

Bethel Presbyterian Church
Corner of George & Brookland St., Sydney, NS
Sunday, May 24th, 2026
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

Holy Spirit, Renew our lives, inside and out.

Renew our faith, renew our relationships, renew our trust in your mercy.

Holy Spirit, Renew our lives, inside and out.

Challenge us, comfort us, stir us up, calm us down.

Holy Spirit, Renew our lives, inside and out.

With fire and wind, come to this place; gather us in, send us out;

Holy Spirit, Renew our lives, inside and out.

Make our hearts wider in love.

Holy Spirit, Renew the face of the earth.

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

Hymn #276 Come, O Spirit, with your sound

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

N.T. Lesson: Acts 2:1-21

Responsive Psalm: 104:24-34

Hymn #389 Breathe on me, breath of God

Children's Story

N. T. Epistle Lesson: 1 Corinthians 12:3-13

N.T. Gospel Lesson: John 20:19-23

Anthem: Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God

by Keith Getty & Stuart Townend

arr. by David Angerman & Stewart Harris

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Sermon: The Same Old Problem

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

Hymn #399 Spirit, spirit of gentleness

(Please remain standing for the offering)

Offering & Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

WE GO OUT IN SERVICE

Hymn #433

All creatures of our God and King

Closing Prayer and Choral Amen

Announcements

We welcome everyone to this service of praise this Sunday.

Reading today are Bradley Gillespie and Todd Gouthro.

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

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

Donations:

Benevolent: Gary and Joan Grant in memory of Sharon McLean.

Tuesday: Session will meet in the Shaw Room at 7:00 PM

If you have a cell phone, out of consideration for other worshippers, turn it off for the duration of the service.