Bethel Presbyterian Church Corner of George & Brookland St., Sydney, NS Sunday, May 26th, 2024 Minister: Rev. David F. Coull, B. Sc, MDiv



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

Organ Prelude Announcements Call to Worship Prayer of Adoration & Confession (The Lord's Prayer) Hymn #710 What does the Lord require

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

O.T. Lesson:	Zechariah 8: 11-17
Responsive Psalm:	29
Hymn #399	Spriit, Spirit of gentleness
Children's Story	
N.T. Epistle Lesson:	Romans 8: 12-17
N.T. Gospel Lesson:	John 3:1-17
Anthem:	Healing Grace
by John Chisum & Gary Sadler/choral setting by Jane Holstein	
	CCLI# 2331628

Sermon:

A change is coming

Our Response to God

Hymn #730O for a world where everyone(Please remain standing for the offering)Offering & Doxology (#830)Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

We Go Out In Service

Hymn #651 Guide me, O thou great Redeemer Closing Prayer and Benediction Postlude

Announcements

We welcome everyone to this service of praise this Sunday. Reading today are Elizabeth Matheson and Chris McCall. Everyone is invited to a time of fellowship in the hall following the service. **Greeters today** are Larry Victory at the Main Door and Elizabeth Matheson at the Choir Room Door.

Next Week: Readings will be done by Richard MacAulay and Eileen MacNeil.

For those who wish to become members of Bethel, there will be a meeting in the Shaw room today at 12:30pm after morning tea. Any prospective new members are welcome.

To Choir Fund

- In memory of Phyllis Letcher from Mervin MacLeod
- In memory of Phyllis Letcher from Iylah MacLeod

To Current Fund

- In memory of Phyllis Letcher from Roy & Kay Gallivan
- In memory of Phyllis Letcher from Don & Pat Munroe
- In memory of Phyllis Letcher from Eileen MacNeil
- In memory of Phyllis Letcher from Thelma MacKillop

Tuesday, May 28th Session will meet in the Shaw Room at 7pm.

Thursday, May 30th Bible Study will be held in the Shaw Room at 10am.

The Camp MacLeod Committee is once again asking for your help as we prepare for the Camp Season. Last year we sent out a list of requested donations and were happily surprised at the response we received. Your generosity and support made a big difference, because it not only kept our food cost down, but it also saved the cook a lot of time spent shopping. We hope you will be generous again this year. We know food costs continue to climb, and we are committed to not increasing the cost of the camp. We hope you can help. -Camp MacLeod Committee Convenor, Peter MacDonald <u>Requested Donations</u>: Spaghetti and Spaghetti Sauce, Kraft Dinner, Tomato Soup, Chicken Noodle Soup, Juice Powder, Pizza Sauce, Cereal (non-generic), Pancake Mix and Syrup, Salsa, Ketchup, Salad Dressing, Mayo, Granola Bars, Marshmallows, Cake Mixes, Icing, Jello, Pudding, Freezies, Taco Shells, Rice, Wraps/Tortillas.

The Vancouver School of Theology has now posted its confirmed summer courses (running in July). You can audit the courses or take them for credit. If you are interested, please check the Vancouver School of Theology website. The times for the courses are all in Pacific Summer Time.

The Worship and Nurture and Program Committee is looking for volunteers for fellowship after Church. If you are interested, please phone Linda Ross 562-2962.

If there is anyone that would like to have a hospital visitation or visitation at home please call Rev. Coull 902-919-1372 or Gary Grant 902-567-1411.

Communion Dates for 2024: June 23rd and October 6th.