



Sunday, July 10, 2022



Summer is a time to be! A time to relax. A time to rest! A time to be with family and friends.

Summer is a time to celebrate! Weddings, friends, family and yes, even Church.

We are glad you chose to be here today or join us online. If you are from Westworth United Church we are glad to be partnering with you again this summer. It is good to have services together. Actually, it is great! If you are visiting or new to River Heights feel free to come anytime! Come relaxed in shorts and a T-shirt. Be comfortable! Let's all connect! Let's all be together and just be!

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.

WASHROOMS: Wheelchair accessible and gender neutral bathrooms are located outside the lower auditorium. They can be accessed by the stairs in the Narthex or the elevator outside the church office.

FIND YOUR PLACE

Update on COVID Protocols at St. Andrew's

Council has decided to further relax COVID restrictions here at St. Andrew's in recognition of changing circumstances. High rates of vaccination have greatly reduced the frequency and severity of COVID infections. Manitoba Health has now transitioned their focus on mask use recommendations as opposed to mask use mandates and the federal government and the City of Winnipeg have largely removed their mask mandates. It is becoming more common for masks not being worn in public settings, including settings like memorial services at funeral homes. Our partner church, Westworth United, has just removed their mask mandate.

Effective immediately, the wearing of face masks when in the building is no longer a requirement. However, we would support those who feel more comfortable wearing masks to continue to do so. We ask that social distancing seating practices in the sanctuary continue to be observed.

We see this change as an important step to start the process to transition to a more normal church environment. And to do that safely.

Your Church Council—June 21, 2022

Remember in prayer

Margaret Follett has recently moved into Tuxedo Villa

Ed Lozowy, Carolyn & Joe Graham, and Lu Rutledge are also in Tuxedo Villa.



OUR LAND - 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.

Order of Service

GATHERING: *The king of love my shepherd is* (St. Columba) arr. Robin Milford

CENTERING WORDS

INVITATION TO WORSHIP: *The Worship annual 2022*

Love the Lord your God with all your heart,
with all your soul, with all your strength, and with
all your mind.

We will worship God, the one we love.

Love your neighbour as yourself.

We will open our hearts to all people.

HYMN: **VU266** *Amazing Grace* vs.1, 2 & 4

♪ **Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
that saved a wretch like me!**

**I once was lost, but now am found,
was blind, but now I see.**

**'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
and grace my fears relieved;
how precious did that grace appear
the hour I first believed.**

**The Lord has promised good to me,
this word my hope secures;
God will my shield and portion be
as long as life endures. ♪**

WORDS OF WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CANDLE LIGHTING: *Gathering Resource*, written
by: Beth w Johnston, Bridging Waters P.C.,
Nipawin, Sask.

In a time of change and confusion,
we need a source of unwavering light.

In a time of transition and change,
we need a light to show us the way.

May the light of Christ
be this light for everyone one of us.

May it shine in our hearts all our days.

GREETING/ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF LAND:

Welcome in the name of Christ.

**Welcome to this place of worship, situated on
the Traditional lands of the
Anishinaabe, Cree, Oji-Cree and Dakota Na-
tions and homeland of the Métis Nation.**

Welcome to this place of retreat and refuge, wor-
ship and wonder.

It is good to be here. It is good to be together.

It is good to be together here in this place and it is
good to connect online.

Let us continue to worship our God.

OPENING PRAYER

CHILDREN'S TIME

VU271 *There's a Wideness in God's Mercy* vs.1, 2
& 5 Tune: **VU444**

♪ **There's a wideness in God's mercy like
the wideness of the sea;
there's a kindness in God's justice
which is more than liberty.**

**There is no place where earth's sorrows are
more felt than up in heaven;
there is no place where earth's failings
have such gracious judgement given.**

**For the love of God is broader than
the measures of the mind,
and the heart of the Eternal
is most wonderfully kind. ♪**

SCRIPTURE READING: Read by Shirley Watts

Response Psalm: **VU799** Psalm 82

Gospel Reading: Luke 10:25-37

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to
God.**

SOLO: Paul Forget - *Let Us Cheer the Weary
Traveler*

(African-American Spiritual, arranged by Harry T.
Burleigh)

Let us cheer the weary traveler,
Cheer the weary traveler:
Let us cheer the weary traveler,
Along the heavenly way.

I'll take my gospel trumpet
And I'll begin to blow,
And if my Saviour helps me,
I'll blow wherever I go.

And if you meet with crosses,
And trials on the way,
Just keep your trust in Jesus,
And don't forget to pray.

