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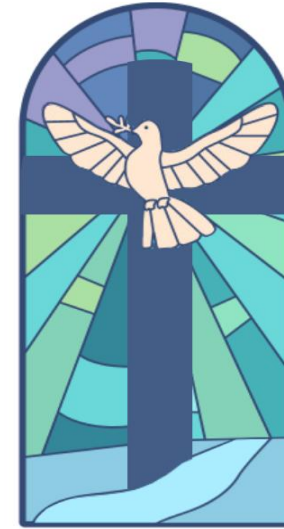
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Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026      Order of Service      11:00am

Welcome

Call to Worship

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Opening Worship

**\*Children may leave for Kids Club**

Scripture      Nehemiah 8:1-8 read by Jennifer Baxendale  
                    Luke 10:38-42; Psalm 119:9-18; Acts 8:26-35

*MESSAGE      Rev. William Henbest*

*Closing Hymn*

Benediction

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Welcome - A special welcome to everyone that is worshipping with us today. If you are visiting, a special welcome is extended to you, and we ask you to please sign our guest book. A nursery is located downstairs for children under 3. Kids Club is for children ages 3 up to grade 6.

Slides: Rachel Van Gelder

Sept 20: Adrian

Greeters: Xandra

Sept 20:

Nursery: Barb/Hazel/Lucy

Sept 20: Cathie/Floyd/Bonnie

Reader: Jennifer Baxendale

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Anyone wishing to make a donation, may send an e-transfer to admin@belfastchurch.ca (no password required). Please send your name and address (or include in your message) so receipts can be issued.

*****Community Pantry Reminder:** Share God's love by bringing a non-perishable food item for our Community Pantry collection box located at the back of the church.

***"It is more blessed to give than to receive."* Acts 20:35**

Today

12:15 pm Sunday Social (Sandwiches & sweets)

12:15 pm Guatemala Meeting

Monday

7:00 pm Deeper

Tuesday

7:00 pm Nursery Volunteer Meeting

Wednesday

10:00 am Bible Study

7:30 pm Session Meeting

Thursday

6:00 pm Youth Group

Saturday

10:00 am Grief Share

Kids Club: Today – Leanne/Hannah T/Angela/Hannah D
Sept. 20th – Maddy/Hannah T/Angela/Hannah D
Sept. 27th – Maddy/Makayla/Vicky/Hannah D
Oct. 4th – Clancey/Makayla/Vicky/Hannah D

The Forge is a place for men in our church to **get connected and belong**. They meet at the church every other **Monday evening**. Every man is invited and encouraged to attend. They meet again **on Monday September 21st at 7:00 pm**.

Deeper begins tomorrow evening **at 7:00 pm** here at the church. **Deeper** is a group for **women ages 18 and up** who wish to grow in their faith with other women.

Youth Group is a community for students in **Grades 7-12** where they come together to **grow in their faith, make lasting friendships, and have fun**. Each week, they play exciting games, share a yummy snack, and dive into the Bible and what it looks like to be a Christian today. **Our hope** is to build a supportive community where young people can **connect, grow spiritually**, and enjoy being part of **something bigger than themselves**. **Youth Group** begins this **Thursday, Sept. 17th from 6-8 pm**.

Leading with Care course will be offered for any members of **Session, Children's Ministry & Encounter Guatemala team members** who have not taken this program. This helps us protect vulnerable members of our congregation and expands our understanding of caring for others. It will be held next week after the **Sunday Sept. 20th morning service**.

Criminal Record Checks – All ministry volunteers are required to submit new criminal record checks in the fall of each year.

We are looking for **Greeters for Sunday mornings** at the main door. A **sign-up sheet** is found in the entry. All that is needed is a **“Good Morning”** and a smile.

Membership & Baptism: Are you interested in church membership or baptism? We would love to welcome you into our church family! Learn more about what it means to be a member, the meaning of baptism, and how you can become more connected to our congregation. For more information, please contact **Rev. William Henbest or an elder.**

Nursery Volunteer Meeting

There will be a **mandatory** training and information session on **Tuesday, September 15th from 7-8 pm** at the church for all Nursery Volunteers! Any questions, please contact Chloe Henbest.

Belfast Kids Club: We need **YOUR** help! We're looking for donations of **LEGO** so that we can build and retell the **Bible stories** that we're learning about together this year in Kids Club. For more information, please contact **Melissa Deelstra** at kids@belfastchurch.ca.

Grief Share Support Group – 13 weeks

Need help dealing with grief? A Grief Share support group is a Christian based, safe, welcoming place where people understand the difficult emotions of grief. This group is designed specifically for anyone who has experienced the death of a loved one and is struggling with unresolved grief. The loss can be from many years ago to a recent loss. We regret that this group is not designed for the loss of a pet or divorce. This program is sponsored by our church and is free of charge to all participants.

Location: St. John's Presbyterian Church (hospitality area, main floor)

When: Saturdays, Sept 12-Dec 5th from 10 am – 12 noon

To register or for more information, contact:

Jenny Halliday: 902-218-9715, jenthebrit3@hotmail.com or

Jennifer Baxendale: 902-916-2441,

baxendalejennifer1@gmail.com

Grief Share Website: Griefshare.org



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 DATE: <i>September 26th</i>	 TIME: <i>2:30 PM</i>	REGISTER TODAY!
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Thank you 
FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

PLAY GOLF. MAKE AN IMPACT.

Scripture Reading Ministry: Would you like to help share **God's Word** during our Sunday worship service? We are looking for volunteers to participate in our Scripture Reading Ministry. For more information or to get involved, please contact **Jennifer Baxendale** at 902-916-2441.