

Bethel Presbyterian Church
Corner of George & Brookland St., Sydney, NS
Sunday, Sept. 22nd, 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

From sunrise to sunset,

Let us praise God's holy name.

With the wisdom of the aged and the energy of the young,

Let us praise God's holy name.

In our work, in our homes, and in all we do,

Let us praise God's holy name.

Let us praise the Lord with all our hearts!

We will worship God now and always.

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

Hymn #434

For the beauty of the earth

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

O.T. Lesson: Proverbs 16:1-9, 16-22

Responsive Psalm: 1

Hymn #462 All my hope on God is founded

Children's Story

N.T. Epistle Lesson: James 3:13-4:3

N.T. Gospel Lesson: Mark 9:30-37

Anthem: Lord, I stretch my hands to you

by Jay Althouse

Sermon: Nothing arises out of a vacuum

Our Response to God

Hymn #482 Christ is made the sure foundation

(Please remain standing for the offering)

Offering & Doxology (#830)

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Intercession

We Go Out In Service

Hymn #592 I, the Lord of sea and sky
Closing Prayer and Benediction
Postlude

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We welcome everyone to this service of praise this Sunday. Reading today are George Jessen and Gertrude Sarfo. Everyone is invited to a time of fellowship in the hall following the service.

Greeters today are Ivan Henderson at the Main Door and George Jessen at the Choir Room Door.

Next Week: Readings will be done by Elizabeth Matheson and Arun Daniel Ravindran.

To Choir Fund

In loving memory of Vivian, Ralph and Allison Shaw from SaraAnn MacKinlay and family, Avon, Ohio

Tuesday, Sept. 24th at 7pm

Regular meeting of Session in the Shaw Room.

Thursday, Sept. 26th

10:00am Revelation bible study continues in the Shaw Room.

2:00pm John Geddie AMS will resume meeting in the Shaw Room. Our \$5:00 Fall Dues will be collected at this meeting.

*Please note the change of date for this month.

Friday, Sept. 27th Ham and Salad Take Out at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church from 11-1pm and 4- 5:30pm. Reserve tickets by calling 902-849-2479 or 902-737-2529 before September 23. Tickets are \$18.

Coins for Camp MacLeod jars have been placed at the entrance of the Church. Last year, \$1,943.90 was raised

through the "Coins for Camp MacLeod" jars. Camp MacLeod appreciates the congregation's support of this worthy campaign.

The Worship and Nurture and Program Committee is looking for volunteers for fellowship after Church for the fall season. 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.