

At the Kirk...

Today	3-4 pm	Lower Hall	Choi Kwang Do
Mon	11 am -1 pm	Church Hall	South End Playgroup
Mon	3:30 pm	Lower Hall	Acupuncture Class
Mon	7:15 pm	Lower Hall	Argentine Tango
		<i>8 week Beginner's class starts</i>	
Tue	10 am	Sharon Ross'	Women's Coffee Group
Tue	7 pm	Kitchen	Shelter Cooking
Tue	7 pm	Lower Hall	YOGA with Jenny
Tue	7 pm	Sanctuary	Choral Group Practice
Wed	10 am	Lower Hall	Japanese Playgroup
Wed	3:30 am	Lower Hall	Acupuncture Class
Wed	7:15pm	Lower Hall	Argentine Tango
		<i>8 week Level Two class starts</i>	
Thu	10:15 am	Infirmary & VG	Chapel Pilgrimage
	<i>Bring a name of a person you know who is in, has been in, or going into, hospital</i>		
Thu	7:30 pm	Sanctuary	Choir Practice
Thu	7:30 – 9 pm	Lower Hall	Argentine Tango drop-in
Fri	9:30 am <u>Apr 26</u>	Cousin's Restaurant	Next Men's Breakfast
Fri	6-7 pm	Lower Hall	Choi Kwang Do
Fri	7 pm	Upper Hall	Kentville Pathfinders Sleep-over
Sat	9:30-11:30 am	Lower Hall	Book Sale
		<i>April 21st is Earth Sunday</i>	
Sun	10:30 am	Sanctuary	The Sunday Gathering
Sun	10:45 am	Church Hall	Church School & Nursery
Sun	11:30 am	Lower Hall	Coffee & Conversation
Sun	3-4 pm	Lower Hall	Choi Kwang Do

Coming Up...

Flea Market, Sat, Apr 27, 9:30-11:30 am

Preaching April 28 - *Robert Bossler*

Leadership in our Community

Trent D. Cleveland-Thompson, Pastor

Heather Ferrier, Student Minister

Robert Bossler, Assistant to the Minister

Richard & Carol Robinson, Sextons

Kathy Cochrane, Office Administrator

Sancia Knorr, Church School

Alison McDonald, Clerk of Session

Alasdair Sinclair, OFM, Clerk Emeritus

Alan G. Hayman, OFM, Senior Trustee

Irene Parks, UCW President

Colleen Estabrooks, M&S Enthusiast

H. Douglas Ritcey, OFM, Honorary Elder

Simon Abbott, Organist & Choir Director

John Walter, Assistant Organist

Leah Collins Lipsett, Pianist & Jr. Choir Director

Kevin Robarts, Flutist

Maddy Spicer, Assistant Administrator

Elaine Janson, Nursery

John Gillis, Board Chair

Ruth MacKenzie, Chief Steward

Leslie Pezzack, Treasurer

Ian MacDonald & Elliott Prouty, Presbytery Reps

Elliott Prouty, Head Usher

FORT MASSEY CHURCH

Watching over Halifax Harbour since 1871
A Congregation of The United Church of Canada

The Sunday Gathering @ 10:30 a.m., 14th April 2013

EASTER III

ORDER of SERVICE

* indicates standing for those who are able

PRELUDE Monologue VI J. Rheinberger

***OPENING WORDS** Bell is rung 3X, Community Candle is lit

***OPENING HYMN** Light and Love
Tune: Easter Hymn, VU 155

**Light and love abound today! Hallelujah!
Joyful hope is here to stay! Hallelujah!
Wisdom dwells in every heart! Hallelujah!
Justice now must play a part! Hallelujah!**

**In earth's beauty we find peace! Hallelujah!
Gratitude and hope increase! Hallelujah!
Pure delight is ours to share! Hallelujah!
Love and new life everywhere! Hallelujah!**

Ian Harrison, Emily Kierstead, Lloyd MacLean,
Sandi MacLachlan, Barb Bell

***ACT OF AWARENESS**

***THE PEACE** *Peace be with you. And also with you.*

WELCOME & LIFE OF THE COMMUNITY

MINUTE FOR MISSION – *Sally deWolf*

OFFERINGS Offertory
* Response: **Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow
Praise God, all creatures high and low;
Give thanks to God in love made known:
Creator, Word and Spirit, One. Amen.** VU 541

ON THE CHANCEL STEPS "A Name Change"

PRAYER & PRAYER OF JESUS

*CHILDREN'S HYMN	My Love Colours Outside the Lines	MV 138
READINGS	Genesis 3:1-3; Hebrews 10:11-14	
SERMON	<u>Silence of the Good</u> – Rev. Trent	
ANTHEM	“The Greatest Command” Love, love, love your God The commandment's word is love Love your neighbour as yourself	

PASTORAL PRAYER

*CLOSING HYMN	We Meet You, O Christ Alternate Tune: Laudate Dominum, VU 228	VU 183
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*PARTING WORDS & BLESSING

POSTLUDE	Anitra's Dance from <i>Peer Gynt</i>	Edvard Grieg
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We Welcome You! Fort Massey Church warmly welcomes you to worship. A special welcome to our **visitors**. Please sign our Guest Book and fill out a Welcome Card, and join us for **Coffee & Conversation** after the Service in the lower hall. Your hosts: *Alison McDonald, Angus & Mary McDonald*.

Musical note. Despite the weather, today's organ postlude *is in honour of spring*.

Sensitivities. Thank you for helping us create a **scents free** space and a **nut free** environment.

Brief. The Face of Poverty Consultation, of which Halifax Presbytery is a member, has prepared and sent a Brief to the House of Commons Finance Committee. It is posted on the Outreach bulletin board (church hall)

Books! We are collecting books for our **annual book sale (Apr 20)**. Local history and local authors are always on demand. Please, NO textbooks.

Camp Kidston Applications can be found on the table outside the kitchen. Also, a newsletter sheet and wish list are available in the Tobin St. lobby.

Piano Half-Recital with *Leah Collins Lipsett*, Tuesday, April 16, 7:30pm in the Dunn Theatre (DAL Arts Centre). Selections by Beethoven, Bach, and Schumann; after the intermission her colleague, *Rosanna*, will play violin.

Flower Power. Attention gardeners. Check out the request for plants for the Common Roots Urban Farm. Sheets available on the Welcome Table in the Tobin St. lobby. OR call *Joan Bears* @ 477.3886.

Clean Across Nova Scotia, April 19 & 20, the biggest volunteer cleanup in NS, joining 7 million people worldwide from @ 100 countries in *Let's Do It! World Cleanup*. Register online: cleanacrossns.ca



This Saturday, April 20
9:30–11:30 a.m.
Fort Massey Church
Lower Hall



Sat, April 27, 9:30-11:30 a.m.,
Fort Massey Church Hall.

Tables: Bake Table, White Elephant, New-to-you, Jewellery, Clothing, Linens, Toys & Puzzles, Large Items. Admission \$1.

We need donations for these tables as well as your help! Setting up (moving furniture, large tables, etc.), Thu. 7 pm; Marking & sorting, Fri, 9-5; Clean up on Sat; Workers for Sale Tables Sat morning – sign-up sheets in the Tobin St. lobby.