

The church office will be closed on Monday, September 2. The church office hours are 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, beginning September 3.

The Knitters for Neechewagon will meet on Wednesday, September 4 at 2:00 p.m. in the Kirk Session Room.

The Worship and Music Committee will meet on Thursday, September 5 at 5:15 p.m. in the Kirk Session Room.

The Reverend Ian Fraser will be on vacation beginning August 16 until and including September 3.

Plum Puddings - Fall Fair November 2, 2019



Sugar 'n Spice and everything nice.... PLUS 48 pounds of raisins, 24 pounds of mixed peel, 48 cups of brown sugar, 12 pounds of walnuts, 18 cups of molasses, 144 eggs, and, let's not forget 12 pints of BEER!! This will all be transformed into 300 pounds of delicious plum puddings!

We need to enlist the services of the ladies (and gentlemen are most welcome) of the congregation to join us in the fun and fellowship experienced during the chopping, measuring, stirring, steaming and finally the wrapping of the plum puddings. This fun event will take place the week of **October 15, 2019** from Tuesday to Friday. Please join us in this most traditional and beloved Christmas event. We have been preparing our Plum Puddings for decades, using the same time-honoured recipe.

If you are on the mailing list, you will receive an order form by email or by post. If not, order forms will also be available in the Narthex or by contacting Betty-Jo Christiani at bj_christiani@hotmail.com or 450-465-1054 or the church office. Final deadline for pre-orders is **October 1, 2019**.

P.S. The pots of hard sauce will be produced by the gentlemen of the congregation and anyone else who would care to help! Please let Betty-Jo know if you can lend a hand.

*The Rev. Dr. Glenn Chestnutt.....Minister
The Rev. Ian Fraser.....Interim Associate Minister
Dr. Jonathan Oldengarm.....Director of Music
Dr. Jean-Sébastien Vallée.....Conductor
Sharon Dworzak.....Director of Church School,
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The Church
of St Andrew
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The Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul was built in 1931-32. Two congregations, St. Andrew's founded in 1803, and St. Paul's founded in 1832, joined together in 1919. This is the Regimental Church of The Black Watch (Royal Highland Regiment) of Canada, whose colours hang in the sanctuary. The church organ is a four-manual 1932 Casavant (completely rebuilt in 2000) with 112 ranks and 7000 pipes spread over eight divisions, located in the chancel and the gallery.



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A Congregation of The Presbyterian Church in Canada

NOW THEREFORE YE ARE
NO MORE STRANGERS
AND FOREIGNERS BUT
FELLOW CITIZENS WITH
THE SAINTS AND OF THE
HOUSEHOLD OF GOD.

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WELCOME - BIENVENUE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST September 1, 2019, 11:00 a.m.

*The congregation is asked to please remain
silent during the prelude as a time of
prayer and meditation.*

PRELUDE.....Couperin
Excerpts from *Mass for the Parishes*

ENTRY OF THE BIBLE

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN: 385
.....WARRINGTON
"Jesus shall reign"

*The congregation will rise on the last line
of the organ introduction to the hymn.*

*CALL TO WORSHIP

PRAYERS OF ADORATION,
CONFESSION, SUPPLICATION and
THE LORD'S PRAYER

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

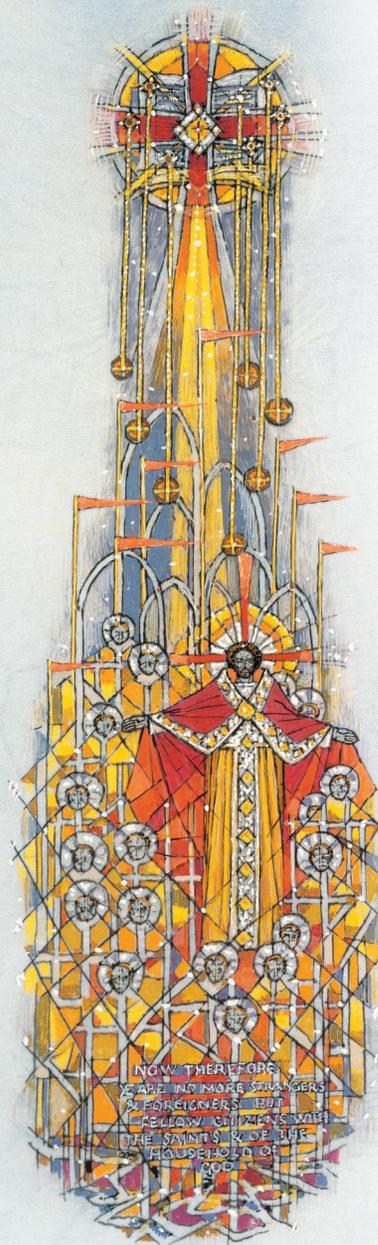
INTROIT:.....Batten
O sing joyfully

FIRST LESSON: Hebrews 13: 1-8, 15-16

*METRICAL PSALM: 47.....KINGSFOLD
"O praise the Lord, for He is good"

