



MacNab Street Presbyterian Church

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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. There is no church school for kids but there is a Children's bulletin that children can complete during the service (seated with parents.) 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.

THIS WEEK AT MACNAB

MacNab South (youth group) will not be offering events for the next couple of weeks. Next scheduled event is Sunday, August 7.

Wed	Prayer Time in Steve's office postponed until September
Sun	Aug 7 10:00am Worship-Steve preaching

STEVE WILL BE AWAY FROM JULY 23-AUGUST 6th. For urgent pastoral matters, contact David Milmine 905 520-3014.

OFFICE HOURS

8:30am-12:30pm Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

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!

GATHERING

July 31, 2016

*Those who are able, please stand

PRELUDE:

Please use this time to quietly prepare yourself for worship.

*ENTRY OF THE WORD & PRAISE Duty Elder, Ken Hopkins

*PRAISE The Son of God Proclaim Hymn #558

*CALL TO WORSHIP from Psalm 66: 1,2,5,8,20

Leader: Let all the earth acclaim God.

People: Sing to the glory of his name.

Leader: Come and see what God has done,

People let the sound of his praise be heard.

**ALL: Blessed is God who has not withdrawn from us his love
and his care.**

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, 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 Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies Hymn #177

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S TIME

NEW TESTAMENT 2 Corinthians 4:1-10 (p.190 NT Ken Hopkins
John 13:33-35 (p. 112 NT)

ANTHEM Sometimes I feel like a motherless child African American Song
Soloist: Michelle Bawden

SERMON "The King's Messenger" Rev. Alan McPherson

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*PRAISE Give Me Oil in My Lamp Hymn #655

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

PRESENTATION OF OUR GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY MUSIC

*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

LIFE AND WORK OF THE CONGREGATION

*PRAISE Christ Is Alive Hymn #251

*BENEDICTION & THREE-FOLD AMEN

POSTLUDE

ASSISTING US TODAY

Greeter Hank Wondergem, Vicki Innes
Ushers: Jim Myers, Myrtle Inwood
Claire Salmon, Myrna Cumberbatch
Monitor Bob Cameron
Coffee Servers Lila Stanfield, Hedy Fordham
Duty Elder: Ken Hopkins

ASSISTING US NEXT WEEK:

Greeters Jean Hartman, Grace Maynard, Gerda Wolf
Ushers: Alex Abraham, Lila Stanfield, Doug & Nancy Coutts
Monitor: John Lumsden
Coffee Servers: Doug & Nancy Coutts, Josephine Patterson, Kathy Shields
Duty Elder: Irene Duffey

PLEASE PRAY FOR

- ❖ Joyce Brown in St Joseph's Villa
- ❖ Jack Brown in Dundas Retirement home
- ❖ 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).

THANK YOU to MacNab for your ongoing support of the Inner City Outreach Ministry. You continue to make a difference in the lives of the children and families in our community. At this time we are in great need for people to help drive the youth to summer camp.

The dates are Aug 1 9:00am Aug 5 7:00pm
Aug 8 9:00am Aug 10 7:00pm

LABOUR DAY BREAKFAST OUTREACH?

Monday, September 5, 9 -11 a.m.

Our last outreach on Canada Day had approximately 150 participants. These outreaches are "congregation driven" - which means we only go forward with the event if the congregation indicates support with the required participants. Sign up lists will be in Johnston Hall starting today - so please sign up if you plan to be involved. Also, if you are willing to donate \$5 over and above your regular offerings to help with the costs of this outreach, you can put this additional offering with your regular offering and note: "\$5 for Labor Day" with your contribution. Thank you!

