ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

THE MINISTRY OF WORSHIP

Minister: The Rev. Roberto DeSandoli Music Director: Naomi Piggott-Suchan

> Organist: Paul Suchan Hymn Leader: Fran Gordon July 3rd, 2022

4th Sunday after Pentecost

"He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest." – Luke 10: 2

As we gather, we are mindful of the fact that we meet on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territory of the Treaty Six First Nations and the traditional home of the Métis.

We are grateful for the hospitality we have received as settlers in this place and recommit ourselves to the work of reconciliation and building good relations with the First Peoples of this land.

Prelude: Légende, op. 31 no. 13 – Louis Vierne

Preparation for Worship:

As the Christ Candle is lit, we invite you to observe a time of quiet reflection prior to our service.

Welcome and Announcements

-The Rev. Roberto DeSandoli

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

Call to Worship: (Responsive)

Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth;

We will sing to the glory of God with resounding praise.

Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!"

God has turned our mourning into dancing and clothed us with joy.

Let all the earth worship God and sing praises to God's holy name.

O Lord, our God, we will give thanks to you forever.

Come, let us worship God.

Prayer of Adoration

Praise: "Called as partners in Christ's service"

#587

Prayer of Confession: (Unison)

Loving God,

you send us into the world as ambassadors of your love and peace,

yet too often we create discord and division.

We serve our own interests first, ignoring those in need.

We value our understanding of the world you love,

and fail to listen to the stories of others.

Forgive us for such self-centredness.

Help us to be more faithful disciples of Jesus, eager to serve, willing to listen, glad to be of service in his name.

Assurance of Pardon

Children's Time

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, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Praise: "I, the Lord of sea and sky" #592

(Children return to pews)

Prayer for Illumination Scripture Readings:

Isaiah 66: 10-14 -Jan Rodda

Psalm 66: 1-9 Galatians 6: 7-16

Luke 10: 1-11, 16-20 - The Rev. Roberto DeSandoli

The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Sermon: "Rejoice in the Harvest" -The Rev. Roberto DeSandoli

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Invitation to the Offering

Anthem: Largo, from Symphony no. 9 (New World) - Antonin Dvorak

Doxology (#830) and Prayer of Thanksgiving

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.

Offertory Prayer

Prayers of the People

Leader: Lord, in your mercy...

All: Hear our prayer.

WE GO OUT IN GOD'S NAME

Praise: "May the God of hope go with us everyday" #726

Benediction

A-men, a-men, a- - - men

Postlude: Lied, op. 31 no. 17 – Louis Vierne

Greeters & Collectors: Luella Moore, Judy McFadden

Charles & Laura Roy

Lockup: Sheila Coulter

Christian Education Ambassador: Lena Jang



A SPECIAL WELCOME is extended to our visitors this morning. Please sign the guest book in the entranceway, or fill out a visitor's envelope found in the pews. If you are looking for a church home, we hope you will consider St. Andrew's. HEADSETS with earphones and radio receivers (101.1fm) are available to those who require hearing assistance.

CHILDCARE: There is a nursery available in the lower hall.

LARGE PRINT Bibles, bulletins and hymnals are available from the ushers.

<u>PARKING:</u> There is courtesy parking in the Delta's underground parkade on Sunday mornings (for those who have St. Andrew's parking stickers).

<u>CONTACT US:</u> Phone 306-242-0525, Email <u>office@standrews-saskatoon.com</u>, Website: <u>www.standrews-saskatoon.com</u>

NORMAL OFFICE HOURS: Monday thru Thursday, 9:00-2:00 PM

Announcements



We are very happy to be meeting in person again! Face masks are required within the church building. Sanitizer is available at several locations in the church, and social distancing is encouraged. Live streaming is available on the website, www.standrews-saskatoon.com for those who are worshipping from home.

The Rev. Roberto DeSandoli will be leaving on vacation after the service today, and returning for Sunday, July 24th. For any pastoral care emergencies, please contact your Elder.

Respond to the Hunger Crisis – Donations to PWS&D_Matched

In addition to climate change and COVID-19, the ongoing Russian conflict is having an impact on the availability of food. As prices continue to rise, the number of people around the world facing hunger is increasing dramatically. PWS&D is currently responding with Canadian Foodgrains Bank in places like South Sudan, Pakistan, Yemen and Somalia, as even more countries are requiring assistance. Your contributions will help reach more people.

Donations to PWS&D received by July 17 are eligible to be matched through the Humanitarian Coalition <u>Hunger Crisis</u> appeal. Due to the time sensitivity, direct donations to the website are advised: <u>WeRespond.ca</u> or https://presbyterian.ca/pwsd/2022/06/24/hunger-crisis/

From Pastoral Care

Please note that The Canadian Suicide Prevention has changed its name to TalkSuicide. The new website is <u>talksuicide.ca</u> The Talk Suicide initiative is a partnership between the Canadian Mental Health Association (CAMH) and the Centre for Addiction and Mental Health (CAHM). You can increase your understanding of serious mental health illnesses by accessing this new website of easy- to- read and - understand information.

