

St. Andrew's River Heights United Church

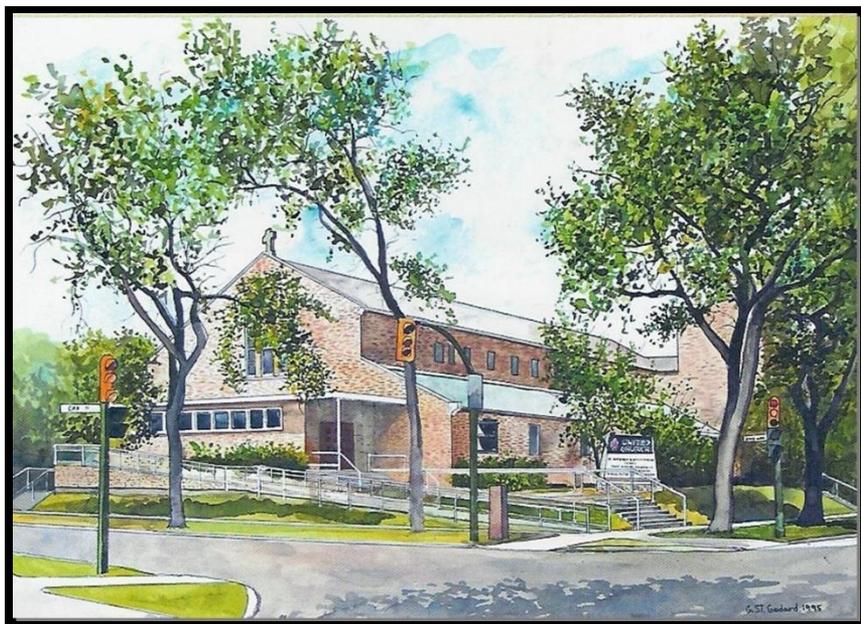
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Trinity Sunday

June 11, 2017



Our Vision

To live as Christ would have us live, in love,
with compassion and seeking justice, by sharing God's grace,
learning from scripture, growing through the Spirit
and being transformed by faith.

ORDER OF SERVICE

*Congregation please stand, as you are able,
and join congregational responses in **bold print**.
(Listening aids and large print bulletins are available in the narthex.)

We Gather Together

GATHERING MUSIC

Trio Sonat no. 1 (first and second movements) *J. S. Bach*

GREETING

In peace and danger. **God is with us.**

In pain and laughter. **God is with us.**

Today and tomorrow. **God is with us.**

God is always with us. **In justice and in love.**

*OPENING HYMN: MV30

It's a Song of Praise to the Maker *Duck/Klusmeier*

LIFE AND WORK OF THE CHURCH (Special presentation)

Josh Ward – Commissioned to Diaconal Ministry,
U.C. of Canada

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

Prelude: Interlude in D flat major *David McIntyre*

We Offer Ourselves to God

CENTERING PRAYER

WORDS OF GRACE

Hear this good news;
God our Maker cares for us.
Jesus our Brother walks with us.
The Holy Spirit Lives in us. **Thanks be to God!**

*HYMN: VU**595**

SERVANT SONG

We Are Pilgrims

We Hear God's Word

SCRIPTURE READING

read by Josh Ward

2 Corinthians 13:11–13 - Agree with one another; live in peace; Trinity.

Matthew 28:16–20 - Go make disciples!

In this is hope for the world. **Thanks be to God.**

DUET: "Love Divine! All Loves Excelling"

John Stainer

(Duet by Sarah Cory and Don Hodgson)

MESSAGE

*HYMN: VU**562**

GALILEE

Jesus Calls Us

We Offer Our Gifts to God

OFFERING

THE OFFERTORY

Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus

Setting by Paul Manz

*DOXOLOGY: VU**540**

Grant Us, God, the Grace

STUTT GART

Grant us, God the grace of giving,
with a spirit large and free,
that ourselves and all our living we may offer faithfully.

