We are grateful to those who were involved in worship this morning:

Organist: Martin Bohl Greeters: Ellen Smith

Beadle: Carol Johnston Worship Assistant: Vin Seunath

Sunday School: Dean Davidson

Tech Team: Laura Einwechter, Dylan Smith

This Week at St. Andrew's Hespeler

Tuesday: Hope Clothing 9:00—11:30 am
Thursday: Hope Clothing Noon—2:00 pm
Thursday: Food Bank Noon—2:00 pm

Check out our bulletin boards and the rolling board at the back of the sanctuary. You will find our summer schedule, passports for children & families, our guidebook and car pool sign up sheets.

Save the Dates

Fall Fun Workshops: Saturday, September 28th
Christmas in October Workshops: Saturday, October 26th





Sat Sep 28 Dancing Northern Lights Sat Oct 26 Save the Date!



Save the Bate foil another watercolour workshop!

Betails later this summer!

Registrations will open mid August





DAILY PRAYERS

Sunday, June 23 We give thanks for ministries like Newcomers Mission in Peterborough, ON that provides care and refuge for new Canadians seeking friendship and community.

Monday, June 24 We give thanks for church fellowship programs that extend Christ's friendship to those suffering from loneliness and isolation.



Tuesday, June 25 We pray that God will grant graduates from our theological colleges to lead with enthusiasm, imagine with faith and discern with courage to follow where God leads.

Wednesday, June 26 We give thanks for church communities that are caring for creation and taking steps to reduce their carbon footprint. We pray that we will reflect God's love of creation every day.

Thursday, June 27 We pray for courage to be a voice of change in our congregations and communities.

Friday, June 28 We praise God for the volunteers who have served in our congregations all year. Pray that they may rest and recharge over the summer, ready to return again in the fall, to find more ways they can use their gifts to serve God's mission.

Saturday, June 29 Thank God for the hope brought to adults and youth receiving education, skills training and small business opportunities through PWS&D livelihoods programs.

Mission Moment: June 23

With support from Presbyterians Sharing, the Newcomers
Mission has faithfully been gathering and offering services
and spiritual support to newly arrived immigrants and
refugees in the Peterborough area since 2016. Like the soft,
protective wings of a dove, the programming of Newcomers Mission
provides refuge and care for people living through very difficult and
vulnerable situations. One wing of the ministry represents the spiritual
side through worship services, prayer meetings and house visits. The other



wing is the social and cultural side, helping newcomers to access support services, obtain employment and provide English language teaching and translation services. The two wings work together so that the newcomers can succeed and belong.

St. Andrew's Hespeler Presbyterian Church June 23, 2024



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Order of Worship. We will meet in person at 10 am. Or join us on Zoom or Facebook Live. The Zoom link will be posted on the website.

Prelude: Holy Ghost, with Light Divine by D. Hustad

Welcome

Call to Worship:

L: Give thanks to the LORD, for God is good;

P: God's steadfast love endures forever.

L: We see God's wondrous works all around us,

P: so we come to praise God's holy name.

L: Open wide your hearts in this time of worship!

P: We lift our hearts to God with thanks and praise.

Hymn #728 The storm is strong; we face the wind (Tune #217)

1. The storm is strong; we face the wind. The water rises; waves crash in.

Where are we now? Where will we be? There is no mercy on this sea.

2. But you, Christ, you are with us here. We turn to you in all our fear. The single word you say is "peace," and wind and waves and storm all cease.

3. Who can you be? What power your say that even winds and sea obey?

Remove our fear of death and harm. Give us your faith and still our storm.

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Prayer of Approach

L: Creator God, we gather in wonder this day, astonished by the complexity of all you have made, acknowledging how small each of us is in the midst of your world. Yet your love gives us significance. When we are overcome by forces beyond our control, you speak words of peace. When trouble or sorrow sets in, you give us strength to persevere. Source, Saviour and Spirit of life, we offer you praise and honour, love and loyalty, with our lips and with our lives, now and always. Amen.