SECOND LESSON: Luke 14: 1, 7-14

*The lessons this morning are read by
Mrs. Margaret Wallace.*



OFFERTORY ANTHEM..... Howells
O pray for the peace of Jerusalem

*PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING, INTERCESSION
AND COMMEMORATION..... Choral "Amen"

*HYMN: 101.....DUNFERMLINE
"God moves in a mysterious way"

SERMON.....The Rev. Dr. Glenn Chestnutt
"Being Stood Up!"

PRAYER OF QUIET REFLECTION

*RECESSIONAL HYMN: 306THORNBURY
"Thy hand, O God, has guided"

BENEDICTION.....Choral "Amen"

SILENT PRAYER

*REMOVAL OF THE BIBLE

POSTLUDE:.....Couperin
Offertoire, from *Mass for the Parishes*

*Indicates Congregation standing if able.

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*The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are
in loving memory of Gloria Ann Lewis.*

Join us in worship at 11:00 a.m.
September 8, 2019

Sermon by The Rev. Ian Fraser
"Read the Small Print Last"
Luke 14: 25-33, Jeremiah 18: 1-11

For more information on our services and programs,
please visit our website: www.standrewstpaul.com.

Copies of today's scripture readings and large print bulletins are available on the Narthex tables.

ELDER-ON-DUTY: Mr. Michael Neil
USHERS: Mrs. Diane Aikens, Mrs. Margarita Medina-Ibanez,
Mr. Robert Koffend, Mr. Michel Poitras, Mr. Keith Randall,
Ms. Barbara Whiston

WELCOME to the Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul. If you are a first-time worshipper with us, please sign our Welcome Book in the Narthex and make yourself known to us. Those who wish to know more about our church and its activities can make use of the pew envelopes to request information.

Coffee and Fellowship will be hosted this week by Mr. Thomas Chen and Mrs. Siska Chen in the Quiet garden, weather permitting.

Our Church School - Our Church School does continue throughout the summer-months offering an open class every Sunday during the Service for children ages 5-10. Our Crèche and Nursery are open to parents who would like to remain with their little ones and would like to view the Service on the closed-circuit television. There are no church school classes this morning, however, those attending with younger children are most welcome to watch the service on the closed circuit television in our Creche while your children enjoy playing together. Please have one of the elders direct you to the Creche if you are not familiar with the location of our classrooms.

Reunion Sunday-Welcome Back! September 15, 2019: Do you know someone who has lost their connection with A&P-a lost sheep longing for our Shepherd's presence in their lives? Perhaps you know someone who senses that the Church is still calling faintly but for some reason they are unable to respond. If you do, please invite them to attend our **Reunion Sunday, September 15**, where we can welcome them back with open arms.

On that special Sunday, we will also be welcoming new members to our congregation - another reason to celebrate!

Please join us for food and fellowship at the Welcome Back Reception in Kildonan Hall after the service. See you there!

Watch us on YouTube! Are you a visitor here at The Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul? Did you know that we livestream our worship services and choral events? Why not subscribe to our YouTube channel so that you can join us all year long from where ever you are? We also keep a full archive of recordings that you can enjoy at any time. Just go to [YouTube.com/standrewstpaul](https://www.youtube.com/standrewstpaul) and click on Subscribe. For more info, please contact communications@standrewstpaul.com.

Music in Worship: Sunday, September 1, 2019

During the summer months, our choir takes on a more intimate character. We thank our regular-season choristers who dedicate so much time and energy to the church's worship from September through May, and are especially grateful to those who sing during the summer as well.

This morning's choir is led by Adam Wills Begley, Assistant Conductor.

Introit: O sing joyfully
Adrian Batten (1591-1637)

O sing joyfully unto God our strength; make a cheerful noise unto the God of Jacob. Take the song, bring hither the tabret, the merry harp with the lute. Blow up the trumpet in the new moon, even in the time appointed, and upon our solemn feast-day. For this was made a statute for Israel, and a law of the God of Jacob.

