

Special Occasion Bulletins

Communion

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and with gratitude offer our lives to God.

We celebrate his victory over death
and anticipate the joyous feast we shall have
in his coming kingdom.

We pledge allegiance to Christ as Lord,
are fed as one church,
receive these signs of his love,
and are marked as his.

— Living Faith, 7.7.4



*Love one another
as I have loved you*

— John 15:12b



Baptism assures us
that we belong to God.
In life and in death
our greatest comfort
is that we belong
to our faithful Saviour Jesus Christ.

Living Faith 7.6.5

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COMMUNION

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*Go out into the world in peace.
Whatever you do, in word or deed,
do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus,
Giving thanks to God through him.*

Col. 3:17

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**Anyone who is in Christ
is in a new creation.
The old life has gone;
a new life has begun.**

2 Corinthians 5:17

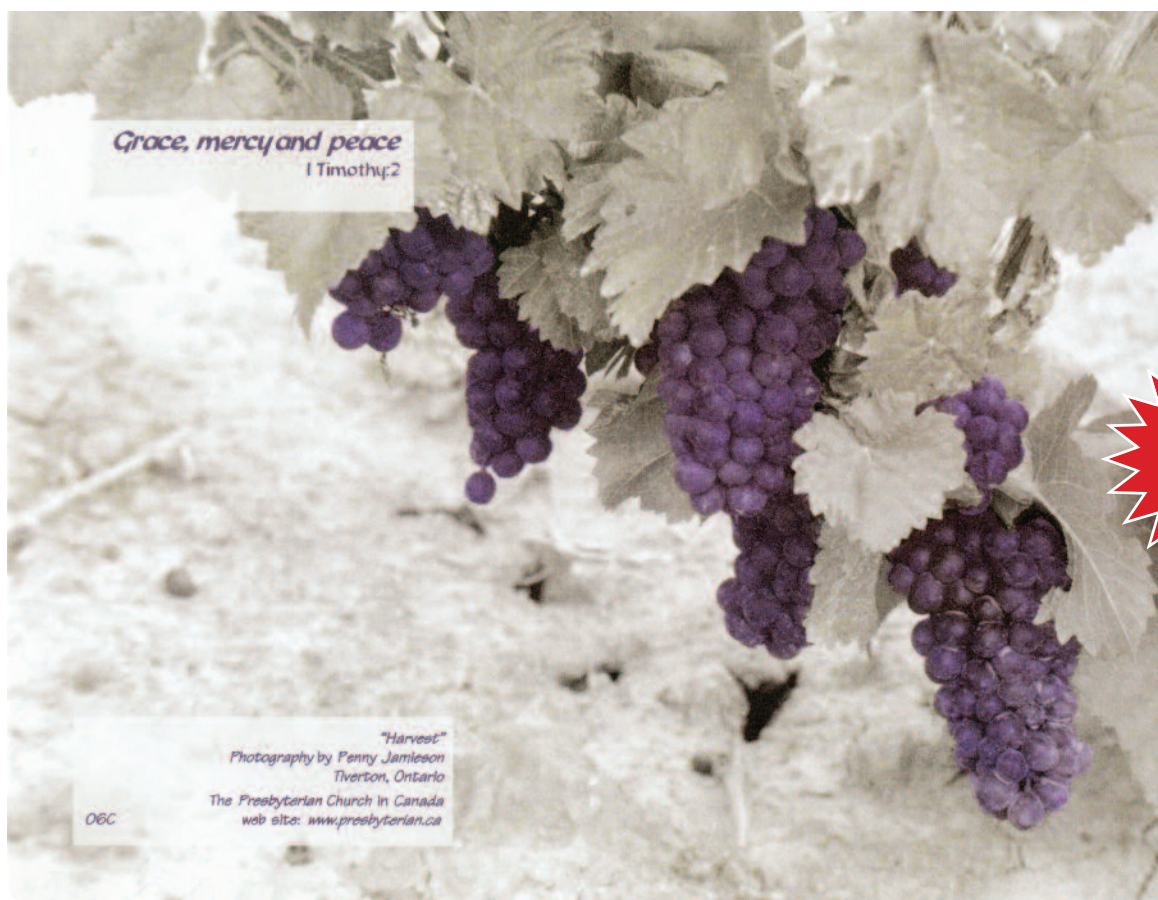
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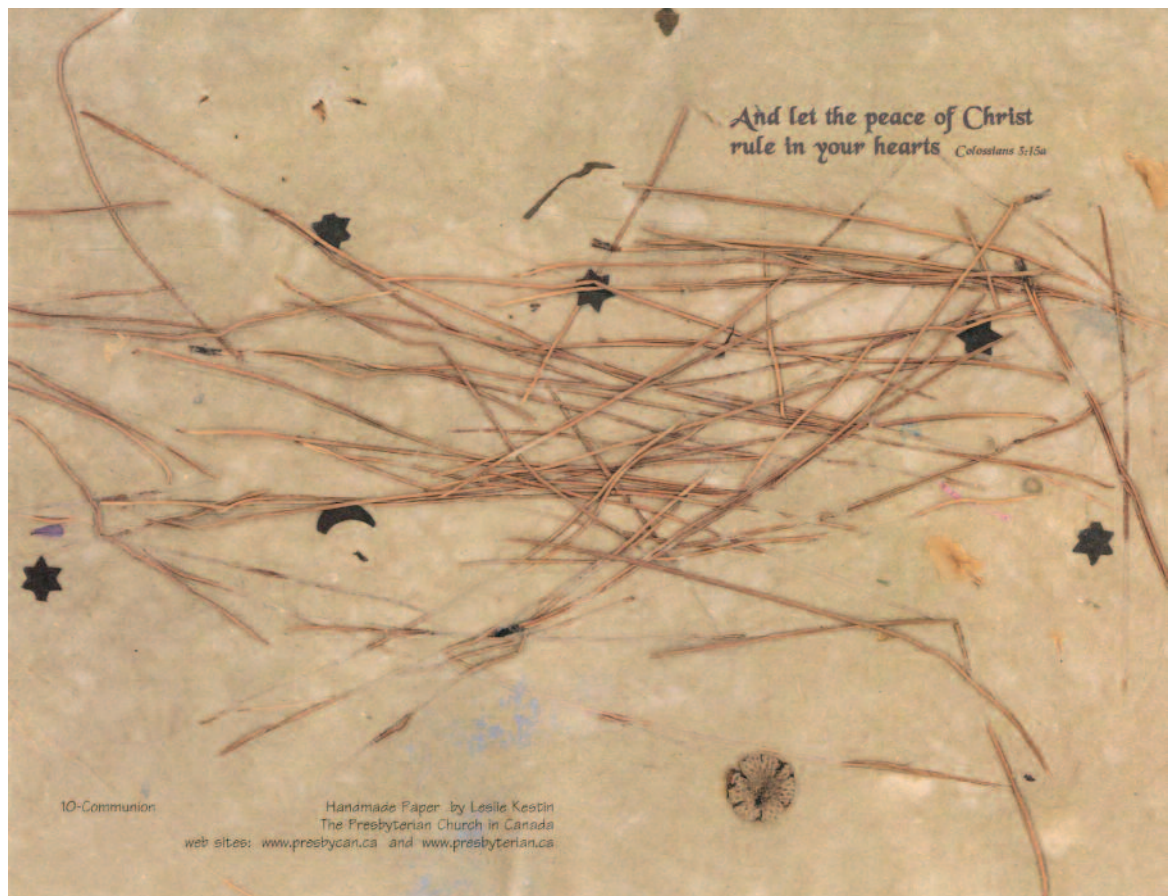
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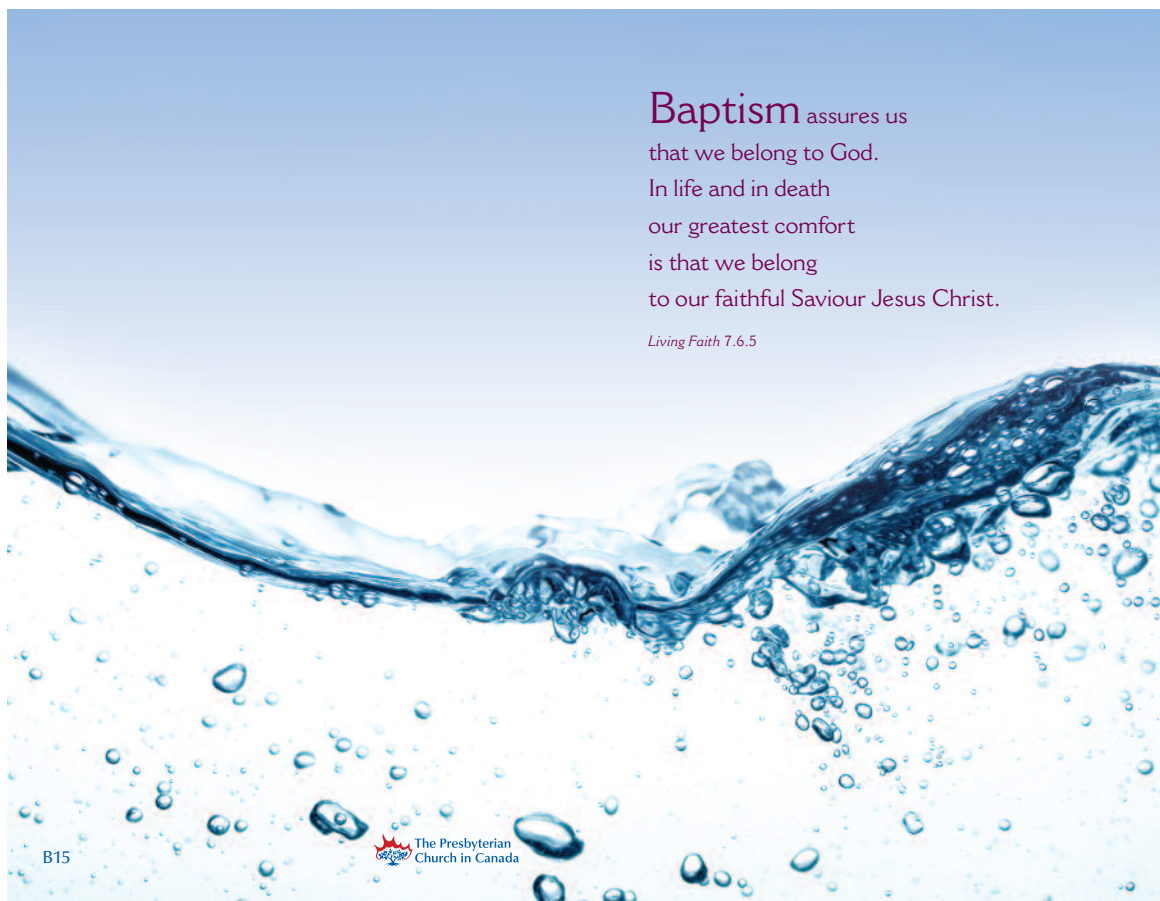
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BAPTISM

