

St. Paul's United Church

Remembrance Sunday - November 5th, 2017

Portions of the service printed in **bold** are spoken by the whole congregation.

At the points marked * - those who are able are invited to stand.

John 12:27-28 - 'Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say — "Father, save me from this hour"? No, it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. Father, glorify your name.' Then a voice came from heaven, 'I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.'

THE PEOPLE GATHER

Organ Prelude: The King of Love My Shepherd Is. arr. Englert
Sing a New Church arr. Englert

Greeting:

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

And also with you.

Lighting of the Christ Candle & Introit: MV 12 (vs 1)

Welcome & Announcements

* Call to Worship (Responsive):

The winds of the world blow around us, calling us, and pushing us this way and that.

So we have come to listen for the still small voice of God.

Holy One, show us where we are to go.

The ground shakes from the violence that we have done to one another, a cycle of hate that seems inescapable.

So we have come to listen for the still small voice of God.

Holy One, show us how we are to love.

The world burns because we as stewards have forgotten our task to care for the Earth that bore us, preferring that which is convenient over what is best and right.

So we have come to listen for the still small voice of God.

Holy One, show us what we are to do.

But God is not in the winds, or the shaking ground, or even in the fire. God is here. *(Silence)*

God is here.

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**Keep up to date on upcoming activities
and stay in touch in-between Sundays!**

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Office Hours

	Rev. Richard	Rev. Michelle
Sunday:	By Appointment	By Appointment
Monday:	8:30—12	9-12, afternoon by appointment
Tuesday:	8:30—12	9-12, afternoon by appointment
Wednesday:	By Appointment	9-12:30, 1:30-4
Thursday:	8:30—12	By appointment

These hours are subject to change due to Emergency Pastoral Care, meetings and other church business elsewhere.

Upcoming Weekly Activities

Monday-Friday	8:30 am-4 pm	Adult Learning Association
	11:30-1 pm	AA - Youth Lounge
Mon., Wed., Friday	12-1 pm	Exercise Group - Gym
Monday	7 pm	Spirit Sisters - Ladies Parlour
Tuesday & Thursday	1-4 pm	Quilting - Quilter's Parlour
Tuesday & Saturday	7-9 pm	AA - Youth Lounge
Tuesday	10 am	Sr. Bible Study: Aging Gracefully
	6:30-8 pm	Beavers & Cubs - Gym
	7 pm	F'ton Choral Society
	7 pm	River Valley Chorus-Sanctuary
Wednesday	10 am	Parlour Prayers
	7 pm	Men's Conversation Group
Thursday	7 pm	Senior Choir Practice - Hall
Friday (1st and 3rd)	6:30-9 pm	Youth Group
Sunday	11:45 am	Children's Choir - Ladies Parlour

Financial Contributions

October, 2017

2017 Weekly Budget for October \$6,200.00

Envelopes (Oct. 29) 2,709.25

Loose Offering 116.00

PAR 2,448.73

 \$ 5,273.98 - \$ **926.02**

Interested in PAR? You can help increase the above figure by joining the **“PAR Team”** or by increasing your monthly PAR contributions. Contact Cathy Simpson in the office at 458-1183 if you are interested. Offering envelopes are also available if you care to donate by that method.

Rev. Michelle has been with us for 5 months, yet we have not formally covenanted with her and presbytery. On November 12 at 2:30 you are invited to join us for a special covenanting service here at St Paul's. In this service our congregation, Rev. Michelle and Presbytery make promises to each other and mark this new pastoral relationship.

Today in Sunday School: November unit: **The Wise King.** We can ask God for what we need. Bible Verse for the month: "God gave Solomon wisdom and very great understanding." 1 Kings 4:29. Bible Story: Solomon Becomes King--1 Kings 2:1-4. 3:1-15. God came to Solomon in a dream and told him to ask for anything he wanted. God granted Solomon's wish for wisdom but made one requirement—that Solomon had to live up to the righteous standard of his father David.

Youth group will be meeting on Friday 10th at St. Paul's United Church. 6:30-9pm. We will be meeting at the church. Our theme for gathering will be serving. Christ calls us into service for God. So our games will have a servant theme, our exploration and creation of a concrete plan about how we will serve our community and as time permits look at how we as youth can be involved in the wider congregational life.

