

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

Volunteers Today

Greeters: 9 a.m. East Door: Brian & Sue Kennedy
9 a.m. West Door: Nancy Kroetsch, Kim Uyede
11 a.m. East Door: John & Barbara Hodgson
11 a.m. West Door: Hilda & Ken Graham

Session Counters: Ian & Char Clark
Board Counters: Bill Stickney, Judy Stark
Nursery: Linda Cameron
Refreshments: Wayne Dyce

Our Church Staff

Interim Moderator: Rev. Alex MacLeod
Speaker Today: Diane Boyd
Chris Clements Youth Pastor & Discipleship
Joan Wilson Traditional Music Director
Pauline Hall Clerk of Session
Sid Bakker Board of Managers Chairperson
Sandra Woods Church Secretary
Paul Dunnill Custodian

Church Web Site

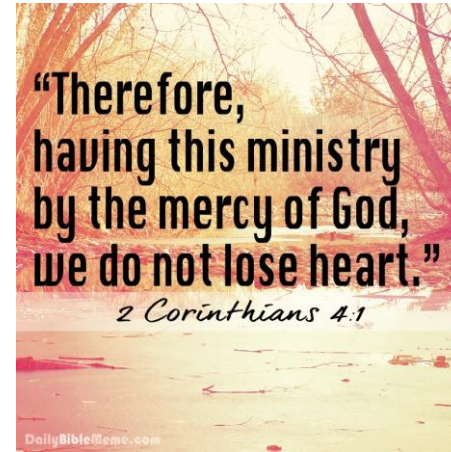
There are links to the Sunday Bulletin, Announcements, Calendar of Events, the Church Newsletter and the Sunday Sermon on our website. Check it out at: www.standrewsfergus.org

St. Andrew's E-Mail Roster

If you have e-mail and would like to receive the Quarterly Newsletter, Timely announcements about Church events, Changes to Sunday Worship times, Prayer requests & Death Notices, please send a note to standrewschurch@wightman.ca to be added to our email list.

Pastoral Care Hotline 519-843-3565

Please call the church 519-843-3565 if any of our St. Andrew's family is in the hospital or in need of a visit or a prayer shawl.



Feb. 11th, 2018

Our Mission Statement:

To accept Christ's love, embrace His teaching, and share Him with those both near & far.

Tips for Our Guests

- Helpful Ushers** are at each door to assist you.
- The Nursery** is located downstairs for infants to toddlers.
- Sunday School** children aged 2 to grade 8 go downstairs to their classrooms after the children's story during worship.
- Visitor Cards** are in each pew rack. Please fill one out & drop it in the offering plate so we follow up with your visit.
- Offering:** If you wish to make an offering to the Lord, offering envelopes are available in the pews racks. Tax receipts will be issued for the calendar year.
- Refreshments** are hosted downstairs in the gym after the worship service.



**Feb. 11th, 2018
9 a.m. Worship**

Please take a moment to welcome each other.

(*stand if you are able)

- Welcome Song King of Glory
- Welcome & Announcements
- *Call to Worship
- Opening Prayer
- Children’s Song One of These Days
- Children’s Story
- Birthdays and Anniversaries
- *Songs I Will Follow
- My Lighthouse
- Prayer for Illumination
- Scripture 2nd Corinthians 4: 1-18**
- Message Do Not Lose Heart**
- *Reflection Song Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing
- Pastoral Prayer
- Offering In Christ Alone My Hope is Found
- Offering Prayer
- Benediction
- *Closing Song This is Amazing Grace

Private Prayer is offered beside the organ

Please join us downstairs for Fellowship & Refreshments



**Feb. 11th, 2018
11 a.m. Worship**

Please take a moment to welcome each other.

(*stand if you are able)

- Prelude
- Welcome & Announcements
- *Call to Worship
- *Hymn How Sweet The Name of Jesus #123
- Opening Prayer
- Children’s Hymn **Jesus Loves The Little Children vs. 1,2 #447**
- Children’s Story
- Children’s Hymn **Jesus Loves The Little Children vs. 3,4 #447**
- Prayer for Illumination
- Scripture 2nd Corinthians 4: 1-18**
- Message Do Not Lose Heart**
- *Hymn Jesus is Lord of All #599
- Pastoral Prayer
- Offering Have You Seen Jesus My Lord -Choir
- *Dedication Lord I Offer My Life
- *Hymn Praise the One #293
- Benediction Go Now In Peace

Private Prayer is offered beside the organ

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DISCIPLESHIP

Student Ministries

Sr High – Thursday Nights @ 7pm

Jr High – Tuesday Nights @ 7pm

Bible Studies and Small Groups

We worship a God who speaks to us through his scriptures, through his church, and through his Spirit. Come join a small group, where each of these is present, and discover God’s words for you. No previous experience required. A listing of groups is available on the Small Groups bulletin board (gym), on the website, or as a flier at the back of the sanctuary. Chris is also happy to address questions in person.

Today, we welcome Diane Boyd as Guest Speaker

Diane grew up in Guelph and attended St. Andrew’s Presbyterian Church. She received a Bachelor of Arts in Psychology from the University of Guelph, a Master of Divinity in Missions from Tyndale Seminary, and a Master of Theological Studies from Knox College, University of Toronto. She is a Certified Candidate for Ordination in the Presbyterian Church in Canada. Diane has been married to Rob for 19 years and they have four children: Kaleigh (16), Abi (12), Robyn (11), and Ben (8). The Boyd family attends Kortright Presbyterian Church in Guelph.

