

**Upcoming Events:**

**Holy Baptism:** We would like to Congratulate & Bless Melissa O’Neill as she receives her Holy Baptism this morning during the 8:30 service.

**ACW Meeting:** There will be an ACW meeting directly after church today in the conference room. We will be discussing the upcoming Bridge Luncheon, Christmas Bazaar and Pork loin Dinner.

**Shared Lunch:** There will be a shared lunch next Sunday following the 10:30 service. Everyone is welcome.

**Life Stories:** Mary Louise Luck is offering another session where she will help you to write your life story. If you want more information, sign the sheet at the back table or you can contact Mary Louise at 450-7021

**Blood Pressure Clinic:** Kathleen Snow will be at the church on Sunday, Oct. 15 from 9:30-10:30am for the blood pressure clinic.

**Bridge Luncheon:** St. Margaret’s ACW will be holding a Bridge Luncheon on Thursday, October 19, from 12 – 3pm. This has been a very successful fundraiser and is not possible without the generous help from the parishioners with sandwiches & sweets and time preparing & working at the luncheon. Expect a call in late September for assistance.

**Fall Yard Sale:** There will be a Fall Yard Sale at the church on Saturday, October 28 from 7:30am-12:00pm. Start collecting your gently used items and bring them to the church on Thursday, October 26, 10am-3pm and 6-8pm & Friday, October 27 between 6 & 8pm. If you need items picked up, contact Wayne O’Hara-455-3200 or Kevin Dean-472-9093

| <b>Special Ministries Next Sunday<br/>October 8, 2017</b> |   |
|---|---|
| 8:30 a.m.   | Lay Reader: Faith Cormier                 |
| 10:30 a.m.  | First Lesson: Nancy Robinson              |
|   | Second Lesson: Cathy Lutes                |
|   | Lay Readers: Ken Brien<br>Nancy Wiggins   |
|   | Prayer Desk: Carolyn Pellow               |
|   | Sidespersons: Georgina Terry<br>Volunteer |
|   | Counters: Carl Dunphy<br>Brenda Dunphy    |
|   | Chancel Guild: Cathy Lutes                |
|   | Sunday School: Cynthia Noble              |

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**Services and Readings for Next Sunday:  
 October 8, 2017  
 18<sup>th</sup> after Pentecost (Year A)  
 Thanksgiving Sunday**  
 8:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist  
 10:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist

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| Exodus 20: 1-4, 7-9, 12-20 | OT Page 66        |
| Psalms 19                  | BAS Pages 725-726 |
| Philippians 3: 4b-14       | NT Page 198       |
| Matthew 21: 33-46          | NT Page 24        |



Sunday, October 1, 2017

**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.*

| <b>SUNDAY SERVICE</b>                               |  |
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| 8:30 a.m.:  | Holy Eucharist: BAS Page 230                     |
| 10:30am:  | Holy Eucharist: BAS Page 185                     |
| <b>Special Ministries Today<br/>October 1, 2017</b> |  |
| 8:30 a.m.   | Lay Reader: Faith Cormier                        |
| 10:30 a.m.  | First Lesson: Sandy McCarty                      |
|   | Second Lesson: Brian McCarty                     |
|   | Lay Readers: Cathy Lutes<br>Carolyn Pellow       |
|   | Prayer Desk: Volunteer                           |
|   | Sidespersons: Elizabeth McCarty<br>Doreen Izzard |
|   | Counters: Una Chandra<br>Sandy McCarty           |
|   | Chancel Guild: Wendy Smith                       |
|   | Sunday School: Cynthia Noble                     |

The Holy Eucharist

**THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY**

♪♪ **HYMN** MP 173  
 “Glorious Things of Thee”

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| Greeting                          | Page 185 |
| ♪♪ “As We Are Gathered”           |          |
| Collect for Purity ( <i>All</i> ) | Page 185 |
| Glory To God (sung)               | Page 186 |
| Kyrie Eleison                     | Page 186 |

