

This Week...

Sunday: 10:30 a.m. ~ Worship Service, Family Ministry
11:30 p.m. ~ Fellowship Time

Tuesday: 10:00 a.m. ~ Prayer Group
06:30 p.m. ~ Bible Study Social
07:00 p.m. ~ Bible Study

Wednesday: 09:30 a.m. ~ Knot All Knitters
06:30 p.m. ~ Legato Choir
07:00 p.m. ~ Sanctuary Choir

Thursday: 09:30 a.m. ~ Bible Study Social
10:00 a.m. ~ Bible Study
06:00 p.m. ~ Youth Group—Belfast

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**Ushers:** Prince Street – Alisha Grafton Street – Charlotte  
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Fellowship Time

Fellowship Time after church is a great chance to get to know your church family. If you would like to help, please indicate the date(s) you are available on the fellowship time sign-up sheet in Matheson Hall

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### **Sunday School**

Today children will be studying lesson #4- Safe in the Ark  
Big Picture Verse- "If you love me, you will obey what I command."  
Scripture Background- Genesis 6:9-9:19  
Noah showed his love for God by obeying Him and building the ark. The animals even obeyed by getting on board!

#### **Follow Along at Home- Discussion Questions:**

1. What are some ways Noah obeyed God? (Built Ark. Took care of animals. Thanked God.)
  2. What did God do to show His promise? (Made a rainbow.)
  3. What are some ways you can show love for God and obey His commands? (Be honest. Care about the needs of others. Be kind.)
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### **Conversations with Jesus**

Have you ever felt awkward talking about your faith to people who don't believe or believe differently than you? You are not alone. But through Jesus' encounters with everyday people, together we can learn how to engage people in faith conversations.

**Conversations with Jesus - Small Groups** Have you ever wanted to have an opportunity to talk more about what we are learning together in worship on Sundays or to discuss together about ways to share our faith effectively with others? Our **Small Group Bible studies meet on Tuesday evenings, 6:30-8:00 pm, and on Thursday mornings, 9:30-11:00 am.**

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Office Hours Mon -Thurs –9:00—3:00 p.m., Friday 9:00—noon p.m.

Parking on Sunday: In addition to street parking you may park in the lots of the Polyclinic – opposite the Prince St. Church entrance (access from Hillsborough street) or in the Fitzroy Parkade (access from Fitzroy Street) on the main floor.

## ***Zion Presbyterian Church***

**October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025—10:30 a.m.**



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| <b>Minister:</b>          | Rev. Kirk MacLeod (revkirk@zionpres.org) 902-330-5633       |
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| <b>Clerks of Session:</b> | Gary MacDougall, Debra Lynn Trainor (zionclerk@outlook.com) |
| <b>Elders Emeritus:</b>   | Dorothy Taylor , Sadie Stewart                              |
| <b>Board of Trustees:</b> | Anne Partridge                                              |

## ***"To Know Christ and to Make Him Known"***

Welcome to Zion Church!  
We are glad that you have come to worship God. Our praise and prayers are the right response to God who has created us in His image. Through faith in Jesus Christ we are redeemed and the Holy Spirit helps us to live pleasingly to Him.  
**Enter with reverence, joy and expectation.**

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Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Introit **"Come Unto Me"** - Shirley and Anders

Call To Worship

Opening Hymn #299 **"Holy, Holy, Holy"**

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Lord's Prayer

Assurance of Pardon

Responsive Reading:

**John 1** (selected verses) - Rob Trainor

Hymn #300 **"Glorify Thy Name"**

Offering

Doxology **"Praise God From Whom"**

Children's Story/ Children's Blessing

Hymn #263 **"They Set Out On Their Homeward Road"**

Scripture Lesson:

**Luke 24:13-35**

Meditation on the Scriptures

Message

**"Are You Listening?"**

Apostle's Creed

**Invitation to the Table**

**Choral Invitation "Come Find Forgiveness and Love"**

**Sanctuary Choir**

**Great Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Hymn #534 **"All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly"**

**The Lord's Supper**

**Prayer after Communion**

Hymn #534 **"All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly"**

Benediction

Postlude

Calvin Presbyterian Church, Mermaid

**Fall Song Fest Service is tonight at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome!**

**Thanksgiving Offering Envelopes**

**"Give generously and do so without a grudging heart; then because of this the Lord your God will bless you in all your work and in everything you put your hand to". Deuteronomy 15:10.**

Throughout the Bible, God explains that our ability to be a blessing and to receive blessing is directly connected to our generosity. We join with the work of God in ministry to one another and to our world, as we respond to God's goodness with open hearts and open hands. These special envelopes provide each of us with an opportunity to give generously, in response to God's many ways of blessing us.

**Together, let's do something wonderful for God!**

**Photo Directory**

**Would you like to book your appointment now for our Photo Directory? Please call the office and book an appointment time!**

**Fall Sale**

We are planning our Fall Sale for Friday, October 31 & Saturday, November 1. Donations of gently used clothing can be left at the church Monday - Thursday 9-3. If you have any questions contact Phyllis MacMillan (902-213-7141) or Roylean Keizer (902-368-2992). There will also be a cafe as well as a book sale (no magazines or text books, **novels only**) and back by popular demand, the bake sale. If you have any questions about the book or bake sale contact Sadie 902-393-1576.

**Auction News**

While bidding won't begin until **November 3<sup>rd</sup>**, the auction site is open now for previewing. Visit: [www.32auctions.com/zion2025](http://www.32auctions.com/zion2025) We encourage you to check it out and register today. You can refer to the handout you received at the door for more details. Please share the auction link with your friends, family and co-workers to help spread the word.

**The annual "Zion Mitten Drive" for 2025**

is now underway. If you love to knit, please join in and help with this project. We need mittens for all sizes particularly adults for men and women. We also welcome scarves and hats. Our goal is to collect 300 pairs of mittens. Your donations may be dropped off in the Mitten Basket in Matheson Hall near the copier machine or drop them off in the Church Office. Your help will warm many hands and hearts and will be greatly appreciated. God Bless, Valerie Shaw

### A Note From The Stewardship Committee

As a follow-up to the February Annual General Meeting, the Stewardship Committee would like to share a brief update on our church's finances. For several years, our expenses have exceeded our regular income, resulting in a growing deficit. We've been managing this by drawing on investment income, but this is not a sustainable long-term solution.

We invite all members of our church family to prayerfully consider increasing their regular offering, if able. Even small, consistent increases can make a meaningful difference.

Should you be interested in our pre-authorized giving program please drop by the Church Office to complete the necessary forms. If you would like to increase your pre-authorized giving amount please call or send Dianne an email.

Thank you for your faithful generosity and continued support.

— *The Stewardship Committee*