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The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be held at St. Andrew’s on the first Sunday of March, June, October and December.

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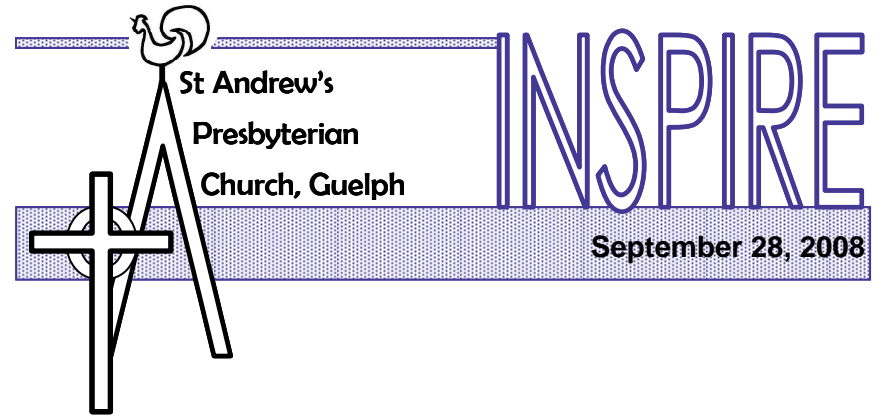
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Sunday Services

10:30 a.m.



What an Abundant Harvest!

I want to use this space to tell you about October’s worship line up. Truly the Harvest is bountiful.

On October 5th, we will celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion and will try out our first integrated worship service under the Church School theme of ‘Jesus was a child like you and me’. In this service, our children and youth will share in a variety of ways what they have been learning in their classes over the last month. We are really looking forward to this new initiative.

We celebrate Harvest Home on Thanksgiving weekend this year (October 12th). Fred and the choir are planning some special music to get us in the spirit of Harvest abundance. It will be a wonderful day of word and song.

On October 19th, The Rev. John Peter Smit joins us to engage our community in our continuing dialogue around mission and vision. John Peter will also be facilitating thirty members of our congregation’s participation in the Natural Church Development survey. This survey was encouraged by our Presbytery and will help to give our church a ‘check-up’ as to its health and vitality. We are really looking forward to the fruits of that day.

One of our Presbyterian neighbours is also celebrating a special anniversary; Westminster-St. Paul’s is fifty years old this year. As a part of our mutual celebrations, we are planning an exchange of ministers, music directors, and choirs on October 26th.

See you in worship. John.