

Welcome to Bedford Presbyterian Church

We are glad to have you join us today.

We envision a church worshipping with joy, loving each other with compassion and reaching out to the world with grace and justice.

Worshipping with Joy

In person at 10 a.m. Sunday morning. Also livestreamed at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OkC1bW-sfaM>

Downstairs

There is Children's Church for children between the ages of 3-10. There is also a nursery and a separate room for nursing mothers.

Check out our updated website: bedfordpca.org

Potluck: February 18

Baby Shower for Eliza Woolley: February 24

Annual Meeting: Saturday March 2 at 3 p.m.

EAL Ministry begins March 6

Bible Studies

- **College and Career study**—Thursdays at 7:15 p.m. at the home of Nathan and Laura Priddle. Studying Malachi.
- **Adult Bible study**—led by Reid Campbell Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. on Zoom. Studying Leviticus.
- **Men's Bible study** meet on Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. on the Ten Sacraments.
- **ISMC study groups** are meeting—contact Will or Chi Perrie.
- **Women's Bible Study** on 1 Peter led by Laura Priddle at her home. Meets Wednesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. Come early for coffee, tea and snacks.

Pray for:

- the missionaries we support
- Christ Church Halifax (Michael and Brittney Chhangur)
- Harbour Light Church
- Kevin Burrell—cancer treatment
- persecuted Christians throughout the world
- for Israel
- the attack on Ukraine to end
- Evangelism
- Gloria Ayemere—family of the week

