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### Mission Moments:

#### Learning from partners in Taiwan

Nearly half of the Presbyterian Church in Taiwan's membership is Indigenous. With support from *Presbyterians Sharing*, Carragh Erhardt (Healing & Reconciliation Program Assistant), the Rev. Dianne Ollerenshaw (Director of Regional Ministries, Synod of Alberta & the Northwest) and Lori Ransom (Healing & Reconciliation Animator, 2006-2011) represented the PCC at the PCT's International Forum on the "Mission of the Church in Taiwan Today." Afterwards they spent six days with PCC mission staff, the Rev. Dr. Paul McLean, and some of his Indigenous colleagues for mutual learning about experiences of reconciliation in Canada and Taiwan. Carragh shares, "I am grateful to the people we met in Taiwan for sharing their experiences and I look forward to continuing this partnership."

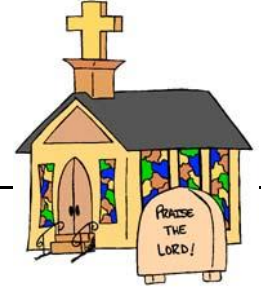
*Presbyterians Sharing supports exchanges with international partners*

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Welcome to our fully accessible church

**Today at St. Andrew's**  
*We welcome guest worshippers with us  
today and invite you to sign the guest  
register at the front hall.*



<b>Welcoming Elder</b>	Arna Atkinson
<b>Elevator Operator</b>	Shane Mayes
<b>Greeter</b>	Mary Helen Garvin
<b>Ushers</b>	Jane Jackson & Betty Boyington
<b>Ushers</b>	Ernie & Sharon Cotton
<b>Driver</b>	Ernie Cotton
<b>Scriptures</b>	Rev. Marg Robertson
<b>Counters</b>	Don Miller & Bill Barker

**NEW WORSHIPPERS:** On the small table in the entry narthex (beside the elevator), you will find coloured file folders which contain welcome and information materials for new worshippers to St. Andrew's. If you have recently come among us, or if you have questions about who we are as a Christian faith community, we invite you to take home one of those file folders and peruse it at your leisure. It will help you become better acquainted with our life, work and helpful staff here at St. Andrew's. Feel free to be in touch with us if we can be of support to you!

**Nursery Care (located through the right front door of the Sanctuary)** is provided for little ones in St. Andrew's each Sunday. If your little one fusses, please feel free to walk them at the back of the church, or we would love to care for them in the nursery. You are welcome to bring them into the nursery before service begins as well. Our ushers will gladly show you to our nursery.

In light of the number of persons who suffer from asthma, allergies and breathing difficulties, we ask you to kindly consider eliminating the use of colognes and fragrances during worship

**Kindly let us know** of any births or deaths or those hospitalized so that we may respond. Simply share information with Dr. Horst or an elder or leave a message at the church office.

**If you or someone you know is in need of prayer,** please speak to Dr. Horst or leave a message on his voice mail (728-3991 ext. 3) and he will see to it that your request is passed on to members of our prayer network.

August at St. Andrew's		
Sun	20	10am Worship Service
		Guest Preacher Mr. Tom Lapp
Mon	21	4pm Centering Prayer
Sun	27	10am Worship Service
		Guest Preacher Rev. Marg Robertson
Mon	28	4pm Centering Prayer

**Dr. Horst is on vacation**, returning to the office on Wednesday, August 30<sup>th</sup>. The Rev. Douglas Crocker of Stroud Presbyterian Church has agreed to cover any pastoral emergencies during Rick's absence. Rev. Crocker can be reached at 705-721-0134. We hope Rick and Karen have an excellent break and rest!



**FUNDRAISER:** Our gift card fundraiser continues to be the easiest, most effective fundraiser ever! All you need is cash or a cheque to purchase gift cards for Loblaws, Zehrs, No Frills, Metro Sobeys, FreshCo, Foodland, Price Chopper and Shoppers Drug Mart. A portion of every sale goes to St. Andrew's General funds. Perhaps you have other stores where you frequently shop. Very often these stores offer their gift cards for sale at the grocery stores. Did you know that you can use the gift cards you purchase from us to purchase gift cards for your other favourite stores? Please stop by our table during coffee time today and we can answer any questions you may have.



*I want to thank the nurses and others who came to my assistance when I passed out at Church a few weeks ago and spent a week in hospital while they tried to find out what was ailing me. In spite of the many tests they were never able to come up with a cause. I am slowly improving and getting my appetite back. Also I was pleased to hear that so many folks inquired of Ellen as to how I was getting along. It is so good to be with a Church family that cares. Thank you all for being so caring. **Al Cuzen***

## FOOD CUPBOARD APPEAL

The St. Andrew's Food Cupboard is quite low in supplies again. Please consider topping it up with cereal, canned meat, pasta and sauces, pudding and fruit cups, granola bars, coffee & tea, canned vegetables and soups, cookies and crackers. Thank You



## Mark Your Calendars

St. Andrew's Annual golf tournament. Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>. 11am start at Big Bay Point and the Thompsons have graciously offered to host a BBQ lunch again this year. More info to follow.

## Psalm 133 (In Unison)

**How very good and pleasant it is when kindred live together in unity!**

**It is like the precious oil on the head, running down upon the beard, on the beard of Aaron, running down over the collar of his robes.**

**It is like the dew of Hermon, which falls on the mountains of Zion. For there the LORD ordained his blessing, life forevermore.**