

Bethel Presbyterian Church
Corner of George & Brookland St., Sydney, NS
Sunday, March 30th, 2025
Fourth Sunday in Lent
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

If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation!

Thanks be to God for such great mercy.

Everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

Thanks be to God for new beginnings!

God has given us the ministry of reconciliation through Christ Jesus.

Together we will make a new beginning in Christ!

Let us worship God with joyful hearts, trusting God to renew us and all things.

We will lift our praises to God with hearts refreshed by grace.

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

Hymn #39

God of mercy, God of grace

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

O.T. Lesson: Joshua 5:9-12

Responsive Psalm: 32

Hymn #632 Help us accept each other

Children's Story

Litany for Fourth Sunday in Lent

Judy Munroe

N.T. Epistle Lesson: 2 Corinthians 5:16-21

N.T. Gospel Lesson: Luke 12:1-3, 11-32

Anthem: Healing Stream

by Fanny Crosby & Heinrich Werner

Sermon: Titles matter

Our Response to God

Hymn #199

If I have been the source of pain

(Please remain standing for the offering)

Offering & Doxology (830)

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Intercession

We Go Out in Service

Hymn #371

Love divine, all loves excelling

Closing Prayer and Benediction

Postlude

Announcements

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

Greeters today are Kathy Hardy at the Main Door and George Jessen at the Choir Room Door.

Next Week: Readings will be done by Elizabeth Matheson and Linda Greaves.

To Current Fund

In memory of Helen Clarke who passed away 26 March 2011, a loving mother, wife, sister and member of the congregation.

Fish Cakes & Beans, Sydney Pensioners Club Friday April 11th from 12-2pm. Eat in or take out, includes dessert. Tickets are \$15.00 and can be purchased from Linda or Myrna Ross.

Next Communion service will be held in the Sanctuary on Sunday, April 13th.

Anyone interested in volunteering for usher duty for the month of July, please see Sandra MacLeod (902-539-2467)

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.

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