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10-Baptism

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*And remember, I am with you always,
to the end of the age. (Matthew 28:20)*

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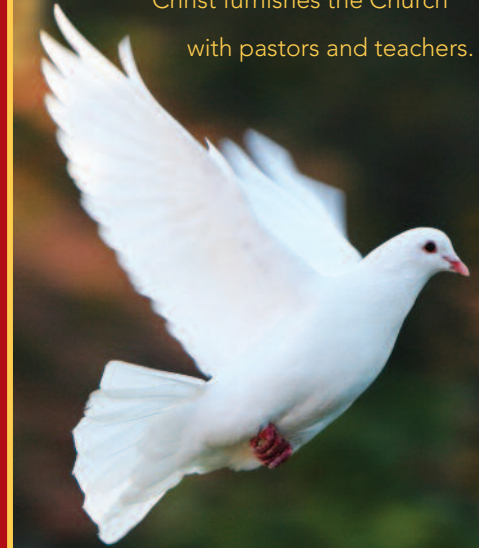
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That the Church may be
continually renewed
and nurtured for ministry,
Christ furnishes the Church
with pastors and teachers.



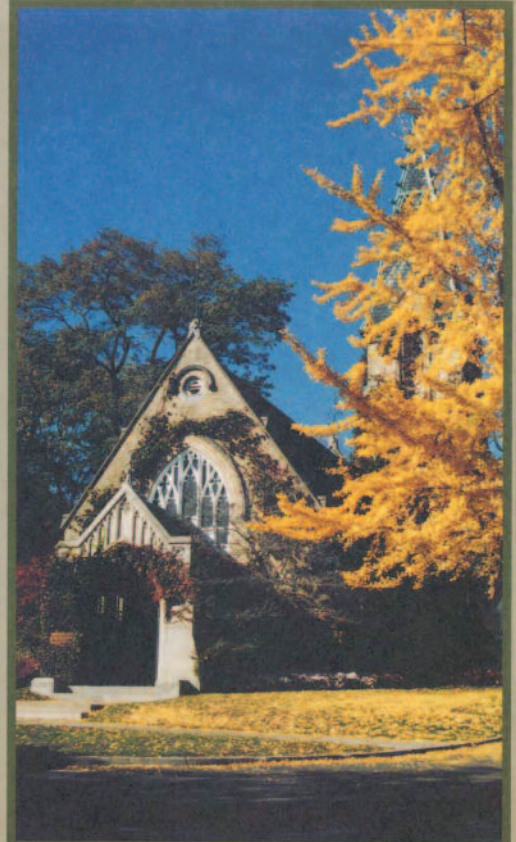
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(Ordination
of Elders)

Let each of you look not to your own
interests, but to the interests of others.
Let the same mind be in you that was in
Christ Jesus
Philippians 2:4-5

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02RCS
(Christian Service)



Recognition of Christian Service

Holy One,
You call all your people
to serve you in church and world.
You give gifts to each
that enable all to be strengthened.

We praise you this day for the special gifts
you have given your servants,
For the manner in which
they have used those gifts
in the service of Christ,
who calls us to set our hand to the plow
and not look back.

We give you thanks this day.

In a generation in which
many seek only their own ends,
we thank you for all those who put self aside
and serve others for the sake of Christ.

In such a way is the Kingdom strengthened
and God's will done.

Thanks be to God
for the gift of these servants
and for the benefits of their service to many,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

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Induction / Ordination

At a special event in the life of a congregation
the people gather, and they hear these words
"Are you now prepared to accept this call?"
If the response is yes,
the people sign their names on pieces of paper
to confirm their decision at this special event.

What is this special event?
It is the call of a congregation
to someone they have chosen to be their minister.

Miles away, or close at hand,
someone waits and waits and waits
in nervous anticipation
Will they chose me to be their minister?

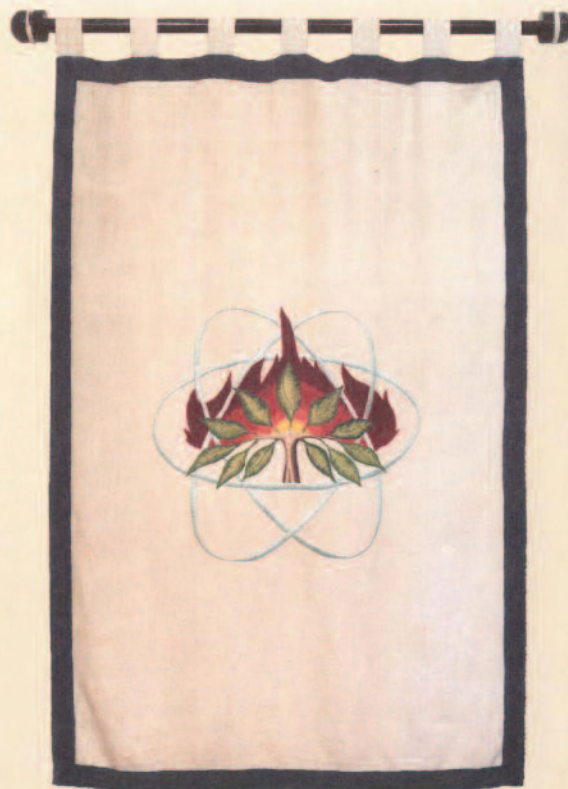
They have studied, they have toiled
in response to God's personal call
but that is not enough to be a minister.
In the Presbyterian Church in Canada
there is no individual quest.
The call to ministry involves two parties—
the minister and the congregation or institution.

No matter where the place
Small church, large church,
Suburbs or inner city
ultimately it is a community of the faithful
who confirms the call of God to an individual.
And starts the journey they will travel together.

