



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 us at the front part way through our service for our "children's time" with Michelle. Following this, children will go to "KidZone" (takes place in the Parlour). Children will re-enter the Sanctuary at the POSTLUDE and parents can pick up their children at the front of the sanctuary as soon as POSTLUDE is completed. We also ask that (except for CHILDREN'S TIME AND "KidZone") 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! This includes new children who may not yet be comfortable going to "KidZone."** Change tables are located in both the ladies' and men's washrooms adjacent to Johnston Hall.

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!

*Those who are able, please stand

PRELUDE Variations on Sine Nomine

D. Bedard

*ENTRY OF THE WORD & PRAISE

Duty Deacon, Lila Stanfield

*PRAISE Come, ye thankful people,. come

Hymn #611

*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 105:1-4

Leader: O give thanks to the Lord, call on his name,

People: make known his deeds among the peoples,

Leader: sing to him, sing praises to him;

People tell of all his wonderful works.

ALL Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice. Seek the Lord and his strength; seek his presence continually.

PRAYER OF APPROACH AND CONFESSION (followed by)

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, for ever. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON, followed by 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 All things bright and beautiful Hymn #435

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S TIME Michelle Winger
NEW TESTAMENT Matthew 16:21-28 (p.18) Ian Rowe
ANTHEM Hear my cry, O Lord C. Franck
Soloist: Meghan Miholics
MESSAGE: "Picking Your Power" Steve Baldry

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*PRAISE Hail, our once rejected Jesus Hymn #353

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

PRESENTATION OF OUR GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY MUSIC

**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 Lila Stanfield

*PRAISE Morning has broken Hymn #814

*BENEDICTION & THREE-FOLD AMEN

POSTLUDE

ASSISTING US TODAY

Greeters Estelle Joubert, Jeanne MacKenzie
Ushers Marion Cameron, Mary Kerr, Anne Hunter, Merle Jones
Reader Ian Rowe
Monitor: Harry Callaghan
Juice Servers: Josephine Patterson, Marguerite Gilbert
Duty Deacon: Lila Stanfield

ASSISTING US NEXT WEEK

Greeters Bill & Barbara Lewis
Ushers Anne Hunter, Merle Jones, Doug & Nancy Coutts
Reader Mair Davies
Monitor: Kevin Russell
Coffee Servers: George Donner, Ruth Pearson,
Estelle Joubert, Juanita Taylor
Duty Elder: Dora Anie



THANK YOU!

MICHELLE WINGER, who interned with MacNab during her last semester at Redeemer and served in a contract position over the summer as Children's and Youth Worker, will be finishing her time with MacNab next weekend. Plan to join us in Johnston Hall after the service on September 3 to give Michelle our best wishes.

WE ALSO THANK ADAM WYLIE for many years of dedication and maintenance of our Hearing Devices. We are pleased to report that Al Cheeseman has accepted to take over this duty. If you require a Hearing Device during each worship service, please speak with Al.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

- ❖ Shirley Abraham to undergo shoulder surgery Sept 5
- ❖ Chris Dawson recovering from pneumonia
- ❖ Don & Carole MacVicar's Inner City Ministry
- ❖ All who are grieving, facing health uncertainties, lonely or jobless



TOMORROW!: LABOUR DAY MONDAY-SEPT 4th

Sign up sheets are available today!

If you would like to donate \$5 over and above regular offerings to help with expenses, just mark your additional offering "breakfast."

You can give a ticket to a friend to invite them along, or like/ share us on facebook.

Also, we are short on help / sign up for this event. If you are going to help, please don't assume we know. Sign up in Johnston Hall today.

note: lots of help needed for set up (Sunday night, September 3 at 6:30) and cooking! We hope you can let us know today!

GATHERING WORSHIP TEAM:

Gathering resumes on September 10th. The Gathering worship team welcomes anyone who may be interested in joining us to serve by singing or playing in the band to contact Steve at steve.baldry@cogeco.ca, or Miriam Janssen at miriamjanssen@gmail.com - for more information. Gathering worship team will be rehearsing this fall on Tuesday evenings from 7-8:30.



MACNAB SENIOR CHOIR REHEARSALS resume on Thursday September 7th at 7:30 p.m.

We are always looking for new members.

If you are interested in joining the choir, just talk to Gerald Smink after church!

THIS WEEK AT MACNAB

Today marks the last of the 10am summer worship service

Mon Sept 4 LABOUR DAY BREAKFAST 9-11am

Wed Sept 6 Royal Scottish Country Dancers registration

Thurs Sept 7 7:30pm Choir practice resumes



Sun Sept 10 Gathering Resumes 9:00AM
Traditional Worship 10:30AM
Steve Baldry preaching

Wed Sept 13 Prayer Group will resume 8:00am in Steve's office

SERMON SERIES THIS SEPTEMBER: "DAILY MATTERS"

a 10 week series about daily choices and practices that can help you cultivate your faith - starts September 10th.

gathering
with God - with others - with others still to come

RESUMES NEXT WEEK!

Office Hours:

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

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 available in the Narthex

DID YOU KNOW THAT MACNAB HAS AN OFFICIAL FACEBOOK PAGE?

You can find us at @MacNabStreetChurch. We will be posting event announcements, news, and promotions, and we need your help. If you are on Facebook, it would help us if you could like the page, and share/comment on posts.