

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.

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:

"Those who love their dream of a Christian community more than they love the Christian community itself become destroyers of that Christian community even though their personal intentions may be ever so honest, earnest and sacrificial."
~ Dietrich Bonhoeffer



"What we think we want from a church is almost never what we need."
~ Brett McCracken

*Think of one person who is hard for you to love.
What is one concrete way you can show that person love this week?*

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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

Love is patient; love is kind; love rejoices in the truth.
God's love is in all creation.

Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things.

By God's love, we are daily nurtured.

Love endures all things. Love never ends.
Through God's love we find salvation.

**All: Now faith, hope, and love abide, these three;
and the greatest of these is love.**

HYMN: #485 Saviour, Like A Shepherd Lead Us

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: #476 Amigos De Christo / Friends Of The Lord

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Understanding

Psalm 71:1-6

1 Corinthians 12:12-31 & 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Gloria Patri

Ministry of Music

Sermon: "The Time Lennon & McCartney sang the Gospel"

HYMN: #471 We Are One In The Spirit

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Offering & Doxology

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise God all creatures high and low;
praise God in Jesus fully known:
Creator, Word and Spirit, One.**

Pastoral Prayer

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

HYMN: #726 May The God Of Hope Go With Us Every Day

Benediction

Sending Forth Blessing: "Go Now in Peace"



This Week:

Today, Feb 3: Morning Worship 10:30

Fundscrip order

Coffee & Fellowship 11:30

Thurs, Feb 7: KD Lunch 11:15

Sun, Feb 10: Morning Worship 10:30

Fundscrip pick up

Coffee & Fellowship 11:30



Please join us for a time of coffee and fellowship following the service.



Today is order day. Please consider taking part in this great fundraiser. 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 supporting this importance outreach program.



New giving envelopes are available in the lobby. Anyone requiring envelopes or who would like to be added to PAR (Pre Authorized Debit) or make changes to their current PAR can inquire at the office.



In the event that church is cancelled due to weather, we will post it on our webpage, put it on CBC radio and send an email to those on our congregation email list. If you would like to have your email added, or if it has changed, please sign the list in the lobby. We could also set up a group text if that would be convenient. If this is of interest to you, please let the office know.



The Annual Meeting will be held on Feb 10 following a short service. Everyone is encouraged to attend. In an effort to save costs, the Annual reports will be sent out by email. If you would like to add your email to our list, or if it has changed, please sign the list in the lobby. If you require a paper copy, please sign the list in the lobby.

We are also currently working on Annual giving receipts. In an effort to save costs, these will also be emailed to those who we have emails for. If you would like to add your email to our list, or if it has changed, please sign the list in the lobby. We will print receipts for those we don't have emails for.



God's Work Abroad

In February the Rev. Colin Nicolle, the Rector of St. Mary's & St. John's Anglican parishes here in Summerside, will be taking part in a mission trip. He and a colleague will be travelling to Myanmar to support the work of Grace Children's Home, a Christian based orphanage in that country. If you feel called to make a financial contribution to this initiative or would be interested in learning more about his trip and the work that God is doing through that organization, you are encouraged to speak to Rev. Brad or contact Rev. Colin directly at rev.nicolle@gmail.com or (902) 954-1660.