—*Psalm 81:1-4*

Anthem: O pray for the peace of Jerusalem
Herbert Howells (1892-1983)

O pray for the peace of Jerusalem: they shall prosper that love thee. Peace be within thy walls: and plenteousness within thy palaces.

—*Psalm 122, vv. 6-7*

Music notes will return next Sunday.

Next in Music at St. Andrew and St. Paul...

We congratulate all of the performers who made the 2019 Organ Intermezzo series such a success, and warmly thank the members of the congregation and community who attended and supported this great community outreach so generously. Until next July!

This week in history....

“1,400 Passengers in Athenia reported safe as German sub sinks Montreal-bound liner”--thus the Montreal Gazette's headline on September 4, 1939, the day after war was declared against Germany. The first passenger listed in the Gazette's coverage that fateful day was one “F[rederick] H. Blair of 542 Pine Avenue West, Organist and Choirmaster of the Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul.” Despite the positive early report, Blair did not survive the attack but drowned at sea, bringing to a tragic end his 39-year tenure at the Church.

Frederick H. Blair was born in Chatham, N.B. in 1874. In 1897, he pursued advanced studies in London with Sir Walter Parratt, one of the greatest organists of the day. He moved to Montreal in 1900, assuming positions at both this church and the McGill Conservatory, where he taught piano, organ, and accompanying. He served as president of the Casavant Society, which promoted high-profile recitals across the city from 1936-39. The inaugural artist was Marcel Dupré; among others, André Marchal, Joseph Bonnet, Ernest MacMillan, Carl Weinrich and Fernando Germani were heard at Notre Dame Basilica (1936-37 season), and at the brand-new Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul (1937-38).

Blair was also a force in the city's choral scene, conducting the Montreal Oratorio Society for a season, and fielding an impressively large church choir here (see the photographs in the Church House hallway for documentary proof!) Under Blair's leadership the annual tradition of presenting major choral works with organ or orchestra on Good Friday thrived and grew, with soloists brought in from New York, Toronto and Boston. Blair's relationship with Dr. Donald, Minister, was especially close. Both men possessed exceptional energy and work ethics, and a passion for perfection in every detail. Under their combined leadership, the worship life of the congregation prospered. Blair's death in 1939 was a tremendous loss to Dr Donald, who memorialized Blair as follows:

“Aloof, holding strong opinions, deeply religious--- Frederick Blair was able to reach the very heart of a hymn or song and to urge its meaning on those he taught or for whom he conducted...”

-*Jonathan Oldengarm, with credit to The Canadian Encyclopedia, The Montreal Gazette (Sept. 4, 1939 issue), and Saints, Sinners and Scots (Rev. J.S.S. Armour, 2003)*

TRESURES TABLE

Fall Fair, Saturday November 2, 2019

Can you dig up any TREASURES for our upcoming Fall Fair?

The Treasures Table sells china, crystal, art, frames, vintage pieces, antiques, silver, bronze, gold, keepsakes, and any other fine pieces you would like to donate. If you are downsizing, reorganizing, moving or cleaning, please think of the Treasures Table for your items. Remember, the Fall Fair supports the many needs of others.



Your donations may be dropped off at the church office from Monday to Friday, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., and on Sunday mornings.

For further information, please contact the Table Conveners: Thea Calder (514) 935-0638 or thea.calder@sympatico.ca, or Judith Kashul (514) 931-7681 or judith.kashul@sympatico.ca

A photograph of a large, woven basket filled with ripe red apples. The basket is sitting on a grassy area. The text is overlaid on the image in a white, serif font.

JOIN US FOR
"A DAY AT THE FARM!"
HOSTED BY
THE CHURCH SCHOOL
"RAIN OR SHINE"

When: Sunday, September 22, 2019
Time: Bus departs from the Church
after the Service - Maps will be available for drivers
Where: The Quinn Farm
2495 Boul. Perrot, Notre-Dame-de-Ile Perrot, QC, H7V 8P4

The entrance fee, which includes a wagon ride, access to the animal barn
and play yard, and a snack of homemade muffin and apple juice,
is happily covered by the Church School!

Apple Prices: \$10 - 8lb. Bag
\$20 - 20lb. Bag

PLEASE PACK A PICNIC LUNCH

Check out their website: www.quinnfarm.qc.ca

Please RSVP: Sharon 450-689-4379
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COME AND JOIN THE FAMILY FUN!