St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church Open minds and loving hearts All are Welcome

The Baptism of the Lord

January 12, 2025

10:30 am – Holy Eucharist BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES



Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

We would like to begin by acknowledging that we are in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq People. This territory is covered by the "Treaties of Peace and Friendship" which Mi'kmaq and Wolastoqiyik (Maliseet) people first signed with the British Crown in 1725. A warm welcome to all, especially those who are worshipping with us for the first time this morning. We hope your time here today will be a blessing to you, as your presence is a blessing to us.

HOLY EUCHARIST BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

Hymn: 101 Hail to the Lord's Anointed

Greeting of the Community Gloria (sung) Collect

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PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Isaiah 43:1-7 *Victor Day* The Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

Psalm 29 *Karen Evans* Response: **The Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace.**

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now and will be for ever. Amen.

Second Reading: Acts 8:14-17 *Meghan Donahue* The Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

Gradual Hymn: 572 Let There Be Light (1-4) The Lord be with you And also with you

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Holy Gospel: Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 The Gospel of Christ **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

Gradual Hymn: 572 Let There Be Light (5-6)

Sermon

Apostles Creed (Sung)

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The Prayers of the People Dale Moffat The Confession and Absolution The Peace

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CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymns: SGP 108 Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness

Prayer over the Gifts

<u>Book of Remembrance & Memorials</u> For those who have gone before us and noted in our Book of Remembrance we give you thanks. (January 12th to 17th) Ruth Dicks, Martha Dunphy, Thomas Gunnery, Douglas Lane, John Baggs, Robert Pemberton, Clarence Verge, Verna Durkee.

Eucharistic Prayer

Holy Holy Holy (Sung)

The Lord's Prayer (Said)

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The Breaking of the Bread

O Lamb of God (Sung)

THE COMMUNION

Communion Hymn: 313 Laudate Dominum

Anthem: Come, Ever Blessed Spirit, Come

SENDING

Prayer after Communion & Blessing

With open minds and loving hearts In Jesus name we daily go With open minds and loving hearts In to the world, Christ's love to show. (Sung)

Announcements

Recessional Hymn: 371 To God Be the Glory

Dismissal

Postlude

Pastoral Care

In the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches, we pray for

St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church, Rev. Ed. Trevors and Naniya.

In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for our primate, The Most Rev'd Anne Germond; our Bishop, The Right Rev'd Sandra Fyfe and for the Chignecto Region: Maitland, Stewiacke and Shubenacadie, Archdeacon Glenn Eason, and Terry Lea.

World: we pray for, The Church of the Province of West Africa

Memorials

A memorial gift has been given to the glory of God

Wine and Host In memory of father Solomon King from Morgan and Jackie

Rest eternal grant unto him O Lord. And let light perpetual shine upon him. Amen.

Taizé Prayer Service Every Third Sunday @ 7 pm

An evening of meditative music from the Taizé Community of France. This Sunday at St. Margaret of Scotland!

Join us at 6:30 pm Tuesday nights at St Margaret of Scotland in the parish hall (downstairs) for GAME NIGHT; snacks, friends, and fun.

All Ages Ukulele Club - Thursdays in the parish hall!

Ages 10⁺ and Adult! Learn Musical skills, sing songs, play games eat snaks and make friends! No Cost! Ukuleles provided!

Celtic Service on the first Sunday evening of the month, @ 7 pm, Our Sanctuary becomes a place of contemplation and stillness, a place to experience the presence of God through prayer, ritual, and traditional music.

Cribbage Card Game Social February 8th in the Hall from 12:00 pm to 4 pm.

Week at a Glance January 12 - January 19
Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist BAS sung
2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall
7:00 pm — Scouting Meeting, Hall
Mon 8:30 am — Evermore Cleaners, Sanctuary
6:00 pm — Beavers, Hall
Tue 12:00 pm — AA, Hall
6:30 pm — Sandwich Club & Games Night, Hall
Wed 9:00 am — Yoga, Sanctuary
11:00 am — Surprise the World, Sanctuary
12:00 pm — Prayer and Meditation, Sanctuary
6:00 pm — Cubs, Scouts, Venturers, Hall
Thu 9:30 am — St. Mary's Lawn Bowling, Hall
1:00 pm — Music with Babies, Sanctuary
1:00 pm — Holy Eucharist, Samuel Prince Manor
4:00 pm — Parish Council Meeting, Sanctuary
4:15 pm — Ukulele Club, Hall
6:00 pm — Embers & Guides, Hall
7:00 pm — Choir, Sanctuary
Fri 6:00 pm — AA, Sanctuary
— Event Prep, Kitchen & Hall
Sat 8:30 am — Orthodox Congregation, Sanctuary & Hall
2:00 pm — Event Prep & Set Up, Hall & Sanctuary
7:00 pm — Robbie Burns Tribute Evening, Sanctuary & Hall
Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist BAS
2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall
7:00 pm — Taizé Prayer Service, Sanctuary

Casserole Luncheon Thursday, January 30, 11:30 am!

In addition to deserts and casseroles we also need coffee, tea, milk, cream, salad greens, tiny tims, cucumbers, salad dressing. Please let Anne King know (902-453-6912) if you can help.

The Robbie BurnsTribute Evening will be on January 18th, 7 pm. Traditional Scottish Entertainment, Poetry reading, Ode to The Haggis, A taste of Scottish Cuisine – haggis, neeps & tatties and more! Free will offering at the door

Margaret of Scotland Mission Statement:

For the glory of God and the welfare of God's people, we are committed to share the love, joy, peace and hope of God with our friends, families and neighbours. Through vibrant, meaningful and authentic ministries, worship and fellowship, we will strive to reach out into the world emulating the compassion and devotion of His servant, our patron, St. Margaret of Scotland and to be the hands and feet of Jesus Christ alive and active in our community.



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