



ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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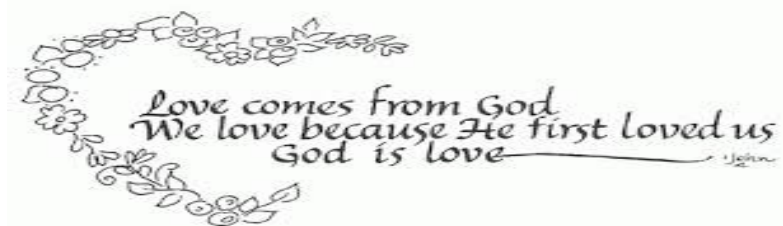
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Community

Compassion Celebration

*All are welcome. May we be comforted in the fellowship,
inspired in the worship, and refreshed to continue our faith journey.*

WORSHIP LEADER: REV. DAVID BERKERS
FEBRUARY 14TH, 2016
1ST SUNDAY OF LENT



* means please stand if you are able

Called to Worship

Pre-service Music

Prelude

Words of Welcome

Musical Introit: "Overwhelmed by Love" Praise Band

***Call to Worship** (see First Sunday in Lent insert)

***Opening Hymn: "O Lord that wilt not let me go" #209**

Opening Prayer and Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance

The Lord's Prayer (*using Debt and Debtors*)

Musical Anthem: "O, heaven is in my heart" Praise Band

Celebration Bank / Children's Time

***Hymn: "Jesus remember me" #206**

Sunday School Exits

God's Word Proclaimed

Responsive Psalm 91 "God Our Protector"

L: Whoever goes to the LORD for safety, whoever remains under the protection of the Almighty, can say to him, "You are my defender and protector.

P: You are my God; in you I trust." You have made the LORD your defender, the Most High your protector, and so no disaster will strike you, no violence will come near your home.

L: God will put his angels in charge of you to protect you wherever you go. They will hold you up with their hands to keep you from hurting your feet on the stones.

P: You will trample down lions and snakes, fierce lions and poisonous snakes. God says, "I will save those who love me and will protect those who acknowledge me as LORD.

L: When they call to me, I will answer them; when they are in trouble, I will be with them. I will rescue them and honor them. I will reward them with long life; I will save them."

L: The word of the Lord

P: Thanks be to God

Scriptures

Old Testament: Deuteronomy 26:1-11 page 218

New Testament: Romans 10:8-13 page 213

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13 page 82

Hymn: "O Love, how deep, how broad, how high"* **#205

Sermon: *"Tempted and Tested "*

Our Response to God's Word

Prayers of the People – And now in silence hear our prayers for situations near and dear to our hearts...

Offering

Response: *"Praise God from whom all Blessings Flow"* **#79**

Prayer of Dedication

Announcements

Closing Hymn: "Glorious things of thee are spoken"* **#483

**The Commissioning and Benediction*

** Amen #780*

Postlude

Celebration Bank: Donations for the months January, February and March are going to the “Almost Home” program in Kingston. Their Mission is to provide a place of comfort and respite for families whose children are receiving medical treatment in Kingston area hospitals. Almost Home, a wheelchair accessible facility, is located in Kingston Ontario within easy walking distance of : Hotel Dieu Hospital and Kingston General Hospital.

Session Highlights:

- Planning has begun for summer VBS/CYOB program and sending 2 children to summer camp.
- Easter letter to be composed and distributed to the congregation.
- 2016 budget approved.

There is a need for us to form a **Christian Education Committee** and we will be looking for people to join this committee. If you are interested, please see Jean or Rev. Dave.

Church Website: Looking for someone to help with the Church Website. If you are computer savvy and have some new ideas for the website and would like to help speak to Alan Rumsey.

Fellowship is asking for the congregation to donate their Canadian Tire Money to help purchase a microwave.

Fellowship Meeting after service Feb. 21st

Mission and Outreach: Feb. 16th, at 2:00 pm we are having our annual Tea at Carveth, to include any Presbyterians living there. You are welcome to join us in the Fireside Room.

St. Andrew's Favourite Italian Dinner Night: Saturday Feb. 27th, 2016

5:00 pm to 6:30 pm. Come enjoy an evening filled with good food, and fellowship. Cost: Adults \$7, Families \$20, Free for kids 5 and under.

Annual Meeting & Luncheon will take place on March 6th. If your last name begins with the letter A-L, please bring a loaf of sandwiches. M-L please bring cheese & cracker, fruit & veggies or sweets.

Heads up! Alpha will be starting again March 16th with the Introduction Night and Dinner @6:00 pm. Come and see what it's all about. Bring a friend. If you are interested please sign-up. There will be a sign-up sheet available on the table at the front of the Church.