

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

March 30, 2025

10:30 am Family Service [Sung]

HOLY EUCHARIST  
SOUTH INDIA LITURGY



The Story of Two Sons

**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.

Readings: <https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2025-03-30>

## HOLY EUCHARIST

From The Community of the Anglican Church of South India

The hymns are in *the blue Common Praise Hymn Book*.

*The service is in the Funday School Booklet.*

### GATHERING

*Prelude*

Welcome and Gathering

#### **Processional Hymn: Thank You Song**

Greeting and Land Acknowledgement

Kids' Prayer

#### **Collect of Purity (Sung) (pg. 3)**

Confession and Absolution

Passing of The Peace

### PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Psalm 32

**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.**

#### **Gradual Hymn: 352 Amazing Grace (vv. 1-3)**

Holy Gospel: Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

#### **Gradual Hymn: 352 Amazing Grace (vv. 4-5)**

Sermon

Activity

#### **Offertory Hymn: 401 My Life Flows On in Endless Song**

Prayers of the People

### EUCHARIST FROM SOUTH INDIA

Prayer of Consecration

#### **Lord's Prayer (Sung)**

#### **Communion Hymn: 549 Our Darkness is Never Darkness**

Chant: Song of Mary

## POST COMMUNION AND SENDING

Prayer After Communion & Blessing

Parish Motto (Sung): **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.**

Announcements

**Happy Birthday to you  
Jesus' love makes all things new  
May all of God's blessings  
Now descend upon you**

**Recessional Hymn: 513 Guide My Feet**

Dismissal

*Postlude (Please remain seated)*

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### **Book of Remembrance**

For those who have gone before us and noted in our Book of Remembrance we give you thanks. (March 31 to April 6)  
Michael Fisher, Robert Dauphinee.

### **Pastoral Care**

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n the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches, we pray for  
St. Stephen's Roman Catholic Church, Fr. Nathaniel Desroches.

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 **Northumbria Region** In Canso, All Saints by the Sea, Canso, Holy Trinity,  
Whitehead Christ Church, Queensport Good Shepherd, Tor Bay St. James', Halfway  
Cove Christ Church, Guysborough.

World: we pray for, The Province of the Anglican Church of the Congo.

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**Homemade Hot Cross Buns**, just in time for Easter.

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& pay to Smoshalifax@outlook.com. Deadline for orders is Sunday April 13th. Will be  
ready for pickup\_Saturday April 19, 1pm to 3 pm, in the church hall.

## **Week at a Glance                      March 30 - April 6**

Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said  
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist, BAS Sung (Family Service)  
2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall

Mon 8:30 am — Evermore Cleaners, Sanctuary  
6:00 pm — Beavers, Hall

Tue 12:00 pm — AA, Hall  
6:30 pm — Sandwich Club followed by Games Night, Hall

Wed 9:00 am — Yoga, Sanctuary  
11:00 am — Surprise the World Action Group, 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  
1:30 pm — Holy Eucharist at Samuel Prince Manor  
4:15 pm — Ukulele Club, Hall  
6:00 pm — Embers & Guides, Hall  
7:00 pm — Choir, Sanctuary

Fri 1:00 pm — Set up & Prep for Catering, Hall  
6:00 pm — AA, Sanctuary

Sat 9:00 am - 5:00 pm — Catering Tartan Day, Hall

Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said  
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist BAS Sung (Installation of Parish Council)  
2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall  
7:00 pm — Celtic Prayer Service, Sanctuary

The SWAG is going to be running our second Annual Neighbourhood Easter Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday, after church, and we're looking for donations of Easter candy and plastic eggs. If you are able to help with this, we would be very grateful. Thank you!

**Book Club Sundays at 12:30 pm!** We are starting with CS Lewis' The Screwtape Letters.

**Save The Date!** Please join us to celebrate the marriage of Susan & Robert, May 10th 2025 at 1.30 pm. St. Margaret of Scotland Church 3715 Robie St. Halifax. Afternoon Tea Reception To follow in church hall.

**News from The Friends of St. Margaret** Thank you to all who supported our Annual Fundraiser Concert, Evans and Doherty. It was very successful. Monies raised enable us to continue our inreach and outreach programs. Speaking of inreach, we are happy to host a free Spaghetti Dinner and Name that Tune, **Saturday, April 12, at 5:00 pm**, for you, the Parishioners of St. Margaret of Scotland. It is always nice to get together, to share food, (spaghetti, caeser salad, and make your own sundaes), friendship, and build community that feeds our souls. Please reply by April 6th if attending by signing the chart at the back of the church, (see Susan) or by calling Joanna at 902-495-8883.  
**Mark Your Calendar:** Evans and Doherty Concert March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2026.



## Lent & Holy Week Worship

Lent - March 9 to April 6, Sunday Worship 8:30 am & 10:30 am

**Taizé Prayer Service** Every Third Sunday March 16 @ 7 pm An evening of meditative music from the Taizé Community of France.

**Celtic Service** every first Sunday of the month April 6 @ 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.

Palm Sunday - April 13, Holy Eucharist, 8:30 am & 10:30 am

Holy Tuesday - April 15, Prayer and Meditation 7:00 pm

Holy Wednesday - April 16, Taize Prayer Service 7:00 pm

Maundy Thursday - April 17, Eucharist & Washing of Feet, 7:00 pm

Good Friday - April 18, Good Friday Service, 10:30 am  
- Stations of the Cross, 1:30 pm

Holy Saturday - April 19, Easter Vigil, 9:00 pm

Easter Sunday - April 20, 8:30 am & 10:30 am

**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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