



**Deep • Bold • Daring
Toward 2035**

6th Sunday after Pentecost.

July 5th, 2026

APPROACHING GOD

Welcome

We acknowledge that the land upon which we gather is unceded Mi'kmaq territory. Epekwitk (Prince Edward Island) is covered by the historic Treaties of Peace and Friendship. We pay our respects to the Indigenous Mi'kmaq People who have occupied this Island for over 12,000 years; past, present and future.

Preparation for Worship:

Lighting of the Christ Candle:

***Introit #415VU:** “*God, We Praise You for the Morning*” (vs 1, 2)

Call to Worship: (Written by Alison Etter. **Gathering.** Pentecost 1 2014 page 28. Used with permission)

One: We are called to be the church, to walk in God's own way,

All: God is our hope.

One: From our earliest beginnings, from our time on the desert,

All: God is our hope.

One: Across seven generations, despite danger, despite struggle,

All: God is our hope.

One: In a world in need of love, in a time of change and fear,

All: God is our hope.

One: In a future yet uncertain, on this path of peace and justice,

All: God is our hope.

***Hymn #415VU:** “*God, We Praise You for the Morning*” (vs 3-6)

***Gathering Prayer:** (Written by Nancy Hardy. **Gathering.** Pentecost 1 2024 page 31. Used with permission)

Spirit God,

who speaks our prayers for us with sighs too deep for words,

hold us in your love, and comfort us with your presence,

that we might be renewed and encouraged

to do our part in the healing of your world. Amen.

Lord's Prayer #910VU: said

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

***Hymn #376VU:** “*Spirit of the Living God*”

Scripture Reading: Genesis 24: 34-38, 42-49, 58-67 NRSV

Hymn #602VU: “*Blest Be the Tie That Binds*”

Reflection: “*Journeys*” by Elaine Burrows

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

***Hymn #625VU:** “*I Feel the Winds of God*”

Faithful Reminders

Offertory Hymn #537VU: “*Your Work, O God, Needs Many Hands*”

Offertory Prayer

Call to Prayer #381VU: “*Spirit of Life*”

Prayers of the People:

Closing Hymn #595VU: “*We Are Pilgrims*”

Commissioning and Benediction

Postlude Hymn #649VU: “*Walk with Me*” (Besig) refrain

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Thank you to Elaine Burrows for leading the service this morning and also to Jen MacDonald for your music. We appreciate you both!

"On behalf of myself, Jeremy and family we would like to thank you all for a lovely send off on June 28th. Every aspect was perfect and our time together after is something we will always treasure. Each gift was thoughtful. Each card offered words of blessings. We look forward to cheering on your next Farmer who will tend the crops and grow new things.

God bless you all." Rev. Rachel

Please contact the Trinity Office at 902-436-3155 to discuss any Trinity related matters or pastoral concerns you may have. Pulpit supply will be provided by Nancy Small with guest service leader(s) at least once a month until a supply minister or a new minister is hired.

July Services at Trinity

July 12: Pastoral Care Team; Music Jen MacDonald

July 19: Faith in Action Team; Music Jen MacDonald

July 26: Susan England/Nancy Small; Music Louise Elder

On June 30th, Rev Rachel presided over the funeral service and committal of Valerie Ruth Waite. Please keep the Waite family in your prayers at this time.

WAYS TO GIVE TO TRINITY, WE THANK YOU

At Trinity United we are most thankful for your contributions to the life and work of our Church. Please call the office for more information on:

PAR- Pre-Authorized Remittance, Post Dated Cheques

On Our Website at TrinitySummerside.ca, E Transfer to donate@trinitysummerside.ca

Cash, Please call 902-436-3155 for assistance.

June 28th, 2026

Attendance:	176 Sunday Worship service		
Contributions:	Envelopes	29	\$4555.00
	Loose Givings		\$326.35
	PAR Givers	89	\$8,510.00 (monthly)
	E-transfers	15	\$2292.00 (monthly)

Schedule for July 5 - 12, 2026

Sunday	10:30am	Worship service led by Elaine Burrows, in person only. All are welcome
Monday		Church office is closed.
Tuesday	7:00pm	Solo Organ Recital in Sanctuary, donations welcome at door
Thursday	9:00am	Private Kitchen Rental
	1:00pm	Silvertones Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary
Saturday	8:30am	Feed My Sheep Breakfast - Auditorium
	10:00am	Trinity Art Group – Auditorium
Sunday	10:30am	Worship service led by the Pastoral Care team, in person only. All are welcome.

Solo Organ Recital: Tuesday, July 7th at 7pm here in Trinity's sanctuary, Alexander Strauss-Fausto performs pieces from 7 composers. He has been called a "true virtuoso". Donations welcome at the door.

Feed My Sheep - 8:30 - 10 am in the Trinity Auditorium. July 11 & 25; Aug. 8 & 22
Thank you to our terrific volunteers!

Broadview Magazine Subscriptions: *Broadview* is an independent Canadian magazine featuring award-winning coverage of spirituality, justice and ethical living. As a registered charity, *Broadview* challenges and inspires readers seeking to live a purpose-filled life. Our spirituality reporting features Christian perspectives on belief and faith, as well as points of view from other religions and philosophies. If you wish to subscribe to this magazine, it is just \$30 per year and can be processed through Joyce in the office.

Trinity Ladies Luncheons: Save the dates! Tuesday July 14, Turkey Tavern in Cavendish at 11:30am. Tuesday, August 11 will be at PEI Preserves in Clyde River at 11:30am. All ladies are welcome!

Food Bank: We are averaging about 50 boxes per month here in our Food Bank. Every bit of support helps! We gratefully accept non-perishable food donations, cash donations and we also invite you to donate your cans/bottles to Don's Bottle Depot. Just say it's for Trinity and they will send along the refund amount.

Affirming Ministry: Our Affirming Ministry project is working toward Trinity becoming an Affirmed Ministry and we are learning! *What can we do to help?* PEI Anglican and United Churches are working together to create a float and walk together in Charlottetown's Pride Parade on Saturday, July 25th. Our theme is "Home" where all are welcome. You are invited to be part of joint preparations for this event or create banners within your own congregation and/or join our group at the parade. Wednesday, July 8th 4-7pm– decoration/poster-making at Trinity United Church gym in Charlottetown (snacks will be provided) we will also be tie-dyeing t-shirts to wear parade day, please bring along white t-shirts for your participants. Then on Tuesday July 21st and Wednesday July 22nd 1:30-4pm float making at the warehouse of Vicki AllenCook 2378 Friston Road, Stanhope, PE C0A 1P0. Questions about the parade can be directed to Karen at kmacleodwilkie@hotmail.com. If there are any people from Trinity Summerside who wish to attend, please speak to Joyce in the office.

Community Service Bursary: Did you know? The Community Service Bursary is awarded to students who volunteer their time at registered volunteer organizations during their high school years. The bursary is based on the number of volunteer hours students accumulate between July 1 before they begin their grade 10 year and June 30 following the completion of their grade 12 year. The bursary is calculated at a rate of \$10 per volunteer hour. Students must complete a minimum of 30 hours to receive the bursary and the bursary is capped at a maximum of 150 hours. The award ranges from a minimum of \$300 to a maximum of \$1,500. Trinity United Church is a qualified volunteer organization! Who do you know in High School who might benefit from this program and earning their ours with us? We will be looking for young people to assist with Junior Church in September and in the sound booth with the Communications team.

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902-436-3155 or email Joyce if you have enquiries

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