

# Welcome To **Zion** Presbyterian Church



Charlottetown, PEI

*“May the Lord,  
Maker of Heaven  
and Earth,  
Bless You From Zion!  
(Psalm 134:3)*

## Welcome to Zion Presbyterian Church!

Our congregation was established over 160 years ago. **We have been enjoying our present location and sanctuary since 1913** – over 100 years of worship and service in this great facility!

As you enter Zion, you are immediately greeted by **our wonderful stained glass windows**. The morning sun illuminates our south wall Memorial Window, a breathtaking and colourful tribute to those who served both their country and their church.

**Zion is a joy to visit, and a welcoming place for worship!**

The soaring wooden ceiling, balcony, pews and choir loft add an **intimacy and warmth** surprising in a building so large. Comfortably seating over 700, the sanctuary is often filled with the glorious music of our 2-manual Casavant pipe organ. Worship services are **friendly, vibrant, timely and inspiring**.

## “To Know Christ And To Make Him Known”

**A community of faith which represents all ages**, Zion is composed of people from many backgrounds, united in our desire to grow closer to God, to support one another, and to make a difference in our lives and our world in the name of Jesus Christ.

Zion is part of **the Presbyterian Church in Canada**, a denomination within the World Alliance of Reformed Churches and a member of both the Canadian and World Council of Churches. We enjoy our relationships of cooperation, ecumenical worship, mission and outreach with our surrounding churches of many denominations.

**"Presbyterian" is an ancient word meaning "Elders."** The Presbyterian Church in Canada is so named because it is governed by Elders – that is, those women and men of all ages elected by the congregation to exercise the gifts and responsibilities of Pastoral Care, Oversight and Direction.

# Join Us For Sunday Worship!

**Sunday Mornings**  
**Sept – May 10:30 a.m.**  
**June – Aug 10:00 a.m.**

**An uplifting blend of both  
traditional and contemporary  
styles of worship**

*Visiting children are very  
welcome year-round in Nursery  
and Sunday School*

**Check out our many mid-week  
Bible Study opportunities too!**

*Family Quiet Room  
Available at All Services*

**All Are Welcome!**

We are located at the corner  
of Prince and Grafton Streets

## **Contact Information:**

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## **Our Worship Services**

Everyone receives a **warm welcome** to our Sunday Morning services of Worship!

**Music is led by our Choir**, with the support of our grand piano and **wonderful pipe organ**. Traditional, ancient and modern hymns provide a familiar home for people from near and far.

Our **projection system** has all the words of hymns, choruses and responses for everyone to see. **Sermons are highlighted** with text and images as well. Previous sermons in audio and print format are on our website.

## **Children and Youth**

Children of all ages are always welcome at Zion, **with a Nursery / Sunday School / Children's Program at all services**. Every service has a children's story, to make all our children feel included and welcome. There's a comfortable **Family Centre** overlooking the sanctuary for children who need time apart from the service!

**Throughout the school year**, dozens of teens enjoy our **Friday Night Youth Group**, in our newly refurbished Youth Centre!

## **Our Mission**

It is our Mission **to Know Christ, and to Make Christ Known!**

There are many ways in which our congregation is involved in active service and outreach, to make a difference in the name of Jesus.

Locally, we participate in the **Upper Room Food Ministry**, with congregational teams preparing wonderful, nutritious meals for the needy in our community.

Provincially, we support **Camp Keir**, our **Summer Camping** outreach to children and teens. Beautifully located in Canoe Cove, many young people find comfort, encouragement, friendship, and new life in Christ through time at Camp.

Nationally and internationally, we are very active in hunger relief through the **Canadian FoodGrains Bank**. Working with local farmers, landowners and suppliers, we sponsor projects which make a tremendous impact. Thanks to the generosity of our congregation, the hard work of farmers, and support of local sponsors, this year our goal is to **provide food for 2500 people** for an entire year!

**Come make a difference with us!**