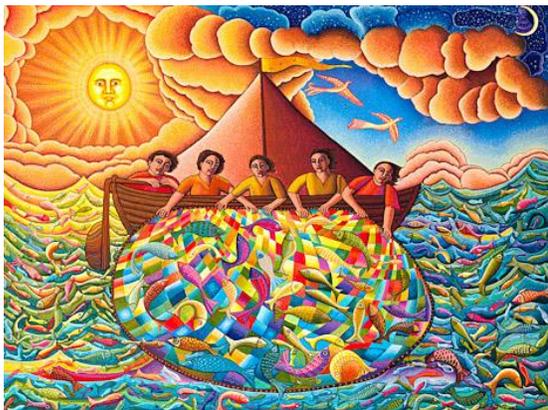


Gathering to serve God & neighbour
in this community
since 1817

WELCOME TO
**ST. ANDREW'S
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH**

April 29, 2018



"Great Catch of Fish," John August Swanson

A warm welcome in the name of Jesus Christ and a special welcome to all visitors and friends with us this morning. Please join us after the service for refreshments in St Andrew's Hall. Tran Dinh is our certified caregiver for the nursery held just off St. Andrew's Hall in the Polson Davis Room. Infants and children aged three and under are welcome. Children are invited during the service to come to the front pew during the last verse of the second hymn for a time with the minister, then to leave with Laura Tyner-Clement for church school. Please ask one of the ushers for any additional information. We acknowledge that we meet on traditional Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee territory.

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Order of Worship

Preludes O Mensch, Bewein' dein. Sünde gross Bach
O Mensch, Bewein' dein. Sünde gross Pachelbel

Entry of Holy Scriptures

Call to Worship

Hymn Christ is alive 251

Prayer of Approach & The Lord's Prayer (inside)

Introit Jesus calls us; o'er the tumult Dykes/Alexander
Jesus calls us; o'er the tumult
of our life's wild restless sea,
Day by day His sweet voice soundeth,
saying "Christian, follow me."

Greetings & Announcements

Responsive Reading

Our Mission Living Faith, 9.1, 9.2 p. 26

Hymn Fairest Lord Jesus 375

Time with Children

Scripture Reading

Patience Nii-Aponsah

John 21:1-14

Anthem This Joyful Eastertide arr. R. Arnatt

This joyful Eastertide, away with sin and sorrow!

My Love, the Crucified, hath sprung to life this morrow.

Had Christ, that once was slain,

Ne'er burst His three-day prison,

Our faith had been in vain:

But now hath Christ arisen

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Intercession

Hymn You walk along our shoreline 753

Sermon The Risen Life 4) With Miracle

Mission Update SAT-7 Fadi Sharaiha

Presentation of Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Allegretto from Prelude 4 Schroeder

Doxology Praise God, from whom all blessings flow (inside)

Hymn Oh for a thousand tongues to sing 374

Benediction & Choral Congregational Amen

Postlude Poco Vivace from Prelude 6 Schroeder

If you wish to leave during the Postlude, please do so quietly.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth, as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Ushers

This morning – Philippe Gabrini, Sam Houston,
Helene & Mike Pizzutto

Responsive Reading Living Faith

9.1 Our Mission

As God sent Christ to us,
so Christ sends us into the world.

**We are here to proclaim Christ
in word and deed.**

Mission is evangelism,
the offer of salvation to all people
in the power of the Holy Spirit,
to be received through faith in Christ.

It asks people to repent of their sins,
**to trust Christ, to be baptised,
and to enter a life honouring Jesus as Lord.**

Mission is service,
**a call to help people in need and to permeate
all of life with the compassion of God.**

9.2 Our Mission and Other Faiths

Some whom we encounter belong to other religions
and already have a faith.

Their lives often give evidence of devotion
and reverence for life.

**We recognize that truth and goodness
in them are the work of God's Spirit,
the author of all truth.**

**We should not address others
in a spirit of arrogance implying
that we are better than they.**

But rather, in the spirit of humility,
as beggars telling others where food is to be found,
we point to life in Christ.

**We witness to God in Christ
as the Way, the Truth, the Life,**

**and invite others to accept from him
and forgiveness of God.**

We are compelled to share this good news.

Scripture Reading

John 21:1-14

After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, 'I am going fishing.' They said to him, 'We will go with you.' They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, 'Children, you have no fish, have you?' They answered him, 'No.' He said to them, 'Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some.' So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord!' When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the lake. But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a 100 yards off.

When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. Jesus said to them, 'Bring some of the fish that you have just caught.' So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred and fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, 'Who are you?' because they knew it was the Lord. Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Notes from the Director of Music

Most of today's music comes from Germany and Holland. We continue to celebrate Easter with the great hymn "This Joyful Eastertide" as our **Anthem** (see hymn 259). The tune is sometimes called "Vruechten" because it was originally used in the 1685 Amsterdam Psalter for the words "How groot die Vruechten zijh". We more commonly refer to it as "Dutch Tune". British-American organist and composer Ronald Arnatt (b. 1930) is the arranger for the anthem.

Another great Easter hymn tune is "Lasst uns Erfreuen" (see hymn 255) with its great Hallelujahs at the end (the last Hallelujah is stretched out and will catch the uninitiated off guard). The opening two bars have a marked similarity to the opening bars of the second **Prelude** by Johann Pachelbel (1653-1706). It is based on the German Chorale *O Man, bemoan thy grievous sin* which is a hymn for Passiontide. The first **Prelude** is a harmonization of this by J.S. Bach. The tune first appeared in a Strassburg hymn book of 1525. The tune "Lasst uns Erfreuen" is first found nearly a hundred years later in a hymn book of 1623 from Cologne. Also from Cologne came Hermann Schroeder (1904-1984) who spent most of career there as an organist, composer and teacher at the university. Probably his best known work is his "Kleine Präludien und Intermezzi" and we hear two excerpts as the **Offertory** and **Postlude**.

