

Kirk News

Welcome!



We would like to welcome you to our service today. We are happy to have you and we hope that you will find our worship engaging and our community welcoming. We hope to see you again in the coming weeks.

Large Print Bulletins

Large print bulletins are available at the main doors.

Nursery



Nursery is available for children from birth to age four. Please feel free to make use of this area for whatever needs you have and if there is anything you require please ask our nursery attendants who will be happy to help you.

Children's Worship

There is a children's worship class available downstairs for children ages 4 and up.

Receivers and Headphones Available

We have an assisted hearing device installed and receivers and headphones are available for use during the Service. If you would like to use them, please speak to the person at the sound system.

This Week's Music

It is exciting to have the pipes welcome us to this special service; thank you Ryan Simpson. We are also greatly enjoying the Gaelic singing by Patricia Murray! Both choral selections come from the great oratorio Elijah by Felix Mendelsson, 1809 - 1847. It was first performed in 1846. "Lift thine eyes" is based on Psalm 121; "He watching over Israel" is from Psalm 124:4 and Psalm 138:7. These two pieces are numbers 28 and 29 in the oratorio.

Thank you

We would like to say thank you to Rev. Jeffrey Murray for preaching today. He is the Moderator of the 2025 General Assembly and Deputy Clerk, of the General Assembly Office. Jeff has served as moderator for the Presbytery of New Brunswick and the Synod of the Atlantic Provinces, and as clerk for the Synod of the Atlantic Province for six years. He lives in Sackville, N. B. with his four children.

Fellowship Time

Please join us following the morning service for fellowship time in the upper hall with the fellowship committee as our hosts.



Pastoral Care

If any pastoral care concerns arise please call Rev. Amanda Henderson-Bolton at 902-894-5382.

Elder Elections

The Kirk Session consists of twelve elders each of whom serves a six year term. Every two years, the terms of four elders expire and four elders are elected to Session. Session passed a motion calling for the election of four new elders to serve on Session for six year terms beginning in 2026. The election period opened on Sunday, Oct. 12, 2025 with the distribution of voting information and ballots to members and ends on Sunday, Nov. 2, 2025. Ballots can be put into the offering plate, mailed or dropped off at the Church office.

Kirk Ceilidh Fall Fair

The Kirk Ceilidh is on Saturday, October 25th from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. If you have any items to contribute to the tables - Baking, Knitting, Jams and Preserves, Deli, Books, Christmas items or new or gently used items for the Treasure table then it would be greatly appreciated.

Ceilidh Set-up

Kirk Celidh Fall Fair set up will be on Friday, October 24th at 6 p.m. If anyone is able to help bring up tables from downstairs and help with table set up it would be greatly appreciated. Please contact the office at 902-892-2839 or kirkstjames@pei.aibn.com.

Jewelry

Once again it's time to refresh the jewelry table at the Ceilidh Fall Fair. Please take a look through your jewelry stash to see if you have jewelry items to donate. Items can be dropped off in the office or you can contact Shauna Sullivan Curley or Jocelyne Lloyd.

Upper Room Soup Kitchen

We will be preparing and serving a meal for those in need at the Upper Room Soup Kitchen on Saturday, November 1st. We are in need of three volunteers and 12 dozen cookies. If you are able to assist, then please sign the lists at the table at the entrance of the Sanctuary, or contact the office at kirkstjames@pei.aibn.com.

Kirk 200 Heritage Talks

The final two Kirk 200 Heritage Talks are on November 2nd at 7 p.m.: Significant People and Events in Kirk History with Joan MacFarlane and Ian Scott and on November 16th, 7 p.m.: The Kirk Today with Rev. Amanda Henderson-Bolton. All are invited to attend.

WoHeLo/QEH Auxiliary Fall Clothing Sale

The WoHeLo/QEH Auxiliary will host their Fall Clothing Sale, on Thursday, Oct. 23rd, 12 p.m. – 8 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 24th, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.; and Saturday, Oct. 25th, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. at 144 Dorchester Street, Charlottetown. We offer high quality, gently used clothing and accessories for the whole family. All proceeds go to fund equipment for high-risk newborn babies in the province.