



who pointed out this path to us,  
who cleared the path with us.

**With thanksgiving on our tongues,  
let us sing praise for the wisdom of the saints  
who shared their vision of God's ways,  
who lived faithfully by God's ways,  
who loved God all the way.**

With thanksgiving on our tongues,  
let us sing praise for the voices of the saints  
who named God within us,  
who evoked God from us,  
who gave God to us.

**\*Hymn**            O When the Saints Go Marching In

**Oh, when the saints go marching in,  
Oh, when the saints go marching in,  
Oh Lord I want to be in that number  
when the saints go marching in!**

**Oh, when the drums begin to bang,  
Oh, when the drums begin to bang,  
Oh Lord I want to be in that number  
when the saints go marching in!**

**Oh, when the stars fall from the sky,  
Oh, when the stars fall from the sky,  
Oh Lord I want to be in that number  
when the saints go marching in!**

**Oh, when the trumpet sounds its call,  
Oh, when the trumpet sounds its call,  
Oh Lord I want to be in that number  
when the saints go marching in!**

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Oh Lord I want to be in that number  
when the saints go marching in!**

### **Opening Prayer**

In all our weakness and strength,  
with our youth-filled spirits and aging bodies,  
**we are your people, O God.**

Strong in faith and eager with questions,  
singing our praise and whispering our prayers,  
**we are your people, O God.**

Filled with saintly determination  
yet mindful of our human limitations,  
**we are your people, O God.**

Made strong in your endless love for us,  
we know ourselves to be yours and  
**we are your people, O God.**

May we truly become your people today...

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done on earth,  
as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us;  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
the power, and the glory,  
forever and ever.  
Amen.**

**Hymn** I Am Walking a Path of Peace MV #221

### **The Word**

#### **Prayer for Understanding**

**Readings** Deuteronomy 6: 1-9  
Psalm 146 VU, p. 868  
Revelation 14:13

**Anthem** Hiding in Thee Sankey

**Sermon** The Coattails of Blessed Memory

**\*Hymn** Shall We Gather at the River VU #710

### **Response to the Word**

**Minute for Mission** Linda Dunning

#### **Offering Invitation**

**Offertory** Our Father, Thou in Heaven Above Pachelbel

**\*Presentation of Offering** VU #540

**\*Offering Prayer**

**Pastoral Prayer**

### **Sending Forth**

**\*Hymn** For All the Saints VU #705

**\*Commission and Benediction**

## Postlude

O God, Thou Faithful God

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The Call to Worship is adapted from a call to worship written by Rachel Hackenberg, and posted on RevGalBlogPal.

### **Greeters:**

**Head Greeter:** Patsy Mills

**North Side:** Audrey Farquarhson, June & Bill Ives

**South Side:** Bruce Fitchett, Gerry Burgoyne, Patsy Mills

**Balcony:** Linda & Harry Hibbs

**Clergy:** Rev. Cathie Crooks

**Interim Clergy:** Rev. Anne Dalziel Singer & Rev. Melaney Matheson

**Music Director:** Donald Fraser

**Office Administrator:** Ellen Locke Doiron

**Custodians:** Lorraine Worth & Andy Gagnon

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### **Announcements**

**Today's bulletins** are in loving memory of Mr. & Mrs. Edison B. Mutch and Lois Mutch, presented by Austin & Isabel Bowman.

**Sympathies of the congregation** are extended to Berman & Sylvia Johnston on the death of Berman's brother, Stan.

**Happy Birthday** to Don Fraser on Nov. 7, and to David Rogers on Nov. 10.

**Receiving New Members:** As is our custom at Trinity-Clifton, we will receive new members into our congregation on Anniversary Sun., Nov. 18. If you wish to have your church membership transferred from your former congregation to Trinity-Clifton United, please contact Ellen in our office by Nov. 12. We look forward to extending a formal welcome to you.

**Pastoral Visitation:** Rev. Anne visits Trinity-Clifton members who are living in assisted care residences or nursing homes. In addition,

Rev. Cathie makes home visits at times of serious illness, crises, or to support those who are bereaved. You are most welcome to request a visit. Rev. Anne and/or Rev. Cathie visit the Queen Elizabeth Hospital each Thursday or Friday and more frequently upon request.

**The Church Council** recently appointed an Ad Hoc Committee to begin exploring long-term options for Trinity-Clifton. This Committee will begin its work with an exploration of options that might be available for more profitable use of our church property, i.e., rental or sale of the manse, development of the whole property, or a portion of it, etc. If you have ideas you would like to share, please forward them to a member of the committee: Phil Floyd and David White, Co-chairs; Ken MacDonald, Secretary, and Members, Vicki AllenCook, Errol Andrews, Harry Kielly, Graeme Linkletter (Chair of Property Committee), Barbara Prowse (Chair of Council), and Rev. Cathie Crooks (clergy liaison). As the work of the committee progresses, it is anticipated that others will be added to the committee.

