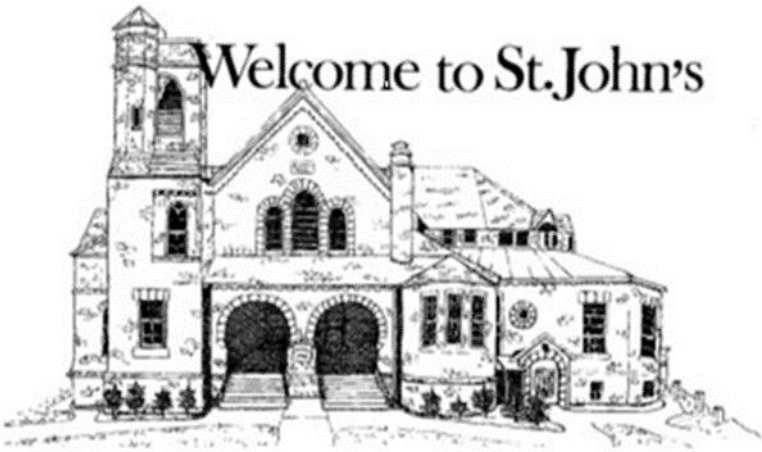


July 15, 2018



Welcome to St. John's

**ST. JOHN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
CORNWALL, ONTARIO**

WELCOME

Welcome to our worship service this morning. Visitors, please take a moment to introduce yourself and sign our guest book in the hall just outside the sanctuary. Everyone is invited to stay for refreshments and fellowship following the service.

Lectionary Lessons for This Lord's Day

2 Samuel 6:1; 12b-19

Psalm 24

Ephesians 1:3-14

Mark 6:14

Hymns are normally sung while standing, except for those marked with an asterisk indicating everyone may remain seated. However, those who feel it is better not to stand may remain seated during the singing of any hymn.

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WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Verse of the Week: The Lord is the everlasting God

Organ Prelude

Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now – Paul Manz

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship (Responsive)

L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

P: **And also with you.**

L: Shout to God, all the earth, Serve the Lord with gladness and joy.

P: **We come before God with laughter and song; we approach our Maker with prayer and devotion.**

L: To the shepherd who tends us like sheep let us raise our voice in praise.

P: **Truly, O God, you are good. You are always gracious**

and faithful age after age.

The Lord Be With You
And Also With You.

Our help is in the name of the Lord.
Who made heaven and earth.
Let us worship God.

Hymn

Lord, the light of Your love is shining 376

Prayer of Dedication

Loving God, you fulfill all our needs, except our need to give to others and to You. Receive our offerings for the sake of Your Son, Christ Jesus our Lord and for the House that you are building through him. Amen.

Praise Song

Sing Amen [former htm; sing it 2 Xs) 264

Time with the Young and the Young at Heart

Prayer (including The Lord's Prayer)

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Prayer of Illumination

The Scriptures

Read by: Phyllis Bateman

Responsive Psalm 89: 20-37

OT Pages 555-556

II Samuel 7:1-14a

OT Pages 285-286

Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

NT Pages 38-39

Responsive Reading

Psalm 89:20-37 New International Version (NIV)

L:²⁰ I have found my servant David ;
with my holy oil I have anointed him.

P:²¹ My hand shall always remain with him;
my arm also shall strengthen him.

L:²² The enemy shall not outwit him;
the wicked shall not humble him.

P:²³ I will crush his foes before him
and strike down those who hate him.

²⁴ My faithfulness and steadfast love shall be with
him, and in my name his horn shall be exalted.

L:²⁵ I will set his hand on the sea and
his right hand on the rivers.²⁶ He shall cry to me,

P: "You are my Father, my God, and the Rock of my
salvation!"

L:²⁷ I will make him the firstborn,
the highest of the kings of the earth.

P:²⁸ Forever I will keep my steadfast love for him, and
my covenant with him will stand firm.²⁹ I will
establish his line forever, and his throne as long as
the heavens endure.

