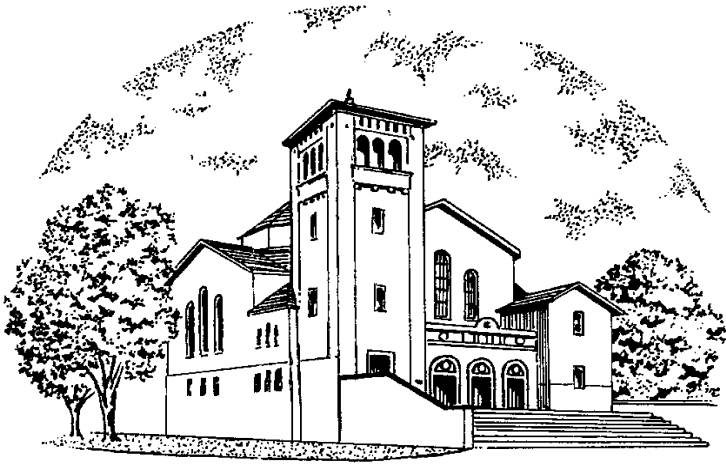


Cochrane Street United Church

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Welcome to Cochrane Street United Church

Whether you are here for the first time or this is your church home – welcome to our community of faith.
Following worship there is a time of fellowship.

USHERING TEAM FOR JUNE

Roger Crosbie, Jim Austin, Jeff Critch,
Jim Oakley, John Perlin, Lloyd Brown

THIS WEEK AT COCHRANE STREET JUNE 17 – JUNE 23

Tuesday: 6:30 PM Choir Practice Bannerman Street Entrance
Wednesday: 12:15 PM Prayer Group Bannerman Street Entrance
Wednesday: 7:30 PM CSUC Council Mtg Bannerman St Entrance
Sunday: 10:00 AM Choir Practice Bannerman Street Entrance

OFFICE

Office Hours: Tuesday 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Wednesday 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Thursday 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Friday 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Email: info@cochranestreetuc.com

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Website: www.cochranestreetuc.com

Cochrane Centre Contact information for bookings
709-754-2532 or info@cochranecentre.ca

CONTACT REV. MIRIAM

Have a question or need to make an appointment?

You can reach Rev. Miriam in the following ways:

Email: revmiriam@cochranestreetuc.com or Cell: 709-728-8410

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GATHERING AS GOD'S PEOPLE

*please stand as you are able

PRELUDE:

***INTROIT MV #8: And On This Path (verse 1)**

And on this path, the gates of holiness are open wide, 3X
Open wide! Open wide! Open wide!
The gates are open wide!

***LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT, WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

***PASSING OF THE PEACE:**

Let our hospitality towards each other reflect God's love.
The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us greet one another with the peace of Christ.

REFLECTIVE MUSIC MV # 2: Come All You People

Come all you people, come and praise your Maker,
come all you people, come and praise your Maker,
come all you people, come and praise your Maker,
come now and worship the Lord. x2

Uyai mose, tinamate Mwari,
Uyai mose, tinamate Mwari,
Uyai mose, tinamate Mwari,
Uyai mose zvino. x2

***CALL TO WORSHIP:**

We call upon the light, God's light.
The light shall shine upon and within us.

The light is God and it is great.

It shall encourage us, strengthen us, guide us, protect us,
shield us, love us, empower us, ground us,
give us wisdom and the actions of God's Holy Spirit.

The light is calm. The light is never rushed.

The light knows no time. The light is the Holy Spirit.

We sense the light; we know, feel, and smell the light.

It is like pure joy.

Jesus was created by the light, truly God's light.

***PRAYER OF APPROACH:**

Surround yourself in the Spirit;
Surround yourself in the Light;
Surround yourself in the Wisdom;
Surround yourself in the Love;
God is with you.
Be brave. Be strong. Be humble.
Peace be with us.
In Jesus name, Amen.

***HYMN # 409: Morning Has Broken**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

ASSURANCE OF PARDON:

God's love is sure and steadfast,
always providing a way out,
a way through, a way back to God.
We are a forgiven people.
Thanks be to God. Amen

LEARNING TOGETHER WITH TAMA FOST OF FIRST LIGHT

***HYMN MV # 30: It's a Song of Praise to the Maker**

OFFERING INVITATION & VOLUNTARY

***OFFERTORY HYMN # MV 182: Grateful**

Grateful for the life you give us, thankful for your Holy Son,
joyful in your Spirit flowing over all, O God of Love.
Grateful for the Bread of Heaven, thankful for your Holy Word,
joyful in your mercy flowing, we will praise you.

