

Bethel Presbyterian Church
Corner of George & Brookland St., Sydney, NS
Sunday, July 7th, 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

Great is the LORD;

and greatly to be praised.

Praise God in cities and towns,

praise God in all quiet places.

Praise God on mountains and hilltops;

praise God in every valley, on every plain and in the deeps.

Let us raise our praise with all God's creation;

We will praise God's holy name, here and everywhere, now and always.

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

Hymn #814

Morning has broken

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

O.T. Lesson: Ezekiel 2:1-5

Responsive Psalm: 123

Hymn #485 Saviour, like a shepherd lead us

N.T. Epistle Lesson: 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

N.T. Gospel Lesson: Mark 6:1-13

Sermon: Lessons learned

Our Response to God

Hymn #32 Within your temple, Lord

(Please remain standing for the offering)

Offering & Doxology (#830)

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Intercession

We Go Out In Service

Hymn #324 Great is thy faithfulness

Closing Prayer and Benediction

Postlude

Announcements

We welcome everyone to this service of praise this Sunday. Reading today are George Jessen and Lydia Barikdar. A warm welcome is extended to Blake Shepherd who will be providing the music for the month of July. Everyone is invited to a time of fellowship in the hall following the service.

Greeters today are Charles Nicholson at the Main Door and George Jessen at the Choir Room Door.

Next Week: Readings will be done by Bradley Gillespie and Kallol Sarker.

Sympathy of the congregation is extended to the family of Dolena McLean who passed away on Monday, July 1st. Funeral service was held yesterday at Sydney Memorial Chapel.

Congratulations to Graduates:

Ryan Coffin – graded from grade 7-9 at Sherwood Park

Nathan Coffin – graduated from NSCC with a welding course

Sons of Joyce Coffin and grandsons of Betty Morris.

To Benevolent Fund

A donation has been made In honour of Rev. Ritchie Robinson on his retirement from Mary & Wayne Penny.

To Current Fund

- In memory of Phyllis Letcher from John & Beth Matheson
- In memory of Dolena McLean from Wilma & Charles Nicholson

Today at 3pm: The Presbytery will be conducting a Special Service to recognize the Rev Ritchie Robinson in his retirement. The service will be held at St Giles Presbyterian Church, North

Sydney. Please join us in recognizing Rev Ritchie's many years of faithful service.

Thursday, July 11th

Strawberry Shortcake Takeout at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Glace Bay from 11am to 1:30pm. Cost is \$12. Please reserve tickets by calling 902-849-2479 or 902-737-2529.

Saturday, July 13th The Funeral service for the Late Margaret (Margie) Macleod who passed away on Feb 3rd will be held at Bethel church. Visitation will start at 10am with service at 11:00 and reception to follow in the church hall. All are welcome to attend.

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.