

GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER

Announcements

Gathering Song: VU#409 vs. 1

Morning has broken like the first morning,
Blackbird has spoken like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!
Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!

VU#410 vs. 2

This day God sends me strength to sustain me,
Might to uphold me, wisdom as guide.
Your eyes are watchful, your ears are listening,
Your lips are speaking, Friend by my side.

Call to Worship ~

Singing: *Come O Fount Of Every Blessing* VU#559 vs. 1,2
Marching To Zion VU#714 vs. 1,2

Prayer and Lord's Prayer:

As the Deer Pants for the Water VU#766

Our Father Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen. (Yeah God!)

Anthem: *Rejoice in God*

Singing: *Jesus Loves Me* VU#365

~ **Sacrament of Infant Baptism** ~

Cordelia Valeria Beaudry

Daughter of Robert Beaudry and Lynn Butler

~ **Godmother** ~

Amanda Kaps-Gutwin

&

Olivia Marianne Bourgeois

Daughter of Robert Bourgeois and Tammy Cree

~ **Godparents** ~

Robert Cree and Mariane Paradis-Levasseur

Questions & Promises

Minister to the congregation:

Do you the members of this congregation receive this child and promise to help with the Christian training of all children under your care?

Congregation: **Yes, we do.**

The Hebrew Benediction

The Lord bless thee and keep thee;
The Lord make His face shine upon thee,
And be gracious unto thee.
The Lord lift up His countenance upon thee
And give thee peace.

Lighting of Candle for New Life

Presentation of Candle, Book & Certificate

Singing: This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. 3x
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Jesus gave it to me; I'm gonna let it shine; 3x
let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Gonna take this light around the world and I'm gonna
let it shine. (3x)

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Scripture Readings: *The Lord's My Shepherd* VU#747

Reflections: *How Great Thou Art* VU#238 vs. 1,2

***I Heard The Voice of Jesus Say* VU #626 vs. 1,3**

Amazing Grace will always be my song of praise
For it was grace, that brought my liberty
I do not know just why He came to love me so
He looked beyond my fault and saw my need.

I shall forever lift my eyes to Calvary
To view the cross where Jesus died for me
How marvelous the grace that caught my falling soul
He looked beyond my fault and saw my need.

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see. **VU#266**

***Jesus Saves* SOG#87 vs. 1,4**

***A Mighty Fortress Is Our God* VU#262 vs. 1,2**

***Love Lifted Me* SOG#25 vs. 1,2**

***Shall We Gather At The River* VU#710 vs. 1,2**

***My Life Flows On* VU#716 vs. 1,2**

Presentation of Ourselves and Gifts to God

Singing: *When I Needed a Neighbor* VU#600 vs. 1,2,4

Doxology: *When I Needed A Neighbour* VU#600 vs. 5

Offertory Prayer: Dear God, please help us to become unobstructed channels that Your love may flow through us to others and our gifts may be used for the proclamation to all people of Your saving goodness. Amen

We come to prayer singing ~

***In The Garden* SOG#23 vs. 1 & chorus**

We bring our prayers to God

***Be Thou my Vision* VU#642 vs. 1,2**

***Precious Lord Take My Hand* VU#670 vs. 1,2**

***Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah* VU#651 vs. 1**

Singing: *Mansion Over The Hilltop*

I'm satisfied with just a cottage below
A little silver and a little gold
But in that city where the ransomed will shine
I want a gold one that's silver lined.

**I've got a mansion just over the hilltop
In that bright land where we'll never grow old
And some day yonder we'll never more wander
But walk on streets that are purest gold.**

Tho' often tempted, tormented and tested
And, like the prophet, my pillow a stone
And tho' I find here no permanent dwelling
I know He'll give me a mansion my own.

Don't think me poor or deserted or lonely
I'm not discouraged I'm heaven bound
I'm just a pilgrim in search of the city
I want a mansion, a harp and a crown.

Benediction

Going out to Share the Good News!

We Are Marching

VU#646

We extend the hand of Christian Fellowship to our visitors & ask you to sign the visitors' book. We hope you'll return next Sunday. You are invited to Memorial Hall for coffee & conversation. Serving you this morning is the Session.

Announcements:

- Anne Vincent, daughter of the late Ken and Anita Sempers, sends her "warmest well wishes to everyone at St. Andrew's."
- Chester and Suzanne's daughter, Carol, sends greetings with thanks for all the help given her during her time of loss.
- The Nov. 11th Cenotaph Service paraders will form up in the St. A's parking lot starting at 10:30 a.m. and march to the Cenotaph for an 11 a.m. Remembrance Day Service. The youth are welcome to return to St. A's for hot chocolate and snacks.

- The Remembrance Day Church service will be held on Sunday Nov. 12th at 10:30 a.m. It is also the dedication of the Samaritan's Purse shoe boxes. All are welcome.

PARKING LOT CABLE

Since we had the parking lot resurfaced last fall, we were forced to control the traffic and subsequent parking of unauthorized vehicles on our lot by installing a cable. This has proven to be an effective deterrent but at the same time a very frustrating nuisance to our congregation, as well as to all other groups who use our facilities. Therefore it has been decided by the Stewards Committee to simplify the process by using a "bluffing" technique of leaving a padlock in place but simply hooking the cable to the brick wall. This however puts the onus on groups requiring additional parking space to be responsible for BOTH unhooking the cable when they arrive and then reattaching it when the last car leaves following your event. When unhooking the cable, simply drop the cable to the ground and ensure the yellow reflective tube is moved to the side of the building to prevent it being driven over and damaged. When reattaching the cable after an event, simply slide the plastic tube to the centre of the parking lot. The cooperation of all parties will be much appreciated. Should you have any questions please contact Eric at 438-382-3448.

Thank you, the Stewards Committee

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ST. ANDREW'S UNITED CHURCH

184th Anniversary Year ~ 1833-2017

November 5, 2017 ~ 10:30 am



Minister: Rev. K. Alice McAlpine

Director of Music: Doreen Gilbert Bangs

To greet you ~

Elder: Sophie Cessford

Stewards: Elizabeth Bergeron & Eric Robinson