

Upcoming Events :

Breakfast Supplies: Thank you to those who have volunteered to supply food items. The food should be at the church by Friday, April 22nd.

Saturday, April 23: Pancake Breakfast – This will be a fundraiser for the Syrian Refugee project. It will be held from 8:00am to 10:30am. The menu will be Pancakes, sausages, baked beans, coffee & tea with a fruit dessert. The cost will be a free will offering.

Saturday, April 30: Spring Yard Sale – It's that time of year to gather up your saleable, good quality items and save them for our yard sale. Items can be picked up or you can bring them to the church on Friday, April 29. Please no old model TVs. Call Wayne O'Hara at 455-3200

Proclamation 2016: St. Margaret's has been assigned readings from the bible for Thursday, May 5th, from noon to 5pm. There will be a sign up sheet with the readings on the back table. We need 15 readers with each reader reading 3 readings. Readings could take from 2 to 8 minutes to read. We also need 2 people to set out the snacks that we are asking parish members to supply. Andy will let us know at a later date as to what snacks to supply.

Thursday, May 12: ACW Bridge Luncheon – St. Margaret's ACW is hosting its first Bridge Luncheon on May 12 from 12, noon to 3:00pm. Reserve a table of 4 for \$40. Call Cathy Lutes at 459-3265 or 447-8695.

Lay Readers' Day: A day with the Bishop will be held Saturday, May 14 from 9:00am – 4:00pm at Christ Church (Parish) Church. Register online through the Diocesan website.

“For the comfort of all attending services, please observe our scent – free policy.”

Special Ministries Next Sunday April 24, 2016

8:30 AM
Lay Reader: Nancy Robinson
10:30 AM
First Lesson: Jeffrey Mills
Second Lesson: Cathy Lutes
Lay Readers: Peggy Boucher
Polly Brooks
Prayer Desk: Nancy Wiggins
Sidespersons: Georgina Terry
Frank Brooks
Counters: Una Chandra
Sandy McCarty
Chancel Guild: Wendy Smith
Sunday School: Maria Thomas

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Parish Health Ministry Coordinator: Faith Cormier
Music Ministry: Deborah Smith
Parish Wardens: Ken Brien, Bob Boucher
Parish Treasurer: Carl Dunphy

Services and Readings for Next Sunday: April 24, 2016

5th Sunday of Easter (Year C)

8:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist
10:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist
Acts 11: 1-18 NT Page 130
Psalm 148 BAS Page 907-908
Revelation 21: 1-6 NT Page 259
John 13: 31-35 NT Page 108



Fourth Sunday Of Easter

Sunday, April 17, 2016

St. Margaret's Anglican Church Welcomes You

Let peace surround you as you sit or kneel quietly. Let the hurry and worry of your life fall away from you. You are God's child. He loves and cares for you. He is here with you –and always. Give yourself time for Him. Have a happy day and may God bless you.

SUNDAY SERVICES

8:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist: BAS Page 230
10:30am: Holy Eucharist: BAS Page 185

Special Ministries Today April 17, 2016

8:30 AM
Lay Reader: Ken Brien
10:30 AM
First Lesson: Sylvia Woodcock
Second Lesson: Bob Boucher
Lay Readers: Cathy Lutes
Carolyn Pellow
Prayer Desk: Polly Hodgson
Sidespersons: Jeffrey Mills
Rachel Brinkman-Mills
Counters: Brenda and Carl Dunphy
Chancel Guild: Peggy Boucher
Sunday School: Maria Thomas

The Holy Eucharist

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

♪ ♪ HYMN HB 49
“Alleluia Sing to Jesus”
Greeting Page 185
♪ ♪ “As We Are Gathered”

Collect for Purity (All) Page 185
Glory To God (sung) Page 186

Collects: *All together, please*

**O God of peace,
who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus
Christ, that great shepherd of the sheep, by the
blood of the eternal covenant, make us perfect in
every good work to do your will, and work in us
that which is well-pleasing in your sight; through
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Proclamation of the Word

📖 **1st Lesson:** Acts 9: 36-43
NT Pages 128

Following the reading of each lesson:
Reader: The Word of the Lord.
All: Thanks be to God.