Jean Armstrong

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ANNIVERSARY

1A

*This is my commandment,
that you love one another
as I have loved you.*

John 15:11



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*Put things in order, listen to my appeal,
agree with one another, live in peace;
and the God of love and peace will be
with you.* 2 Corinthians 13:11



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W E D D I N G

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*The flowers appear on the earth;
and the time of singing is come*

The Song of Solomon 2:12



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*I am my beloved's
and my beloved is mine.*

The Song of Solomon, 6:3a

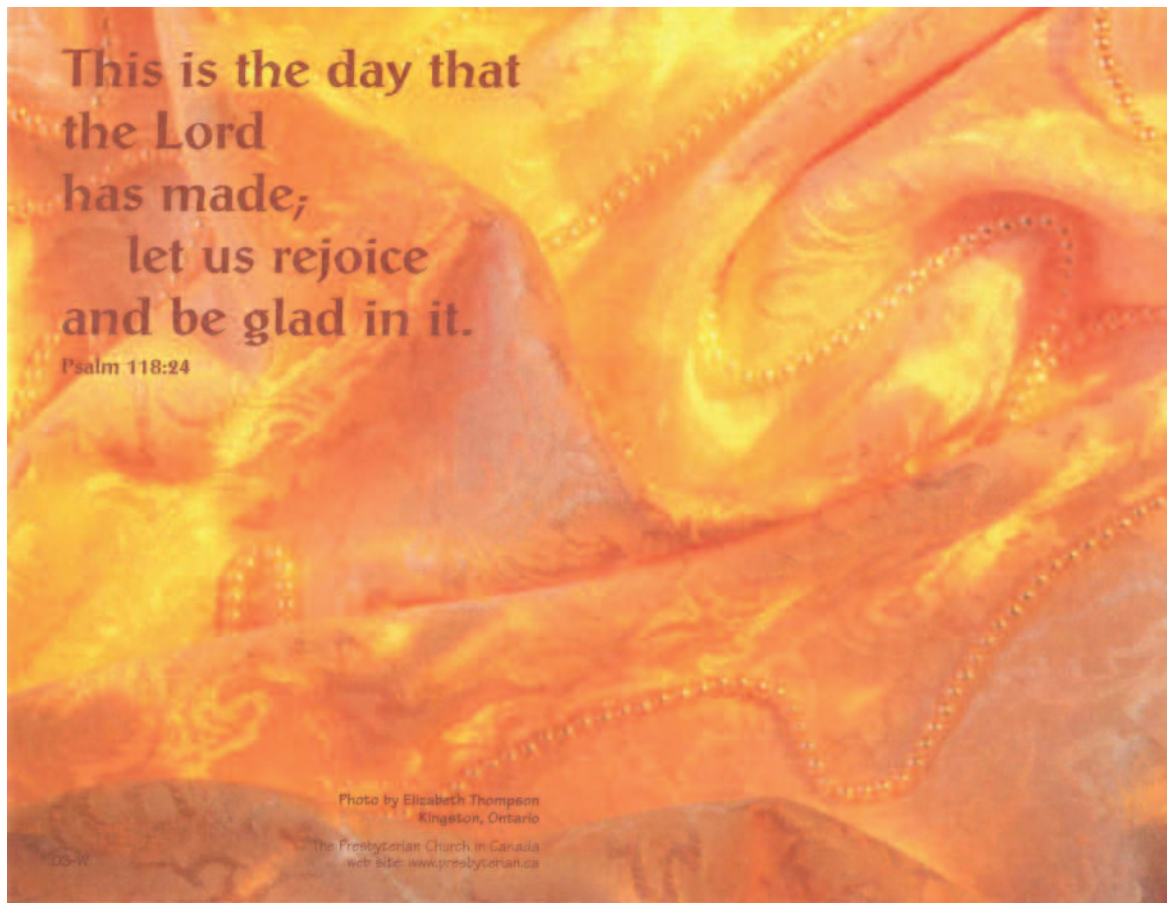


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8 Wedding



9-Wedding



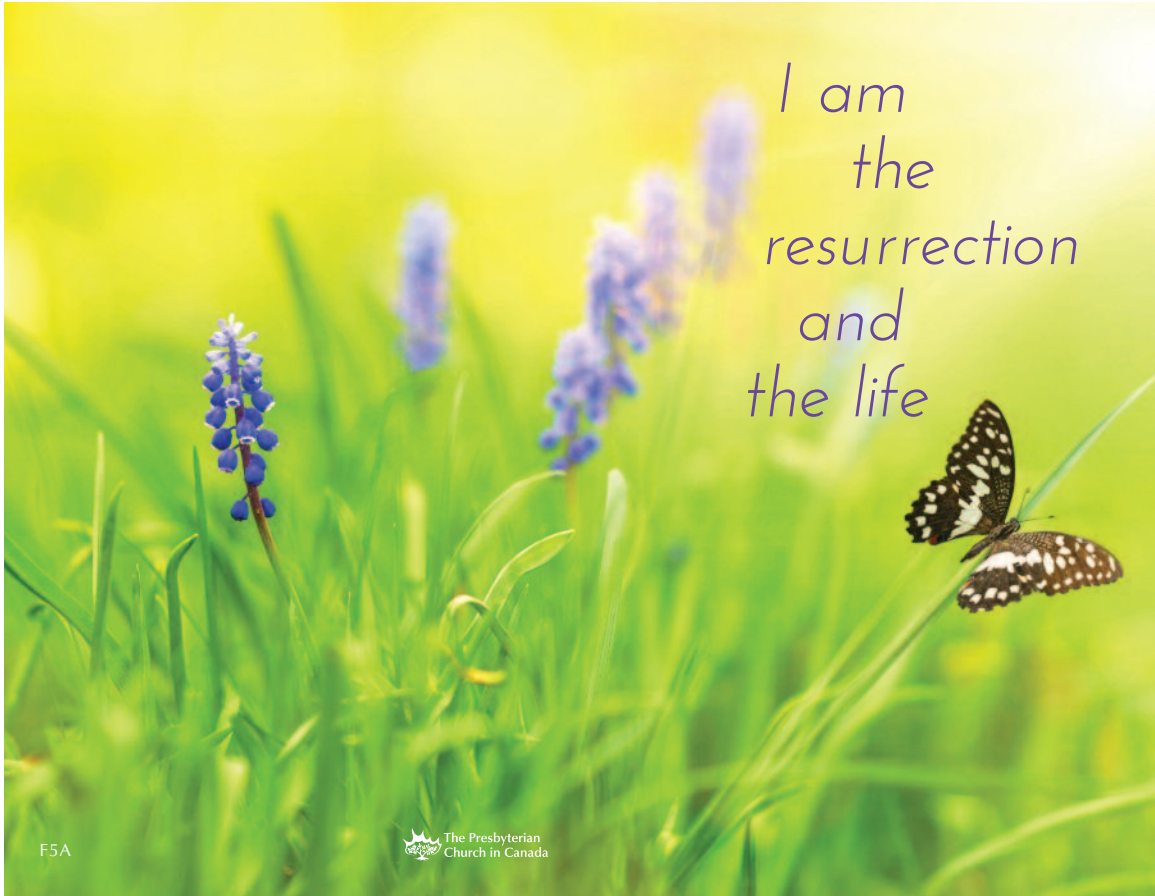
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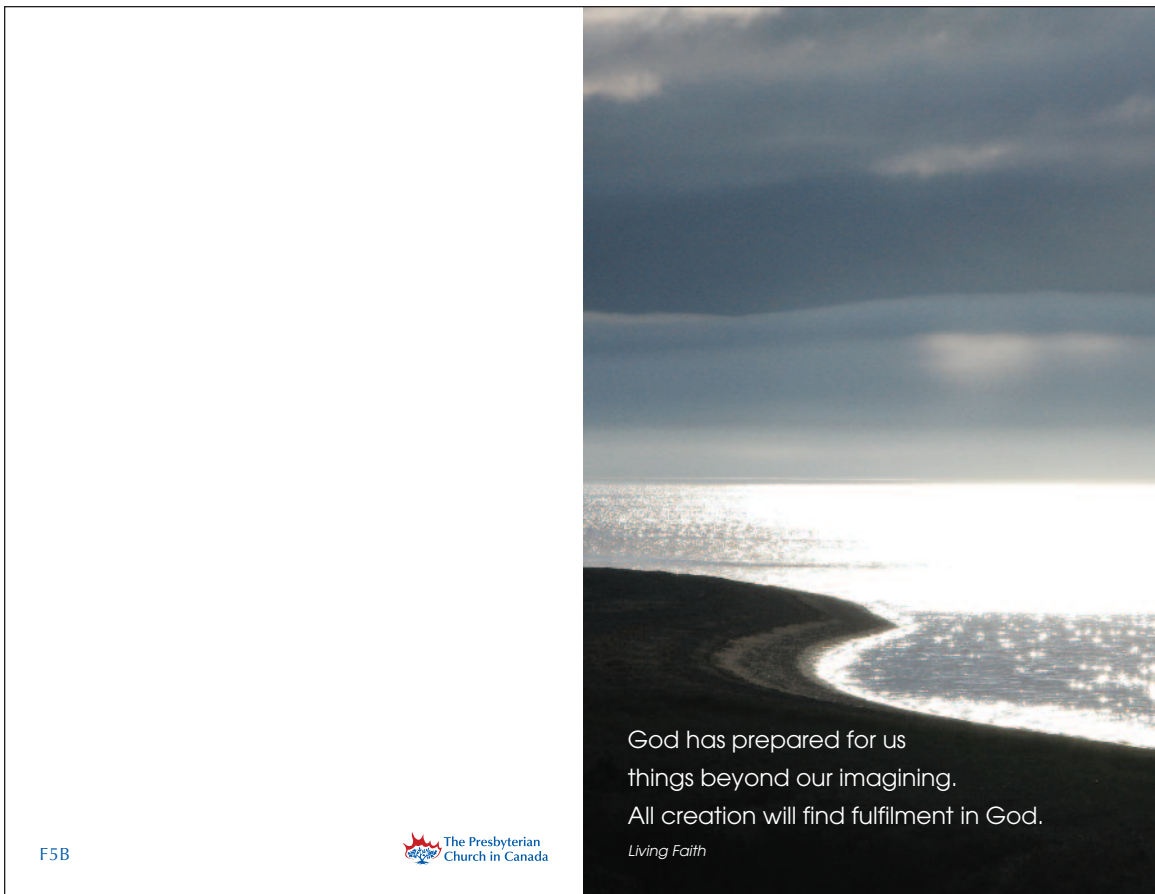
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F U N E R A L



