

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.

~June 3, 2018 ~

OUR APPROACH TO GOD

Call to Worship

Come in from the storm! Come, find strength
to face each new day!

We trust in God.

Come in from the storm! Come, seek courage
to stand with those who struggle with injustice.

We trust in God.

Come, in from the storm! Come, proclaim
that with God, nothing is hopeless.

We trust in God.

Come and worship God, our strength and guide.

HYMN: #332 HOW GREAT THOU ART

God of faith and truth, help us always to be people of faithful
courage eager to worship and serve you. Mighty God, we turn our
hearts to you to confess the times when we have not trusted in you.

Forgive us.

When we rely on our strength alone,

Forgive us.

When we are frozen with fear and do not take action,

Forgive us.

When we forget the needs and hopes of the poor.

**Merciful God, do not forsake us. Restore in us a right spirit and
trusting heart for we pray in Jesus name.....**

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: #399 SPIRIT, SPIRIT OF GENTLENESS

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Understanding

Isaiah 43:18-25

Mark 2: 1-12

Psalm 84, Refrain#1

Gloria Patri

Ministry of Music: Pass me Not ~F.J. Crosby & W.H. Doane

Sermon

HYMN: #324 GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Offering & Doxology

Pastoral Prayer

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

HYMN: AMAZING GRACE (MY CHAINS ARE GONE)

Benediction

Sending Forth Blessing: "Go Now in Peace"

Thank you to Linda Berdan for leading us in worship 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 Worshiping 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.



This Week:

Today, June 3: Morning Worship 10:30

Fundscrip pick up

Wed, June 6: Choir 6:00

Sun, June 10: Morning Worship 10:30

Fundscrip order

Dunromin Concert 2:00



Today is pick up. Sunday, June 10th is the next order date.

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)



TEN THOUSAND VILLAGES

Great News! Not one, but two ladies have come forward to chair our Ten Thousand Village Sale. We welcome Wendy Gallant and Eloiza Marchiori who have enthusiastically agreed to take on this role. Thank you for your continued support over the past 15 years and I encourage you to give them the same so we can continue to provide this important Mission & Outreach program. ~Ken Targett



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!



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 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.



- ✓ Pray that the discussions at the Assembly be marked by humility, patience, and wisdom, as commissioners talk to each other as friends.
- ✓ With PWS&D support, clubs in Haiti teach children about food security and environmental protection. Pray that future generations steward God's creation well.