

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

February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Lent

### **God's People Are Gathered**

Prelude  
Call to Worship (on screen)  
Prayer of Approach  
Hymn # 647     Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us  
Prayer of Confession (on screen)  
Assurance of Pardon

### **God's Word Is Proclaimed**

Prayer of Illumination  
Old Testament:     Genesis 9:8-17  
Responsive Reading:     Psalm 25: 1-10  
Epistle Lesson:     I Peter 3:18-22  
Hymn                     I want Jesus to walk with me  
Gospel:                 Mark 1: 9-15  
Sermon:                 With You

### **God's People Respond**

The Offering  
The Apostles' Creed #539  
Invitation to the Table  
Hymn                     Gather Us In  
The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving #564 & The Lord's Prayer  
The Communion  
Prayer of Thanksgiving  
Hymn # 209             O Love that wilt not let me go  
Charge & Benediction  
Postlude

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Coming up at St. John's:

Sunday @ 1:30 PM  
Sunday @ 10:00 AM

Intergenerational Pickleball  
Worship

### **Sunday School**

The Sunday School lesson this Sunday focuses on Noah's Ark, referencing Genesis Chapters 6-9. The lesson is led by Trish Brown & Laura McFadzen.

### **Thanks for the Pancakes!**

A huge thank you to Susan MacDonald, Cynthia Seguin, and our Session Elders for putting on a fantastic Shrove Tuesday Pancake dinner! We had a large turnout and the food was delicious! We hope to see you next year!

### **The Can Man**

We continue to collect aluminum cans to help contribute to the life and ministry of our congregation. Please remember to bring your cans in and place them in the cloak room. Thank you for your support!

### **Annual Meeting**

Reminder that the Annual Meeting will be on March 3<sup>rd</sup>. Mark your calendars!

### **Fundscrip Volunteers**

We are looking for two devoted parishioners to take over the Fundscrip programme. This has been a successful programme over the years, averaging over \$2000/yr in profits that go towards church expenses. Please contact Connie or Gail if you're interested in providing this beneficial service to St. John's.

### **Special Thanks!**

Minister:                 The Rev. Robert L. Adams  
Guest Musician:         Minna Cornelisse  
Scripture Reader(s):     Carole & Wes Libbey  
Techs:                    Roy Choi, Brian Markell, Alex Plant, Dan Plant