

### Volunteers

**This week (May 7<sup>th</sup>)**

**Next Week (May 14<sup>th</sup>)**

<b>Welcome Centre</b>	Jane D.	Shirley R.
<b>Nursery</b>	Erin T.; Jenny O.	Marney M.; Joy B.
<b>Pre-School</b>	Glenna H.	Glenna H.
<b>Junior Church</b>	9:30 Pam & Mike S. 11:00 Pam & Devin S.	9:30 Kathie K. & Ellen C. 11:00 Pam S. & Lara L.
<b>Foyer Hosts</b>	9:30 Ron & Cathy A. 11:00 Scott L.; Barry C.	9:30 Ron & Cathy A. 11:00 Scott L.; Barry C.
<b>Tellers</b>	Lynn E.; Donna Mac.	Lynn E.; Donna Mac.
<b>Story Teller</b>	Communion	Wendy D.
<b>Deacons</b>	Door – Graham K. Prayer – Marjorie M.	Door – Nathan J. Prayer – Sarah W.

### “Thomas: Truth Conquers Doubt”

John 20:24-31

Jesus is alive! Let's listen in as Thomas tells how he was convinced.

1. **Thomas was the ultimate p\_\_\_\_\_.** (John 20:24-25)
2. **Jesus gave the ultimate p\_\_\_\_\_.** (John 20:26-27)
3. **Thomas made the ultimate profession.** (John 20:28)  
“My **L\_\_\_\_\_** and my **G\_\_\_\_\_!**”
4. **Through Thomas, Jesus offers the ultimate p\_\_\_\_\_.**  
(John 20:29)
5. **Through John, Jesus provides the ultimate p\_\_\_\_\_.**  
(John 20:30-31)

Thomas was convinced. We can't see Jesus ourselves, but we can rely on the eyewitness testimony of those, like Thomas, who did.

#### **For reflection:**

- Do doubts about the goodness of God, the truth of the Bible, or the resurrection of Jesus seem to keep you from trusting Him fully?
- How comfortable are you when someone else voices doubts about the Christian faith?
- How can we open up the conversation to make room for people to express honest doubts, and yet feel loved and accepted?

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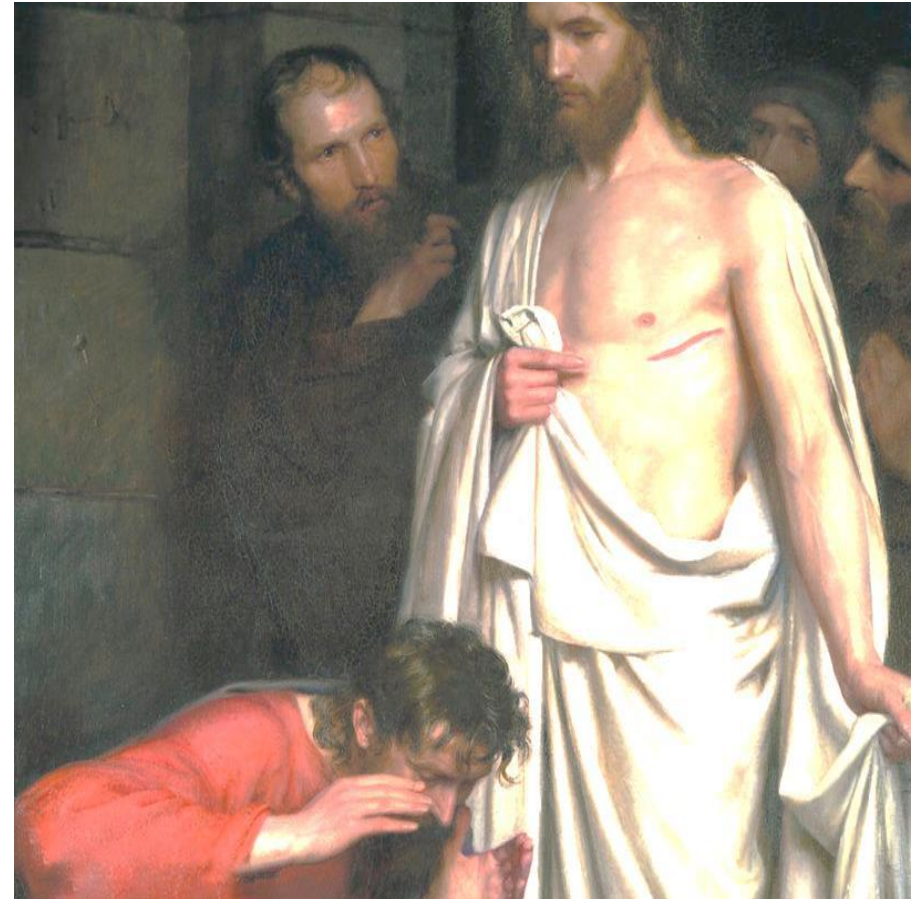
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Facebook: First Baptist Church