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F5B

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*Peace I leave with you;
my peace I give to you.
Do not let your hearts be troubled,
and do not let them be afraid.
Let us lift up our hearts to the Lord.*

John 14:27



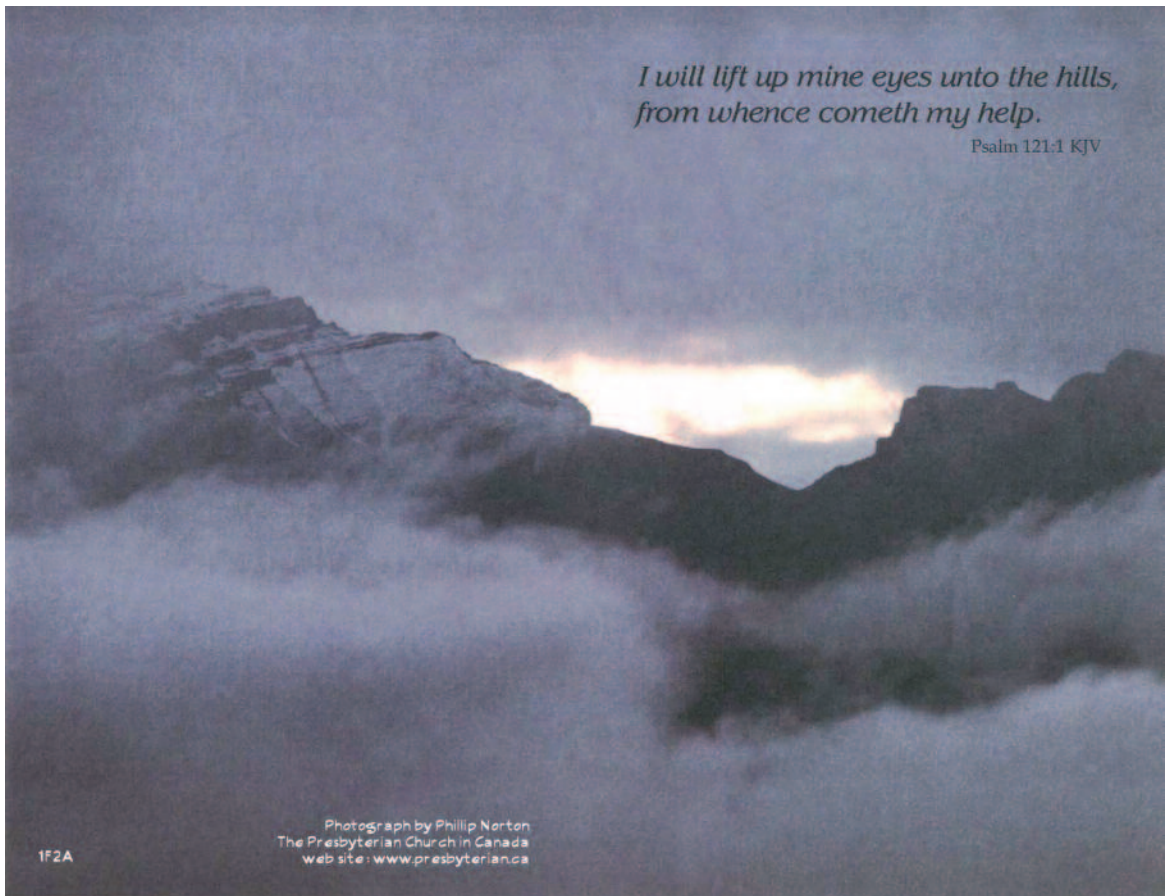
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*I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills,
from whence cometh my help.*