The Saskatoon Branch of the CMHA is located at 1301 Avenue P North (behind the 33rd St. Co-op). Laura Van Loon, Pastoral Care Nurse

SUMMER BEVERAGE HOUR

Now that the summer weather is here, St. Andrew's would like to begin serving hot and cold beverages after our Sunday services, later in the month. These outdoor coffee hours will take place on the 20th Street side of the building and will allow us to be refreshed, visit together, and meet our neighbours. If you are willing to be part of the leaders' rotation, please reach out to Rev. Roberto with your summer availability. (roberto@standrews-saskatoon.com).





WELCOME TO SUMMER FAMILY WORSHIP!

Children of all ages are welcome in the worship service. Midway through the service, the Minister will share Children's Time with them. There is a cart in the entranceway with the current week's children's bulletin and supplies for colouring with a bight coloured clipboard. We ask the clipboard, crayons, pencils etc. be returned at the end of each service to the cart- as our Ghanaian Church meets each Sunday afternoon. If you have questions about any children-related topics,

each Sunday there's a Cristian Education Ambassador to help you - they will be sitting in one of the last rows of the sanctuary.

We do zoom each Sunday @ 10:00 a.m. for those that wish to participate in that way 86741079007 Toddlers & Babies - The Nursery

This room provides a place for the caregivers & child, during worship or church events. Enjoy watching the Livestream, changing your baby or a having moment to feed them in this space. A place for you & your little ones. Ask a Greeter for assistance in finding the room in the lower level by the washrooms. **Christian Education Inquiries-** Martha Fergusson 306.270.2378 text or call



Women's Camp – "For the Love of Creation", September 9-11. **Men's Camp** – "Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Bibles", September 30-October 2.

Join us for <u>Bike Club!</u> Thursdays @ 6:30 p.m. We will meet in the church parking lot and ride until 8:00 p.m. All ages and all skills are welcome. We usually do two levels of rides, depending on the skills of the cyclists. Parents are welcome to go off on their own ride for their own relaxation. Some people have asked about walking and we can also have a group who wishes to walk. Enjoy MOVING together on Thursdays!!



Your leads and supports: Al Ireland, Bike Guru; Alicia Monson; Roberto DeSandoli, and Martha Fergusson...text or call Martha for info 306 270 2378.

AVAILABLE ON THE ENTRANCEWAY TABLE:

- * These Days: Daily Devotions for Living by Faith, Jul/Aug/Sep Suggested donation: \$3.00.
- * Copies of the spring issue of the Presbyterian Connection
- * Contact Information Forms
- * The latest edition of "Saints Alive", the newsletter

Missed out on a worship service?

If you are looking for a service you missed, or want to see information in a previous bulletin, simply follow these steps:

- 1) Visit standrews-saskatoon.com
- 2) Scroll down just below this week's video until you see the date of the service you are looking for and click on it
- 3) You can now click the video box to watch the service and the "(date)_bulletin" to see the bulletin





MISSION MOMENT

Millions of people are in need of humanitarian assistance due to the Russian invasion of Ukraine. Larysa, her husband and her daughter escaped Kharkiv after spending four nights in the basement of their home due to bombings in the city. "Everyone wanted to travel out of Kharkiv. There were many people at the train station," shared Larysa. The family found shelter in a refugee centre supported by the ACT Alliance. "We are happy to have a place to sleep and where it is warm. It is safe here. I am glad our children are alive." Presbyterian World Service & Development is



supporting Hungarian Interchurch Aid with an appeal issued by the ACT Alliance to provide emergency food assistance, essential non-food aid, health and emergency mental health support to refugees and internally displaced people.

DAILY PRAYERS

Friday, July 1 (Canada Day) We pray that Canada will be a just, equitable and welcoming country; and we pray for the politicians and public servants who form and keep our laws.

Saturday, July 2 We give thanks and pray for pastors and congregations of the Reformed Church in Transcarpathia, Ukraine, who are welcoming and showing hospitality to refugees and internally displaced people during the war.

Sunday, July 3 We pray for peace; and we give thanks for the life-saving aid and support Presbyterian World Service & Development partners are providing to families suffering the terrifying consequences of war in Ukraine.

Monday, July 4 Spirit of gentleness and peace, we pray that you rescue us from cynicism and the acceptance of war as normal. May your peace get traction in your world today.

Tuesday, July 5 We pray for the people who gather and serve at Winnipeg Inner City Missions, and we give thanks for their mission and ministry.

Wednesday, July 6 We pray for summer camps and their staff as they work to foster safe environments for gender-diverse children.

Thursday, July 7 We pray for summer ministry students.

Friday, July 8 We pray for the members and work of the Life and Mission Agency Committee.

Saturday, July 9 Show us your ways, Lord, teach us your paths. Guide us in your truth and teach us, for you are God our Saviour, and our hope is in you.