



ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Pentecost 10, Sunday, August 2, 2020

Service colour: Green

ORDER OF DIVINE WORSHIP

10:30 a.m.

Music: Praise to the Lord (words pg. 2) Dr. Kenneth Cameron

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Bible Sentence

Prayer of Adoration; Prayer for Pardon and Grace:

Blessing and glory and honour and thanksgiving be given to You, O God, forever and ever. You are worthy of our praise but your glory cannot be expressed fully by our tongues. Holy Creator, loving Son, guiding Spirit, your goodness cannot be measured, your power cannot be described, and your grace cannot be contained. To You we offer this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving.

O God, ever patient and ever merciful, we admit that we have not always loved what You have commanded, we have not always desired what You have promised, and we have not always been grateful for what You have given in such abundance. You are for us the bread of life but we have sometimes sought nourishment elsewhere and have tried to live in our own strength.

Have mercy upon us, according to Your steadfast love, wash us thoroughly from our iniquity and cleanse us from our sin. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within us. Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy upon us. Amen

Assurance of Pardon

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

Music: Jesus loves me (words pg. 2)

Lessons: Psalm 71: 1-8, 15; Genesis 32: 22-31 Bonnie McLellan

Romans 9: 1-5; Gospel of Matthew 14: 13-21 Donna Lee Laveck

Sermon

The Offertory Prayer: **Loving God, through our Baptism you have placed us in close fellowship with Christ and with the Church of Christ.**

Through prayers and gifts, we seek to fulfil our duty of enabling Your church to tell Your story of love and grace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Prayers of Thanksgiving and for others; The Lord's Prayer

The Commissioning & Benediction

Music

Praise to the Lord

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, who rules all creation: my soul praise God who alone is your health and salvation. Come to all who hear, sisters and brothers draw near, joining in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work, who defends you; surely God's merciful goodness here daily attends you; ponder anew what the Almighty can do, when in great love God befriends you.

Jesus loves me, this I know

Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so, little ones to him belong, they are weak but he is strong.

Jesus loves me still today, walking with me on my way, wanting as a friend to give, light and love to all who live.

CHORUS: Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Aug. 9 9:00 – 9:30 am Holy Communion in Church
10:30 am Worship via ZOOM

Offerings: A cheque or money order can be mailed to the church 216 School St., Dartmouth, NS B3A 2Y4 or gifts can be made by E-transfer via your bank. Joyce Ross 902-435-4801 or at: g.ross@ns.sympatico.ca can answer questions on E-transfers and PAR

The Session plans to start having the 10:30 am service in the church on August 30. The service will still be available on ZOOM or by live streaming.

Making Space for a New Generation of Believers

The Well Church in Mississauga, Ont., started with a group of only 13 people. They were drawn together by their deep love of Jesus and a desire to share that love with others. Inspired by a vision to become a welcoming space for second-generation immigrants, they developed a style of evangelism and worship that spoke to those they desired to reach. Since the congregation started worshipping together three years ago, their community has grown and has become a home for many young people who had strayed from the church. Please pray for the Well Church and the many other churches in The Presbyterian Church in Canada that are making space for a new generation of believers.

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