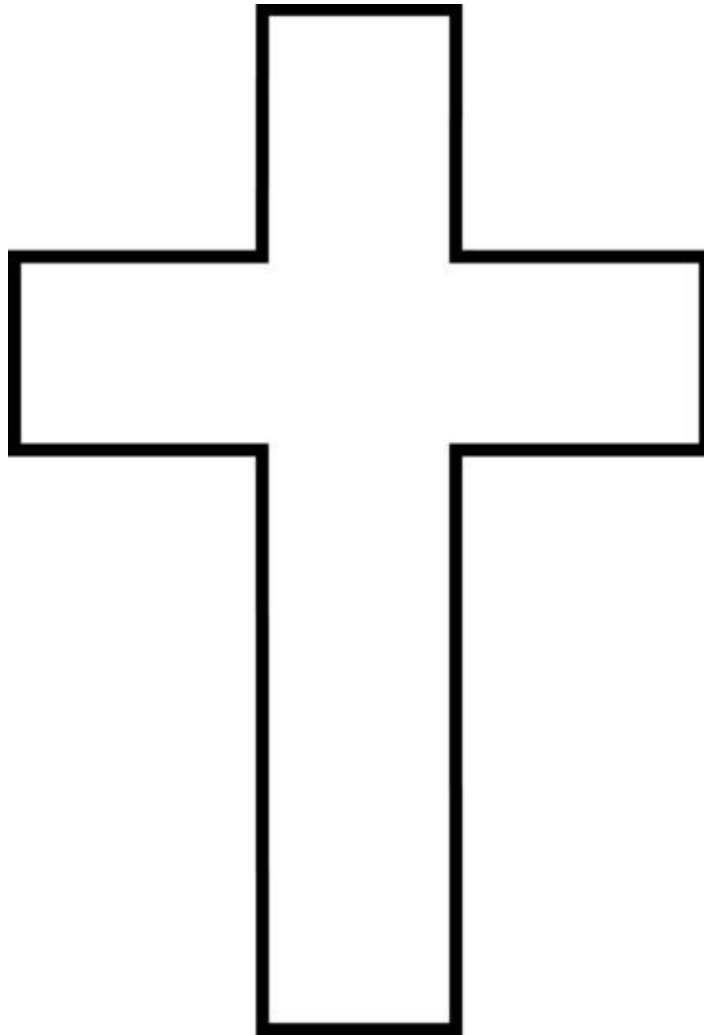


St. David's Presbyterian Church
98 Elizabeth Avenue, St. John's, NL A1B 1R8

Order of Service
Sunday
August 11th, 2024



Elder on Duty: Ian Bruneau
Manager on Duty: Nnenna Odide-Offia

Instrumental Prelude

Entry of the Bible and Welcome

Call to Worship:

In a world familiar with despair, we are here to celebrate;

We will praise God's holy name.

God is good, and we proclaim the story of our lives;

God has delivered us from all our fears.

Jesus has promised whoever comes to him will never be hungry,
those who believe in him will never thirst.

Let us taste the Bread of Life as we come to Jesus to be fed!

Hymn # 366 – Jesus, thou joy of loving hearts

Prayer of Approach

Unison Prayer of Confession

**Living, forgiving God,
in Christ you promise us new life.**

**Yet we often cling to bitter disappointments;
anger can hold us hostage for years.**

**We say one thing to someone's face
and something else behind their back.**

Forgive us.

**Free us from old habits and resentments,
and renew us to live according to your mercy. 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

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

Children’s Hymn # 655 – Give me oil in my lamp

Children’s Time and Prayer

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Readings:

Ephesians 4:25 - 5:2 (p. 1744)

Psalm 34:1-8 (**responsive**) (p. 831)

1 Kings 19:1-8 (p. 530)

John 6:35-51 (p. 1588)

Sermon: “Eat for today, strength for tomorrow“

Hymn # 688 – As water to the thirsty

Collection of Offering

Doxology Hymn # 79

Offering Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Hymn # 822 – All praise to thee, my God, this night

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

Our mission is worshipping God and serving our neighbours in Christian love.

Our vision 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.