

SUMMERSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Our mission is to know, love and serve God wherever we are and to inspire others to do the same by our thoughts, words and deeds.

~May 27, 2018 ~

OUR APPROACH TO GOD

Call to Worship

HYMN: #299 HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Opening Prayers

**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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us
from evil, for thine is the kingdom,
the power and the glory,
forever and ever, Amen.**

Assurance of God's Love
Welcome & Announcements

HYMN: #292 FATHER, I ADORE YOU

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Understanding
Psalm 29, Refrain #1
James 1:19-27

Gloria Patri

Ministry of Music: "Come, People of the Risen King"

Sermon: "Balloons"

~ K. & K. Getty & S. Townend

HYMN: SHOUT TO THE LORD

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Offering & Doxology
Mission Moment
Pastoral Prayer

*Hear our prayer, O God, hear our prayer, O God;
incline your ear to us, and grant us your peace.*

HYMN: #648 I'M GONNA LIVE SO GOD CAN USE ME

Benediction

Sending Forth Blessing: "Go Now in Peace"

**We welcome back Chad Bolton
who will be leading us in worship today!
Also many thanks to our guest musician,
Tanya Bernard for sharing her talents with us today!**

Welcome to SPC: We welcome everyone to our worship service this morning. If you are worshiping with us for the first time or visiting after a time away, please sign the guest book in the entrance. If you are new to our community and would like more information about our church family and its ministries, please feel free to speak to Rev. Brad or to today's greeter. You can also check us out online at www.summersidepresbyterianpei.ca.

Our Worshipping Community: Here at SPC, we believe that worship is something that God calls each of us to. Therefore, we strive to provide worship experiences that will be meaningful for all ages. Children are encouraged to join us and worship alongside their parents and guardians. At the front of the sanctuary there is a table for those who wish to do theme-related activities as a part of worship. Through the door on the left you will find a nursery where our youngest members can play while being supervised by a weekly volunteer.

As we welcome the sure signs of spring, we advise the following budget information. As at April 30th, our expenses year to date have exceeded our income by \$14,369.00. Although this amount is higher than it was for the same period last year, we are hopeful it can still be managed with your continued support.

Thank you very much.

~Your Finance and Property committee.



This Week:

Today, May 27: Morning Worship 10:30

Fundscrip order

Sat, June 2: Ladies' Breakfast 9:00 Star Cafe

Sun, June 2: Morning Worship 10:30

Fundscrip pick up

FundScrip Today is order day!

Some astonishing Fundscrip Facts:

Since we joined Fundscrip six years ago this month, we have earned \$14,813.65 in rebates! Every time the amount reaches \$1000, we submit for a cheque, and there is one coming any day now. It's easy to order gift cards this way, we order every two weeks. Why not try and help our church budget with higher rebate earnings; we'll get to that next \$1000 cheque a lot faster! Orders go in every two weeks, simply fill out your form, write a cheque (or cash) and leave in the church office for me to submit for you. Any questions, simply ask me! Thank you for your support!

-Susan Cameron (coordinator)



Please join us **Saturday, June 9, beginning at 9am for our Camp Keir Clean-Up Day!** We appreciate all help we receive on this important day when we get the camp ready for the summer season! Painting, cleaning, raking, dusting, there is a job for everyone! Come and check out the new windows too! Also, we encourage you to share and take a look at our Wish List (which is attached) and if you have items to donate, this would be a fantastic day to drop them off at the camp! It would be amazing if every church could send even one person for this important day!



SPC church member, Laurel Hurst, who has Huntington Disease, is now a resident at Wedgewood Manor, and is very excited and happy to be there. If you wish to visit Laurel that would be wonderful and much appreciated. If you feel inclined to take Laurel a gift (colouring book, chocolates, cards, hand lotion, etc.), whatever it might be, please do not give it directly to Laurel. Please give the item(s) to the RN on duty to store for Laurel's use. Laurel has very intense OCD and hoarding issues. We are trying to keep her room from becoming overrun with too many items. You can tell Laurel you have brought something for her and that you have given it to the staff to hold for her until she needs it. Thank you very much for your understanding in this matter.

- The Hurst Family



Please join us on **Sunday, June 10 at 2pm** for a lively afternoon **concert featuring "Dunromin"**. Tickets \$10, light refreshments will be served.



We will be hosting an **auction here at SPC on Saturday, June 16** and will be **looking for donations!** All household goods, tools, sports items, furniture, if in good shape, etc. No electronics or computer equipment, and no books for this sale. Contact your elder if you need assistance with pick up and drop off or leave a message in the church office. We'll need everything or at least know about it for the previous week so we can make a list and do the appropriate advertising. We are hoping this will be a major spring fundraiser for our congregation, all hands are needed to make it a success.



The **Summerside Community Choir will be performing a 40th Anniversary concert entitled, "Our Song Has Just Begun"** this evening at Trinity Church in Summerside and again on Saturday, June 2 at St. Mary's Church in Indian River. Both concerts begin at 7pm with doors open at 6:30.



We made the PWS&D Newsletter "**Presbyterian's in Action!**"

<http://presbyterian.ca/pwsd/2018/05/16/presbyterians-in-action-local-action-global-impact-4/>

Potato Bar Fundraiser



In March, the youth of Summerside Presbyterian Church in P.E.I. hosted a "potato bar" fundraiser at the church, where guests dressed up baked potatoes with their favourite toppings. The proceeds totalling \$574 were donated to PWS&D's Sunday School Challenge, Farming for the Future, which helps farmers in Guatemala learn to grow more crops and rise above hunger. "God works through us in the most amazing ways," shares Debbie Richard, youth leader in Summerside.