L:³⁰ "If his children forsake my law
and do not walk according to my ordinances,³¹ if
they violate my statutes and do not keep my
commandments, then I will punish their
transgressions with the rod and their iniquity with
scourges;

P:³³ but I will not remove from him my steadfast
love, or be false to my faithfulness.³⁴ I will not violate
my covenant or alter the word that went forth from
my lips.³⁵ Once and for all, I have sworn by my
holiness; I will not lie to David.³⁶ His line shall
continue forever and his throne endure before me
like the sun.³⁷ It shall be established forever like the
moon, an enduring witness in the skies."

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God for His Word to us.

Hymn

When I lift up my voice

Sermon

“A House Without Walls”

WE RESPOND IN FAITH AND SERVICE

Presentation of Our Offerings and Gifts

Offertory Piano Solo

Come, Gentle Spirit – John Turner

The Doxology

Pastoral Prayer, Thanksgiving and Intercession

Closing Hymn

I, the Lord of sea and sky

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Commissioning (Unison)

**In the power of the Holy Spirit, we now go forth into the world,
to fulfill our calling as the people of God,
the body of Christ.**

Benediction: We are Here Joined in Christ

**We are here joined in Christ, called to serve and adore Him.
Give us peace, perfect peace, patience and hope everlasting.
Send us to serve in our Master’s name, and to glorify Him.
Joined with Christ, and through Christ,
praise our Father forever.**

*Please join us for coffee hour
Compliments of Paul Hickey*

News for the Pews

Today's candles shine in loving memory of

**Alex and Annie MacDougall
Harvey Julian Simon**

OUR SYMPATHIES

The sympathy of the congregation is extended to the family of Greg Lalonde, who passed away Sunday, July 9, 2018. A celebration of life was conducted by Reverend Johnston at St. John's on Thursday, July 12th. Greg will be remembered as our quiet, faithful, friendly elevator operator until his health caused his retirement. Pray that God will bring comfort to his family at this time.

The sympathy of the congregation is also extended to George Moss and his family on the loss of his sister, Marjorie "Marge" Sauve, who passed away on Thursday, July 5, 2018.

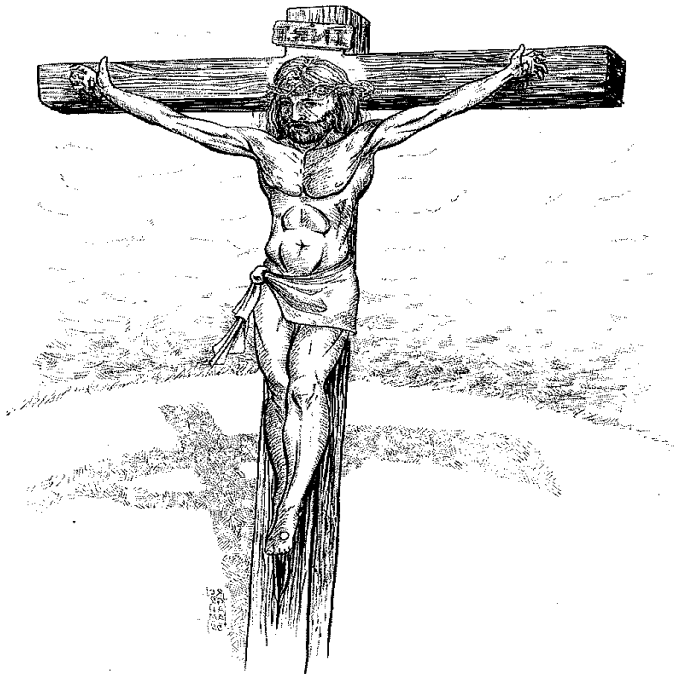
Sunday School, the Nursery and Activity Bags

Sunday School and the Nursery are closed until Rally Day, September 9th. Activity bags are available at the back of the sanctuary to be enjoyed by children during the Service. Please leave them in the pews once they have been used.

Pastoral Care Volunteers Needed

Visitors are needed for our Community Hospital and two Retirement Homes. Please contact Johneen Rennie at 613-933-3252 or mom@jrsr.com for details. The number of hours required is very flexible for this important ministry.

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