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

The Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

February 9, 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 te first time this morning. We hope your time here today will be a blessing to you, as your presence is a blessing to us.

Readings:

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HOLY EUCHARIST BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

Hymn: 1 Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty

Greeting of the Community

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Gloria (sung)

Collect

PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Isaiah 6:1-8 (9-13) *Janet Templeton* Psalm 133 *Meghan Donahue* Response: **The Lord will make good his purpose for me.**

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: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 Victor Day

The Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

Gradual Hymn: 455 Dear God, Compassionate and Kind

(vv. 1-3)

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 5:1-11

The Gospel of Christ Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Gradual Hymn: 455 Dear God, Compassionate and Kind

(vv. 4-5)

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The Peace

CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymns: MP 857 I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

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. (February 9 to February 15) Ada Munroe, Ethel Downer, Alma Gunnery.

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: 338 Adoreumus Te Jesus Christe

Motet: Ye People All In One Accord - John Mundy

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: 527 How Firm a Foundation

Dismissal

Postlude

Pastoral Care

In the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches, we pray for Hope United Church, Rev. Dr. Kathleen Anderson

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 **PEI Region**: <u>Crapaud</u>, The Rev'd Cathy Pharo, Priest in Charge and Chris.

<u>World</u>: we pray for, The Anglican Church in The Anglican Church of Australia

Memorials

A memorial gift has been given to the glory of God

To the Furnace Fund In memory of Betty Purcell from Diane & Don Snider

<u>To the Endowment Fund</u> In memory of Betty Purcell from Greta Moore Gertrude Nickerson Charles & Kim Purcell John & Valerie Arnold

<u>Christmas Memorial</u> To the Altar Guild in memory of Husband Whitman & daughter Dawn from Muriel Harris

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

Week at a Glance

February 9 - February 16

- 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 Annual Reports Due st.mofs@gmail.com
 - 8:30 am Evermore Cleaners, Sanctuary
 - 6:00 pm Beavers, Hall
- Tue 12:00 pm AA, Hall
 - 6:30 pm 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 9:00 am St. Mary's Lawn Bowling, Hall
 - 1:00 pm Music with Babies, Sanctuary
 - 4:15 pm Ukulele Club, Hall
 - 6:00 pm Embers & Guides, Hall
- 7:00 pm Choir, Sanctuary
- Fri 6:00 pm AA, Sanctuary
- Sat 8:30 am St. James Indian Orthodox Service, Sanctuary & Hall
- 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 Taizé Prayer Service, Sanctuary

St. George's is hosting a benefit concert <u>at 7 pm on Monday, February 10</u> in support of the Church in northern Saskatchewan.. There is no cost for admission, and a reception will follow after the concert in the Church Hall. This benefit coincides with the visit of three priests - Fr Brody Albers, Fr Eugene Merasty, and **Fr Jordan Draper** from the Diocese of Saskatchewan, and there will be an invitation to give financially toward an exciting undertaking of the Church. The Diocese of Saskatchewan is producing a short-to-medium length film to assist in the task of catechesis. It will provide those preparing to receive the Sacrament of Baptism and Confirmation with a resource that can be accessible to anyone who has an internet connection. This video will also serve as an introduction to the Church into which we are baptized, and it will extend this welcome from the distinct perspective of the indigenous Church. The production of a beautiful and compelling film is costly, but the result will be a useful and edifying gift for the whole Church.

Welcome Party! On Family Day, February 17 from 2 to 4 PM We will be hosting a Welcome Party <u>Potluck</u> for Ikeena and Grace's children, Christabel Amadi (7), Jachike and Jachinma (4) at the church hall. We will create a <u>money tree</u> to bless their family. So bring something for the money tree, if you're able, and for the potluck, if you're able. Food, fun activities for kiddos, and great people is a magical combination. Hope to see you there.

The Annual Meeting will be on February 23 and Annual Reports are due on February 10th.

Friends of St. Margaret of Scotland present in concert, Evans and Doherty, Saturday, March 8, 2025 at 7 PM. Tickets \$30. See or call Joanna 902-495-8883.

Celtic Service every first Sunday of the week @ 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.

All Ages Ukulele Club - Thursdays 4:15 pm in the parish hall!

Taizé Prayer Service Every Third Sunday @ 7 pm An evening of meditative music from the Taizé Community of France.

Saint Stevens Elementary is in need of extra mittens and is wondering if any knitters in the church would be willing to make some for the kids. Thank you in advance for any help you can give.

St. 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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