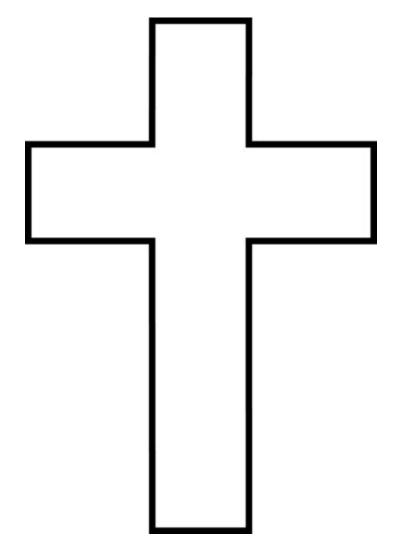
St. David's Presbyterian Church 98 Elizabeth Avenue, St. John's, NL A1B 1R8

Order of Service Sunday July 7th, 2024



Elder & Manager on Duty: Ken Templeton

Instrumental Prelude

Entry of the Bible and Welcome

Call to Worship:

L: Our world offers many wide avenues and beautiful boulevards to walk;

A: Our God invites us to walk the road of service and sacrifice.

L: Our society suggests we put down our roots in the shallow soil of pleasure and greed.

A: Our God seeks to plant us on the banks of hope, watered by the rivers of joy and grace.

L: Our culture promotes achievement, success, climbing to the top, ringing the bell.

A: Our God tells us if we want to be first we need to go to the end of the line.

L: We come to worship the God who invites us to be free

Hymn # 321 - Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Prayer of Approach and Confession

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

"Passing of the Peace" ~ a time for us to welcome each other

Children's Hymn # 435 – All things bright and beautiful

Children's Time and Prayer

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Readings:

Galatians 5:1, 13-15 (p. 1737 & 1738)

Psalm 1 (**responsive**) (p. 803) James 1:19-25 (p. 1800)

Sermon: "Real Freedom"

Hymn # 587 - Called as partners in Christ's service

Collection of Offering **Doxology Hymn # 79**Offering Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Hymn # 626 - Lord of all power

Benediction Postlude

St. David's is a lively congregation of people from many backgrounds, young and old.

From Newfoundland, 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".

We became part of the Presbyterian Church in Canada in 1938, And took the name, St. David's in 1959.

The Mission & Vision Statements of St. David's Presbyterian Church

<u>Our mission</u> is worshipping God and serving our neighbours in Christian love.

<u>Our vision</u> is to love God together, foster a welcoming Christian community where worshippers use spiritual gifts and feel connected.

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.