Selby United Church



March 17, 2024

Selby United Church March 17th, 2024 Celtic Sunday

<u>Welcome</u>

OPENING HYMN: SPIRIT OPEN MY HEART

Opening Prayer

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Theme Time

HYMN FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART: KING OF MY HEART

Our Sacred Scripture: 2 Corinthians 5:16-21

Message 1: Roman versus Celtic Evangelism

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Message 2: Hospitality versus Conversion

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Message 3: A Celtic Way of Evangelism Today

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Prayer of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Dedication of the Offering

CLOSING HYMN: I FEEL THE WINDS OF GOD TODAY

Benediction

CELTIC POSTLUDE

Today's Worship Leaders:

Minister: Rev. Mike Putnam Special Music: Graham Lindsay Scripture Reader: Mary Wales

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About Our Guest Musician Graham Lindsey

Graham Lindsey is no stranger in our midst. Graham was the person who did the video editing for Selby Church for more than two years during our pandemic-time church. It's also his song that begins and ends every service when our intro and outro videos play! But today is the first time Graham has played live in our sanctuary!

Graham brings a deep respect to the traditions that inform his inventive Celtic tunes. He energetically plays mandolin, tenor banjo, guitar and more. Graham plays many of his own tunes as well as more traditional Celtic/folk style music.

His debut album "TradHead" (2019) was nominated in the Instrumental Solo Artist category at the Canadian Folk Music Awards (2020), and the first single, "Fractions" from his second album received the 2021 Songs From the Heart Instrumental Award from Folk Music Ontario. Graham's music has been played on the Carillon in the Peace Tower of Parliament Hill, in Sweden, cruising in international waters and at festivals and venues in Canada.

Birthdays

Happy birthday wishes are extended to those who are celebrating birthdays this coming week: Jeff Cammaart – March 20th Gary Jackson – March 23rd



What happening this week:

Our normal mid-week activities resume this week: *Moms & Tots* – Monday 9:30 am – 11:30 am *Cornerstone* – Wednesday 6:30 pm *The Chosen Study Group* – Thursday 10:30 am *Youth Group* – Friday, 5:00 pm

Property & Finance

The Property and Finance Committee will meet on Tuesday, March 19th at 7:00 pm.

Pancake Supper

The Men's Group will be hosting a pancake supper on Friday, April 5^{th} from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm. The cost is \$15.00 for adults and \$8.00 for children under 12.

Smile

Paddy and Murphy are working on a building site. Paddy says to Murphy, "I'm gonna' get the day off. I'm gonna' pretend I've gone mad!"

So Paddy climbs up the rafters, hangs upside down, and shouts "I'm a light bulb, I'm a light bulb!" while Murphy watches in amazement.

The foreman shouts, "Paddy, go home. You've gone mad."

As Paddy leaves the site, Murphy starts packing his kit up to leave as well.

"Where do you think you're going?" asks the foreman. "Well, I can't work in the friggin' dark!" said Murphy.