We Go Forth in Faith

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*CLOSING HYMN: VU**601**

CHURCH TRIUMPHANT

The Church of Christ in Every Age

*BLESSING

*BENEDICTION: MV**172** (vs 4)

GOD SAYS

God Says

God says, "Reach out!
The world's in need and wants a word, a song, a deed.
I send you forth to speak, to sing,
to act for Christ in everything."

POSTLUDE

Trio Sonata no. 1 (third movement)

J. S. Bach



You are invited to celebrate the recent commissioning of Josh Ward to Diaconal worship in the Auditorium following worship.

Welcome to Worship



We extend a special welcome to all our guests and newcomers. Please sign our guest register and introduce yourself to an usher so that we may help you feel at home. Would you like someone to phone you about St. Andrew's River Heights United Church? Please leave your phone number in the register and a representative of the Fellowship and Pastoral Care Committee will be happy to contact you. You are welcome to take this bulletin home with you. If not, please place your bulletin in the paper-recycling bin.

Coffee after the service June 4 to September 3, 2017: The Fellowship Committee needs your help making coffee on Sunday mornings during the summer! Many people look for a new church family during the summer months and it is important to offer this friendly gesture. If you are available to help out with the summer schedule, there is a sign-up sheet in the narthex. There will be detailed instructions posted in the downstairs kitchen for making coffee and/or juice and information where everything can be found. Thank you!



Loving God and neighbour involves our entire selves: our time, energy and money.



Special thanks this week to go to...

...those who helped to prepare the food and fellowship, in honour of Josh Ward's commissioning to Diaconal worship.

...to John Swan for his expert masonry skills on the South West entrance steps.

...whoever donated the family friendly table and chairs for the gathering space at the front entrance.

Worship in the Coming Weeks:

June 18 – Second after Pentecost – Father's Day

June 25 – Third after Pentecost



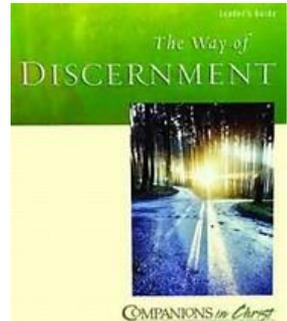
Daily Bible Study: Our regular Friday morning Bible study has come to an end for the summer season. If you would still like to prepare for Sunday worship, please have a look at:

Romans 5:1–8 - Justified by faith.

Matthew 9:35—10:8, (9–23) - Jesus and the disciples preach and heal.

The Way of Discernment has now come to an end after 10 weeks of small group gathering. The group consisted of *Margaret Pratt, Joan Wilton, Jannell Plouffe, Tammy Bleue and Rev. Cathy*. There were several folks who were interested in being a part of this small group, but Wednesday evening was not a fit for them. We hope to offer a more introductory group along these same lines following Thanksgiving. The topic for this small group will be **Embracing the Journey: The Way of Christ**. This group would gather for 6 weeks and look at topics such as:

- ~ The Christian Life as a Journey
- ~ The Nature of Christian Spiritual Life
- ~ The Flow and Means of Grace
- ~ Sharing Journeys of Faith
- ~ Living as a Covenant Community



Please speak to any of the people listed above who were involved in the Way of Discernment for more details. **This is NOT a bible study - it is a spiritual formation group.** We will focus on deep questions – how is God working in my life? How is God working in the world? What is God calling me to in my journey of life and faith? Speak to Rev. Cathy if you have any preference for time or day and we will do our best to accommodate as many as possible.

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*We remember, as we celebrate God's presence in Worship
that St. Andrew's River Heights United Church gathers
in Treaty 1 land, the traditional territory of the Anishinaabe, Cree,
Oji-Cree, and Dakota peoples and in the heart of the Metis Nation.
As Treaty people, we seek to live with respect on this land,
and live in peace and friendship with all our relations.*