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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" which will feature a short lesson. Following this, children will go to "KidZone" (takes place in the Parlour). Children will re-enter the Sanctuary at the POSTLUDE.

Parents: please pick up your child at the front of the sanctuary front pews by the piano 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! 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!

GATHERING April 29, 2018

*Those who are able, please stand

PRELUDE Partita on "Schmüke Dich" R. Haan

*ENTRY OF THE WORD & PRAISE Marilyn Repchuck

*PRAISE All who hunger, gather gladly Hymn #534

*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 103:8-12

Leader: The Lord is merciful and gracious,

slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

People: He will not always accuse, nor will he keep his anger

forever.

Leader: He does not deal with us according to our sins.

nor repay us according to our iniquities.

People: For as the heavens are high above the earth,

so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;

ALL: as far as the east is from the west,

so far he removes our transgressions from us.

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

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 Jesus, stand among us Hymn #449

Parents, please have your child join Christina as we begin singing the final verse

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S TIME Lord, listen to your children praying Christina McCarthy ANTHEM

OLD TESTAMENT Psalm 23 (P.553) Barry Betzner

NEW TESTAMENT John 21:4-14 (p.120)

SERMON "A King's Reception" Part 2 of 5 Steve Baldry

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*PRAISE Help us accept each other (Tune Aurelia) Hymn #632

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

PRESENTATION OF OUR GIFTS AND OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC How Can I Keep From Singing arr. A. Bullard

Soloist: Emily Colbert

DOXOLOGY (change in Doxology-please refer to hymn for tune) Hymn #661

All: We give thee but thine own

Whatever the gifts may be All that we have is thine alone A trust, O Lord, from thee.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

LIFE AND WORK OF THE CONGREGATION Marilyn Repchuck

*PRAISE Lord of all hopefulness Hymn #748

BENEDICTION AND THREE-FOLD AMEN

POSTLUDE

ASSISTING US TODAY:

Greeters Ian & Shirley Rowe

Ushers: Don & Sheila Campbell, Alex Abraham, Lila Stanfield

Reader: Barry Betzner
Monitor: Harry Callaghan

Coffee Servers: Doug & Nancy Coutts, Warren & Jean Currie

Duty Elder: Marilyn Repchuck

ASSISTING US NEXT WEEK

Greeters: Don MacVicar, Karen Evans

Ushers: Frank& Irene Mills, Harry & Annette Callaghan

Reader: Ian Rowe Monitor: Kevin Russell

Coffee Servers: Jim & Fiona Myers, Juanita Taylor, Lila Stanfield

Duty Elder: Rick Rutherford

THE MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR JACK BROWN has been re-scheduled to Sunday, May 6th at 1:30pm in the MacNab Sanctuary. Reception to follow.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- ❖ Victims, families and the city of Toronto reeling from the van attack
- Don & Carole MacVicar's Inner City Ministry
- Peace in a troubled world
- All who are grieving, facing health uncertainties, lonely or jobless

BREAKFAST OUTREACH AT MACNAB - MAY 21ST

9-11AM Sign up sheets are available today!



If you would like to donate \$5.00 over and above regular offerings to help with expenses, just mark your additional offering "breakfast". Note: Lots of help needed for set up (Sunday night, May 20th at 6:30pm and cooking.

Please make a commitment by April 29th. Thank you

FAMILY POTLUCK: SATURDAY, MAY 19th 5:00-8:00PM

Victoria Day Weekend-Mark your calendars! We're going to welcome the summer season together with lots of food and fun! Please bring a dish to share, wear comfy clothes (for those of you who might be on the competitive side, wear your athletic gear) and get ready for a great time of fellowship



THE SENIORS BUS TRIP TO WINE COUNTRY IS CANCELLED FOR MAY 1ST - Thank you for understanding

SENIORS GROUP POT LUCK LUNCHEON AND FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday, May 30th – 12 Noon in Johnston Hall. Please bring a main dish, salad or dessert. We look forward to seeing your there! Thank you for making up all the gift baskets for the Auction!

A TASTE OF AFRICA – 6TH ANNUAL FUND RAISER

For Schools of Dreams. African Food, Live Entertainment, Draws, Auctions, and more! Friday, May 25th at Carmen's Banquet Centre, 1555 Upper Ottawa \$60/person

Doors open 6pm

Contact Dora Anie 905 978-3672 for more information.

Purchase tickets at scfhoolsofdreams.com

THIS WEEK AT MACNAB

Tues	May 1	7:00pm	Gathering Band-Johnson Hall
Wed	May 2	8:00am	Prayer group -Steve's office
Thur	May 3	7:30pm	Choir Practice – Sanctuary
Sun	May 6	9:00am	Gathering
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164th Anniversary Sunday - Steve Baldry Preaching at both services

MACNAB WELCOMES CHRISTINA MCCARTHY! Christina joins us as our Director of Children's and Youth Ministry. Christina has served on staff as Child and Youth Ministry Coordinator at 2 previous churches, has extensive volunteer experience and is the Owner/Operator of Glitterbug Face and Body Art. We welcome Christina to MacNab!

NEW MEMBERS SUNDAY May 27th: Contact Florence Sharman at her cell phone /text address if you would like to become a member 905 808-3475.

OFFICE HOURS:

8:30AM-12:30PM Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Sundays at MacNab:

9:00am Johnston Hall (Relaxed and interactive)



10:30am Sanctuary (Rich in Tradition)

Worship Service

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 <u>we need your help</u>. If you are on Facebook, it would help us if you could like the page, and share/comment on posts.

<u>PARKING</u> – 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! Maps are available in the Narthex.