

Welcome to St. Andrew's

Order of Service: 2nd Sunday after Epiphany

For your convenience, large print bibles and Hymn books are available at each sanctuary entrance.

Prelude "Prelude"
Chorale Prelude on "Light Divine" H. Willan

Introit "O Come ye servants of the Lord" C. Tye

*Call to Worship

***Hymn 179** "Arise, shine out" Vom Himmel Hoch

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Forgiveness

Psalter Psalm 104: 14-18
Scripture John 2: 1-11

One: This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God

***Hymn 176** "Songs of thankfulness and praise" Salzburg
(This hymn will be unannounced)

Message: "Wedding at Cana"

***Hymn 181** "All praise to you, O Lord" St. Ethelwood

Offering

Offertory "Intermezzo" H. Willan

***Doxology** Old 100th

*Offertory Prayer

Anthem "Christ is the world's true light" W.K. Stanton

Opportunities in the Life of St. Andrew's

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (Trespases)

***Hymn 567** "Eternal light, shine in my heart" Hereford

*Benediction

Presentation

After the Benediction today, we will be celebrating Rev. John's 15 years of service to St. Andrew's and the Community. Please stay to be surprised.

A Friendship Luncheon in the church hall will follow. There you will see an archival display of John's time with us as well as pictures of him before we even knew him. There will also be continuous pictures on the wall

The Welcome Committee would appreciate a donation to cover the cost of the luncheon

** if able, please stand*

Helping Today

Coffee Hour- Welcome Committee

Greeters ~John Holman, Anne Holman, Knolly Toolsie, Barbara Harron

Church School~ Laurissa Di Ilio, Penny Devries

Sound System ~ John Kerr

Lock -Up ~ Brian Morrison

This Week @ St Andrew's

Today- *8:50am Bible Study, *10:30am Sunday Worship and Friendship Luncheon

Mon. Jan. 15- 7pm Guelph Scottish Country Dancers

Tues. Jan. 16- 7pm Shout Sister Choir, 7pm Gaelic Conversation, *7pm Session

Wed. Jan.17- *10am Ladies Drop In, 6:30pm Brownies

Thurs. Jan.18- *10am Bible Study, *7pm Choir, 7pm PEO

Fri. Jan. 19- 12:30pm Getting Ahead Group

Sat. Jan 20- 10am Great Big Theatre Company

Sun. Jan.21-*8:50 Bible Study, *10:30am Worship, 6pm Two Rivers Worship

*St. Andrew's related activity

Bible Study- Join us in the Parlour at 10am on Thursdays, or 8:50am on Sunday's before worship all are welcome to join in!
This weeks' Scripture reading: John 2: 13-25

Book Club will take place Friday Jan. 26 at 6:30pm. This month's title is: "Thirteen Reasons Why" by Jay Asher. The sign-up sheet is posted at the Welcome Centre.

We need volunteers! Sign-up sheet for church school and nursery volunteers is up. If you would like to sign up to volunteer on Sunday mornings, Laurissa would be greatly appreciative. The sign-up sheet is at the welcome centre. Dates are from January to March. Thanks!

Reminder! Annual Report- In preparation for the Annual Report, all committee chairs, and anyone else with a report to submit, should ensure that their reports reach the church office (preferably in electronic format), **no later than Sunday January 28, 2018.**

Helping Next Sunday

Just a reminder!

