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

The Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

February 16, 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: https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2025-02-16

HOLY EUCHARIST BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

Hymn: 381 Praise My Soul Greeting of the Community Gloria (sung) Collect

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PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Jeremiah 17:5-10 Judy Carpenter

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

Psalm 1 Fred Carpenter Response: Happy are they who trust in the Lord..

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 15:12-20 James Haviland

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

Gradual Hymn: 555 O God of Bethel by Whose Hand (vv.1-2)

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 6:17-26

The Gospel of Christ Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Gradual Hymn: 555 O God of Bethel by Whose Hand (vv.3-4)

Sermon

Apostles Creed (Sung)

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The Prayers of the People Danny Ray The Confession and Absolution The Peace

CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymns: 487 Where Charity and Love Prevail

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 16 to February 22) Mildred Banfield, Alice Strum, Susan Rose, Roy Banfield, Myrtle Kendal, Walter Whittemore, Lucy Ball.

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: 402 Confitemini Domino

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: 565 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Dismissal Postlude

Pastoral Care

In the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches, we pray for St. Mark's Anglican Church, Rev. Tammy Hodge Orovec, Rev. Vivien Hannon, Rev. Jim Purchase, Rev. Dianne Parker, Rev. Keith Hamlin.

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>Milton/Rustico</u>, [vacant]

World: we pray for, The Anglican Church of Bangladesh

Week at a Glance

February 16 - February 23

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

- Mon 8:30 am Evermore Cleaners, Sanctuary
 - 2:00 pm Welcome Party, 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
 - 4:00 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
- Sat 8:30 am St. James Indian Orthodox Service, Sanctuary & Hall
- 9:30 am Women's Breakfast, Jenny's (Lady Hammond Rd.)
- Sun 8:30 am Holy Eucharist BCP said
 - 10:30 am Holy Eucharist BAS Sung (Funday Sunday)
 - Annual General Meeting, Sanctuary
 - 2:00 pm Bops with Tots, Hall
 - 5:00 pm Friends & Neighbours Potluck, Hall

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 next **Women's Breakfast** will be on February 22 at 9:30 am at Jenny's on Lady Hammond Road.

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

Casserole Luncheon Thursday, February 27, 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 at (902-453-6912) if you can help.

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

Book Club starting up soon - starting with CS Lewis' The Screwtape Letters. If anyone needs a copy let Rev. Ed know and he will place an order.

Celtic Service every first Sunday 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.

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 Stephen's 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.

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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