When Mrs. Cecil Frances Alexander wrote the words for the hymn "Jesus calls us" in the 1800's, she didn't have a tune in mind and since then, not one tune can be closely associated with it. Just about every hymn book I referenced uses a different tune to go with this lovely hymn – the only hymn by the way that gives reference to St. Andrew (see #672). Even the Presbyterian Church in Canada can't make up its mind since the present *Book of Praise* uses a tune different from the previous book. The **Introit**, with a theme appropriate for today, uses a tune I grew up with composed by John Bacchus Dykes and it was used in the good old *Presbyterian Book of Praise* of 1972.

Today

SAT-7

This morning we extend a warm welcome to Fadi Sharaiha, who has come from his home in Milton ON to meet with the Mission Committee and share with us an update on the work of SAT-7, which we

support through our offerings designated 'Mission'. Please linger for a few minutes after the service as Fadi shows some slides of the work of this ministry.

Prayer

If you would feel supported by a time of personal prayer after the service, for yourself or others, please join a member of the prayer team by the "prayer pillar" at the front of the sanctuary.

Capital Fund Appeal Update

As of last Sunday the amount already received towards our goal of \$150,000 is \$126,698.62. We have much to be thankful for. When the programme draws to a close at the end of April, I am sure we will be even closer to our goal. Your generous support is much appreciated. (Ralph Kendall)

This Week

Imago Dei

Thursday May 3rd, 4:30-5:30 p.m. If you are desiring to know God better and experience a closer walk with God, you are invited to join this growing group of reflection. Contact Dorothy for more information dotmessenger@gmail.com

Rock and Sword

Saturday, May 5th 2-4pm. St. Andrew's is making available to the wider community remaining copies of our newly-revised congregational history. A reception is being held at Novel Idea (156 Princess Street), at which the author, Brian Osborne, will be present. A great opportunity to thank him, and browse the shelves!

Advance Notice

Copper Sunday

Sunday, May 6th, 10:30am, we will be welcoming a group of officer cadets from the Royal Military College. We will be celebrating the Lord's Supper Sunday, May 13. All welcome.

Memorial Service – David Jackson

Sunday May 6, 2 p.m. - A service of thanksgiving for the life of David Jackson, in the sanctuary. If you are able to assist with serving during the reception, please speak to Ada Mallory.



An Anniversary Moment

By Rose DeShaw

History Isn't Boring
– It Is Us
(Still Making it)



The funny thing about history is that it is never over. As we continue our worship and service at St Andrew's we continue our history beyond the 200 years. We are part of all that comes after, the now. We are still fortunate that we can supplement the most recent part of our written history through the memories of current members: those who were baptized in our font, grew up in our Sunday school and Bible studies, sang in the choir and served on various committees and can give us the 'inside story', as well as those who have come with gifts of being nurtured in other congregations and denominations of the Church of Christ. Yet we continue to be altered by changing understandings of truth and right-living; thank God the ways we used to think, for example, about women, indigenous peoples, and creation itself have changed. In The Rock & The Sword, we read both of deeds of darkness and of light. But we claim God's promise that "the light shines through the darkness and the darkness can never extinguish it." John 1:5

Memorial Service – Rev. William Duffy

A service of thanksgiving to God for the life and ministry of the Rev. William Duffy will be held in the sanctuary of St. Andrew's on Saturday May 12 at 2 p.m., with a reception following. All welcome, so please share the invitation.

Also

Library Consultation on May 5

The Kingston Frontenac Public Library is consulting with members of the community to revise their Patron Code of Conduct, to help the KFPL become a safer and more welcoming space for everyone. Sat, May 5, 2-4:30pm, The Spire (82 Sydenham St) **Please register at: <https://www.kfpl.ca/programs-and-events/code-of-conduct-public-workshop>**

You've Got a Friend

Miss Emily, Jamie Campbell, Doug Reansbury, Ken Hall, Zak Colbert, Duncan Holt, and James Wannamaker have put together a terrific show featuring the songs and stories of music icons James Taylor and Carole King. Come and enjoy hit after hit from this stellar group of Kingston musicians in our beautiful sanctuary. Tickets for this show make a terrific early Mother's Day gift. Songs like Fire and Rain, Sweet Baby James, Will You Love Me Tomorrow? and of course, You've Got a Friend, helped to define a decade. Celebrate these artists with us on Saturday May 5 @ 7:30pm. Tickets are \$25 (hst included) - general seating. Doors open at 6:45.

Jane's Walks

Something for everyone next weekend, Friday to Sunday, May 4-6. A great way to get to know more about our neighbourhood. Have a look at <https://janeswalkkingston.wordpress.com/>

Weekly Givings

	Budgeted	Received
April 23, 2018	\$6,173.28	\$8,744.90*
Totals	\$78,363.63	\$66,333.21

Includes monthly PAR givings

Presbyterians Sharing



Inspired by the words in Matthew's gospel, Lighthouse Arabic Ministry is a

shining light in the city of Winnipeg, inviting all to see how great and wonderful God is. The congregation is known for providing newly arrived Arabic speaking immigrants with a spiritual home and support through Christian community. This ministry, supported by gifts to *Presbyterians Sharing*, is one of the PCC's most recent new church developments and has seen consistent growth since its founding. The ministry is broad, and reaches many. It is exciting to see people's lives change as they follow Jesus. For people struggling to adapt to Canadian society, it is truly a lighthouse offering direction and pointing to God's love. In 2017, St. Andrew's Kingston has committed the sum of \$25,000 to *Presbyterians Sharing* as part of our witness.