



**ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

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**PENTECOST 6, SUNDAY, JULY 4, 2010**

**Service Colour: Green**

ORDER OF DIVINE WORSHIP 10:30 a.m.

Prelude (A time for prayer and reflection)

Placing of the Bible by the Beadle (All who are able are invited to stand)

The Greeting

**M.** The Lord be with you                      **C. And also with you**

Doxology (830) and Bible Sentence

Hymn: 442

Prayer of Adoration; Prayer for Pardon and Grace (**in unison**):

**Glorious God, we come together as your people. We come as a praising people, singing your goodness; we come as a hungry people, longing to be fed; we come as a praying people, bringing our needs, our joys; we come as a journeying people, looking for direction. In this hour of worship, empower us for faithful living.**

**Take away our stressed and cluttered minds God, and replace it with a will to put our busy lives in Your hands. Take away our guilt Lord, and reassure us that the little things we do to help do make a difference. Take away our fear and self-conscious thoughts, and replace it with words that defend the innocent and those unable to speak for themselves. Take away our prejudice Lord, and replace it with Your goodness and Your will to serve others. Take away our bitterness Lord, and replace it with forgiveness and love for others. Take away our blindness, and open our eyes to the friends, possibilities and support networks that surround us. Lord, help us to pray for ourselves, so that we can help to show the world Your goodness and grace. Amen**

*All (sung): Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, Lord, have mercy upon us.*

Assurance of Pardon

**M.** The Peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

**C. And also with you.** *Hallelujah* (Hymn 294) will be sung.

Prayer for Understanding

Hymn: 746 (**all seated**) – children under 9 are invited to go to class by the main door at the end of the final verse.

Lessons: Judith 8:9–17; Psalm 10 (*Glory be to the Father...* hymn book 594); Romans 12:9–21 (p.139); Matthew 6:5–15 (p.5)

**Reader:** The Word of the Lord. **Congregation: Thanks be to God.**

Hymn: 404 (unannounced)

Sermon—Ascription of Glory

The Offertory; The Creed (hymn book – inside front cover) & Prayer

Prayers of Thanksgiving and for Others (beginning with):

**M.** Lift up your hearts.

**C. We lift them to the Lord.**

**M.** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C. It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

The Lord's Prayer (hymn book 831) (debts, debtors)

Hymn: 634 (unannounced)

The Commissioning, Benediction, Choral Amen & Silent Prayer

Song: *Go Now In Peace (all seated)* (hymn book – inside back cover)

Postlude; The greeting of those nearby in the pews/aisles

**Greeting Elder:** Ivan Currie

**Usher:** Heather Hughes

**Pianist:** Lisa Morrison

**Elevator Guide:** Chris McDonald

**THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S**

**Today:** 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion

**Sun:** 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Worship, Children's Class (8 and under) and Nursery.

We are pleased to welcome one of our Synod staff, Rev. H. Kenn Stright, to our pulpit today.

The minister is on vacation; he will return to work on July 6.

**Readings for July 11:** Amos 7:7–17; Psalm 82; Colossians 1:1–14; Luke 10:25–37

**Vacation Bible School:** July 12–16, 9:15 – 11:45 a.m. Registration forms are in the lobby. Those willing to provide food for the snack should sign the sheet in the lobby.

**Camp Geddie:** 2010 registration information is in the lobby. Camp Geddie website is: [www.campgeddie.ca](http://www.campgeddie.ca)

**Circle of Care Furniture Bank:** Volunteers to help with this work are needed. If you can help, telephone 404-9074.

**Camp Geddie Golf Tournament:** September 25 – Ocean Links, Brule, NS. Minimum: \$300/team. To register, email: [jackmacleod@ns.aliantzinc.ca](mailto:jackmacleod@ns.aliantzinc.ca)