

St. James Presbyterian Church is a Christ-centered community where God is celebrated. We are committed to discerning and answering the Holy Spirit's call.

In response to God's call St. James is and will continue to be a spiritual community that:

Worships joyfully in a manner that is Scriptural, inspirational, educational, active, varied and prayerful.

Welcomes all in an open, inclusive, and caring manner, accepting that all are equal before God.

Honours and takes care of each other as we seek to know God together in the spirit of Christ.

Puts its faith into action visibly and tangibly in the surrounding community, serving through faith, speaking for Christ, and seeking justice.

Remains connected to its heritage of faith, reform, and active witness, and looks forward in faith and confidence to God's presence.

At the Kirk this Week

Today	10:30am	Sunday Service & Children's Worship
	Greeters:	Wayne McMillan & David Ashby
	11:30am – 12:30pm	Lobster Plate Pick-up
	6:30pm	Kirk NERDs Youth Group
Tuesday	7:00pm	Management Committee Meeting
Wednesday	7:15pm	Choir Practice
Thursday	7:00pm	Faith & Film Series
Sunday	10:30am	Sunday Service with Communion, Baptism, & Children's Worship
	Greeters:	David & Paulette Hooley

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Sunday, May 13th, 2018 10:30 am

(* Those who are able are invited to stand. Responsive text is in bold.)

Approach to Worship

Prelude: <i>Trio</i>	G. Merkel
Call to Worship	
*Processional Hymn: <i>For the beauty of the earth</i>	434
Prayer of Adoration	
Welcome and Announcements	
Introit: <i>O sing to the Lord</i>	E. Daley
*Hymn of Praise: <i>Let us talents and tongues employ</i> (V. 1-2)	563
Children's Time	
(The children are to follow the banner to the Children's Worship Service)	
*Hymn of Praise: <i>Let us talents and tongues employ</i> (V. 3)	563
Rite of Reconciliation	
Invitation	
Unison Prayer of Confession:	
We pray to you, O God, for forgiveness.	
In your generosity,	
you offer light to live by	
yet we love the shadows.	
You extend unconditional love,	
but we reject our neighbours.	
You lead us to life,	
but our ways are touched with sin and death.	
Forgive us, and recreate us	
in the image of your loving and beloved son.	
Amen	
Assurance of Pardon	
Sung Response	260
Alleluia, alleluia, give thanks to the risen Lord;	
Alleluia, alleluia, give praise to his name.	

The Word Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination: (Unison)

O God of Resurrection, breathe on us, and fill us with your Holy Spirit, that as your Word is read and preached we might hear, and understand, and believe. Amen.

Old Testament Reading: Ruth 1:1-18 P. 241 OT

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 138 R. 1

New Testament Reading: Mark 14:3-9 P. 51 NT

(L: *The Word of the Lord: All: Thanks be to God.*)

*Hymn: *Oh, for a world where everyone* 730

Sermon: Rev. Amanda Henderson-Bolton

Response and Thanksgiving

Anthem: *O be joyful* E. Daley

Offering announcement

Offertory: *Sandor* arr. A. V. Fish

*Doxology 830

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

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Lord's Prayer (debts and debtors)

Returning to Service

*Recessional Hymn: *Love divine, all loves excelling* 371

*Commission and Benediction

Choral Amen

Postlude: *Fugue* D. Buxtehude

In Worship This Week

Minister: Rev. Amanda Henderson-Bolton

Music Director/Organist: Frances McBurnie

Scripture Reader: David Harrison

Sound System: David Hooley