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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 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

September 30, 2018

Please note: our Call to Worship this morning is found in the red Psalter...

You may want to find it now and have it ready!

*Those who are able, please stand

PRELUDE

Prière á Notre-Dame

L. Boëllmann

*ENTRY OF THE WORD & PRAISE

Kevin Russell

*PRAISE

Saviour, like a shepherd lead us

Hymn #485

*CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 62:1-8 Refrain #2

(Found in red Book of Psalms in the Pew)

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, 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 loves me

Hymn #373

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

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S TIME		Steve Baldry
ANTHEM	Peace I Leave With You	W. Pelz
OLD TESTAMENT	Nehemiah 2:19-20; 4:1-9 (p.476, 477-8)	Bob Cameron
SERMON	"Building Together-Part 4: " Responding to Opposition"	Steve Baldry

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*PRAISE	O God of love, true source of peace	Hymn #733
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION		
PRESENTATION OF OUR GIFTS AND OFFERING		
*OFFERTORY	Swing low sweet chariot Duet: Marguerite Gilbert, Marilyn Repchuck	
*DOXOLOGY		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		Kevin Russell
WELCOMING NEW MEMBER: Gladi Fairservice		
APOSTLES' CREED		#539
*PRAISE	Sing praise to the Lord	Hymn #107
*BENEDICTION AND THREE-FOLD AMEN		
POSTLUDE	Menuet Gothique	L. Boëllmann

ASSISTING US TODAY

Greeter Don MacVicar, Karen Evans
Ushers Alex Abraham, Jim Myers
Lila Stanfield, Marion Cameron
Reader: Bob Cameron
Monitor: Ken Hopkins
Coffee Servers: Bev Mitchell, J'ina Middleton, Ruth Pearson, Sandra Lee
Duty Elder: Kevin Russell

ASSISTING US NEXT WEEK

Greeters: Bill & Barbara Lewis
Ushers: Ian & Shirley Rowe, Don & Sheila Campbell
Reader: J'ina Middleton
Monitor Frank Mills
Coffee Servers: Doug & Nancy Coutts, Brad & Gen McIntyre
Duty Elder Rick Rutherford

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- ❖ John Lumsden recovering from emergency heart surgery
- ❖ Don & Carole MacVicar's Inner City Ministry
- ❖ All who are grieving, facing health uncertainties, lonely or jobless

NEXT BREAKFAST: THANKSGIVING MONDAY OCT 8TH



Sign-up sheets are available today!

Be sure to invite your family and friends to our Free Pancake Breakfast! (pancakes & sausages)

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, Oct 7th at 6:30)***

MACNAB SENIORS GROUP will meet on Wednesday, October 3rd at 1:30 pm in Johnston Hall. We will share Thanksgiving desserts followed by a program "Remembering Thanksgivings of the past!" If you have questions please speak to Marilyn ; e-mail mrepchuck@gmail.com or call 226-938-7959. Hope to see YOU there!



DO YOU LOVE ALL THINGS TECH RELATED? The Gathering worship team is looking for a couple of people who would be interested in joining our team as our sound technicians. On a rotational basis, this job would involve set up and take down of sound equipment (mics, etc.) and controlling sound levels for all aspects of the Gathering service on Sunday mornings. If you think this job is calling your name, please speak to Miriam Janssen, Catherine Maybrey or Steve.

PRESBYTERIAN CONNECTION – FALL ISSUE 2018

Now available in the Narthex. Report on Presbyterian Youth in Action, Message from the Moderator, photographs, crossword and more!

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! Maps are available in the Narthex.

CHRISTMAS IS ALMOST HERE!! Its time to begin planning our Children's Christmas Service! Help is needed in the following areas: Set construction, set decoration, acting, reading or participating in the skit.

PLEASE NOTE: no artistic experience is necessary, just a willingness to help and to follow the directions given for each project. Sign up sheets are available in Johnston Hall .



APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and buried; he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

Psalm 62: 1-8 Refrain #2

Refrain: Rest in God alone, rest in God alone, my soul, my soul

For God alone my soul waits in silence;
from whom comes my salvation.

**God alone is my rock and my salvation, my fortress;
I shall never be shaken.**

How long will you attack a person,
will all of you batter your victim as you would a leaning wall,
a tottering fence?

Their only plan is to topple a person of prominence.

They delight in lying;

they bless with their mouths, but inwardly curse. R

For God alone my soul waits in silence,
from whom comes my hope.

**God alone is my rock and my salvation, my fortress;
I shall not be shaken.**

On God rests my deliverance and my honour;
my mighty rock, my refuge is in God.

Trust in God at all times, O people;

pour out your heart before God

who is our refuge. R

THIS WEEK AT MACNAB

Mon	Oct 1	7:00pm	Maintenance Mtg-Parlour
Tues	Oct 2	7:15pm	Gathering Band practice
Curious about joining? Come check us out!			
Wed	Oct 3	8:00am	Prayer Group -Steve's office
SEE BELOW		9:30am	Play Group-Church House
		1:30pm	Senior's Group-Johnston Hall
Thurs	Oct 4	7:30pm	Choir Practice-Sanctuary
Sun	Oct 7	World Wide	Communion Sunday
		9:00am	Gathering
		10:30am	Worship
Steve Baldry will preach at both services			

UPDATED: Play Group Date

Wed	Oct 10	9:30am	Play Group-Church House
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OFFICE HOURS:

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

Sundays at MacNab:

9:00am Johnston Hall
(Relaxed and interactive)

gathering
with God ~ with others ~ with others still to come

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



MACNAB E-MAIL UPDATES:

Please complete the email permission form available in the Narthex if you would like to participate in receiving email updates. Thank you!