

CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

2597 Bourquin Crescent East, Abbotsford B.C. V2S 1Y6

3rd Sunday after Pentecost

June 21, 2009 9:15 a.m.

Prelude Lorraine Kandal
Welcome Sharing the congregational life
*Song *Come, now is the time to worship*

Call to worship Psalm 9: 1-10 (NRSV)
*Song *The battle belongs to the Lord*

*Prayers of adoration and confession

*Songs *Firm foundation
I will call upon the Lord
Forever*

Musical Interlude **Ordination/ Induction of Elders**
Kids Connect – Preschool to Grade 6

*Hymn *God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian, vv. 1-3* #589
*(v. 2 change **pastors to elders**)*

Scripture Reading 1 Samuel 17: 24-27, 31-50 (NRSV)
p. 261 (p. 397 large print)

Message **Solving other people's problems**
Pastor Hans Kouwenberg

*Song *Brother, sister let me serve you, vv. 1-5* #635

Prayer of thanksgiving and intercession
followed by the Lord's Prayer (in unison)[sins/ sin against us]

Offering – Offertory

*Doxology – Prayer *Alleluia, alleluia, give thanks*

*Song *The power of your love*

*Benediction *Peace be yours*

*Postlude Lorraine Kandal

**Please stand or sit, as you are able*

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June 21, 2009 11 a.m.

Prelude Rita Nickel
Welcome Sharing the congregational life

WE WORSHIP GOD IN PRAISE

Call to worship Psalm 9: 1-10 (NRSV)
*Hymn *A mighty fortress is our God* #315
*Prayers of adoration and confession
Choir *If We Will Seek the Lord - by Price/Besig*

WE WORSHIP GOD IN LISTENING

*Hymn **Ordination/ Induction of Elders**
God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian, vv. 1-3 #589
*(v. 2 change **pastors to elders**)*
Scripture Reading 1 Samuel 17: 24-27, 31-50 (NRSV)
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WE WORSHIP GOD IN RESPONSE

*Song *Brother, sister let me serve you, vv. 1-5* #635
Prayer of thanksgiving and intercession
followed by the Lord's Prayer (in unison)[sins/ sin against us]
Offering – Offertory
*Doxology (#830) – Prayer
*Hymn *May God's love be fixed above you* #582
(tune: Praise, my soul #407)
*Benediction *Three-fold Amen* #780
*Postlude Rita Nickel

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THIS WEEK

TUESDAY - JUNE 23

- 6:30 - 9 pm** **Downtown Street Ministry** - lower meeting hall
Carole Sookdeo, Coordinator (604-852-3171)
(next Tuesday will be the **last session** until September 8, 2009)
- 6 pm** **Presbytery supper meeting at Richmond Presbyterian Church**
7111 No. 2 Road, Richmond
- 7 pm** **Worship**
- 7:30 pm** **Presbytery business meeting**

WEDNESDAY - JUNE 24

- 10 am-12 noon** **Ladies Care Group:** Study of the video series "Early Church".
Meeting at Margaret Allan's home - 3719 Nootka Street,
Abbotsford. All ladies welcome.
- 1:30 pm** **Pastoral Care Team meeting** - at Susan Swanney's home
#33-3380 Gladwin Road

THURSDAY - JUNE 25

- 10 am** **Pastor Hans' Bible Study (last one)** - upper meeting room.
Resumes September 10, 2009.

COMING EVENTS

SUNDAY - JUNE 28 to SEPTEMBER 6

- 10 am** **One Service of Worship**



NOTES

Thank you to the following **Kid Connect teachers** that have so generously given of their time and talents in our Sunday School program this past year: Heather Allan, Katherine Allan, Lizzie Eccles, Anne McDonald, Nina Racine, Alex Scott, Hannah Smith, Marg Smith, Cathy Thomson, Mathew Westerberg and Leeta York.



Congratulations to **Matthew Westerberg** on his engagement to his fiancée, **Stephannie Paterson**. Matthew and Stephannie became engaged on June 7, one year after their first date. They will be married at First Baptist Church in Vancouver sometime in September.



Michele Martin will be seeking more volunteers to help with the coffee ministry (requires a total of 45-60 minutes of your time once every 6-8 weeks). Please give Michele a call at 604-853-3756. To those of you who are already serving in this ministry, we give a big **THANK YOU** for your time, energy and devotion. If you are currently helping with the coffee time and are unable to do so next year, please also call Michele. New schedules will be in your mailboxes in the foyer of the church once they are developed at the end of the summer.



Please let Pastor Hans, one of our Pastoral Care Team members or the church office know if you or a friend are in the hospital and wish a visit.

The **Calvin Church Directory** is now available in the front entrance. Please help yourself to one copy per family. **We appreciate you letting us know** if there are any mistakes.

We recently received a visit from two outreach workers from **the Salvation Army Outreach Program - Homelessness Initiative**, who are responsible for helping the homeless and who have produced a pamphlet listing the **food resources** available in the community, especially among the Christian community (a copy is in the office). We have learned the following:

- Meals are available every weekday for **lunch** and 6 out of 7 **suppers**.
- Several churches supplement the **Food Bank**, including our own.
- We are advised **not to give out money** to anyone (it could be used for the wrong purposes and in only perpetuates panhandling).



Presbyterian Church in Canada ~ MISSION CAPSULE



CANADA: Presbytery of New Brunswick

Our gifts to Presbyterians Sharing support chaplaincies at universities throughout Canada, including the University of New Brunswick. Rev. Kevin Burke, one of three chaplains at UNB's ecumenical campus ministry, writes: "The atmosphere at the university is electric with the energy of youthfulness and the bustling ambition of young minds. Keen to learn, students are often open to considering spirituality as an aspect of being human. From day to day, I spend my time with students, staff and faculty, immersed in natural settings as a friend, mentor, guide and counsellor." Kevin's passion for music and worshipping God in song led to the ministry's first ecumenical worship service earlier this year, and he hopes that this will become a regular part of campus life at UNB. Let us pray for UNB's campus ministry, and for students who are discovering God at university.



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Youth Ministries - Katherine Allan 604-217-5779

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We **WARMLY WELCOME YOU** to this service of worship! If you are a visitor, or would like a visit, please let us know of your presence or any request on a blue welcome card, and place it on the offering plate. *Thank you.*

PRAYER in preparation for the services held in Pastor Hans' office at 9 am.

The **GREETERS** at the 9:15 am service are **Karan and Carole Sookdeo** and at the 11:00 am service the greeters are **Bruce and Doris Sawers**. Thank you to **Ron Smith** at the 9:15 am service, and **Ken Baker** at the 11 am service, for taking care of our building security.

Large-print copies of our **HYMNBOOK, BIBLES (NRSV)** and **SONGS OF PRAISE** may be picked up from the shelf at the back of the worship space, and **HEARING ASSISTANCE HEADSETS** from their pocket in the entry hall. Please return them after each service. Thank you!

We invite **EVERYONE** to gather downstairs between the services for **REFRESHMENTS** kindly prepared by **Grant and Margaret Allan**.



The flowers today are provided by Colleen Kouwenberg in memory of **her mother** whose birthday is on June 23. She loved flowers of all kinds and developed this love into making floral cards out of dried petals and leaves.

Today:

Ordination/ Induction of Elders:

Katherine Allan and Richard Hay (9:15 am)

Susan Swanney, Cathy Thomson and Rod Thomson (11 am)

Youth Connect - Join us in the upper meeting room, today from 11 am - 12 noon, for **Route 66!**