

At the Kirk...

Today	3-4 pm	Lower Hall	Choi Kwang Do
Mon	11-1	Church Hall	South End Playgroup
Mon	3-4:30 pm	Lower Hall	Acupuncture Class
Tue	10 am	Isabel Robertson's	Women's Coffee Group
Tue	6 pm	Gym	Men's Basketball
Tue	5-7 pm & Oct 23	Lower Hall	Roller Derby Meeting
Tue	7 pm	Lower Hall	YOGA with Jenny
Tue	7 pm	Kitchen	Shelter Cooking
Sign-up on easel in Tobin St. lobby to bring an ingredient			
Wed	10-11:30 am	Church Hall	Japanese Playgroup
Wed	3-4:30 pm	Lower Hall	Acupuncture Class
Wed	7:30-8:45 pm	Lower Hall	Argentine Tango - Musicality
	<u>Starting Oct 24</u>		www.youtwocantango.com
Thu	7:30-9 am	World Trade Centre	Mission Breakfast
Thu	10:30 am	Berkeley	Spirit Connectors
Thu	11am -1pm	Lower Hall	Weight Watchers
Thu	6 pm	Gym	Men's Floor Hockey
Thu	7:30 pm	Sanctuary	Choir Practice
Fri	9:30 am Oct 26	Cousin's Restaurant	Next Men's Breakfast
Fri	10-11:30 pm	Lower Hall	Acupuncture Class
Fri	6-7 pm	Lower Hall	Choi Kwang Do
Fri	7 pm	Gym	Set-up Haunting @ the fort
Sat	7:30 pm	Gym	Haunting @ the fort
Admission: Donation for the Parker St. Food Bank			
Sun	10 am	Sanctuary	Choir Rehearsal
Sun	10:30 am	Sanctuary	The Sunday Gathering
Sun	10:30 am	Church Hall	Church School & Nursery
Sun	11:30 am	Lower Hall	Coffee & Conversation
Sun	1:45 pm - 3 pm	Lower Hall	Argentine Tango - Intro
	<u>Starting Oct 21</u>		with Lorne & Martina

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Leadership in our Community

Trent D. Cleveland-Thompson, Minister
 Robert Bossler, Student Minister
 Richard & Carol Robinson, Sextons
 Kathy Cochrane, Office Administrator
 Sancia Knorr, SS Co-ordinator
 Alison McDonald, Clerk of Session
 Alan G. Hayman, Senior Trustee
 Irene Parks, UCW President
 Colleen Estabrooks, M&S Enthusiast
 Linda Dean, Nominating Chair

Pierre Perron, Music Director
 John Walter, Assistant Organist
 Kevin Roberts, Flutist
 Leah Collins Lipsett, Accompanist
 Elaine Janson, Nursery
 John Gillis, Board Chair
 Leslie Pezzack, Treasurer
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10:30 a.m., 14th October 2012
20th Sunday after Pentecost
Creation Time VI

ORDER of SERVICE

* indicates standing for those who are able

PRELUDE	Hymns for Harvest on the Fort Massey Chimes	
	Please remain seated until the Hymn of Praise	
ENTRY INTO THE CELEBRATION	The bell is sounded three times in the name of the Holy Trinity	
LIGHTING OF THE COMMUNITY CANDLE	The candle is lit; we shine the light of Christ on the world	
CALL TO GATHER		
ACT OF AWARENESS		
	Steadfast God, you visit us in our aloneness but we express you best in our togetherness. Empower us to the upbuilding of that quality of fellowship which is a true expression of your presentness. May it be so.	
*HYMN OF PRAISE	This Is God's Wondrous World	VU 296
*THE PEACE	<i>The peace of Christ be with you. And also with you.</i>	
LIFE OF THE COMMUNITY		
MINUTE FOR MISSION	- <i>Angus McDonald</i>	
OFFERINGS		
	Offertory: Interlude in B minor	Andrew Wright
*	Response: Grant Us, God, the Grace	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. Amen.	
CHILDREN'S TIME WITH THEIR MINISTERS		
PRAYER & PRAYER OF JESUS	The Lord's Prayer	VU 921
CHILDREN'S SONG	My Love Colours Outside the Lines	MV 138
SILENCE		
PASTORAL PRAYER	- <i>Robert Bossler</i>	
ANTHEM	Do Not Fear, for You Are Mine	David Lantz III
	Words by Herb Frombach based on Isaiah 43	
READING	Gospel of St. John 3:1-8	

CONTEMPORARY WORD	<u>Out-of-the-Centre</u> - <i>Rev'd Trent</i>	
AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	A New Creed	VU 918
*CLOSING HYMN	Seek Ye First the Kingdom	VU 356
*BLESSING WORDS		
POSTLUDE	Little Prelude and Fugue in C Major	J.S. Bach

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Welcome. We strive to be a **scent free** and **nut free** space. **Visitors** are invited to sign our Guest Book and fill out a Welcome Card at the left of the main doors upon exiting the nave, leaving it with the guest book. Please join us for **Coffee & Conversation** in the lower hall after the Service. Hosts: *Janson & Sinclair families.*

Thank you to all those who supported the Harvest Tea yesterday. Special thanks to the UCW and Tea Convenor, *Irene Parks.*

Covenanting Service for the Rev'd. *Matthew Fillier*, today at 3 PM, at St. John's United Church, Fall River. *Rev. Trent* will be the preacher.

Our sympathy to *Harold Byrne* and family on the death of his wife, *Beverley*. A memorial service will be held at Joseph Howe Manor, Oct 15, at 2 pm.

Fall Presbyterial UCW Rally, Port Wallis United Church, Dartmouth, Oct 20, 9:30 am to 2:30 pm, celebrating 50th anniversary of UCW. Registration: 9:30. Service & Communion 10:30, Lunch 11:30 (potluck - sandwiches, veggie & fruit trays, cheese & crackers, etc.) Guest speaker at 12:30: *Rev. Sharon Mose.*

Paul Watson Lecture, A Journey of Hope: Faith, Spirituality, and Tolerance, Dr. Izzeldin Abuelaish, Nov 6, 7 PM, McNally Theatre Auditorium, SMU

Retiring Offering last Sunday raised over \$150 for the work of the Out-of-the-cold Shelter. Thank you for your support.

Great Canadian Food Fight. Thank you for your generous support.

Phoenix House Snack Week. We need snacks and money (\$175) by Nov 4. We will also be accepting non-perishable snacks like cereal, crackers, granola bars, cookies, peanut butter, jam, hot chocolate, canned soups and tuna.

Christmas Tea and Sale of First Baptist Church, 1300 Oxford St, Halifax, Nov 3, 2 - 4:30 pm. \$6 or 6 for \$30 (incl. tea), children \$1.

@ **the fort:** Oct 27, 7:30 PM - Phantoms of the Pipes XV (\$10, \$5 sr/st, \$15 family)
Nov 4, 7 PM - Rachel MacLean, an inspirational concert (\$10)
Nov 17, 10:30 AM -12:30 PM - Fort Massey Christmas Tea & Sale
Dec 9, 10:30 AM - Anniversary Sunday with the *Rev'd. Ivan & Judy Norton.*