When you and your Outreach Committees are planning Christmas financial donations please consider the **Interchurch Refugee Committee.** In the past we have been supporting several new refugee families. Our costs have been greater than anticipated due to increases in cost of living and unexpected expenses. In order to meet commitments to our families we need to raise funds. Donations will be gratefully received to your local church treasurer and designated for the interchurch Refugee Fund. Many thanks.

Fredericton's Grandmothers Helping Grandmothers' is having a benefit dance Friday, Nov. 17th, 8:30 pm at the Crowne Plaza Hotel Music by Fredericton's fabulous 9-piece dance band, **Juke Box Live.** Proceeds from the dance go to the Stephen Lewis Foundation and Help Lesotho - supporting African grandmothers raising children orphaned by AIDS/HIV. Tickets are \$30.and available from Westminster Books, Jean Coutu Pharmacy **Or** by calling either : 472 -1767 or 457- 0362.

So we have come to listen for the still small voice of God. Holy One, show us how to live.

Time of Remembrance

National Anthem: O Canada VU 524

Reading of the Names Bob Miller

1914-1918

Walter J. Adam	Archibald Johnson	Duncan C. McKillop
Charles E. Blair	Everett Kirk	Locksley McKnight
George E. Colwell	Purves P. Loggie	A. Murray Rutter
William Duffy	William MacDonald	Donald B. Shaw
William D. Ford	Ronald S. Machum	Alfred M. Smith
Howard A. Foster	Murray McAdam	Walter A. Tennant
J. Percy Gough	Walter McAdam	Albert E. Walker
W. Ernest Gough	George H. McKee	J. Talmage Haining
Harry H. McKee		

1939-1945

Kenneth H. Corbet	Harry A. Heron	Harold A. Smith
Ralph H. Daughney	Richard Lee	John A Watson
Kenneth W. Davis	Gerald R. Pond	

Korean War

DeVerne E. Wright

In Flanders Fields

Laying of the Wreath

Staff Sergeant Mike Berry
Joseph Wilby
Roger Miller

Fredericton Police
In Memory of Thomas Richard
In Memory of the Rev. Reg Miller

Kirsten Simpson

The Last Post

Kastriot Axhami

Silence

Reveille

Kastriot Axhami

The Act of Remembrance

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old:
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We will remember them.

We will remember them.

* **Unison Music:** God Save the Queen
God save our gracious Queen!
Long live our noble Queen! God save the Queen!
Send her victorious, happy and glorious,
Long to reign over us: God save the Queen!

Prayer of the Day

Story Time for the Young and Young at Heart

Children's Choir I've Got Peace Like a River Anna L. Page

LISTENING FOR TRUTH

Today's Scripture: 1 Kings 19:1-18 Natalie Bowley
Herein is wisdom. **Thanks be to God.**

Anthem Come, Holy Light Gide Divine Handel, arr. Wiley

Sermon Strength in Silence Rev. Richard

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

* **Hymn:** For All the Saints VU 705

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory Music The Spirit Sings Curtis
Dedication Verse: MV 191

What can I do? What can I bring?
What can I say? What can I sing?
I'll sing with joy. I'll say a prayer.
I'll bring my love. I'll do my share.

* **Prayer of Dedication**

Roger Miller

*** Reaffirmation of Faith**

VU 918

Prayers of the People & Lord's Prayer

SENDING FORTH

* **Closing Hymn:** I See a New Heaven VU 713

*** Commissioning & Benediction (Responsive):**

Braving winds, quakes, and fire,
We have found God in the silence.
Shedding fear, mistrust, and doubt,
We clothe ourselves in God's love.

From this place we will carry the Good News, not just from light to light, but to the darkest places of our world and of our hearts,
that God might burst forth offering forgiveness and hope.
In the name of Creator, Christ, and Spirit, we go,
so that all that we do might glorify God's name. AMEN

* **Choral Closing:** To Show By Touch and Word VU 427 (vs 3)
Let love from day to day be yardstick, rule, and norm,
and let our lives portray your word in human form.
Now come with us that we may have
your wits about us where we live.

Ministry of Music: Darwell's 148th arr. Ritter

We invite you to stay and enjoy the Ministry of Music

Greeters:

Ushers: Left Side: Alastair & Linda Lamont
Center: Isabel Green
Right Side: Lois Walker & Kennedy MacLlssac
Upstairs: Hope Brewer & Darrell Bruce

Coffee: November 5 Property Management



The bulletins for today's service have been donated in loving memory of Gordon & Laura McKnight by Nancy MacGarvie and family.