

How appropriate these words are

for the worship! Paul begins the letter to the Ephesians with a glorious picture of being a child of God. These words declare that we are not just mortal, frail and sinful human beings but we are exalted to be wonderful children of God. Our existence is exalted. I can hear the outcry of the psalmist: "I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; that I know very well." (Psalm 139:14)

Ephesians 1:3-14 is one sentence in Greek. In one breath, Paul describes God's wonderful works in us. All persons of the Trinity work together to create the kind of persons that we are. Each one of us is this precious to God. Let us love one another!

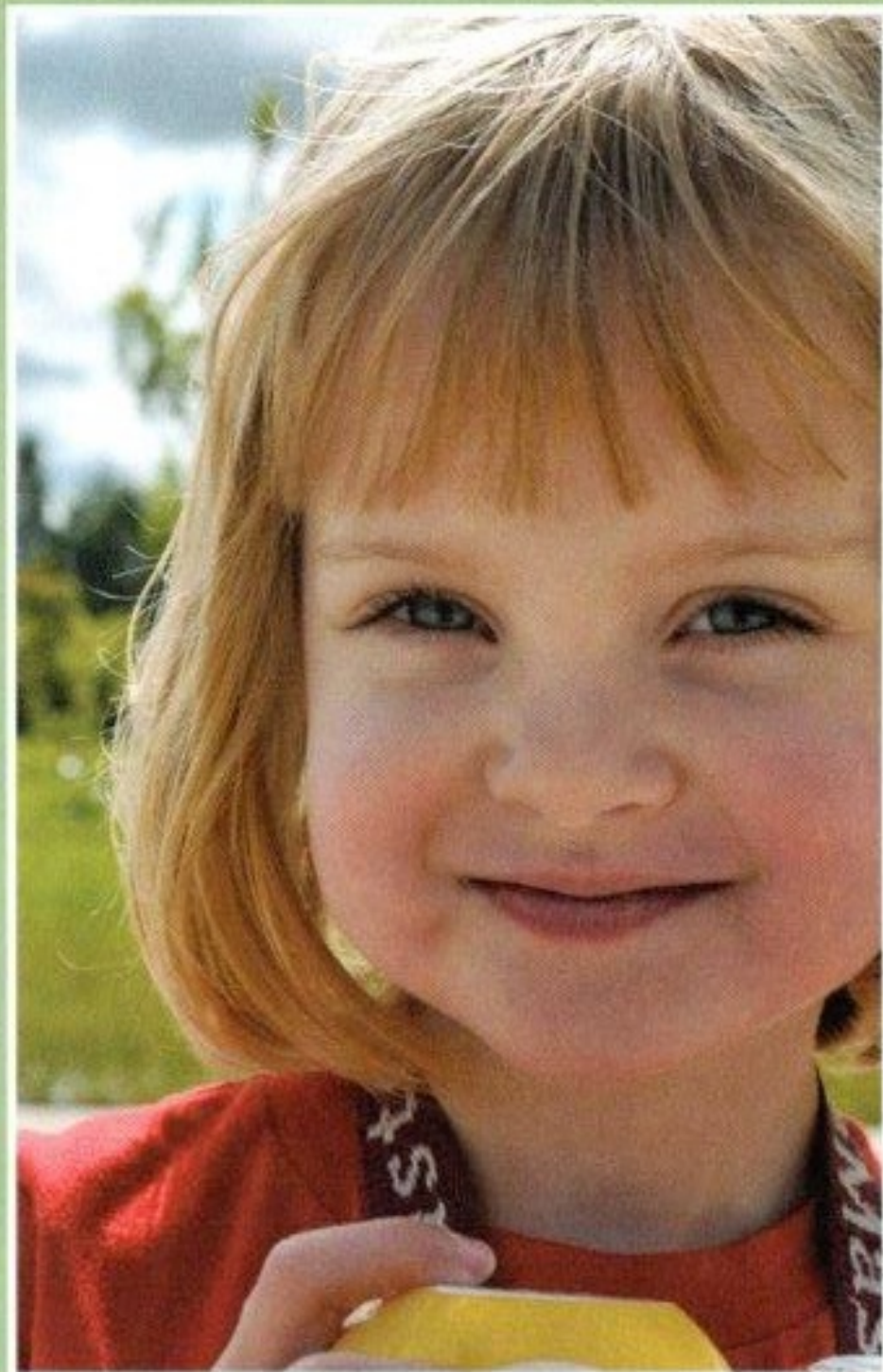
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MacNab Street and St. Paul's Presbyterian Churches
July 12, 2015

GATHERING

**Those who are able, please stand*

PRELUDE

Please use this time to quietly prepare yourself for worship.

* ENTRY OF THE WORD

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Adapted from Psalm 123:2) Elder, Dora Anie

As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their master,
As the eyes of a maid look to the hand of her mistress,
Let your eyes look to the Lord,
In search of God's mercy and grace.
Let us worship God.

*PRAISE O God beyond all praising Hymn #448

PRAYER OF APPROACH

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts, debtors)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

* GLORIA Hymn #298

**Glory be to God the Father, glory be to God the Son,
Glory be to God the Spirit, God almighty, Three-in-One!
Glory, glory, glory, glory, while eternal ages run.**

*THE PEACE

Minister: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

With one another: The Peace of Christ.