Laying Down our Burdens

Responsive Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32

L: O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,

P: for his steadfast love endures forever.

L: Let the redeemed of the LORD say so,

- P: those he redeemed from trouble and gathered in from the lands, from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.
- L: Some went down to the sea in ships, doing business on the mighty waters;
- P: they saw the deeds of the LORD, his wondrous works in the deep.
- L: For he commanded and raised the stormy wind, which lifted up the waves of the sea.
- P: They mounted up to heaven; they went down to the depths; their courage melted away in their calamity;
- L: they reeled and staggered like drunkards and were at their wits' end.
- P: Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble, and he brought them out from their distress;
- L: he made the storm be still, and the waves of the sea were hushed.
- P: Then they were glad because they had quiet, and he brought them to their desired haven.
- L: Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love, for his wonderful works to humankind.
- P: Let them extol him in the congregation of the people and praise him in the assembly of the elders.

Video Reading: Mark 4:35-41 read by Brenda Holm

Hymn #304 We praise you, Creator

- We praise you, Creator, in earth, sea and sky, our Ruler, our Maker, our Sovereign most high.
 Each new generation lifts voices in praise: how good your creation, how gracious your ways!
- 2. Each springtime, the blossoms bloom fragrant once more; each summer, each autumn brings forth its rich store.

With witness compelling our praise and our prayer, creation is telling of your faithful care.

3. Your wondrous works teach us, Creator, to trace the limitless reaches of your love and grace. Your grace dwells among us, your love goes before; from eldest to youngest, we praise and adore.

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Family Time

Life and Work of the Church

Celebration of our Generosity

Offertory: St. Peter Tune by H. Willan

Sermon: We're all in the same boat now.

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

(... forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors...)

Hymn: #744 Will your anchor hold

1. Will your anchor hold in the storms of life, when the clouds unfold their wings of strife? When the strong tides lift and the cables strain, will your anchor drift or firm remain?

Refrain: We have an anchor that keeps the soul steadfast and sure while the billows roll, fastened to the rock which cannot move, grounded firm and deep in the Saviour's love!

- 2. Will your anchor hold in the straits of fear, when the breakers roar and the reef is near?
 While the surges rave and the wild winds blow, shall the angry waves then your bark o'erflow? Refrain
- 3. Will your eyes behold through the morning light the city of gold and the harbour bright? Will you anchor safe by the heavenly shore, when life's storms are past forevermore? *Refrain*

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Benediction

Choral Response

Go now in peace...never be afraid.

God will go with you each hour of every day.

Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.

Know He will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love, and show you believe.

Reach out to others so all the world can see.

God will be there, watching from above.

Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

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Postlude: The Glory of God in Nature by Beethoven

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We need greeters, beadles and worship assistants for July 14, July 28 and August 11. If you can help out with either of these important jobs, please let Joni know as soon as you can. Thank you for your consideration.

We will continue to send out emails throughout the summer with any important information relating to St. Andrew's and where we are worshipping each week. So sign up for emails if you haven't done so!

Hope Clothing, Food Bank, St. Andrew's Pantry and the Mobile Market will continue to operate throughout the summer on their usual days and times.

The **Forbes Park Music Festival** will be on Saturday, July 6. Our Mission & Outreach Committee is hosting St. Andrew's booth. We need help setting up (starting at 9:30 am), help through out the day, and help packing up (between 2 & 3:30 pm, depending on weather). If you can help please speak Jean Godin or Elaine McLean.

Where are we worshipping?

June 30 Doon Kitchener

July 7 Knox Crieff

July 14 St. Andrew's Hespeler

July 21 Knox Crieff

July 28 St. Andrew's Hespeler

Worship will begin at 10:00 am each Sunday.

Please plan to join us as often as you can during our summer adventure. Sign up for the car pools to drive if you can, or to get a ride.

Links to attend online services or watch the service that are posted afterward may be different during the summer. Watch the Web site for specific links and posts.

You can also follow us on the shared Facebook Page: Crieff,
Doon, Duffs, Knox & St. Andrew's Summer Worship

Experiment