**Wonderful Children's Books:** Upstairs in room 17 (CE Centre), Trinity has a wonderful book room for children. We have just added two new books, Worm Loves Worm by J.J. Austrian and Families, Families, Families by Suzanne and Max Lang. Feel free to visit this room to read a book or borrow a favourite to take home for a week.

**United Church Calendars** are now available in our church office for purchase at \$10 each.

**Sunday, Nov 11:** Lectionary Readings – Ruth 3:1-5; 4:13-17, Psalm 127, Hebrews 9:24-28, Mark 12:38-44

**Food Bank:** Please remember to support the food bank with non-perishable food items. You can drop them off any Sunday or during the week at our office. Most needed items are pasta, spaghetti sauce, Sidekicks and flakes of ham, chicken, and turkey and canned tuna.

### **Upcoming Trinity Events**

**UCW Executive** will meet on Mon., Nov. 5, 9:30 am.

**Unit 5 UCW** will meet on Tues., Nov. 6, 1:30 pm.

**Stewardship Committee** will meet on Wed., Nov. 7, 6:30 pm.

**Property Committee** will meet on Wed., Nov. 7, 6:30 pm.

**Unit 2 UCW** will meet on Thurs., Nov. 8, 2 pm.

**Christmas Fair Craft Classes** will take place on Tues., Nov 6, 6:30 - 8:30 pm.

**Guest speaker for next UCW General Meeting (Nov. 5):** Our guest speaker will be Evelyn McQuaid, a member of St. Andrews UCW. She will speak about their project helping girls in developing countries to stay in school by providing kits for the management of their menstrual cycles. For this project St. Andrews UCW is partnered with Mikinduri Children of Hope and Quilting Bee and More and is in conjunction with the "Days for Girls International". Come and hear a very interesting and informative presentation. Meeting starts at 10 am with the Guest Speaker beginning at 11. All are welcome to attend!

**Paul Hutchinson's sermon:** On Sun., Oct. 21, we had the privilege of hosting Paul Hutchinson, a peace activist from Northern Ireland, as our guest preacher. Many were deeply moved by Paul's sermon. On Tues., Nov. 6 at 2 pm, you are invited to join Rev. Cathie for a viewing of the video recording of Paul's sermon, followed by discussion. For those of you who had difficulty hearing Paul's quiet voice, this is an opportunity to try again (with the volume turned up!). For those of you who heard every word Paul spoke and wish to hear him again, this is an opportunity to listen even more deeply the second time 'round'. Please call our Church Office to register your intention to attend. All are welcome!

**Trinity Tuesday Suppers:** There will be a dinner on Tues Nov 6. The speaker will be retired UPEI psychologist and environmentalist, Dr. Don Mazer. He will speak on "The state of water on PEI and its relationship to other environmental issues: Will the Water Act help solve our water problems?" Cost of the meal is \$10. Tickets available after church at the Richmond Street entrance or during the week by contacting the Trinity Office. All are welcome.

### **Other Church and Community Events**

**The PEI Jewish Community** is holding a memorial candlelight vigil in memory of the 11 victims of the Pittsburg terrorist attack today at 3:00 PM in front of Founders Hall (corner Water Street and Prince Street). All are invited to attend and show our support.

**Old-Fashioned Gospel Concert:** Sunday evening, Nov. 4 at 7 pm, Hillcrest United Church (Wood Island Hill, Montague) is presenting an Old-Fashioned Gospel Concert with a variety of performers from eastern PEI. There will be a freewill offering and a lunch to follow. Hope you can join us!

**Organ Recital and Workshop:** The Royal Canadian College of Organists (RCCO) is pleased to present Sarah Svendsen in performance at St. Peter's Cathedral, All Souls' Lane, on Fri., Nov. 16, at 7 pm. Sarah is an accomplished soloist, adjudicator, and music educator presently touring Canada as Travelling Clinician for the RCCO. Her recital on Friday will be followed on Sat., Nov. 17, by a 45 minute children's workshop at Park Royal United Church at 11 am. The workshop will include a mini-recital of 'kid-friendly' music. Free will offering for recital, admission free for workshop. Watch for further details in the Guardian and the Buzz!

**Fundscrip** – November promotion: ESSO 3% (reg 2%), Canadian Tire 5% (reg 4%), Winners 8% (reg 6%), Sobeys 3% (reg 2%), Swiss Chalet 6% (reg 5%)  
Gift cards for gas, groceries, movies, books, clothes and more can be purchased with cash or cheque before and after our service each Sunday or in our church office during the week. Use them yourself or give as gifts – a great way to help our church as we receive a percentage from the sale.

