

Welcome to this service of worship. We begin by acknowledging the traditional territory upon which we gather this morning. For many thousands of years, the Mi'kmaq have sought to walk gently on this land. They offered assistance to the first European travellers to this territory and shared their knowledge for survival in what was at times a harsh climate. We seek a new relationship with the Original Peoples of this land, one based in honour and deep respect.

**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.

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### At the Kirk this Week

Today:	10:30 a.m.	Sunday Service & Children's Worship
Greeters:		David Harrison & Rodney Dekker
Wednesday	7:15 p.m.	Choir Practice
Friday	6:00 p.m.	Set up for Book & Bake Sale
Saturday	9:30 – 1 p.m.	Book & Bake Sale
Sunday:	10:30 a.m.	Sunday Service & Children's Worship
Greeters:		Paulette Hooley & Linda Evans

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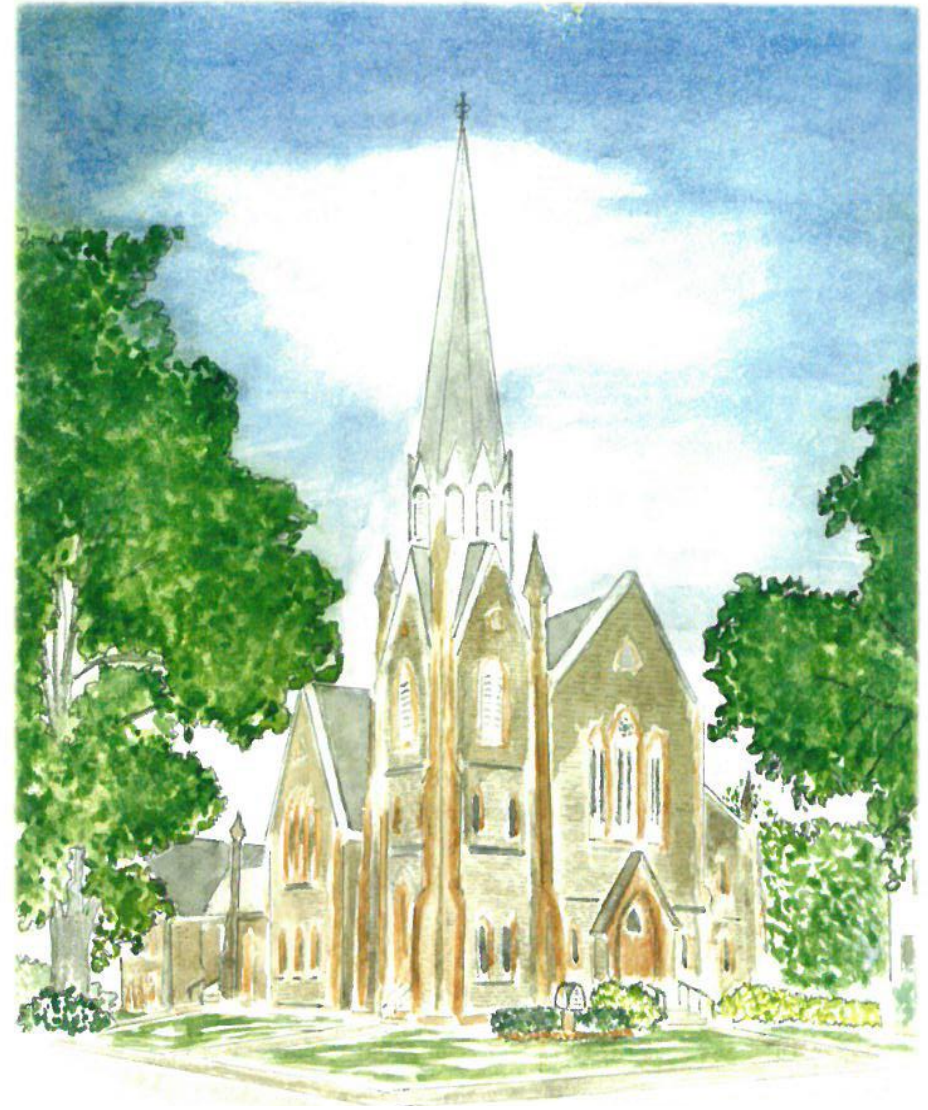
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## Pentecost

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## Order of Service

**Sunday, May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023, 10:30 a.m.**

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

### Approach to Worship

Prelude: *Come, God, Creator, Holy Ghost* J. S. Bach  
Call to Worship  
Welcome and Announcements  
Prayer of Adoration  
\* Hymn: *On this assembled host* 277  
Introit: *God's love has been poured into our hearts* E. Daley  
(The children are to follow the banner to the Children's Worship Service)

### The Word Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination: (Unison)  
**Holy God, open our ears, our minds, and our hearts. Help us to hear your word for us today.**  
Old Testament Reading: Numbers 11:24-30 P. 129 OT  
Responsive Psalm: Psalm 104: 24-35 (Burgundy Book) R. 1  
New Testament Reading: Acts 2:1-21 Pg. 119 NT  
(L: *The Word of the Lord: **All: Thanks be to God.***)  
Sermon: Rev. Amanda Henderson-Bolton

### Response and Thanksgiving

Anthem: *Ev'ry time I feel the Spirit* trad. arr. A. S. Loam  
Offering announcement  
Offertory: *Veni Sancte Spiritus* A. Viner

## Sacrament of Communion

Invitation to the Lord's Table  
The Apostle's Creed (located on the inside back cover of the Book of Praise)  
\* Hymn: *Come down, O love divine* 386  
Prayer of Dedication  
The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving (sung responses) 564  
Lord's Prayer (sung) (debts and debtors) 831  
Words of Institution  
Distribution of Elements (*Grape juice is white, wine is red.*)  
Communion Hymns:  
Bread: *Spirit of the living God* 400  
Wine: *Spirit of the living God* 400  
Prayer after Communion

### Returning To Service

\* Hymn: *Revive your work, O Lord* 284  
\* Commission and Benediction  
Choral Amen  
Postlude: *Fugue in d minor BWV 565* J. S. Bach

### In Worship This Week

Minister: Rev. Amanda Henderson-Bolton  
Music Director/Organist: Frances McBurnie  
Scripture Reader: Jennifer Moss  
Sound System: David Hooley  
Videographer: Simon Lloyd