

Bethel Presbyterian Church
Corner of George & Brookland St., Sydney, NS
Sunday, August 6th, 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:

L. God knows us completely.

P. He knows each and every one of us by name.

L. He sees us; he notices us.

P. He takes note of every act of service and love that we do.

L. We are God's beloved children.

All. So we come to worship God in word, in prayer and in song.

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

Hymn #290

Immortal, Invisible, God only wise

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

O.T. Lesson: Nehemiah 3:1-14

Responsive Psalm: 139:1-18

Hymn #672 Jesus calls us, o'er the tumult

N.T. Epistle Lesson: Romans 16:1-16

Solo: The King is Coming Ben Furey

Message: Names from the Bible's Annual Report

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

Hymn #587 Called as partners in Christ's service

Offering & Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

WE GO OUT IN SERVICE

Hymn #635 Brother, sister, let me serve you
Benediction and Choral Amen

Announcements

We welcome everyone to this service of praise this Sunday. Leading the service this morning is Rev. Dr. Glen Davis. Reading scriptures are George Jessen and Linda Greaves. Everyone is invited to a time of fellowship in the hall following the service.

Next Week: Leading the service will be Roy Webber. Readings will be done by Gary Grant and Catherine Sneddon.

To Benevolent Fund

In memory of Robert Hagell from Geraldine and Iylah MacLeod.

To Current Fund

In memory of Robert Hagell and Jackie MacLeod from Kathy Hardy

Monday, August 7th: St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Glace Bay will host an "Open House" from 2-4pm to honour Lydia Adams on her appointment to the Order of Canada. All are welcome.

Mission Moment

In Malawi, Alifonsina Banda, a 26-year-old mother, took part in vocational skills training through the PWS&D-supported

Every Girl Empowered project. Despite the long-standing perception in her community that electronics courses are not for girls, Alifonsina challenged herself and enrolled in the electronics course. Since completing the class, she has repaired phones, installed satellite dishes, and worked as an electrician, earning a sustainable income from her business. "After the course, I had the most wonderful festive season in my life. I may not be able to remember how much money I made, but I had a client almost every day," she shares. In the future, Alifonsina plans to open an electronics shop to sell spare parts and is thankful that the Every Girl Empowered project has given her a lifelong opportunity to improve the financial opportunities for herself and her family.