

Bethel Presbyterian Church
Corner of George & Brookland St., Sydney, NS
Sunday, Feb.23rd, 2025
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

One: Take delight in the Lord;

All: For God will give us the desires of our hearts.

One: Trust in the Lord;

All: For God will give us security and strength.

One: Come, let us commit our ways to the Lord.

All: Let us worship the One who is our refuge in any time of trouble.

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

Hymn #799

God is here! as we your people meet

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

O.T. Lesson: Genesis 45:3-15

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 37:1-11, 39-40

Hymn #675 Precious Lord, take my hand

Children's Story

N.T. Epistle Lesson: 1 Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50

N.T. Gospel Lesson: Luke 6:27-38

Anthem: Come and See

by Pamela Martin & Michael Barrett

Sermon: A risky undertaking

Our Response to God

Hymn #763 To show by touch and word

(Please remain standing for the offering)

Offering & Doxology (#830)

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Intercession

We Go Out in Service

Hymn #462 All my hope on God is founded
Closing Prayer and Benediction
Postlude

Announcements

We welcome everyone to this service of praise this Sunday. Reading today are David Sneddon and Kevin Joel Arun Daniel. Everyone is invited to a time of fellowship in the hall following the service.

Greeters today are Ivan Henderson at the Main Door and David Sneddon at the Choir Room Door.

Next Week: Readings will be done by Donald Brown and Lydia Barikdar.

To Current Fund

In memory of Rev. Tommy Whent from Catherine & David Sneddon

Tuesday, Feb. 25th

Session will meet at 7pm in the Shaw Room.

Thursday, Feb. 27th

Isaiah Bible Study will be held in the Shaw Room at 10am. All are welcome.

World Day of Prayer 2025:

This year's service will be held at United Protestant Church of Sydney River on **Friday, March 7th at 2pm**. Snow day is Friday, March 14th at 2pm.

The theme is, I Made You Wonderful and is based on Psalm 139:14. It was written by the World Day of Prayer Committee of the Cook Islands and is organized by local churches in the Sydney area. All are welcome to attend.

if anyone would like to volunteer for a rotation of 2-3 people to do Coffee Fellowship, please contact Linda Ross at 902-562-2962 or Email at lross_25@hotmail.com

Winter storms may make it necessary to cancel Sunday Services for safety reasons at times. If the Sunday morning weather is inclement, and you wonder if the Service is cancelled, please call the church office 902-562-3740 and check the voicemail. If the service is cancelled, there will be notice of the cancellation on the voicemail by 9am. You may also check the church website at bethelpresbyterianchurch.ca in the Messages section and an announcement will also be made on Facebook.