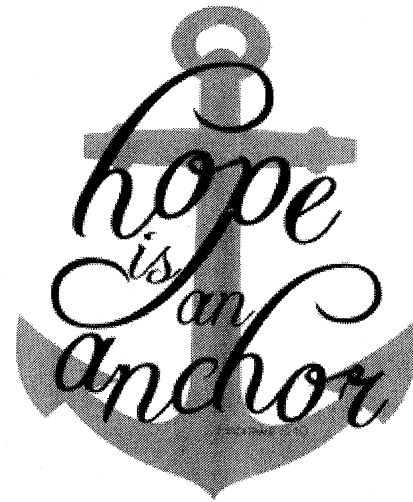


Selby | Empey Hill
Pastoral Charge



January 28, 2018

Selby Pastoral Charge
The United Church of Canada at Selby & Empey Hill
January 28th, 2018

Minister: Rev. Mike Putnam
Music Leader: Margaret Palimaka

We Gather Together

**GATHERING SONG: LUYH#526 – COME, NOW IS
THE TIME TO WORSHIP**

Lighting the Christ Candle

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship (Responsive)

O Come, let us sing to God!

It is good to lift up our voices in praise!

Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving!

We have so much to be thankful for!

For He is a great God!

**And He is our heavenly Father and we are in
awe!**

Come, let us worship our good, good God.

Opening Prayer: (Unison)

**O God, we're here! We made it! Some Sundays
getting to church on time feels difficult, and we
have so many other things calling our name.
But in truth, O Lord, we know we will receive
more blessings from you in the next hour than
we could possibly count So, thank you for
calling us together today, and help us to enter
expectantly into this time of worship. Amen.**

Duet: "Oceans" – By Zandra Ignatov & Chloe
Youmans (Robert Lott on guitar)

**HYMN FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART: COME TO THE
ALTAR (Led by Zandra, Chloe and Robert)**

Theme Time with the Kids
– Zandra's Testimony

**GREAT HYMN OF THE FAITH: LAS#14 – TO GOD
BE THE GLORY**

The Word Among Us

Our Sacred Scriptures:

Old Testament Reading: Psalm 95:

New Testament Reading: Hebrews 10:19-25

Sermon: "Bullseye #2: Aiming to Follow Jesus –
Worshipping Weekly"

Music for Reflection

**THEME HYMN: VU#326 – O FOR A THOUSAND
TONGUES TO SING**

We Respond to God's Word

Offering Hymn: "What A Beautiful Name" –
Music Video

Offering Hymn (VU#540)

**Grant us, God, the grace of giving,
with a spirit large and free,
that ourselves and all our living
we may offer faithfully.**

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

**CLOSING HYMN: VU#661 – COME TO MY HEART
LORD JESUS**

Benediction

Choral Blessing

**Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go
with you each hour of ev'ry day. Go now in
faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know God will
guide you in all you do. Amen, Amen, Amen.**

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Birthdays

We extend happy birthday wishes to the following
people, who have or are celebrating birthdays:

Doug Cranston – January 31st

Happy birthday to you! Happy birthday to you
May God's richest blessings abide upon you.

Office Hours:

Rev. Mike will be in the office Tuesday to Friday
9:30-11:30 this week; feel free to call or pop by
for a visit! He will be out visiting and attending
meetings most afternoons. If you or someone you
know would appreciate a visit please contact him
directly (613-539-9324).

Upcoming Special Worship Services:

February 4th – Joint Worship Service at Selby (No service at Empey Hill) at 10:30. Annual Pastoral Charge Meeting and potluck lunch to follow.

Upcoming Meetings:

January 30th – Selby Congregational Annual Meeting – 7:30pm

February 1st – Empey Hill Congregational Annual Meeting – 7:30pm

Bullseye #3 – Authentic Community - Next Sunday's Scripture Readings:

Next week is our third week of the "Bullseye: Aiming to Follow Jesus" sermon series. If you would like to read and consider the scripture passages in advance, they will be:

- Matthew 18:15-20
- Acts 2:42-47

Outreach Project

Friday, February 02nd Grace United Church Christian Education Committee is excited to offer a P.A. Day Program for children ages 4 – 12 from 8:00 am until 5:00 pm. The program consists of bible stories, games, activities, crafts, snacks and lunch. The cost is \$10.00 per child. Please pre-register by calling Patti at 613-354-6315 or the church office 613-354-4373 ext. 1.

Faith and Art Experience

Are you a visual thinker? Do you like art? Are you a person seeking to deepen your faith and practice? If you answered yes to any of these questions, you are invited to a faith and art experience Thursday, February 08th from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm at Grace

United Church. They will be studying the Bible readings for the season of Lent. Bring your arts supplies with you or they will be supplied. Please call the church office at 613-354-4373 ext 1 and let them know if you are going.

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Will meet on Thursday, February 01st at 7:30 pm. Susan Jackson has the worship and program. Recommendations from the executive planning meeting will be discussed.

Food Bank

There is always a box at the back of the church for donations to the Salvation Army food bank. The volunteers ask that we please check the expiration dates on the food before putting it in the box.

SMILE

Christian One Liners

Many folks want to serve God,
But only as advisers!

We are called to be witnesses, not lawyers or judges.

When you get to your wit's end, You'll find God lives there.

If God is your co-pilot, swap seats!!