

Announcements

In case of pastoral emergencies while Rev. Brad is away, please contact Rev. Arthur Davies at (902) 439-3077.

On most Sundays during the summer months, the **Ministry of Music will be a Favourite Hymn chosen from the "Favourite Hymns Suggestion Box"** on the table in the Foyer.

You are invited and encouraged to **submit suggestions of your favourite hymn for our Summer Musician to choose from**, based on familiarity of the tune and on our ability to provide words, if necessary.

The Sunday School program will be taking a break over the summer months and will resume again in September. There are pew packs located on the table in the lobby for our younger guests during the summer.

Mission Moment

Abena Asabiliga, a 46-year-old woman from Sumaduri in the Garu District of Northern Ghana, became physically impaired in infancy due to polio. Because of stigma, discrimination and her family's poverty, she lived an isolated and difficult life. After being identified in a community survey by community-based rehabilitation staff working for the Presbyterian Church of Ghana, her family and community received sensitization on disability rights, which helped reduce negative attitudes. With support from PWS&D, Abena received a tricycle for mobility, business skills training and start-up capital. She now sells snacks near a school and earns a living. She said, "My life has changed, and I can now move independently with the use of the tricycle that was provided to me. I am so grateful."

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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

Our Approach to God

Welcome & Announcements

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

Hymn **#570 I Have Decided to Follow Jesus**

Listening for God's Word

Prayer for Understanding

Scripture Reading: Psalm 85:8-13
Matthew 14:22-33

Ministry of Music: #746 What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Sermon: "Take Heart"

Hymn **#672 Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult**

Our Response to God's Word

Reflection / Doxology & the Presentation of Gifts / Prayer

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

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn **#689 Simply Trusting Every Day**

Benediction & Dismissal: **Walk With Me**

Walk with me, I will walk with you
and build the land that God has planned
where love shines through. 2x

Thank you to **Rev Andrew Richardson** for leading us in worship this morning.

Things to pray for this week...

We honour and give thanks for the unique and diverse languages, cultures, knowledge and governance systems of Indigenous peoples around the world.

We pray for peacemakers working for a world free of nuclear weapons.

We pray for clergy who are enjoying a time of spiritual renewal.



We pray for WMS members and the church and ask for God's guidance as we seek to love our neighbours as ourselves.