#### **Available Cards:**

**Gas** - all stations **Groceries** - all stores **Office** - Staples  
**Health** - Lawtons, Shoppers **Entertainment** - Indigo, Cineplex  
**Apparel** - Payless Shoes, Claires, Aldo, Marks Work Wearhouse, Old Navy, GAP, Le Chateau **Children** - Toys R Us, Children's Place  
**Department Stores** - Hudson Bay, Winners, Walmart  
**Electronics** - Best Buy, The Source  
**Home and Garden** - Home furniture, Stokes, Home Sense, Home Hardware, Canadian Tire, Home Depot, Kent  
**Restaurants** – Tim Hortons, Pizza Hut, Boston Pizza, Wendys, KFC, Harveys, Starbucks, Swiss Chalet, Subway, Montanas  
**Other** - Pet Smart, SportChek, Running Room, Best Western, Fairmont Hotels, Giant Tiger

## Trinity-Clifton Vision Statement

We, the Trinity-Clifton Christian family, believe that God has blessed us with diversity, including diversity in sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, race, age, ability and faith. We believe that Jesus challenged boundaries by reaching out to all people, welcoming and honouring all in their uniqueness.

We publicly declare our commitment to openness, growth, action, and education, honouring diversity and challenging injustice in solidarity with those who experience discrimination.

We offer our resources and talents with open hands and hearts in love and service to all as we work for reconciliation and justice locally, regionally, and globally.

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As an Affirming Ministry of the United Church of Canada, Trinity-Clifton is committed to broadening social justice concerns within church and society.

The United Church of Canada has stated:

“In order to promote mutual respect, peace, and friendship, the 40th General Council encouraged the recognition of Traditional Territories of First Nations, Metis and Inuit peoples at the gatherings of the Courts and Pastoral Charges of the United Church of Canada. A proposal has been brought to the General Council Executive to encourage Parliament to include a similar acknowledgment in its Opening Address.”

We follow the lead of the United Church of Canada in acknowledging that the land on which we gather is the traditional and unceded territory of the Abegweit Mi'kmaq First Nation.

## **TRINITY-CLIFTON CHRISTMAS FAIR 2018**

Friday, November 16: 10 am to 4 pm

Saturday, November 17: 9:30 am to 2 pm

### **Non-Perishable Items Needed**

These items can be dropped off at the church office anytime between 9 am – 4:30 pm, up to and including Thursday, November 15. The door will be open from 8:30 am – 8 pm on Thursday, November 15.

**Books & Music:** Books, CDs, DVDs, and Children's Books.

**Knitted Goods:** Socks, Mittens, Sweaters, Baby items.

**Treasure Chest:** Antiques, Crystal, Cups & Saucers, China, Figurines, Dishes, Ornaments, and other Special Items.

**Christmas Crafts:** Handmade Crafts and Tree Ornaments.

**Jewellery:** Costume Jewellery, Necklaces, Bracelets, Broaches, and Hat Clips.

**Jams & Preserves:** All types of Jams, Jellies, Pickles, Chow, Chutney, and Marmalades.

**Sewing:** Aprons, Oven Mitts, Table Runners, Pot Holders, Decor Items, etc.

**Silent Auction Table:** Still needs a few items as well as holly.

## **TRINITY-CLIFTON CHRISTMAS FAIR 2018**

Friday, November 16: 10 am to 4 pm

Saturday, November 17: 9:30 am to 2 pm

### **Perishable Items Needed**

These items should be dropped off at our church office on Thursday, November 15 between 10 am and 8 pm.

**Candy:** Fudge, Peanut Brittle, Almond Bark, Chocolates, your specialty.

**Baked Goods:** Cakes, Breads, Rolls, Squares, Biscuits, Muffins, Donuts, Buns and Cinnamon Rolls. Please remember there are requests for gluten free and diabetic baking.

**Cookies:** Chocolate Chip, Oatmeal, Sugar, Date, Rum Balls, Peanut Butter Balls, Fruit Filled, Decorated, Dipped, Sprinkled or Frosted.

**Deli Items:** Small Portion Meals: Chili, Casseroles, Meat Loaf, Lasagna, Pasta & Sauce, Beans and Brown Bread (small loaves), Soups in bottles, Small Fancy Breads, Braided Bread, Red Pepper Jelly, etc.

**Setting up and Taking down: Calling all hands!** We are looking for people who can help with this great adventure by setting up tables and displays, taking down tables, and working at the various tables during the two days of the Fair. Time slots are flexible and can be arranged according to your schedule and ability.

We sincerely invite you to be a part of this big event and encourage you to help out. If you think you can help, please call Linda Dunning at 902-628-1394 or Debbie MacLeod at 902-892-9217.

