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**WELCOME TO MACNAB!**

Thank you for taking the time to worship this morning at MacNab.  
 If you are a first time visitor, please plan to join us following the service for coffee in Johnston Hall - when you exit the sanctuary, turn left and follow the aroma!

If you have children, they are invited to join Steve at the front part way through our service for our "children's time" which will feature a short object lesson. Steve will have a Children's bulletin they can complete during the service. We ask that you keep your child in your care (never wandering unsupervised), including accompanying them to the washroom if the need arises. Infants are most welcome to remain with parents throughout the service - and fussing babies are music to our ears and a sign of a healthy growing church! Change tables are located in both the ladies' and men's washrooms adjacent to Johnston Hall. Ushers can direct you.

If you are looking for a church, you are invited to consider making MacNab your church home. There are visitor cards in the pew rack - if you wish to fill one out, simply drop it on the offering plate later in the service.

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

Thanks again for coming!

**LOOKING AHEAD**

**July & August & Sept 4 10:00 am** Worship services every Sunday morning at MacNab (note change to 10AM through Sept 4)  
 As announced in January, MacNab will be open every Sunday throughout the summer for worship services (not closed for one month of the summer to share services with St. Paul's). Gathering (9:00 a.m.) will not take place for July, August or September 4, but will resume on September 11.



The Mystery of Treasure Island - Vacation Bible Camp July 18-22, 9:00am-noon. Lots of help needed. Stop by Johnston Hall this morning! Let your friends know this is happening!  
**All Leaders: June 27 Leading with Care Meeting**

**THIS WEEK AT MACNAB**

**"MacNab South" -for youth meets tonight from 7:15-8:30 in the Parlour**  
**Tonight's Topic: "How Christianity is like a board game"**

<b>Mon</b>	<b>June 27</b>		<b>VBC Leading with Care meeting</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>June 29</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>Prayer Time -Steve's office</b>
<b>Sun</b>	<b>July 3</b>	<b><u>10:00am</u></b>	<b>Worship-Steve Baldry preaching</b>

**Free Canada Day Breakfast**

Join us for pancakes!



**Friday, July 1st 9:00-11:00 a.m.**

*Allergies: gluten-free/vegan pancakes available*

Invite a friend, still time to volunteer - stop by the table in the gym today!

GATHERING

June 26, 2016

\*Those who are able, please stand

PRELUDE: Partitas on St Thomas

R. Haan

**Please use this time to quietly prepare yourself for worship.**

\*ENTRY OF THE WORD & PRAISE

\*PRAISE Stand Up and Bless the Lord

Hymn #411

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 16:7-9

Leader: I bless the Lord who gives me counsel;

**People: in the night also my heart instructs me.**

Leader: I keep the Lord always before me;

**People: because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved.**

**ALL: Therefore my heart is glad, and my soul rejoices; my body also rests secure.**

PRAYER OF APPROACH and PRAYER OF CONFESSION

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Unison)

**Our Father, which 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, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*GLORIA

**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.**

\*PRAISE

Brother, Sister, Let Me Serve You

Hymn #635

**WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD**

CHILDREN'S TIME

NEW TESTAMENT Galatians 5:1, 13-26 (p.201,202) Myrna Cumberbatch

ANTHEM "Praise the Lord" G. F. Handel

SERMON "Freedom to Serve" Steve Baldry

**WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD**

\*PRAISE Not for Tongues of Heaven's Angels Hymn #627

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

PRESENTATION OF OUR GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY MUSIC Concerto in A Minor Op 3. No 6 Vivaldi  
Abby Churchill - Violin

\*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.**

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

LIFE AND WORK OF THE CONGREGATION

\*PRAISE Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer Hymn #651

\*BENEDICTION & THREE-FOLD AMEN

POSTLUDE God of Grace P. Manz

### **ASSISTING US TODAY:**

Greeters Kim Freeman, Irene Duffey  
Ushers: Alex Abraham, Lila Stanfield, Ken & Diane Hopkins  
Reader: Myrna Cumberbatch  
Monitor: John Shields  
Coffee Servers: George Donner, Kim Freeman,  
Estelle Joubert, Juanita Taylor  
Duty Deacon: Lila Stanfield

