This Week...

10:30 a.m. ~ Worship Service, Family Ministry Sunday:

11:30 p.m. ~ Fellowship Time - Elaine, Charlotte & Tracey

07:00 p.m. ~ Advent Service at Mermaid

10:00 a.m. ~ Prayer Group Tuesday:

12:10 p.m.~ Advent Luncheon Service St. Paul's Wednesday:

02:00 p.m.~ Choir Ministry—Andrews of Stratford

06:30 p.m. ~ Legato Choir 07:00 p.m. ~ Sanctuary Choir

Ushers: Prince Street - Ken Grafton Street - Elaine

Sunday School

Week One - Advent — Hope

This week using the Advent Block we will be focusing on the First Sunday of Advent - the Candle of Hope and the Angel in the Nativity Story. Bible verse: 1 John 4:19This is how God showed his love among us: He sent his one and only Son into the world that we might live through him. Main ideas: God loves us and sent his Son Jesus. The Hope candle reminds us that Jesus is the Hope of the world. Advent is a time of waiting: God's people waited a long time for Jesus to be born Angels tell the good news to Mary, Joseph and the shepherds Craft: Begin the Advent wreath: This will continue each week with the addition of another candle. Remember: Jesus is our source of hope! God keeps His promises. Prayer: Dear God: Thank you that you love us. Thank you for keeping your promise and sending your son Jesus. Help us to know and worship you. Amen

Toilet Paper

We are also collecting Toilet Paper for an outreach ministry. Please drop off to the office on Sundays!

Community Announcement: Summerside Presbyterian Church Choir will be presenting Journey to Bethlehem on Sun., Dec. 14 at 7 p.m., under the direction of Ruth Ann Read-Clay. The evening will consist of choral and instrumental music and readings for the Advent/ Christmas season, and will include congregational singing. A freewill offering will be taken for the PEI Concer Centre. All are welcome

If you would like to donate please use the **OR Code.**

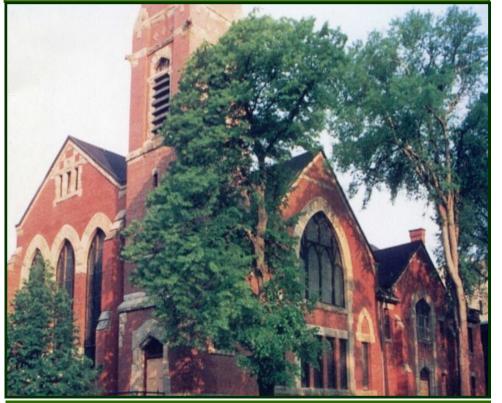


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Parking on Sunday: In addition to street parking you may park in the lots of the Polyclinic – opposite the Prince St. Church entrance (access from Hillsborough St.) or in the Fitzroy Parkade (access from Fitzroy St.) on the main floor. Zion's website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

Zion Presbyterian Church

November 30th, 2025-10:30 a.m.



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"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 "Bring Us Hope" - Sanctuary Choir
Call To Worship
Hymn #119 "Hope Is A Star"
Advent Candle Lighting
Elaine & Malcolm MacKenzie
Choral Prayer "Prepare Him Room"
Prayer of Adoration and Confession
Lord's Prayer
Assurance of Pardon
Hymn "126 "On Jordan's Bank"
Offering

Doxology "Praise God From Whom"
Children's Story and Children's Blessing
Responsive Reading:
Psalm 51:1-13 — Elizabeth Lang
Scripture Lesson:
Genesis 3:8-15
Meditation on the Scriptures
Message
"COMING NEAR AGAIN"

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Apostle's Creed
Invitation to the Table
Choral Invitation "At This Table" Elizabeth F.
Great Prayer of Thanksgiving
Hymn #530" I Come With Joy"
The Lord's Supper
Prayer after Communion
Hymn #530" I Come With Joy"

Benediction

Tonight at 7 p.m.

Service at Calvin Presbyterian Church, Mermaid. A great way to begin the season with Advent Worship. Please join us!

Advent Wednesday Luncheon Gervices—12:10 p.m.

St. Paul's—December 3rd Zion—December 10th Trinity—December 17th

Mark your calendars—December 7th at 7 p.m.

Today is the last day for requests. The annual Memorial Angel Service will be held next Sunday, December 7 at 7 pm. Information/request form is in the bulletin and are available at the rear of the sanctuary.

Monday, December 8 at 7 p.m.

Come and hear the rich sounds of the Great George Street Brass Band as they present their annual Christmas concert, Brass the Halls! Concert will be held here at Zion. *Special quest our Zion Church Choir*. All are welcome and admission is by voluntary donation at the door. All proceeds will go to the Zion Presbyterian Church Lift Fund.

Photos for the Directory

If you would like to submit a photo for the directory, please email one to admin@zionpres.org or drop one off to the office.

We hope to fill 25 Christmas Hampers for 2025

Zion Church is preparing Christmas hampers for families in need. A monetary donation may also be made. Here is what is needed!!!! Cans of: Cranberry Sauce, Vegetables, pasta sauce, meat (ham, chicken), beans, chunky soup/stew, fruit Boxes of: cereal, rice, stuffing And: Pasta, juice and jars of peanut butter, turkeys

The annual "Zion Mitten Drive" for 2025

Your donations may be dropped off in the Mitten Basket in Matheson Hall or the Office. Your help will warm many hands and hearts and will be greatly appreciated. God Bless, Valerie Shaw

<u>Prayer Requests</u>

There is a **Prayer Request Box** at the back of the church for you to write your prayer concerns, there are now blue prayer cards in the pews or you can email admin@zionpres.org and have the Prayer Group join you in prayer. *All requests are kept in confidence*.

Salvation Army Kettle Campaign

Thank you to the 8 who helped filled the Zion time slots. There are still openings please contact Glenn Thompson 902-916-1478 or call Beryl Holden 902-218-9067 for more info.

The Gathering for December

Is now available at the back of the Sanctuary in the book racks.