

Remember in Prayer

At Home Rodney Stark. Pam Wood. Louise Beland
Helena Watkins. Rev. Garry Fillmore

Digby General Hospital Reta Thurber. Fred Cosman.
Marie Woolaver

TVT Murray Foster. Irma Peck. Amelia Whalley

Dayton Marina Outhouse

Prayer for Guidance Pulpit/Search Committee

Prayer for Peace World Situation

Bridgetown Baptist Church and Pastor Steven Hopper

CBAC Prayer Link

Happy Mother's Day! Praise God for the wonderful women he has placed in our homes and churches. Thank God for their loving kindness and how they care for those around them. Ask God to encourage and strengthen the women in your life, and pray especially for those who are grieving on this day.

Coming Events

Mon 13	1:30 pm	Bible Study
Tues 14	10 am	Aerobics Class
Wed 15	6:30 pm	Medieval Martial Arts
Thur 16	10 am	Aerobics Class
Fri 17	10 am	North Range Art Club
Sun 19	10 am	Choir Rehearsal
	11 am	Worship

Be sure and mark these dates on your calendar:

Sunday May 19th Alex will be our Guest Speaker. A luncheon will follow the service where Alex can meet with the entire congregation. A brief time will be set aside for informal questions and answers.

Sunday May 26th A motion to extend the call to Alexander McMorine as the Pastor for the United Baptist Church of Digby will be put to a vote.

Mother's Day Service
Welcome to Worship - Digby Baptist Church
Sunday, May 12, 2024

Greeters: Brian and Coreen Buckler

Worship Leaders: Heather Parry and Margo Nesbitt

Prelude

Holy Lamb of God / Hallelujah! Praise the Lamb

Margo and Heather

Opening Hymn *For the Beauty of the Earth*

Congregational Concerns

Hymn *Father, We Thank Thee*

Story Mason and Friend

Choir *Precious Memories*

Ministry in Song *Silently Now We Bow* Margo

Morning Prayer Heather

Hymn *Happy the Home*

Offertory Prayer and Offering

Organ Offertory *Far above Riches*

Offertory Response *I Love You, Lord*

Scripture 1 Samuel 1:21-28; John 19:25-27

Sermon Magnificent Mothers Rev. Don Robertson

Hymn *When Love Is Found*

Benediction Margo

Postlude Please remain seated as Cairine plays

Handel's Largo in memory of her mother,

Eleanor Mary Fraser

The Pulpit Search Committee is recommending Alexander McMorine for your consideration as the Pastor of the United Baptist Church of Digby. Alex comes from Ottawa where his parents still live. Alex commented, "I'm really excited by the ministry opportunities at DBC and by the prospect of calling Digby home after I graduate".

Alex felt God's call to ministry as a teenager but was not sure of his direction because he had planned to go into programming. However, through prayer and consultation with mentors, he decided to follow the call. In his undergrad, he studied both programming and theology. In 2015-2019 he attended Redeemer University, in Hamilton, Ontario, and graduated with a Bachelor of Science, double majoring in Computer Science and Theology. His Theology major offered him an introduction to Christian history and belief. His computer science major offered practical programming skills and perspectives on integrating programming with faith. His electives included history, philosophy, politics and music. After graduating he took a job as a programmer and volunteered at his church's youth group.

In early 2021 he felt God's calling him back to education. After much prayer and discussion with mentors, he chose to apply to Acadia Divinity College to pursue his Masters of Divinity and is graduating May 15th. Since starting seminary, he has interned in a pastoral role with two churches. Both were positive experiences. During his academic terms he interned at Wolfville Baptist Church. A major highlight from his time at WBC was leading the launch of a new young adults program. In the summers between his academic terms, he interned in Ottawa with Bromley Road Baptist Church. His responsibilities at BRBC included preaching, assisting with summer camp, and meeting with those who contacted the church looking for financial help. References from both congregations have strongly affirmed his gifts and calling. His teachers and mentors have affirmed his gifts in the areas of teaching, worship & music, and administration.

Alex is passionate about churches being present in their communities, and he sees community outreach as an important avenue for evangelism. Alex says by showing Christ's love to the community, we can make Christ known in the community.

His Non-Ministry Work Experience is very commendable and is an asset towards rounding off his experience towards ministry.