

St. John's Presbyterian Church
28 Second Street East
Cornwall, ON K6H 1Y3

October 1st, 2023

18th Sunday after Pentecost

God's People Are Gathered

Prelude
Call to Worship (on screen)
Prayer of Approach
Hymn Here on Jesus Christ I will stand
Prayer of Confession (on screen) & Affirmation from South Africa
Hymn #271 Let all the world in every corner sing
Time with the Young and Young at Heart

God's Word Is Proclaimed

Prayer of Illumination
Old Testament: Hosea 14:1-8
Responsive Reading: Psalm 116
New Testament: 1 Corinthians 14:1-5
New Testament: John 15:1-8
Sermon: We are the vine.
The Lord's Prayer & Prayer of Intercession

God's People Respond

The Apostles' Creed (Unison) #539
Invitation to the Table
Hymn # 563 Let us talents and tongues employ
The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving
The Communion
Prayers of Thanksgiving
Hymn # 755 Go ye, go ye into the world
Benediction
Postlude

Minister: The Rev. Robert L. Adams
Guest Musician: Bill Brown
Scripture Reader: Carole & Wes Libbey
Techs: Roy Choi, Brian Markell, Alex Plant, Dan Plant

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Coming up at St. John's:

Sunday @ 10:00 a.m.

Worship

Wednesday @ 7:00 p.m.

Bible Study

Prayer Request

Feel a need for prayer? We welcome your prayer requests for our public worship service. Simply fill out the sheet in the MacLellan Room or contact us at the office. We're here to support and uplift each other through the power of collective prayer.

Bible Study

Bible Study is back! Every Wednesday at 7PM, here at the church. For the fall season, we will be focusing on the Book of Daniel.

Plastic Bags

Are you a pet owner in need of plastic bags for clean-up? Or do you have another use for them? Please see the WoC in the church kitchen! They have bags of bags from the Bazaar days and are looking to clear some out.

Curious about Pickleball?

Curious about pickleball? We are hosting a beginner's group on Sunday afternoons for the month of October for anyone who would like to learn about pickleball in a fun and casual way! Skill and/or experience is not required. Everyone is invited to join us on Sunday afternoons at 1:30pm in the church gymnasium. For more information, please contact Laura McFadzen at 613-363-6491, by email- lmcfadzen@msn.com or see me after church!

Giving Goals for September

Thank you! It is because of your generosity that the mission and ministry of St. John's continues and grows. During the month of September we began our Bible Study for the fall, as well as our church school programme. Last month, our Giving Goal for **\$17,900** – we received **\$11,668**. Our goal for October is **\$14,300**. If you could help us make up this shortfall, we would be most grateful!