Coffee Hour- Congregational Care

Greeters ~ Pauline Sanderson, Bill Laidlaw, Paul Pennock,
Glenn Stanley,

Church School~ Laurissa Di Ilio

Sound System ~ Logan Borthwick

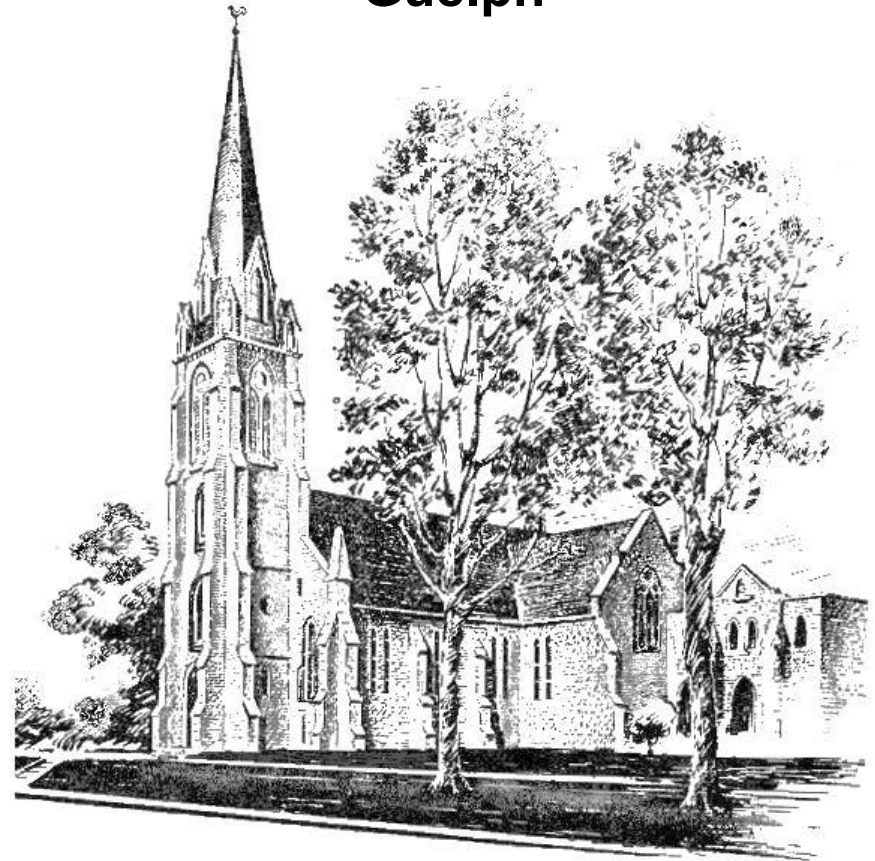
Lock -Up ~

St. Andrew's Territorial Acknowledgement

As we gather, we acknowledge that Indigenous people were here long before us who cared for this land and called it home. This territory has a rich history and was, and is to this day, considered sacred by many First Nations, Metis and Inuit peoples. We have a responsibility to care for this land as their ancestors did and to continue to strengthen our relationships with our Indigenous neighbours.

Sunday January 14, 2018

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Rev. Dr. Robert Spencer, Minister in Association

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Shainna Poulin, Administrative Assistant

WMS- The WMS will **not** be meeting in January. The next WMS meeting will take place February 21. All are invited to attend.

2017 Chalmers Summary: the major focus of St. Andrew's local outreach is support for Chalmers Community Services Centre. Through the MOCC budget we buy diapers under what was our old CORE commitment. After the MOCC diaper budget was spent in 2017, the WMS stepped in with an additional \$300! Our support allowed Chalmers to supply 1,918 packages of diapers to their guests.

Over and above the budget, our Chalmers Challenge goal for 2017 was 2,000 pounds of food. We surpassed that goal by 1,239 pounds!!

St. Andrew's also continued to support the Chalmers Christmas Gift Bag program with 32 bags donated.

In his speech on the day that our rooster was "blessed" in preparation for his return to his perch on the steeple, Mayor Cam Guthrie praised St. Andrew's for its work and witness in this city. Our support for the disadvantaged via Chalmers is certainly a part of what the mayor was citing. Praise God for guiding us in this Ministry.

The Chalmers Community Services Items of the month for January are: canned vegetables, and peanut butter. Donations can be placed in the shopping cart by the Hall. Stay connected and see what's happening in the PCC.

Presbyterian Connection newspapers are available for pick up at the Welcome Centre.