

**Sunday, 7 July, 2024**



**Christ Rejected.** *Benjamin West. 1814*

## **St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church**

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Gathering to serve God & neighbour  
in this community since 1817  
We acknowledge that we meet on the traditional lands  
of the Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee peoples.



# ORDER OF SERVICE

**Preludes** Trumpet Voluntary John Bennet  
Pastorale Charles Wesley

## Entry of the Bible

## Welcome and Announcements

## Call to Worship

Great is the Lord.

**and greatly to be praised.**

Praise God in cities and towns,

**praise God in the quiet places.**

Praise God on mountains and hilltops;

**praise God in every valley, on every plain and in the deeps.**

Let us raise our praise with all God's creation;

**We will praise God's holy name, here and everywhere, now and always.**

**Hymn** Morning has broken 814

## Prayer of Adoration and Confession

## Words of Assurance

## Gospel Box

## Lord's Prayer

**Scripture Lessons** Psalm 123 Bailey  
Mark 6:1-13

**Hymn** Great is Thy faithfulness 324

**Message** Not So Home Sweet Home

**Solo** All Things Bright and Beautiful John Rutter  
*Marianne Emig Carr*

## Invitation to the Offering

**Doxology** Praise God from whom all blessings flow 830

## Dedication of Offering

## Prayers of the People

**Hymn** God of grace (*omit verse 3*) 490

## Benediction and Choral Amen

**Postlude** Short Prelude and Fugue #1 Bach

## The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come,

Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts,

as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

## SCRIPTURE LESSONS

### Responsive Psalm 123

To you I lift up my eyes,

**to you enthroned in the heavens.**

As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their masters,

**and the eyes of a maid to the hand of her mistress,**

so our eyes look to you, O Lord our God,

until you show us your mercy.

**Have mercy upon us, O Lord, have mercy,**

**for we have had more than enough of contempt,**

too much of the scorn of the indolent rich,

and of the derision of the proud.

### Mark 6:1-13

He left that place and came to his home town, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, 'Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joseph and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?' And they took offence at him. Then Jesus said to them, 'Prophets are not without honour, except in their home town, and among their own kin, and in their own

house.’ And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, ‘Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them.’ So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

For the word of God in Scripture

For the word of God within us

For the word of God around us

**Thanks be to God.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Welcome**

We extend a warm welcome to all who are worshipping with us this week, in person and online. We are happy that you’re here, and hope you find the service meaningful and satisfying. An especially warm welcome (back) to Marianne Emig Carr, who is singing the solo this morning. Marianne was, for a time, Interim Moderator of our church during our season of transition. She also happens to be Barry’s wife. 😊

### **Photo Directory**

The photography studio will remain open for one more week to gather photos for our new directory. Please note that this directory will only be available to congregants and will not be published online. It will also not include your contact information. It is only meant to help us “put names and faces together”.

## **Building Security**

A general reminder from the Property and Maintenance Committee to all people and groups using the church: please double check that the lights are off and all doors are locked and actually fully closed when you leave. Thank you!

### ***Solo – All Things Bright and Beautiful***

All things bright and beautiful,  
All creatures great and small,  
All things wise and wonderful,  
The Lord God made them all.

Each little flower that opens,  
Each little bird that sings,  
He made their glowing colours,  
He made their tiny wings.

The purple-headed mountain,  
The river running by,  
The sunset and the morning,  
That brightens up the sky;

The cold wind in the winter,  
The pleasant summer sun,  
The ripe fruits in the garden,  
He made them every one;

He gave us eyes to see them,  
And lips that we might tell  
How great is God Almighty,  
Who has made all things well

*Words: Cecil Frances Alexander (1818-1895)*

*Music: English folk melody*

*Arrangement: John Rutter*

<b>Financial Review to 30 June, 2024</b>	<b>Budgeted</b>	<b>Received</b>
General Offerings	\$85,687	\$82,289
Missions (May 31)	\$8,125	\$7,835

### **SERVING THIS MORNING**

- Beadle:** Larry
- Livestreaming:** Christopher
- Flowers:** Decorating Committee
- Ushers today:** Nancy, Lori-Kim
- Ushers 14 July:** Philippe, Andy

### **Prayer of St. Patrick** *(as adapted by Emma, Joseph and Stuart Townend 2018)*

Christ be with me, Christ within me,  
 Christ behind me and before me.  
 Christ beside me, Christ to win me,  
 Christ to comfort and restore.  
 Christ beneath me, Christ above me,  
 Christ in hearts of all who know me.  
 Christ in mouth of friend and stranger,  
 Christ in quiet and in roar.  
 Love, blessed Trinity of three,  
 Bound in unity  
 Who guides my journey.  
 I will arise with strength of heaven  
 Trusting in Your light  
 To guide my journey  
 Shine before me  
 Lead me home.  
 Power to guide me, might to hold me,  
 Wisdom teach me, watching o'er me.  
 Ear to hear me, hand to guard me,  
 Love to conquer every fear.

## Mission Moment – Food Aid in Yemen



In Yemen, the ongoing war, collapsed economy, and disrupted public services have led to one of the worst humanitarian situations in the world. This includes severe malnutrition, hunger, displacement and poverty. PWS&D, through Canadian Foodgrains Bank has supported the distribution of essential food baskets to severely food-insecure households. Musa, a displaced man from Al-Hodeida, lives in cramped conditions and struggles to make ends meet by selling water bottles. His wife requires surgery, adding to their financial strain. With the assistance received, Musa’s family improved their food security by purchasing fruits and veggies. With essential food needs addressed, Musa can now redirect the money he earns to improving sanitation facilities for their home.

In 2024, through offerings designated “Mission”, members of St. Andrew’s Kingston have committed to a goal of contributing \$3,500 towards the work of the church in the world through PWS&D.

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