

NEW MARYLAND UNITED CHURCH THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

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October 20th, 2019 11 am

Welcome and thank you for joining in our worship this sacred morning! We hope you feel at home in our midst. Let us pause to remember that in this region we live and work and worship on lands that are, by law, the unceded territories of the Wabanaki peoples—predominantly the lands of the Mi'kmaq, Wolastoqiyik and Passamaquoddy. May we live with respect on this land, and live in peace and friendship with its people. Grace and peace to you all!

Thought for Meditation

*For whatever we lose (like a you, or a me), it's always our self we
find in the sea.* e.e.cummings

T H E G A T H E R I N G

*Please rise in body or in spirit for sections marked with an asterisk.

*WELCOME & LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

*Introit: Come In, Come In And Sit Down, #395 VU (ch./v.1, ch.)

Come in, come in and sit down, you are a part of the family.
We are lost, and we are found, and we are a part of the family.
You know the reason why you came;
Yet no reason can explain;
So share in the laughter and cry in the pain,
For we are a part of the family.

Come in, come in and sit down, you are a part of the family.
We are lost, and we are found, and we are a part of the family.

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The joy of Christ be with you!

People: And also with you!

Leader: Let us worship together!

*HYMN# 144 MV Like A Healing Stream

OPENING PRAYER:

God of Noah and Miriam, Moses and Mary, God made known to us in Jesus: we gather together, opening ourselves to you, and the wonder of your welcome. Here we are free to rest and remember; question and hope; wrestle with stories and revel in promise. And so we begin, by joining our voices in the way of our Brother Jesus, saying:

**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 trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil,
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory,
For ever and ever. Amen.**

**CHILDREN'S HYMN #30 MV It's a Song of Praise To The Maker v.1
TIME WITH THE CHILDREN**

CHILDREN'S HYMN# 30 MV It's A Song of Praise To The Maker v.2

T H E W O R D O F G O D

THE RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 150, p. 874 VU

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Exodus 2: 1-10; Numbers 26:59

ANTHEM: Crashing Waters At Creation

SERMON: *The Water Woman & Her Brothers*

HYMN #138 MV My Love Colours Outside The Lines

THE RESPONSE

THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING & OFFERTORY: As We Journey Together (Kingsbury/Bowman
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As we journey together on the path of faith,
May our hearts be attentive to Christ's plan,
And may we be responsive to our broken world,
Off'ring freely the talents that we can.
May all we bring, be blessed and shared
With those who need a helping hand.
May all we bring, be blessed and shared
creating justice through the land.

***HYMN # 575 VU, verses 1,2,3 / #577 VU all verses / #575, verse 4**

***BENEDICTION**

*** CHORAL BLESSING: Go Make A Difference** (#209 MV, ch./v.1/ch.)

Go make a difference. We can make a difference.
Go make a difference in the world.
Go make a difference. We can make a difference.
Go make a difference in the world.

We are the salt of the earth, called to let the people see,
the love of God for you and me.
We are the light of the world, not to be hidden but be seen.
Go make a difference in the world!

Go make a difference. We can make a difference.
Go make a difference in the world.
Go make a difference. We can make a difference.
Go make a difference in the world.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

E-Mail: nmuc@nb.aibn.com

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If you know of someone in hospital please notify the Church. Please forward items of prayer and celebration to the Minister. For emergencies, you may call Rev. Dr. Kelly Burke at 470-9634.

Trustees On Duty (Oct): David Ward and Jim Merrill

Tellers On Duty: Loraine and David Ward

Sunday School Teachers: Sheila and Brooke-Lyn Power

LOOKING AHEAD:

Mon., Oct. 21st - 8:00 am - NMUC Outreach goes to Christ Church

Thur., Oct. 24th – 10:30 am - Worship Committee Meeting

SALMON SUPPER BBQ is on this afternoon. Tickets are still available at a price of \$18 each. This event is a major undertaking and a key fundraiser for the church. The assistance of the congregation with the supper is essential in making it a success. If you are able to assist at the supper, ie. Serving, dishwashing, cleanup, etc. please see Dave Ward. Also, any financial help would be appreciated with which we can purchase potatoes, carrots, peas and other supplies.

O U T R E A C H

On the **3rd Monday of the month**, volunteers from our church will go to **Christ Church Cathedral** to offer sandwiches and fellowship to assist in their weekly outreach efforts.

On the **4th Saturday of every month**, NMUC sends three people to the **Fredericton Community Kitchen**. From 8:30 am to approx. 1 pm, we prepare and serve lunch for the clients.

The United Church “OBSERVER” is now called **“BROADVIEW”**, and it is time, once again, to renew or cancel subscriptions or to subscribe for the first time. This is a denominational magazine, reporting on national and international issues of faith, justice, ethics, daily living and pop culture. The cost is \$25.00 per year providing our church can maintain at least 5 subscriptions. Otherwise, the cost is \$30.00 per year. Your subscription can be ordered by placing your money in your regular offering envelope and marking it under **Other** as **Broadview** or by contacting Sharon Noel at 459-5976 or at sjnoel@bellaliant.net. Please note that your money must be received by November 17 in order to be submitted in time for 2020. It would also be appreciated if you would contact Sharon should you wish to discontinue your subscription. **Note:** The *November edition* has just arrived and is available to borrow from the library area.

GREENER VILLAGE COMMUNITY FOOD CENTRE

For the month of **October**, we will focus on **canned meats** (tuna, ham, chicken). However, as always, everything is deeply appreciated. We are always looking for plastic grocery bags as well as we use them for packing.

COMMUNITY EVENTS:

GIBSON MEMORIAL UNITED CHURCH (183 Gibson St.), will be hosting a **“Turkey Dinner”** on **Oct. 23, 4 – 6 p.m. \$15/person**. Please call 457-1666 to reserve your tickets.

NASHWAAKSIS UNITED CHURCH (46 Main St.) **“Beef Stew Take-Out”** - **Friday, November 1, pick-up between 4-6 pm**. Enjoy delicious beef stew, roll and apple crisp for \$12. Phone Rindy or Tom Austin at 450-7151 to reserve your take-out meals, limited availability at the door.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Harvey, N.B. – “Coffee Party/ Fashion Show” - **Saturday, Nov. 2nd beginning at 10 am**. Fashions by TanJay (Regent Mall). Coffee, muffins, biscuits, etc. Admission is by donation. Fundraiser for a Womens' Retreat **ALL ARE WELCOME.** **5.**