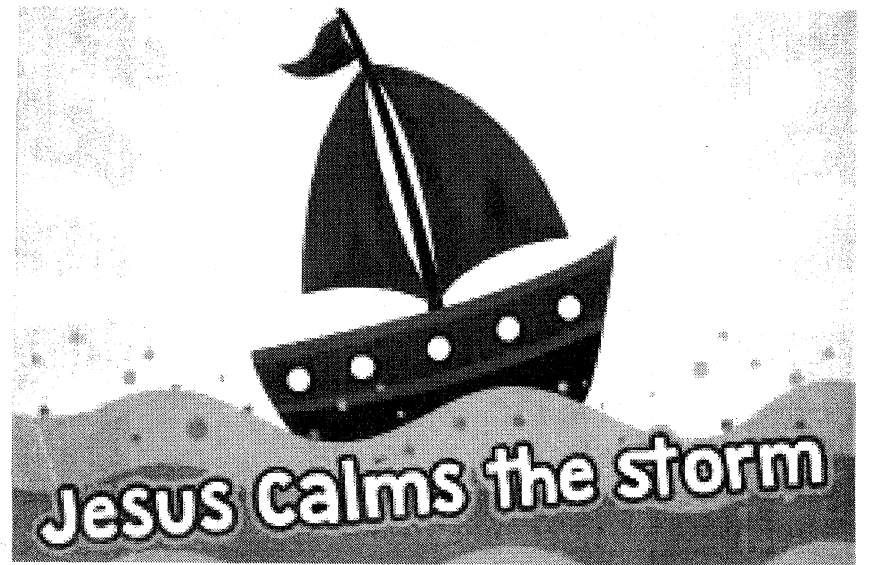


*Selby / Empey Hill
Pastoral Charge*



April 15, 2018

Selby Pastoral Charge
The United Church of Canada at Selby & Empey Hill
April 15th, 2018

Minister: Rev. Mike Putnam
Selby Music Leader: Andrea Putnam
Empey Hill Music Leader: Marg Winter

We Gather Together

GATHERING SONG: OH, HOW GOOD IT IS

Lighting the Christ Candle

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship (Responsive)

Let us come into God's house to worship our Lord.
**We come from our busyness, distractions,
worries and cares.**

Let us bring our whole selves into God's presence.
**We come today to find what we have been
seeking and yearning for all week.**

Let us worship the Lord, who meets us in our storms
and calms our rough seas.

Come, let us worship together!

Opening Prayer: (Unison)

**Resurrecting Lord, as we gather together may
we abide in your presence, receive your peace
and accept your love freely given. May this time
together transform our hearts and our minds
and open us to the Easter reality. Come Lord
Jesus, come.**

**HYMN FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART: EVERYWHERE
I GO**

Theme Time with the Kids

Prayer of Confession

**Merciful Father, sometimes when the storms of
life come you are the last one we turn to.
Instead, we rely first to our own ideas and our
own plans. We turn to unwise council or we
bury our heads in the sand hoping it will get
better on its own. Forgive us, O Lord, for our
stubbornness and help us to trust you more, to
seek you more, to call on you more. This we
pray in Jesus' name, Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

**GREAT HYMN OF THE FAITH: CSS#84 - 'TIS SO
SWEET TO TRUST IN JESUS**

The Word Among Us

Our Sacred Scripture:

Mark 4:35-41

Sermon: **FEAR.LESS - Week 3 - "Storms of Life"**

Music for Reflection

**THEME HYMN: VU#659 - ETERNAL FATHER
STRONG TO SAVE**

We Respond to God's Word

Minute for Mission

Invitation to the Offering

Offering Hymn (VU#542)

**We give you but your own,
whate'er the gift may be;
all that we have is yours alone,
we give it gratefully.**

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

**CLOSING HYMN: VU#660 – HOW FIRM A
FOUNDATION**

Benediction

Choral Blessing

**He Lives! He Lives! He Lives!
I know that my redeemer lives!
He Lives! He Lives!
He lives within my heart. (2x)**

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Birthdays

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

Ed Fuller – April 18th

Vera Woodcock – April 19th



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).

FEAR.LESS Sermon Series

Next week we will be looking at the third part of Jesus' life and teachings to help us live with less fear. If you would like to read the scripture passage ahead of time they will be as follows:

- April 22nd – "When Bad Things Happen" –
Matthew 10:16-32

Ham Supper

Sponsored by Centreville United Church on Wednesday, April 15th from 4:30 pm to 7:00 pm at the Centreville Hall. Free will offering at the door.

SELBY**Property & Finance Committee**

Will meet on Tuesday, April 17th at 7:00 pm at the church.

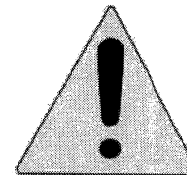
Roast Beef Supper

The U.C.W. will be holding their roast beef supper on Saturday, May 12th from 5 pm until 7 pm. The cost of tickets is \$15.00 per adult and \$6.00 for children 12 and under. Tickets are available from U.C.W. members.

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