

Land Acknowledgment

*"We acknowledge we are on the traditional,
unceded territories of the Semiahmoo First Nation
and the broader territory of the Coast Salish
Peoples."*

Our Mission Statement

St. John's proclaims Christ in welcoming
fellowship uplifting worship and compassionate
service.

Worship with us at 10:30 on Sunday Mornings.
Services live on Internet and broadcast on FM 89.3
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General Church Office Hours:
Tuesday – Friday 10am – 2pm

MISSION MOMENT: Sunday, July 13

After contracting polio when she was young, Akelwela Adanladi was left with physical disabilities. As subsistence farmers, her parents could not afford to send her to school. Her life changed at 30 when she was identified by the Community-Based Rehabilitation (CBR) program of the Presbyterian Church in Ghana. Through the CBR program, she obtained a cloth weaving apprenticeship and access to start-up capital for her business. Now a trainer, Akelwela empowers young people through skills training. "I am able to generate enough money to meet my needs and I am so grateful to the CBR program for coming to my aid. Today, I have a beautiful life."

DAILY PRAYERS

Sunday, July 13 We pray for the staff and faculty at Knox College who serve with dedication and care, that God will grant them wisdom in their ministries, patience in their guidance, and joy in their calling.

Monday, July 14 We lament that in many societies, diversity is seen as a problem rather than a gift. We pray that our global leaders may recognize diversity as a blessing to be celebrated.

Tuesday, July 15 We pray for graduates of Vancouver School of Theology as they move into congregational ministries of leadership and pastoral care.

Wednesday, July 16 We pray for Stephen Jackson and Dillon Hausauer, the new convenor and secretary of the Committee on Church Doctrine. May God guide them with wisdom as they lead the committee.

Thursday, July 17 We pray for people affected by dementia and their caregivers, that they would know God's love as they navigate a world of uncertainty.

Friday, July 18 We praise God that women in Guatemala who participate in PWS&D-supported workshops are learning skills that develop their self-esteem and equip them to participate politically in their communities.

Saturday, July 19 We ask for God's wisdom and guidance for the Rt. Rev. Dr. Vilmos József Kolumbán, who was installed as the 47th Bishop of the Transylvanian Reformed Church District.

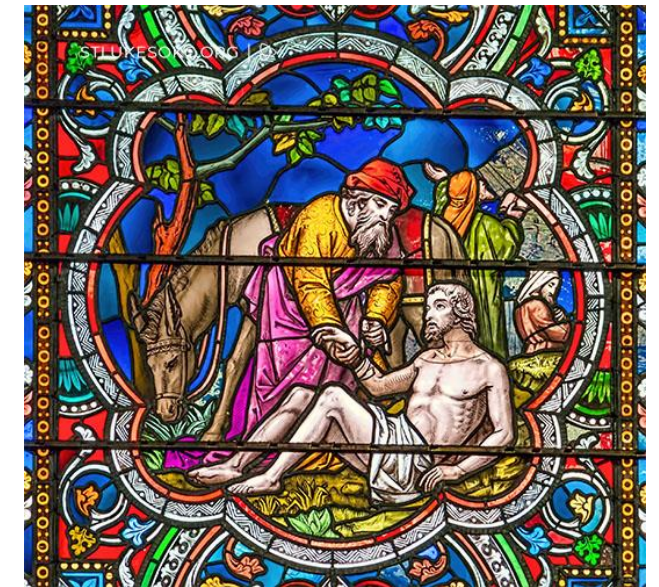


**St. John's
Presbyterian
Church
White Rock, BC**

13 July 2025

10:30am

"GO AND DO LIKE WISE"
Preacher: KENNEDY MWASHI



Love, Compassion, Service

GATHERING TO PRAISE GOD

*The asterisk * invites those who are able to stand.*

***Music As We Gather: “Give Me Oil In My Lamp”
Hymn 496: “Thy World is a Lamp”***

Welcome & Announcements

***Call to Worship**

Turn to God with confidence and expectation.

In you, O God, we place our trust.

Ask God to show us the road to follow.

Lead us, O God, in your truth and teach us your way.

Seek hope in the Lord who is our salvation.

All day long we will put our hope in the God who saves us.

We will worship God in faith, hope and trust.

****Praise Song: “Shout To The Lord”***

Prayer of Adoration

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

****Hymn 774: “God Forgave My Sin”***

***Sharing the Peace**

May the peace of Christ be with you
And also, with you

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

Prayer for Understanding

Scripture Reading: Luke 10:25-37

The Parable of the Good Samaritan

This is the WORD of GOD

Thanks be to GOD

Choral Devotion: “A Child Of God”

SERMON: “GO AND DO LIKEWISE”

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

**** Hymn 723: “Lord, In This Broken World”***

Prayers of the People & Lord’s Prayer

Invitation to the Offering

****Offertory: Doxology***

***Prayer of Dedication**

LIVING GOD’S WORD

****Hymn 82: “I To The Hills”***

***Benediction**

****Sending Out: Hymn 639: “We Are Marching”***

IN THE LIFE OF ST. JOHN’S

We Remember in Prayer

Jean Andrew, Fern Beale, Jean Chalcraft,
Janet Duncan, Doug Eyjolfson, Judy Forster,
Sheila Jakus, Scott Kelly, Phyllis McLean, Anne
McNaughton, Daniel & Annette Nichols, Rev.
Diane Tait-Katerberg, Jessie Woolley, Janet Yip’s
grandson Joshua

Please keep in your prayers Paul Odermatt and
daughter-in-law Paula Odermatt as they are
undergoing health challenges at the moment.

Prayers for healing for Phyllis McLean who just
returned home from hospital.

Requests for prayers for Emmerson, Bill and
Dorothy Glendinning’s granddaughter as she has
been diagnosed with cancer and is in the children’s
hospital.

