

Bethel Presbyterian Church
Corner of George & Brookland St., Sydney, NS
Sunday, July 13th, 2025
Minister: Rev. David F. Coull, B. Sc, MDiv, MATS



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

Welcome and Call to Worship

Turn to God with confidence and expectation.

In you, O God, we place our trust.

Ask God to show us the road to follow.

Lead us, O God, in your truth and teach us your way.

Seek hope in the Lord who is our salvation.

All day long we will put our hope in the God who saves us.

We will worship God in faith, hope and trust.

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

Hymn #321

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

O.T. Lesson: Amos 7:7-17

Responsive Psalm: 82

Hymn#314 God is love: come heaven, adoring

N. T. Epistle Lesson: Colossians 1:1-14

N.T. Gospel Lesson: Luke 10:25-37

Solo The King is coming *by Bill Gaither*

Soloist – *Ben Furey*

Sermon: Excuses, excuses

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

Hymn #736 For the healing of the nations

(Please remain standing for the offering)

Offering & Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

WE GO OUT IN SERVICE

Hymn#717 We cannot own the sunlit sky

Closing Prayer and Choral Amen

Announcements

We welcome everyone to this service of praise this Sunday. Reading today are Carol Ferguson and Todd Gouthro. Everyone is invited to a time of fellowship in the hall following the service.

Next Week: Readings will be done by Bradley Gillespie and Richard Dulvy.

Sympathy of the congregation is extended to Jorelle Tsogo and family on the passing of her husband Joseph on July 7th. Funeral service will be held in Cameroon in August.

To Heat Pump Fund

In memory of Alan Ferguson from Eileen MacNeil

To Current Fund

- In memory of Alan Ferguson from Gordon Gillespie
- In loving memory of the late Alan Ferguson from Heather MacKinnon
- In memory of Alan Ferguson from Catherine & David Sneddon

This afternoon at 3:00pm:

The walking group with a photography problem are meeting at the Louisbourg Lighthouse, hail or shine. All are welcome.

A memorial service will be held at Goose Cove Cemetery on Sunday, July 20th at 2:30pm. Rev. Brian MacLeod will be the guest speaker.

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.