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

*PRAISE Sing your praise to God eternal

Hymn # 423

THE WORD in conversation (children's time)

PSALTER Psalm 48 Refrain #1 Dora Anie

OLD TESTAMENT 2 Samuel 7:1-17 (P312 OT) Kathy Shields

GOSPEL Mark 6:1-6 (P.41 NT)

NEW TESTAMENT 2 Corinthians 12:1-10 (P.191 NT)

SERMON "Recognizing God" Rev. Fred Shaffer

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*PRAISE At the name of Jesus Hymn #340

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

LIFE & WORK OF THE CONGREGATION Dora Anie

PRESENTATION OF OUR GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY MUSIC I Waited for Lord Mendelssohn
(Susan Chambers-Stothart, David Stothart)

*DOXOLOGY

**All: Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise father, son and Holy Ghost.**

*PRAISE All who the name of Jesus bear Hymn #342

*BENEDICTION & THREE-FOLD AMEN

POSTLUDE

WELCOME TO MACNAB

We extend a warm welcome to all our visitors this morning. We look forward to worshipping with the congregation of St. Paul's through July. Thank you to Rev. Fred Shaffer for leading the service today.

Hearing assistance is available. Ushers will be happy to assist with any questions.

Everyone is invited to Johnston Hall following the service for fellowship and refreshments

OFFICE HOURS:

The office will be closed July 6-15 and will re-open Thursday, July 16th 8:30am-12:30pm

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- ❖ The Geddes family in the recent loss of Lynn's sister
- ❖ The successful completion of The Call to Rev. Steven Baldry
- ❖ Phyllis Fahey in St. Joseph's Hospital
- ❖ The Searay Family – Judy's father John (92) is receiving palliative care in hospital
- ❖ Don & Carole MacVicar's Inner City Ministry
- ❖ All who are grieving, facing health uncertainties, lonely or jobless

ASSISTING US TODAY

Greeters: Jean Donaldson from St. Paul's
Vicki Innes & Hank Wondergem
Ushers: Mary Kerr, Kim Freeman, Ann Hunter & Merle Jones
Reader: Kathy Shields
Duty Elder: Dora Anie

ASSISTING NEXT WEEK

Duty Elder: Rick Rutherford
Greeters: Viva Flavour Jean Hartman, Grace Maynard, Gerda Wolf
Ushers: Ken & Diane Hopkins, Don & Sheila Campbell
Coffee Servers Lila Stanfield, Hedy Fordham

THIS WEEK AT MACNAB:

Mon	July 13	7-8:30pm	Over-comers-Church House
Sun	July 19	10:30am	Worship with Rev. Fred Shaffer
		2:00pm	Eucharist Church

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT - JULY 12TH

A Christian is someone who does not have to consult a bank book to see how wealthy he/she really is.

Author Unknown

**YOU ARE INVITED TO WEAR A NAME TAG
DURING COFFEE HOUR
A basket with supplies will be available in
Johnston Hall**

**THE CHILDREN'S LESSONS AND ACTIVITIES have
come to a close, for Summer break. There will
continue to be enrichment materials available in
the narthex for younger members or visitors
through the Summer months.
Classes will resume on September 13th.**



DONATIONS NEEDED!



Children attending the Inner City Summer Camp need toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, shampoo, brush/comb, etc.

Community needs: Canned goods, pasta, soup, cereal, peanut butter, toiletries –toilet paper, laundry/dishes soap, bar soap, etc are also needed for the expected summer shortage -Thank you for continuing to show your care and support to those in need.

FOR EMERGENCY PASTORAL Care call Rev. Fred Shaffer at St. Pauls' P.C. 905 522-2792 or Kevin Russell 905 527-6416

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SUMMER WORSHIP

MACNAB will host ST PAUL'S in JULY
July 19,26 Rev. Fred Shaffer

ST PAUL'S will host MACNAB in AUGUST:
August 2 David Milmine
August 9 Rev. Bob Docherty
August 16 Rev. Bob Geddes
August 23 Marilyn Repchuck
August 30 Rev. Fred Schaffer



WORSHIP TIME : 10:30AM

Why are we staying at 10:30am?

St. Paul's usually gathers at 11am, all year. They are adjusting in order to have one common time for the summer

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW:

- St. Paul's is not wheel chair accessible .
- St. Paul's do have hearing assist devices
- Those taking the church's taxi service should call Marilyn at 905-538-8767 if you are NOT going to attend summer worship; otherwise the taxi will be arranged to pick you up each Sunday during the summer at 10:00 a.m. and take you to MacNab Street or St. Paul's.
- All offering envelopes can go on the collection plate—they will be sorted after the service
- “loose” offering (not designated) will go to the host church

PSALM 48
REFRAIN #1 Your praises sound through every land,
And your right sceptre shall command.

Great is the Lord
and greatly to be praised
in the city of our God;

God's holy mountain, beautiful in elevation,
the joy of all the earth,
**Mount Zion, in the far north,
the city of the great King.
Within its citadels God
has proven a sure defense.** R

Then the kings assembled,
They advanced together.

As soon as they saw it, they were astounded;
**They were in panic, they took to flight;
trembling took hold of them there,
pains as of a woman in labor,**

as when an east wind shatters
the ships of Tarshish.
**As we have heard, so have we seen
In the city of the Lord of hosts,
In the city of our God,
which God establishes forever.** R

We ponder your steadfast love, O God.
In the midst of your temple.
**Your name, O God, like your praise,
reaches to the ends of the earth.**

Your right hand is filled with victory.
**Let Mount Zion be glad
let the daughters of Judah rejoice
because of your judgments.** R

Walk about Zion, go all around it,
**count well all its ramparts;
go through its citadels,
that you may tell the next generation
that this is God,
our God forever and ever,
God will be our guide forever.** R