

Welcome to SPC: We welcome everyone to our worship service this morning. If you are worshipping 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 you prepare yourself for worship this morning, we invite you to reflect on the following thoughts:

*"The Christian experience, from start to finish, is a journey of faith."
- Watchman Nee*

*"But God doesn't call us to be comfortable. He calls us to trust Him so completely that we are unafraid to put ourselves in situations where we will be in trouble if He doesn't come through."
- Francis Chan*



*"Whenever God calls us to a task, He will equip us and enable us to complete that task."
- Michael Youssef*

What is the most difficult thing God has called you to do?

Ministry Teams

Here at Summerside Presbyterian, congregational life is organized around our 5 Ministry Teams:

Worship: The goal of this team is to attend to all of the various aspects that contribute to our weekly worship services: from decorating the sanctuary to greeting at the door and everything in between. The team leader is Rev. Brad (902-432-7924).

Fellowship: This team works to ensure that there are lots of opportunities for us to get together as a church family such as after-worship fellowship lunches and our Family Fun Nights. This team is integral to the life of our church. The Fellowship Team leaders are Sue Perry (902-888-2328) and Nancy MacDougall (902-436-3644).

Pastoral Care: This dedicated team works alongside Rev. Brad and the elders to ensure that those in our church family feel cared for during times of challenge. Whether it be visiting those in hospital or confined to home, this team is always working to manifest God's love within our congregation. The team leader is Betty Robertson (902-436-3905).

Christian Development: This team provides opportunities for those of all ages within our church family to explore and learn more about their faith. Chances to learn and grow in our faith are a key part of life here at Summerside Presbyterian. The team leader is Rev. Brad (902-432-7924).

Mission & Outreach: Emil Brunner has famously said that "The Church exists by mission, just as a fire exists by burning. Where there is no mission, there is no Church". Our Mission and Outreach Ministry Team support various missions within our congregation, our community, and beyond. The contact people are Ken Targett (902-436-9661) and Sue Perry (902-888-2328).

If you would like more information about any of our Ministry Teams, or would like to get involved, we encourage you to speak to Rev. Brad or the Team Leader.

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*"to know, love and serve God
wherever we are and to inspire others
to do the same by our thoughts,
words and deeds"*

SPC Mission Statement

Order of Worship

OUR APPROACH TO GOD

Call to Worship

This is the day the Lord has made!

We will rejoice, and be glad in it!

The Lord is our strength and our song; he has become
our victory!

You are our God, and we will praise you;

You are our God, and we will exalt you.

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good!

His faithful loves endures forever!

HYMN: #757 Come Sing, O Church, In Joy!

Opening Prayers & 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. 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: #484 The Church Is Wherever God's People

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Understanding

Jeremiah 29:1-14 (selected verses)

Psalms 118:1-4, 20-29 Refrain #1

Hebrews 11 (selected verses)

Gloria Patri

Ministry of Music: "Canon of Praise" (J. Pachelbel and

Sermon

H.H. Hopson)

HYMN: How Great is Our God

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Offering & Doxology

Shredding of the Mortgage

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Intercession

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

HYMN: Faith In Our Future

Benediction

Sending Forth Blessing: "Go Now in Peace"



This Week:

Today, Oct 28: Morning Worship 10:30

Fundscrip order

Fellowship Lunch 11:30

Thurs, Nov 1: KD Lunch 11:15

10000 Villages Set up 6:00

Fri, Nov 2: 10000 Villages 10-8

Sat, Nov 3: 10000 Villages 9-4

Sun, Nov 4: Morning Worship 10:30

Fundscrip pick up

FundScrip Today is order day. Please consider taking part in this great fundraiser. Purchase a gift card for Giant Tiger during the month of October and your name can be drawn for a free ticket to our "Deck the Halls" with Kool Breeze evening! It's worth \$12! Thank you for your support!



KD Lunch is every Thursday at 11:15. A sign up sheet is on the bulletin board in the lobby. Thank you for all your support in this outreach program.



We are **collecting canned and/or dry food today** for the Salvation Army Food Bank. There is always a need especially with the colder weather and school lunches to prepare. Baskets will be placed near the entrance to the sanctuary. Please help us with this Mission Project.



Today we are celebrating "burning our mortgage"! Please plan to stay for a celebration lunch and cake following the service.



TEN THOUSAND VILLAGES Every purchase is a gift to the world!

Ten Thousand Villages is coming again to SPC! We are hosting a sale of beautiful, fairly-traded gifts benefiting artisans from more than 30 developing countries. The Festival Sale will be held **Fri, Nov 2nd from 10am to 8pm and Sat, Nov 3rd from 9am to 4pm.** Admission is free. The gifts you buy at the Ten Thousand Villages Sales will give the blessings of steady work, fair wages, and a better life for struggling families around the world. Your purchases makes a difference!

We need your help with time, food or accomodation. Please see the sign up sheets on the table in the lobby.



Ladies Breakfast is Saturday, Nov 3 at 9am at Star Café. All ladies welcome. Bring a friend!



Due to Remembrance Day falling on a Sunday, we will be having our worship service at 9:30am.



Bible Study: James Our study on James begins here at the church on **Tuesday evening, November 13th (7 pm).** Study sheets are available in the lobby containing the questions we will be considering that evening.