Bethel Presbyterian Church Corner of George & Brookland St., Sydney, NS Sunday, August 13th, 2023



Mission Statement

To share the gospel of Jesus Christ with our community in our worship and our living.

Vision Statement

Our vision is to be a local community of believers where: Jesus Christ is the head.

The Bible has the ultimate authority as the true, infallible and complete word of God.

Salvation through a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and belief in His finished work on the cross is preached.

The Gospel of Christ is spread in our community, our nation, and around the world in both word and action. Believers encourage each other and hold others in higher regard than themselves so that each may use the gifts God has given him/her to the glory of God.

ORDER OF WORSHIP OUR APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude

Announcements

Call to Worship

Prayer of Adoration & Confession (The Lord's Prayer)

Hymn #461 Be thou my vision

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

O.T. Lesson: 1 Kings 21:1-12

Responsive Psalm: 25

N.T. Epistle Lesson: Acts 5:1-12

Solo: Turn your eyes upon Jesus

by Helen H. Lemmel Walter Letcher

Message: A little white one

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

Hymn #389 Breathe on me, breath of God

Offering & Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

WE GO OUT IN SERVICE

Hymn #332 How great thou art

Closing Prayer and Choral Amen

Announcements

We welcome everyone to this service of praise this Sunday. Leading the service this morning is Roy Webber. Reading scriptures are Gary Grant and Kevin Joel Arun Daniel. Everyone is invited to a time of fellowship in the hall following the service.

Next Week: Leading the service will be Dr. Marion Barclay. Readings will be done by Beth Matheson and Chris McCall.

This evening at 7:00pm

Union Presbyterian Church, Albert Bridge, will be holding their Anniversary service. Reception to follow in the hall.

Sunday, Aug 20th at 2:30 pm

Oakfield Cemetery Memorial Service, Hillside, Mira Guest speaker: Rev Emily Duggan

In case of inclement weather, the service will be held at Union Presbyterian Church, Albert Bridge.

Mission Moment

Palestinians living in the Occupied Territories know that Ecumenical Accompaniers (EAs) don't have much power to stop the occupation. But they are grateful for the protective presence of EAs at checkpoints, refugee camps, schools and remote villages where shepherds watch their flocks. In response to an appeal from local church leaders, the World Council of Churches created the Ecumenical Accompaniment Program in Palestine and Israel in 2002. Supported by Presbyterians Sharing, the Rev. Jeanie Lee recently served three months in Bethlehem, witnessing life under occupation, monitoring human rights violations, and listening to stories of Palestinians to share with Canadians upon her return.