

Bethel Presbyterian Church
Corner of George & Brookland St., Sydney, NS
Sunday, Oct. 27th, 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

Welcome and Call to Worship

Praise the Lord in every time and place.

We will tell of God's goodness each day.

Boast only in the Lord.

We will praise God's wonderful deeds.

Spread the news of God's greatness.

We will give God glory everywhere we go.

So let us worship God together here and now, now and always!

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

Hymn #758

Christ's is the world

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

O.T. Lesson: Jeremiah 31:6-10

Responsive Psalm: 107:1-7

Hymn #434 For the beauty of the earth

Children's Story

N.T. Epistle Lesson: Hebrews 9:11-14

N.T. Gospel Lesson: Matthew 23:1-12

Anthem: Your Love Compels Me

by Doug Holck

CCLI# 2331628

Sermon: Do as I say

Our Response to God

Hymn #477 Your hand, O God, has guided

(Please remain standing for the offering)

Offering & Doxology (#830)

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Intercession

We Go Out In Service

Hymn #763

To show by touch and word

Closing Prayer and Benediction

Postlude

Announcements

We welcome everyone to this service of praise this Sunday.

Reading today are Bradley Gillespie and Kallol Sarker.

Everyone is invited to a time of fellowship in the hall following the service.

Greeters today are Gordon Ferguson at the Main Door and Bradley Gillespie at the Choir Room Door.

Next Week: Readings will be done by Carol Ferguson and Wendy Ferguson.

To Current Fund

- In memory of my husband Wayne McClure and my family George & Mamie MacLeod, John & Evelyn MacLeod and George MacLeod from Frances McClure, Riverview, NB
- In memory of baby Logan Dicks from Uncle David Dicks

This afternoon at 3pm St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Glace Bay, will be celebrating its 158th anniversary. Rev. David Coull of Bethel Presbyterian Church will be the guest preacher. A time of fellowship will follow. All are welcome to attend.

Monday, Oct. 28th at 7pm The Finance & Maintenance Committee will meet in the Shaw Room.

Tuesday, Oct. 29th at 7pm Session will meet in the Shaw Room.

The Horizon Achievement Centre, 258 Ferry St, Sydney will be hosting their 20th Annual Holiday Treasures Craft Show. Find that unique gift for someone special. Admission \$2.00
Nov. 7-4:30-7:30pm, Nov. 8- 11:00-7:30pm, Nov. 9- 11:00-4:00pm
Local Crafters and Artisans, Canteen Services Available

November 10th Remembrance Day will be recognized with the laying of the wreath.

November 16th Roast Beef Supper in the church hall. Tickets can be purchased from Linda Ross, Myrna Ross at 902-562-2962 or Kathy Hardy at 902-562-8578. The cut off for tickets sales is November 9.

November 17th Celebrating the 99th Anniversary of Bethel Presbyterian congregation. The Rev. Peter MacDonald, minister of St. James-Knox Bras d'Or will be the guest speaker.

"Prepare the way" is a presentation using music, art and readings to bring alive the story of John the Baptist. This presentation will be held at Holy Rosary in Westmount on Nov. 19th at 7 pm and at St. Marguerite-Bourgeoys on Nov. 24th at 2 pm.

December 8th Christmas Memorial Hymn Sing will be held at 7pm in the church followed by a time of fellowship in the hall. Memorial donations may be placed on the offering plate or dropped off at the church office. You are asked to have your donations made by November 26th so the Memorial list may be prepared for the service.