***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

GOD'S WORD FOR US TODAY

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION:

Holy God,
reveal your presence to us this day.
Send your Spirit upon us
that we might listen, discern, and take heart.
Be near us this day
and may your Word with us stay
and dwell with us forevermore. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

Proverbs 8:1 - 4, 22 - 31

The Word of the Lord – **Thanks be to God.**

Reader: Charlie Pope

RESPONSIVE PSALM 8 PAGE 732

Reader: Jalna McMaster

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 5:1 - 5

The Word of the Lord – **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM: Catique De Jean Racine, *by G. Faure*

SERMON:

***HYMN #299: Teach Me, God to Wonder**

GOING FORTH TO SHARE GOD'S LOVE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.

Thy Kingdom Come, Thy will be done on earth as it is heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us;

and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen.

***HYMN #427: To Show by Touch and Word**

PRAYER FOR GUIDANCE

Holy God, Dreamer of dreams,

We offer Cochrane Street United Church to you. We are your people, this is your church. We come to you seeking your guidance, your purpose, your vision. Align our will with yours, so that we will be willing to do whatever it takes to carry out your plan. We ask you to break through in new ways in our church. Show us the great ministry you have in store for us. Help us dream your dreams. Pour out your Holy Spirit on us, giving us the vision, boldness, and confidence to do all that you call us to do. Amen.

COMMISSIONING AND BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION #884: You Shall Go Out with Joy

POSTLUDE

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

*In Loving Memory of my dear father, Harold Burt,
with love, Son David & Daughter-in-law Joan.*

*In loving memory of Father, Walter Tucker, from
daughters Linda Facey and Marilyn Pardy, and Families.*

*In Loving Memory of our Fathers,
Clyde Budden and Basil Briggs, and Brother, Allan Budden,
fondly remembered and forever loved
from Cheryl and Byron Briggs and Family*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NO SCENTS MAKES GOOD SENSE!

*A friendly reminder that members of our congregation
are sensitive to scented products. Thank you for helping.*

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

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| Sunday, June 16 | – | Thank You Sunday and Pot Luck Lunch |
| Sunday, July 14 | – | Pride Sunday Service (11am) |
| Sunday, July 14 | – | Pride Parade (1pm) |
| Saturday, August 17 | – | BBQ in the Park (2-4pm) |
| Sunday, September 15 | – | Joint Church Picnic Rotary Sunshine Park (Time TBA) |

Dates for the Memorial Services:

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| Monday, July 8, at 7 PM | Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Hamilton Avenue Extension |
| Monday, July 22, at 7 PM | General Protestant Cemetery, Topsail Road |
| Monday, August 5, at 7 PM | Memorial Gardens Cemetery, 25 Beaumont Hamel Way |

In the event of inclement weather, services will move to the next day, 7pm.

Announcements: If you wish to have an announcement included in the bulletin, please have it into the office by Wednesday at 5:00 pm.

Sanctuary Sound System: We have a looped system for the hearing impaired. Please ask one of the ushers for a headset.

THANK YOU Potluck: **June 16** everyone is invited to a potluck after church! We have so many amazing volunteers we wanted to say thank you to you!!

Church Council Meeting is **June 19, 7:30pm**, in the Community Space. If anyone has a matter they wish to bring to the attention of Council, please contact Stephen Jewczyk Council Chair at sjewczyk@gmail.com.

Questions? What are your big faith and life questions? Help shape this summer sermon series on Hot Topics! You can email your questions to Rev. Miriam revmiriam@cochranestreetuc.com, call her 728-8410, or write it down and put it in the collection plate. Deadline for questions June 16th.

All Request Summer Sundays: It's that time of year again!! Tell us your favourite hymns and we will sing them all summer long!! You can email your request to info@cochranestreetuc.com or write them on the flip chart as you enter the sanctuary or call the office 722-3023!

PRIDE Sunday Service: The Pride Parade is on **July 14**, and we are going to host a special service that Sunday. Anyone who would like to be involved in planning the service, please contact Rev. Miriam at revmiriam@cochranestreetuc.com

SHOPPERS RUN FOR WOMEN: Help support a great cause and join the Run or Walk for Women. The money raised goes to support Stella's Circle Women's mental health initiatives. You can do the run or walk on **Sunday, June 23** and still make it to church for 11!! For The United Church Team, go to <https://www.runforwomen.ca>. There is a \$50 registration fee. Distance: 5 km Walk (Quidi Vidi).