SERMON

HYMN: **VU593** *Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your love*
♪ (refrain) **Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love,
show us how to serve
the neighbours we have from you.**

**Kneels at the feet of his friends,
silently washes their feet,
master who acts as a slave to them. R**

**Neighbours are rich and poor,
varied in colour and race,
neighbours are near and far away. R**

**These are the ones we should serve,
these are the ones we should love,
all are neighbours to us and you. R**

**Kneel at the feet of our friends,
silently washing their feet,
this is the way we should live with you. J**

MINUTE FOR MISSION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

Help me O God, to be a good neighbour.

Sung response: **VU204** *Come, Holy Spirit*

**Come, Holy Spirit,
gracious heavenly dove;
Come, fire of love.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER: **VU916** A Translation

OFFERING/OFFERTORY: **VU537** *Your Work, O God* vs.1

**Your work, O God, needs many hands
to help you everywhere,
And some there are who cannot serve
unless our gifts we share**

BLESSING

BENEDICTION: **VU964** *Go Now in Peace*

Go now in peace, go now in peace.

**May the love of God surround you
everywhere, everywhere
you may go.**

POSTLUDE: *Voluntary in D major* William Boyce

Announcements

Welcome, Westworth to worship this month. It is always great to have you worship with us.

Westworth Offering: If any envelopes come in marked Westworth, we will take them over to Westworth in August.

ST. ANDREW'S CONTACT LIST

Our heartfelt thanks go out to everyone who helped with today's service—we couldn't have pulled it off without you!

A thank you to our soloist, Paul Forget and our to scripture reader, Shirley Watts, today.

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Coming Up...

SUNDAY, JULY 10

Worship @ 10:30am

MONDAY, JULY 11

Rental—AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

SUNDAY, JULY 17

Worship @ 10:30am

MONDAY, JULY 18

Rental—Ledlow Summer Camp
(auditorium)

Rental—AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

TUESDAY, JULY 19

Rental—Ledlow Summer Camp
(auditorium)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 20

Rental—Ledlow Summer Camp
(auditorium)

THURSDAY, JULY 21

Rental—Ledlow Summer Camp
(auditorium)

FRIDAY, JULY 22

Rental—Ledlow Summer Camp
(auditorium)

SUNDAY, JULY 24

Worship @ 10:30am

MONDAY, JULY 25

Rental—AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27

Judi Broeska Funeral @ 1pm

SUNDAY, JULY 31

Worship @ 10:30am

MONDAY, AUGUST 1

Rental—AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2

Rental—Charmanine Bacon

(sanctuary) @ 6pm

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6

Rental—Menolly Webster (auditorium)
@ 2pm

Rental—Kyle Du Val (sanctuary) @
10am

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7

Rental—Manitoba Underground
Opera (lounge) @ 1pm

MONDAY, AUGUST 8

Rental—Manitoba Underground
Opera (lounge) @ 10am

Rental—AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9

Rental—Manitoba Underground
Opera (lounge) @ 1pm

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11

Rental—Manitoba Underground
Opera (lounge) @ 1pm

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12

Rental—Manitoba Underground
Opera (lounge) @ 1pm

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13

Rental—Manitoba Underground
Opera (lounge) @ 10am

Remember in Prayer:

Coralie Standing who is in Con-
cordia Hospital

Sue Bolton as she awaits surgery.

During the month of July there is
no nursery care or Sunday
School. Activity packages are
available at the back of the church
for any children.

YOUR GIFTS MATTER.

Get the benefits of a Tax Receipt for
your Donation! Let us know who you
are and sign up for PAR. Pre-
authorized remittances throughout the
year make it easy to donate to the
United Church.

Donations are always accepted either
through your weekly giving envelopes,
the weekly worship offering, through E
-transfer by contacting Bill Craddock
our Treasurer at 204-488-1130 just
leave a message on the phone and
Bill will return it, or can be dropped off
at any time through the church office.

Check out our website for more infor-
mation and forms. The church is very
grateful for any and all donations.
Thank you so much.



In a generous act of hospitali-
ty, God invites us into ministry.
How shall we then respond?

Coffee time at St. Andrew's re- turns.

If you are comfortable, join
us for coffee or juice after the ser-
vices beginning in July.

Please sign up if you are able to
help out one week in July. We will
be careful using tongs or pre-
packaged snacks and social dis-
tancing. The sign-up sheet is at
the back of the church. You can
also contact the church office.

Got any loose change?

The Coin
Canister is at the back of the
church. Drop-in spare coins for
Oak Table-1JustCity for their
needs for food for their new break-
fast program.

Scripture Readings for next week:

Amos 8:1–12
Psalm 52 (VU777)
Colossians 1:15–28
*Luke 10:38–42



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