Psalm: 23 BAS Page 731

📖 **2nd Lesson:** Revelation 7: 9-17
NT Page 249-250

♪ ♪ **Gradual Hymn** HB 321
“Lift High the Cross”

📖 **Holy Gospel:** Matthew 5: 13-18
NT Page 4

Reader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew:

All stand for the reading of the Gospel

People: **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

At the conclusion of the Gospel, the reader says:

The Gospel of Christ.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Children's Story

♪ ♪ **Children's Hymn** MP 181
"God Forgave My Sin"

Children leave with Maria for Sunday school.

Sermon

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THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Show yourself to us as we work and worship, O Jesus, and receive the prayers of your church on behalf of the whole creation, as we say: We will exalt you, O God; because you have lifted us up. The church joins the song of the angels and all of the company of heaven crying, "Worthy is the Lamb to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!"

We will exalt you, O God;

because you have lifted us up.

In the resurrection Jesus Christ has triumphed over all powers and dominions and revealed the way of love to be the way of life: Visit those who exercise authority in our nation and in the world, Almighty One, and grant them a vision of your kingdom.

We will exalt you, O God;

because you have lifted us up.

Listen to those who cry out to you, O

Compassionate One, and restore their lives: Turn their wailing into dancing; put off their sack-cloth and clothe them with joy.

We will exalt you, O God;

because you have lifted us up.

Gracious God, guide us in our daily work in this community, upholding us when we labor and have nothing to show for it, and strengthening us to follow you faithfully and to serve the common good.

We will exalt you, O God;

because you have lifted us up.

Your favour endures for a lifetime. Look with compassion upon those for whom we pray, especially___.

Weeping may spend the night, but joy comes in the morning.

Our hearts sing to you without ceasing: Accept our gratitude for all of the blessings you shower upon us, especially for___.

We will give you thanks forever.

O God, be our helper. Comfort those who mourn and receive into your heavenly glory those who have died, especially___.

We will exalt you, O God;

because you have lifted us up.

Our Glorious God, blessing and honor and glory and might be yours forever and ever: Let your Spirit empower our labor as we feed your lambs and tend your sheep, that all people may know the comfort and presence of the Risen One, to whom we give glory and blessing, with the Father and the Holy Spirit, One God, forever and ever. **Amen**

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The Peace Page 192

Announcements

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord: I know my own and my own know me. *John 10:14*

♪ ♪ **OFFERTORY HYMN** HB 132
"The King of Love"

The Prayer over the Gifts:

**God of loving care,
you spread before us the table of life, and give us
the cup of salvation to drink. Keep us always in
the fold of your Son Jesus Christ, our Saviour
and our Shepherd. Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer 3 Pages 198-200

Proper Preface for Easter Page 222

The Lord's Prayer Page 211

The Breaking of the Bread #8 Page 213

♪ ♪ COMMUNION HYMNS

Hymn of the Month – MP 810 – "By Your Side"
"Wonderful, Merciful Saviour"

The Prayer after Communion:

**God of steadfast love,
watch over the Church redeemed by the blood of
your Son. May we who share in these holy
mysteries come safely to your eternal kingdom,
where there is one flock and one shepherd. We
ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the risen
Lord. Amen.**

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THE BLESSING

♪ ♪ **FINAL HYMN** HB 131
"The Lord's My Shepherd"

DISMISSAL Page 215

DISMISSAL SONG "Send Us Out"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today

√ We welcome all visiting with us today, and invite you to stay for coffee and conversation.

9:30a.m. – **Choir Practice**

This Week

√ Tuesday

9:00 a.m. – **Coffee Club:** Cards, crafts and conversation. Come and bring friends. All welcome.

1:30p.m.–2:30p.m. – **Bible Study: Book of Acts**

√ Wednesday

9:30a.m.-11:30p.m. – **Parents and Tots**

7:00p.m. – 8:00p.m. – **Meditative Prayer Study**

√ Thursday

7:00p.m. – **Parish Life Meeting**

√ Friday

6:00p.m. – 8:00p.m. – **Setting up for Breakfast**

√ Saturday

8:00 a.m. – 10:30a.m. – **Pancake Breakfast**

Electronic Funds Transfer (e-offering): This program, provided by the Diocese, makes available a service whereby individuals can make their parish offerings through a direct debit to their individual bank accounts. This will be accomplished through an electronic funds transfer system through which funds are moved into the Parish Operating Account. Consider signing up for e-offering today and provide ongoing support to our Parish through regularly scheduled electronic transfer. Applications are available on the bookshelf in the Narthex. Questions? Contact Carolyn at capellow@gmail.com

"Please remember our food basket."