

A Warm Welcome to All Who Gather for Worship

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*Diversity is the magic. It is the first manifestation, the first
beginning of the differentiation of a thing and of simple identity. The
greater the diversity, the greater the perfection. ~ Thomas Berry*

June 13, 2010

85th Anniversary of the United Church of Canada

(Congregational responses are in bold type.)

***Please stand as you are able)**

Prelude: *Chaconne* (Pachelbel)

Welcome and Announcements

WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

Lighting the Memorial Candles and the Peace Candle

*Hymn: #222VU *Come, Let Us Sing*

Call to Worship:

From seaport and prairie...

We gather to celebrate!

From city and farm...

We gather to celebrate!

From near and far...

We gather to celebrate!

Let us join in a celebration that all may be one...

Let us praise God for this United Church of ours.



Sunday Night Jammers: *Seek Ye First*

WE REMEMBER OUR STORY

Introduction

*Hymn: #331VU *The Church's One Foundation*

Stories from Our Church: During the story when you hear the phrase "Isn't it amazing, that work that God has done!" please respond with *It is amazing, what God can do!...*

Isn't it amazing, what God continues to do through us?
We will be amazing for God in all we do!

*Hymn: #1MV *Let Us Build a House* (see insert)

WE ARE RENEWED BY THE WORD

Prayer of Illumination

First Gospel Reading: John 17:1, 2, 6, 17-23
(*The high priestly prayer of Jesus.*)

Reading from the Early Church: Acts 11
(*Reports from the churches in Jerusalem and Antioch.*)

Anthem: *Make a Joyful Noise* (Roy Emerson)

Second Gospel Reading: Luke 10:1-12
(*The commissioning of the Seventy.*)

Hymn: #79MV *Spirit, Open My Heart* (see insert)

Message: *Union Night in Canada*

WE REJOICE TOGETHER

Sunday Night Jammers: *Ha! Ha!* (Linnea Good)

Offering Our Gifts to God

Dedication: #538VU *For the Gift of Creation*
For the gift of creation, the gift of your love,
and the gift of the Spirit by which we live,
we thank you and give you the fruit of our hands.
May your grace be proclaimed by the gifts that we give.

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Offertory Prayer:

It is amazing God, what you can do! From the genius of math to the artistry of a flowering crab, from the diversity of this United Church to your presence on this earth in the person of Jesus, your gifts abound. Thank you. Accept these tokens from us, we humbly pray. Amen

Passing the Peace of Christ



Invitation to the Table

Communion Hymn: #467VU *One Bread, One Body*

The Great Thanksgiving:

God be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to God.
Let us give thanks to God Most High.
It is good to give God thanks and praise.

Creative and self-giving God,...
and have their being in God and so we praise you, saying:
Holy, holy, holy God,
Power of life and love!
Heaven and earth are full of your glory!
Hosanna through the ages!
Blest is the One who comes to bring your justice to earth!

And so it is that, as we gather at this table, ...
 And so we remember; and so we believe:
Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

And so we sing of you, God the Spirit, ...
 all glory is yours, God most holy,
 now and forever.

Prayer of Jesus

Distribution of the Elements

Communion Anthem: *In You We Are One* (Jay Althouse)

The Prayer after Communion

**We give thanks, loving God,
 that you have provided for us at your table,
 by your presence in Jesus Christ.
 Strengthen our faith,
 increase our love for one another,
 and send us forth into the world
 united in courage and peace,
 rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit;
 through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.**

WE ARE SENT FORTH

Hymn: #884VU *You Shall Go Out with Joy*

*Commissioning and Benediction

*Choral Benediction: *Spirit Song*

*Oh, let the Son of God enfold you with His Spirit and His love.
 Let Him fill your heart and satisfy your soul.
 Oh, let Him have the things that hold you,
 and His Spirit like a dove
 will descend upon your life and make you whole.
 He'll descend upon your life and make you whole.*

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 Music**

Postlude: *On Nicaea* (Robert Hebble)

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Union Sunday Prayer

God in whom we live and move and have our being:
 From sea to sea to sea we gather in prayer;
 from generation to generation we sing;
 on this anniversary we give thanks
 for your care
 guidance
 and correction.
 In this heritage of trust
 we pray for this United Church
 and for faithful living on this land,
 Our Source of Life, Living Word, and Bonding Love:
 Amen.

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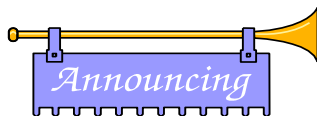
Today's Scriptures: John 17:1, 2, 6, 17-23; Acts 11;
Luke 10:1-12.

Scriptures for June 20: 1 Kings 19:1-4 (5-7), 8-15a;
Psalm 42, 43; Galatians 3:23-29; Luke 8:26-39.

Stewards responsible for checking the church:

this week: June 13 – Bill Whittaker

next week: June 20 – Harry Dunfield



LIFE of the CONGREGATION and the COMMUNITY

THIS WEEK

JUNE 13– JUNE 19, 2010

Today 6:30pm Sunday Night Jammers

Tuesday, June 15 10:30am Study Group

Thursday, June 17 6:00pm Adult Choir Potluck Supper at Ruth
Buckley's

FROM THE STEWARDS

FOR THE PERIOD

May 2010

TOTAL RECEIPTS

**TOTAL
EXPENSES**

surplus/(deficit)

**M&S
givings**

Current Month	Year to-date
\$15,238.80	\$59,351.48
\$11,981.95	\$65,518.77

\$3,256.85	(\$6,167.29)
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\$1,118.00	\$5,279.00
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Copies of the new *Mandate* magazine and *Upper Rooms* for
July/August are available in both entry ways.



The Graduation Recognition Service for 2010 will be
held next Sunday, June 20. If you are a **2010 graduate**
(**high school or post-secondary**), please contact Faye
Sherrard at 849-2462 ASAP. Your input is important!



Also, application forms for the **Al Graham**
Memorial Award are available in the entry ways.
Completed forms should be left with the minister or in the office
today.



Community Chaplaincy needs a couple of people to
volunteer to coordinate the meal for July 13, and
August 10. If you can help out in any way, please
contact Karen Young at 848-1018. You won't have to
do it alone.



LOOKING AHEAD: BEYOND THIS WEEK:

Wednesday, June 23, 7:30pm (Please note change of date)
Stewards meeting.

Monday, June 28, 7:30pm Session meeting.

September 12: Next Coffee House worship.

September 19: Sunday School will start again; opportunity to pre-register September 12.

September 26: Sunday School Picnic.

*** PLEASE CHECK THE BULLETIN BOARDS FOR
DETAILS OF THESE and for OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

***Invitation to Official Announcement** of an affordable housing project in Saint John; Friday, June 25, 10am at the Church of Saint Andrew and Saint David.*

***Play and Praise – a celebration with Linnea Good;** July 6-7 at Tatamagouche Centre.*

***Tatamagouche Centre** – numerous summer and fall programs.*

***Secretary needed for Home Mission Council;** contact Gerry Higgins at 847-2183 or at higginsg@nbnet.nb.ca. *

*53rd annual **Choir School;** July 4-11 and July 8-11 at Rothesay Netherwood School; also, **Festal Evensong Services** Thursday, July 8, 7pm at Trinity Church, Sussex and Sunday, July 11, 3:30pm at Trinity Church, Saint John.*