Childrens Ministry at First Baptist Church

## **First Baptist Church**

**235 Prince Street  
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*Thomas said to him, “My Lord and my God!”  
Then Jesus told him, “Because you have seen me, you  
have believed; blessed are those who have not seen and  
yet have believed.”*

*John 20:28-29*

**May 7, 2017**

## Welcome to First Baptist Church

*If you are visiting with us, we are delighted to have you here this morning.*

*If you need help finding something, or have a question,  
please ask one of the hosts at the doors or in the foyer.*

*There is also information at the Welcome Centre.*

*Children are invited to sit with their parents until  
they are dismissed from the service for Junior Church.*

*Sunday morning programs for children include Nursery (ages 0-2)  
Pre-School & Junior Church (ages 3-grade 6)*

*Our Sunday services include the 9:30 "Morning Well" and 11:00 "Classic Worship"*

*At 10:30 there is **Halftime Café** downstairs in the youth room.*

*This is open to everyone and offers coffee after or before church along with a snack.*

*Prayer with a pastor or deacon is offered in the chapel  
(area to the left of the sanctuary) following the service.*

Series: Convinced!

Sermon: "Thomas: Overcoming Doubt"

Scripture: John 20:19-31

### Week at a Glance

<u>Monday, May 8<sup>th</sup></u>	9:00 a.m. – Food Pantry (Carol F.; Fran P.)
<u>Tuesday, May 9<sup>th</sup></u>	1:30 p.m. – Bible Study (Book of Revelation) 6:30 p.m. – English Conversation Group
<u>Wednesday, May 10<sup>th</sup></u>	9:25 a.m. – Staff Meeting 6:15 p.m. – Missions Board Meeting 7:00 p.m. – Bible Study 7:00 p.m. – SRY
<u>Thursday, May 11<sup>th</sup></u>	7:00 a.m. – Morning Prayer 9:00 a.m. – CHANCES (in kitchen) 10:00 a.m. – Moms' Drop In 6:30 p.m. – KICK Awards Night
<u>Friday, May 12<sup>th</sup></u>	7:00 p.m. – Café – Music PEI Showcase
<u>Saturday, May 13<sup>th</sup></u>	5:00 p.m. – Faith @ Home
<u>Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup></u>	<b>Mother's Day</b> 9:30 a.m. – Morning Well 10:30 a.m. – Halftime Café 11:00 a.m. – Classic Worship



This morning we will celebrate communion together, remembering Jesus' sacrifice of his body and shedding his blood for our forgiveness.

This is also the week that we give towards the Benevolent Fund, which is administered by the deacons and pastors to help those with an emergency need.

### Calendar Notes

The **Missions Board** is meeting on Wednesday, May 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:15 p.m.

**KICK** will be having their annual **Awards Night** on Thursday May 11<sup>th</sup> and the **Fun Fair** on Thursday May 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Faith @ Home** is meeting at the church on Saturday, May 13<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m. for dinner and a special tribute to our Moms.

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**GRADUATES:** If you would like your graduate from university & college to be acknowledged in the bulletin, please submit the graduate's name, institution & discipline, parents & grandparents' names to the office. Please call 628-2111 or email [fbc@pei.aibn.com](mailto:fbc@pei.aibn.com) by Wednesday, May 10th. Thank you.

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**Bridal Celebration** -- All are invited to join us at the new 1911 Cafe (Located at 113 Longworth Ave) on Saturday, May 13th to celebrate Erin Taylor & John Chisholm's engagement. We will be arriving with Erin at 1:00pm. Drop in to pass on your congratulations to her.

**Job opening** – First Baptist Church has received a Canada Summer Jobs grant. The grant is for 10 weeks at 35 hours/week at minimum wage. The position of Summer Ministry Intern is open to students who are entering or returning to full-time post-secondary studies in the fall. This job is geared particularly to those students considering Christian ministry as a vocation. Interested individuals may apply by submitting their resume to the church office or by email to [fbc@pei.aibn.com](mailto:fbc@pei.aibn.com). **The deadline for application is Friday, May 26, 2017.**

***Congratulations*** to Ralph and Verna Bishop as they celebrate their **60<sup>th</sup>** wedding anniversary on **May 11<sup>th</sup>**!