Psalms 121:1 KJV



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1F2A

10-Funeral

The Lord bless you and keep you;
the Lord make his face to shine
upon you and be gracious unto you;
the Lord lift up his countenance upon you,
and give you peace. *Numbers 6:24-26*

10-Funeral

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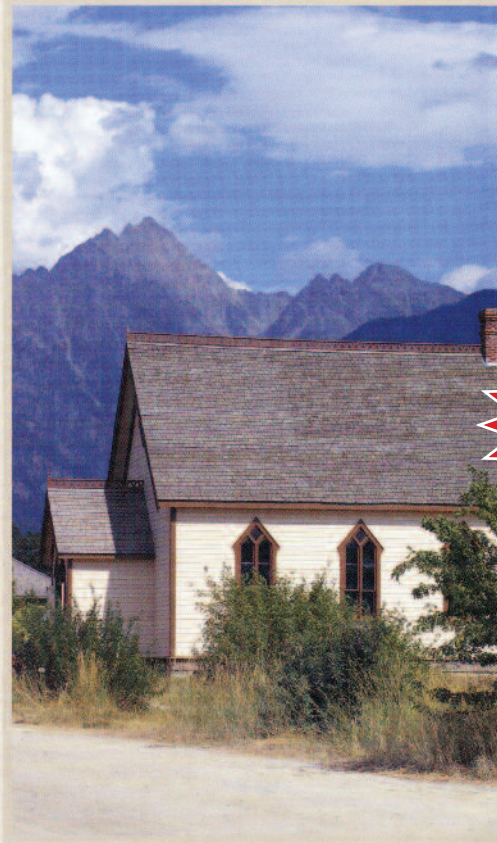
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*In returning and rest you shall be saved;
in quietness and in trust
shall be your strength.*

Isaiah 30:15, NRSV Bible



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Lectioary Readings: Acts 9:36-43; Psalm 23; Revelation 7:9-17; John 10:22-30.

"The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want."

These words begin some of the most famous and most often memorized words of scripture.

Notice something profound in this beautiful psalm.

When life is going well — when the pastures are green and the rivers calm — the Lord is there, leading. Yet God is spoken of in the third person. "He maketh me...he leadeth me...he restoreth me." The Lord is present, but is more detached.

When life is not going well — when the valleys are dark and filled with evil — God is closer. God is addressed directly in the second person. "You are with me."

It is true. We are often closer to God in times of adversity rather than tranquility.

There is still more. The troubles and adversities of this life will pass. In the Lord's house — at God's own table — we will find our cups overflowing. Reconciliation with all, enemies and loved ones alike, will take place. The Lord's house will become our eternal home and from God's table we shall never have to rise.

Through green pastures, to dark valleys, through to life everlasting, the Lord is our Good Shepherd. Thanks be to God!

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in London, Ontario.



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4th Sunday of Easter



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