Officers of the Church

Elders

Bill Radford—Pastor

Peter Bustin

Reid Campbell

Will Perrie

Glenn Wadden

Pastor Emeritus

Don Codling

Deacons

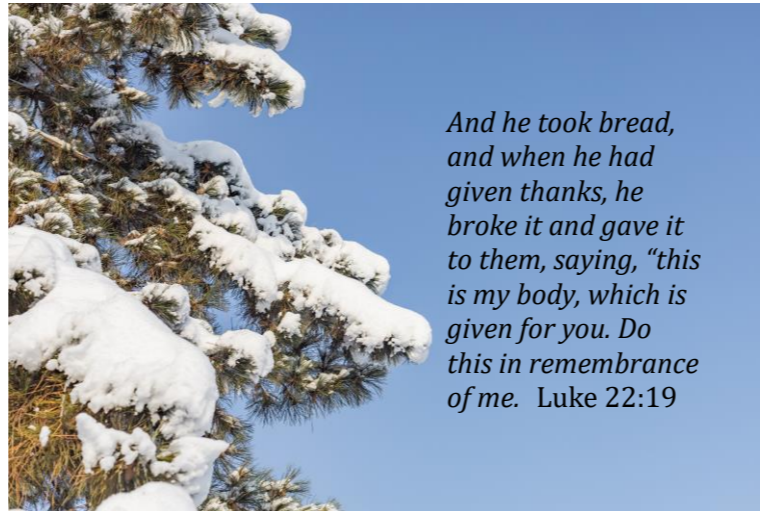
David Campbell

Honza Pokorny

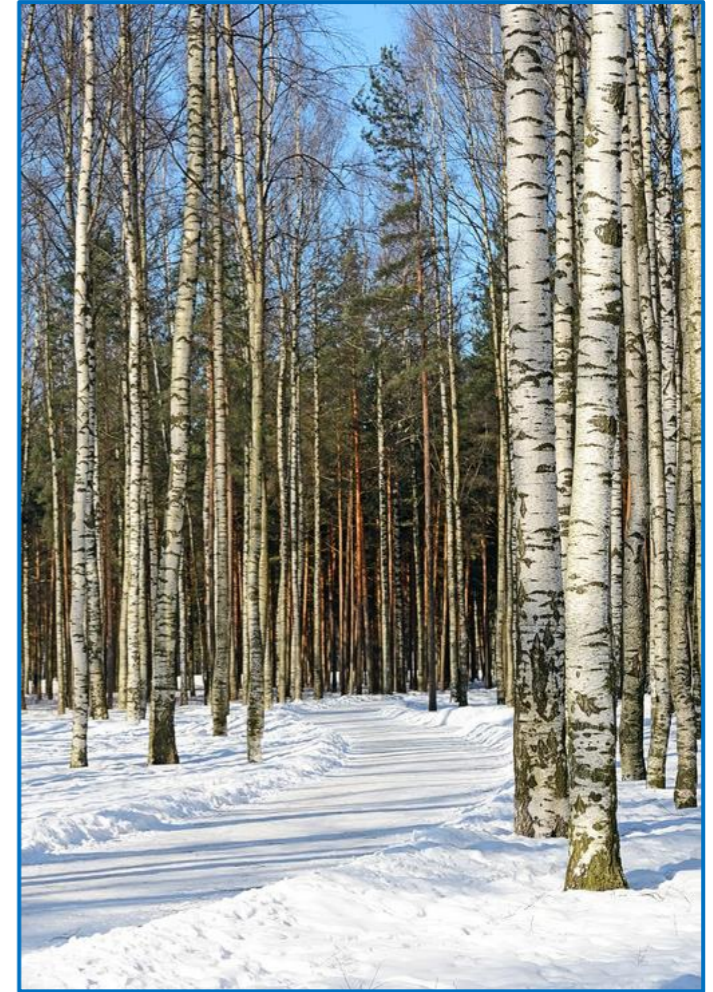
Edward Woolley

Electronic giving: You can give electronically by sending an Interac e-transfer to bedfordpca@gmail.com

At church: There is a plate for offerings on the back table.



*And he took bread,
and when he had
given thanks, he
broke it and gave it
to them, saying, "this
is my body, which is
given for you. Do
this in remembrance
of me. Luke 22:19*



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Reflections

For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body, which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

1 Corinthians 11:22-25

This is the wondrous exchange made by His boundless goodness. Having become with us the Son of Man, He has made us with Himself sons of God. By His own descent to the earth He has prepared our ascent to heaven. Having received our mortality, He has bestowed on us His immortality. Having undertaken our weakness, He has made us strong. Having submitted to our poverty, He has transferred to us His riches. Having taken upon himself the burden of unrighteousness with which we were oppressed, He has clothed us with His righteousness.

John Calvin, Institutes – 4.17.2

Welcome and Announcements

Invocation

Call to Worship *Psalm 36:5-9*

Minister: Your steadfast love, O Lord, extends to the heavens,
your faithfulness to the clouds.

**People: Your righteousness is like the mountains of God;
your judgments are like the great deep;
man and beast you save, O Lord.**

Minister: How precious is your steadfast love, O God!

**People: The children of mankind take refuge in
the shadow of your wings.**

Minister: They feast on the abundance of your house,
and you give them drink from the river of your delights.

**People: For with you is the fountain of life;
in your light do we see light.**

Hymn of Praise: Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Old Testament Reading: *Exodus 12:1-13*

Call to Repentance: *1 John 1:7-10*

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

Hymn of Reflection: Psalm 23

Confession of Sin

Lord Jesus, I have sinned times without number, and been guilty of pride and unbelief, and of neglect to seek you in my daily life. My sins and shortcomings present me with a list of accusations, but I thank you that they will not stand against me, for all have been laid on Christ. Deliver me from every evil habit, every interest of former sins, everything that dims the brightness of your grace in me, everything that prevents me taking delight in you. Amen.

Silent Confession

Declaration of Forgiveness *1 John 2:1-2*

My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. ²He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

Song of Renewal:

O Praise the Name

Still

New Testament Reading: *Hebrews 12:18-29*

Pastoral Prayer

Doxology

Gospel Reading: *Mark 14:12-31*

Sermon: The Lord's Supper

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Professing our Faith: The Apostles' Creed

The Lord's Supper

Closing Hymn: Rejoice the Lord is King

Benediction

Dismissal

Sermon: The Lord's Supper