

St. Andrew's Mission Statement:

*Embracing and expressing our love for God through
prayer, sacraments, hospitality,
outreach and service to all.*



Sunday December 26th, 2021, 10:30am

The Presbyterian Church in Canada
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Established 1828



THE ORDER OF SERVICE December 26th, 2021 (10:30am)

* Indicates to stand if able

Prelude

Welcome

*Call to Worship: (Based on Psalm 148)

Snow-capped mountains and sandcastles on beaches,

Comets flashing across the night; meteors crashing into moons,

Dolphins playing tag in the ocean and trout resting on river bottoms,

Storks nesting on chimney tops, and doves cooing in the mornings,

Children making angels in the snow, teenagers knotting in hallways,

Grandparents watching favorite movies, nervous singles on a first date,

All creation joins in one song:

Praise the Lord!

*Hymn 141: Good Christians, All Rejoice

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Assurance of Pardon

“...our sins are forgiven.”

People’s Response: “Alleluia! Amen.”

Announcements

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture readings: Ps 148; Col 3:12-17; Luke 2:41-52

Sermon: Featuring the story **“The Secret of the Heart”**
and Meditation by Rev. Olwyn Coughlin

*Hymn 161: What Child is This?

Intercessory Prayer

Let us pray to God, saying:

Leader: Gracious God,

***People:* Bind us together in perfect harmony.**

(Col. 3:14)

...Hear us now, Mighty Counselor, as we pray
the prayer you taught us to pray, saying:

Our Father...

*Hymn 146: Angels from the Realms of Glory (v1,2,4,5)

*Benediction

Postlude

Thank you, Rev. Olwyn Coughlin, for leading us in
worship today!

There is NO Coffee Hour Today!

Thank you for the beautiful poinsettias in the
sanctuary, donated in loving memory of family and
friends.

2022 Envelopes are available for collection at church.

Prayer Chain: Kathleen Knott is stepping down from
this role after doing it for 10 years, with our
gratitude. We seek another volunteer to lead this
ministry. Interested? Please contact Tim.

The Church Office will reopen on January 3rd, 2022.

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