St. Andrew’s A.C.T.S Prayer Gathering

At our church - for our church - by our church!

7 PM – 8:30 PM TONIGHT

As we embark on a new beginnings, let's come together before the Lord to express our worship and gratitude and to pray for His will & guidance for and in all things. We will be having a Prayer Gathering once a month. Please note the upcoming dates: March 11, April 15th and May 13th



CHURCH FAMILY UPDATE

Birthday Blessings

This Week: Cecil Wolfe, Audrey Herder, Maggie Cumming, Heather DeGorter, Bob Shaw, Marlene Pryde, Nichole Bullock, Tom Gerrie, Jerry Wymer, Mary Fraser.

In Need of Prayer:

Groves Fergus: Barb Fresco, Vivienne Weitzel, Bert Stewart, Alda Swift

Freeport, Kitchener: John Whitecross

St. Mary’s, Kitchener: Heather DeGorter

At Home: Ken Hawkins, Sigrid Robson, Marjorie Dibben, Keith Parker, Theresa Ganzeboer, Hugh Black, Merlin Kropf, Reuben & Marg Ryan, Charles Bouwman, Jean Green, Thys & Winnie Splinter, Wayne Bridle, John Zettel, Bonnie Colville, Carl Geddes.

Happenings To Note This Week

Mon. Feb. 12 th	7:00 p.m.	Hilltop Singers
Tues. Feb. 13 th	9:00 a.m.	Quilters
	9:00 a.m.	Discipleship
	5:00 p.m.	Pancake Supper
	5:45 p.m.	Prayer
	7:00 p.m.	Junior High
	7:00 p.m.	Youth Committee
Wed. Feb. 14 th	10:00 a.m.	Ladies Bible Study
	1:00 p.m.	Happy Cutters – All Welcome!
	7:00 p.m.	Praise Team
	7:00 p.m.	Grandmothers of the Grand
Thurs. Feb. 15 th	10:00 a.m.	Holy Donuts
	11:00 a.m.	Men’s Bible Study
	11:15 a.m.	Gentle Exercise
	7:00 p.m.	Senior High
	7:00 p.m.	Choir
Sat. Feb. 17 th	8:30 a.m.	Congregational Retreat
Feb. 18th, 2018	9 & 11 a.m. Worship	9:30 & 10:45 a.m. Bible Studies

Annual Congregational Retreat

Saturday February 17, 2018 at Pine Meadows Community

Registration will begin at 8:30 am

THEME: "Disciples Are Made Not Born"

FACILITATOR: Ian Clark

Lunch and snacks provided

SIGN-UP: after each Sunday Service in the Fellowship Hall

COST: \$20 per person (same as last year)



MISSIONS

Nicaragua

Nicaragua Team 2019 is looking for donations of auction items for April Online silent auction. New items, gift cards, homemade (such as offering to bake a pie or cookies or woodworking or knits), business promotion, services (oil change, detailing, yard clean-up). Any questions email Melanie Fegan mfegan22@live.ca or deliver item to Chris or the office. Thank you for your support.

Spring Bling Thing

The H.E.A.R.T.S for Haiti folks are planning our annual Spring Bling Thing for Saturday, March 24th. If you have any "Once-loved" Jewellery or accessories that you like to donate, they can be dropped off at the office anytime.



34th Annual Pancake & Sausage Supper

Shrove Tuesday, Feb. 13th, 2018

5:00 – 6:30 p.m. Goodwill Donation

Proceeds towards H.E.A.R.T.S for Haiti and The Nicaragua Mission

World Day of Prayer

Friday, March 2nd, 2018, 2 p.m. at St. James Anglican Church. This year the leading country is Suriname. All welcome to attend.

Look on the library card for new books that have been added this week.

Library Book Reviews 2018 by Kim B-U

IN HIS STEPS

by Charles M. Sheldon

Written in 1896, this story really brings to life what being a disciple of Jesus Christ truly means. Do you remember the acronym WWJD? Well, that acronym came to life in the Raymond church when Pastor Henry Maxwell preached that very question, and asked for anyone who was interested in living as Jesus did to stay after the service. The many surprising events that take place and the spreading of the gospel remind you of the early church. An inspiring read!! Dare we do it here in our little town? Let's ask ourselves "What would Jesus do?" every time we have to make a decision. ☺

MARK'S STORY by Tim LaHaye & Jerry B. Jenkins

This is the second one of the Jesus Chronicles that I've read. I know that it is classified as fiction, but it all read like I was there with Mark. What a joy and blessing to be with the Apostles, to capture their stories about Jesus so that we would be able to read our Bibles today. Do you remember as the crowd was leading Jesus from the Garden of Gethsemane and there was a young lad following? The one the guards tried to arrest but only grabbed his tunic? The poor lad escaped naked! Who was he and why was he following Jesus? You have to read this one and find out!

Lenten Devotions

Mercy, Passion & Joy Lenten Devotions – reflections on the writings of C.S. Lewis are available in the Sanctuary or at the office. This devotion starts next week – Ash Wednesday, Feb. 14th. Pick up your copy today!!