Annual BBQ in the Park: Our Annual Bbq in the park will take place on Saturday, **August 17**, from **2 - 4pm!** Every year we serve 100+ people from various outreach agencies hot dogs and hamburgers in Bannerman Park. We count on your support. If you can volunteer, please contact Bill Evans billevans3237@gmail.com. If you can make a donation to help with the cost of supplies, please place an envelope in the offering plate clearly marked, BBQ in the Park. Thank you for your generosity and support.

Recyclables: Drop off your recyclables at any Green Depot and use the Cochrane Street Code (our phone number) 7223023. Your empty containers will support the ministries of our congregation! Can't get your recyclables to the depot? Call the church office and we will arrange to pick them up. Thank you in advance for your help.

Envelopes: Do you need envelopes? If so, please contact Harold Grandy. Email: hgrandy@nf.sympatico.ca.

Stuff the New Shelves for Bridges to Hope! We are going to fill our shelving, generously donated to Cochrane Street United Church, full of the most helpful items: tinned milk, canned beans, canned meat, juice boxes or one liter of juice, cereal, Kraft Dinner, pasta, and pasta sauce. Bring your items to church on Sunday. Thank you for your support.

ART HIVE is providing off loom weaving Sundays from 12:30 pm – 2:00 pm in Cochrane Centre's small meeting room. All materials available and at no cost. For further information, email hearthstonestudios@gmail.com.

COCHRANE CENTRE: Did you know that we are always looking for volunteers for our up-coming events? Call 754-2532 or email jenelle@firstlightnl.ca if you are interested in volunteering.

National indigenous peoples day (NIPD) hosted by First Light:

June 17	1:00pm – 2:00pm	Cultural Humility Lunch & Learn *, 716 Water Street
June 19,	9:00am – 12:00pm	Cultural Humility 3 Hour Training *, 716 Water Street (\$55)
June 19	6:00pm – 7:30pm	Powwow Dance Workshop *, 42 Bannerman Street
June 20	6:00pm – 7:30pm	Throat Singing Workshop *, 716 Water Street
June 21	6:00am – 7:00am	Sunrise Ceremony, Bannerman Park
June 21	4:00pm – 8:00pm	NIPD Celebrations, Techniplex
June 22	12:00pm – 2:00pm	Powwow Drum Teachings *, 716 Water Street

PIANOMEN – The music of Elton John & Billy Joel, starring Evan Smith with Michelle Doyle & the cast of Best Kinds production of Joseph! Back by popular demand! **July 26, 8PM**, at Holy Heart Theatre. 579-4424, holyhearttheatre.com.

Pops Concert: June 17 at 7pm in St. James United Church there will be a varied evening of instrumental and vocal music featuring the St. James Jazz Trio; Scott Hewlett, guitarist; Alison Petten and Kiersten Noel, singers and Amy Dalziel, organist. \$10 adults / \$5 children (12 and under) All proceeds go towards the Music Ministry at St James United Church.

St. Patrick's Mercy Home Foundation is having a Surf or Turf Dinner and Show in support of the residents of St. Patrick's Mercy Home. Join us **June 20** at Columbus Hall, 49 St. Claire Ave. Tickets \$50 (tax receipt \$15). Call 752-8745 for tickets or information.

Environmental Documentaries and Local Solutions: The Mercy Centre for Ecology & Justice is hosting a series of free documentary showings Wednesdays in June (except June 19) to spur discussion on how we can meet local environmental challenges. Refreshments and discussion to follow films. Please let us know if you will be attending. We are at 101 Mount Scio and can be reached at 722-0082 or mcej@live.com. **June 26, 7pm Revolution**

Alzheimer Society First Link's Lunch & Learn: Join us **June 27** from **12:30-1:30pm** to get information on our First Link program, including how to become a referring partner. This presentation is free and open to the public. If you are interested in being registered for the webinar, email your name and email address to firstlink@alzheimernl.ca or call us at 576-0608.

The Seniors Memory Mug Up at The Market is a free and informal story sharing session for seniors, where people gather, have a cup of tea, and share memories with the goal of helping seniors preserve their stories. It takes place the **second Sunday of the month** from **April 2019-March 2020, 2-3pm**, in the Community Room at the St. John's Farmers' Market, 245 Freshwater Road. For more information call Terra Barrett with Heritage NL at 739-1892 ext. 5 or email terra@heritagenl.ca.