

Central Queens Pastoral Charge
United Church of Canada
February 13, 2022 – 10:30 am

Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

Central Queens' Mission Statement

Central Queens United Church is a loving and living community called to support the life stages of all people; celebrating joy and sharing in pain. Through faith and fellowship, we are united by God's love to live and serve as Disciples of Christ.

Gathering for Worship

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Birthdays & Special Occasions

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Quiet Preparation for Worship

Bible Presentation

***Introit** A Light is Gleaming VU #82 (Chorus)

***Call to Worship**

Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God.

We are each a child of God. No matter who we are or where we are on life's journey, we are blessed.

Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled.

We come to worship the God who feeds us, who fills us and who blesses us.

Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh.

Let us rejoice in the love of God, and worship our God together in prayer, song, and praise.

Hymn Love Divine, All Loves Excelling VU #333

Prayer of Approach

O God of many blessings, be with us in our joy and in our sorrow. Help us to reach out with your love to those in need, that we may not be satisfied until all are fed.

Bless each of us here and all who cannot be present with us today. Shower your blessings on our worship, as we pray all this through Jesus the Christ, our teacher and our guide.

With Jesus, we share in the ancient prayer...

Responsive Reading – Psalm 1 VU #724

***Hymn** Jesus Loves Me VU #365 vs 1 & 2

All God's Children

*** Hymn** Jesus Loves Me VU #365 vs 3

Presentation of Our Gifts

Offertory Invitation

Offertory

***Presentation of Offering** What Can I Do MV #191

***Offertory Prayer**

Gracious and loving God, who blesses us with so many good gifts, we bring these offerings with the hope of turning tears into laughter and sorrow into joy. May they truly be a blessing. Amen.

Listening for the Word

Sacred Scripture

Jeremiah 17:5-10

Luke 6:17-26

Anthem

Sermon

Reflective Music Selection

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Responding to the Word

***Hymn** Breath of God, Breath of Peace MV #24

***Benediction**

***Choral Benediction** Behold, Behold, I Make All Things New MV #115

Postlude

* Please stand as you are able

Ministers All of us

Clergy **Rev Greg Davis**

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9 am – 12 pm

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A Warm Welcome to All – We are delighted you've joined us. May God's word today strengthen your faith, inspire curiosity and learning, and motivate your service of others. All are welcome.

Life and Work of Our Church

Greg's Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9 am – 12pm. If anyone is in the hospital or would like a visit from Greg, please call him at 902-964-2291. If you wish to meet with Greg outside the scheduled hours, please call 902-964-2291 or email minister@cquc.ca for an appointment.

In-Church Services: We are back to in-church services! Registration and masks **are still required**. To register, please call 902-964-2221 or email office@cquc.ca. If you are registering **after Thursday morning**, please text or call Velda at 902-940-7674. Thank you.

Annual Meeting – Our annual meeting will be held today immediately after church. Copies of the Annual Report are available on the table at the back of the sanctuary.

E-Transfers – Central Queens United Church is set up to accept E-Transfers. If you wish to give your offerings through E-Transfer, please send via email to veldabertram@gmail.com.

FundScrip – The next order date will be Sunday, February 20th. You can reach Janet Howes by email (jhowes1969@gmail.com) or by phone or text (902-393-1527). E-transfers accepted. February's promotion is Swiss Chalet / Montana's 7%. Also, Home Hardware has increased to 3.5% going forward.

Sunday Worship Cancellations – In the event of inclement weather, an announcement will be made by radio on Ocean 100 by 9 am. It will also be posted on our website and Facebook page.

Weekly Bulletins can be sponsored by you in celebration or remembrance of a loved one. There is a signup sheet on the table at the back of the sanctuary. Cost is \$20.00.

Bookworms United will be held on Wednesday, February 23rd, at 10:30 am in the church parlour. Please stay tuned as to whether we will be able to meet in person. For more information, please contact Liz Spangler at spangler@upei.ca.

Bulletin Deadline – Deadline for items to be placed in the bulletin is **Wednesday** evening. Bulletin items can be emailed to office@cquc.ca.

Senior Survey Re: Healthy Aging – The research lab of Dr. Jessica Strong, Dr. Olive Bryanton, and Dr Bill Montelpar at UPEI are inviting individuals aged 65 years and older to complete their survey. This survey is to understand the supports that seniors need to maintain and improve their health and social well-being as well as to understand the continued interdependency that happens within families and communities. This survey takes approximately 30-60 minutes to complete and can be done on-line or by phone. The information collected will help the provincial government to develop policies, services and programs to foster healthy aging. For more information, please contact the lab at strongresearchlab@gmail.com or (902) 566-0941. Online survey link: <https://survey.upei.ca/index.php/487114/lang-en>
To complete the survey over the phone, please email strongresearchlab@gmail.com with your name and phone number.

Happy
Valentine's
Day

Jesus is My Valentine

Jesus is my Valentine;
I talk to Him each day.
He never, never leaves me;
and always listens when I pray.
Yes, He is my Valentine;
there is no love like His.
He is the heart of all that is;
for Him I breath and live.
He's a Valentine that never lies;
never hurts or breaks.
He always has forgiven me;
for all my past mistakes.
If you only knew my Valentine;
you would love Him too.
For His love is always perfect;
His love is always true.
So if your heart is longing;
for a love that never ends,
for someone that is faithful;
you know you can depend.
Call upon my Valentine;
He'll wash away your sin.
He will be your Valentine;
and your dearest, dearest friend.
By: Susan Y Nikitenko – Dec 2008