### **ASSISTING US NEXT WEEK**

Greeter Estelle Joubert  
Ushers: John Shields, Jennifer Applewhaite  
Bob & Marion Cameron  
Reader Ruth Pearson  
Monitor Adam Wylie  
Coffee Servers: Doug & Nancy Coutts, Josephine Patterson, Kathy Shields  
Duty Elder Bill Wright



**IT IS WITH HEAVY HEART AND JOY** to let you know that Jean Riches passed peacefully in her sleep in her 93<sup>rd</sup> year at Shalom Village June 22, 2016. She is now with the LORD and her family and is out of pain.

As per Jean's wishes, she had been cremated and a celebration of life service will be planned later this summer.

I will be putting in a memorial in the Spectator on Friday & Saturday.

Donations to Shalom and McNab Church are welcomed.

I would like to thank everyone at the church for all your love and hospitality and friendship you have extended to both my aunt and mom over the years that they were members of your church. Your kindness is very much appreciated.

*Laurie Cunningham-LeBlanc*  
(Jean's Niece)

### **PLEASE PRAY FOR**

- ❖ Family and friends of Jean Riches
- ❖ Joyce Boyle
- ❖ Joyce Brown in the Hamilton General Hospital
- ❖ Jack Brown
- ❖ Don & Carole MacVicar's Inner City Ministry
- ❖ All who are grieving, facing health uncertainties, lonely or jobless

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** please note the (purple cover) notebook in the narthex where prayer concerns can be entered before the service. The minister will extract the page just before 10:30 and include concerns in the Prayers that day. If you wish your concern to be passed on to the Prayer Group, please add an \* beside your concern. It is sometimes good to put your own name beside the concern (so the minister or Prayer Group can follow up).

**PRAYER TIME** in Steve's office. ***Wednesday mornings from 8-8:30 a.m.*** For praise, confession and intercessory prayer for personal concerns, the needs of others, the ministry of MacNab and concerns around the world. All welcome!

**CAN YOU HELP BUILD A SET FOR VBC?** Talk to Steve if interested!

### **MONDAY MORNING COLLECTION COUNTERS NEEDED**

Please contact Kevin Russell 905 527-6416 if you can help.

### **TOTE BINS NEEDED FOR VACATION BIBLE CAMP**

Do you have any totes/ bins that you would be willing to donate for VBC? Our gym program needs bins and totes for storage of equipment. Please bring your donation along next Sunday. Thanks!

**PARKING** – if you are able, please use the City Hall lots and take an extra minute or two to walk into MacNab. This way, new comers and those who find it difficult to walk far will have a better experience attending church!

## **NEW PART TIME CHILDREN AND YOUTH WORKER AT MACNAB**

From September 2016 – April 2017, MacNab will be welcoming Nicholas (Nick) Metivier as our Children's and Youth Worker. Nick is going into his third year of a Master of Divinity Program at Knox College. This position will be assisting Steve in exploring and developing those aspects of the ministry at MacNab that have potential in building a ministry for children, youth and young adults. The funds which will finance this 14 hour/ week contract position are being provided by grants which Steve (with Session's approval) has pursued over the past several months.

The grant funding that MacNab has received is for additional children's, youth and outreach initiatives not presently covered by MacNab's budget. This clarification is important because grant monies were not given nor will not be used to supplement our present budgeted offerings. Instead, they are designated for the purpose of additional and new initiatives.

We have been very blessed at MacNab to see a significant increase in our offerings over the past 9 months; increases which are reflected in our 2016 budget and have decreased our dependence on a depleted Trust Fund. We hope that the congregation will be encouraged with the news of our additional grant monies, while at the same time continue our pattern of increased givings for our regular expenses.