Collect: *All together, please*  
**Grant, O God,**  
**that your Church,**  
**being gathered by your Holy Spirit into one,**  
**may show forth your power among all peoples,**  
**to the glory of your name;**  
**through Jesus Christ our Lord,**  
**who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy**  
**Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**The Proclamation of the Word**

📖 **1<sup>st</sup> Lesson:** Exodus 17: 1-7 OT Page 64

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

**Psalms:** 78: 1-4, 12-16 BAS Pages 806-807

📖 **2<sup>nd</sup> Lesson:** Philippians 2: 1-13 NT Page 197

♪♪ **Gradual Hymn** HB109  
 “When I Survey”

📖 **Holy Gospel:** Matthew 21: 23-32 NT Pages 23-24

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: 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 – Nancy Robinson

♪♪ **Children's Hymn** MP 532

“Oh! Oh! Oh! How Good”

Children can join Cynthia for Sunday School.

Sermon – Peggy Boucher

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### THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Gracious God, you exercise your authority chiefly in showing love through your Son Jesus Christ:

Enable us both to will and to work for your good pleasure that we may pray and serve faithfully, as we say: We will recount to generations to come your praiseworthy deeds and your power, O God. You have called the members of Christ's body to work out our own salvation with fear and trembling: Encourage us in Christ with the consolation of your love that we may share in your Spirit of compassion.

We will recount to generations to come  
**your praiseworthy deeds and your power, O God.**

Inspire our leaders and all who hold authority in the world to do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but to serve humanity with humility and grace.

We will recount to generations to come  
**your praiseworthy deeds and your power, O God.**

Fill the world with your Spirit, that all people may serve one another with humble faithfulness.

We will recount to generations to come  
**your praiseworthy deeds and your power, O God.**

Be with our community that our actions and words may be consistent as we look generously to the interests of our neighbors.

We will recount to generations to come  
**your praiseworthy deeds and your power, O God.**

Make our joy complete by bringing your healing love to all for whom we pray, especially\_\_.

Accept our gratitude and thanksgiving for all that we enjoy, especially for \_\_.

Hear our prayers for those who have followed our saviour Jesus Christ through death into exaltation, especially\_\_.

We will recount to generations to come  
**your praiseworthy deeds and your power, O God.**

Through the death and triumphant resurrection of your Son Jesus, O God, you have raised all humanity into your divine presence: Be at work in us that we may do your will on earth with joyful and obedient hearts, and share in the consolation of your Spirit, through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen**

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*Those who prefer to not drink from the chalice (common cup) are asked to indicate that to the administrator of the host. The host will be intincted (dipped) for you.*

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### THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

#### OFFERTORY SENTENCE

My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord; I know them and they follow me.

*John 10:27*

♪♪ **OFFERTORY HYMN** MP 590

“ Seek Ye First”

The Prayer over the Gifts

**Eternal God,**

**in Jesus Christ we behold your glory.**

**Receiving the offering of your people gathered before you,**

**and open our hearts and mouths**

**to praise your great salvation,**

**the same Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**Amen**

#### The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer #1

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The Lord's Prayer

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The Breaking of the Bread #1

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♪♪ **COMMUNION HYMN** MP 857

“I, the Lord of Sea and Sky”

**Choir only**

The Prayer after Communion

**Father of heaven,**

**strengthen the unity of your Church,**

**so that we who have been fed with holy things may fulfil your will in the world.**

**This we ask in the name of the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**DOXOLOGY**

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♪♪ **FINAL HYMN** MP 587

“Search Me, Oh God”

**DISMISSAL**

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**DISMISSAL SONG** “Send Us Out”

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Today

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

9:30a.m. – **Choir Practice**

12:00p.m. – **ACW Meeting**

#### This Week

√ Tuesday

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

1:30p.m. – **Bible Study:** 1,2,3 John & Jude

7:00p.m. – **Group Committee**

7-8p.m. – **Book Study:** The Case for Christ

√ Wednesday

9:00a.m.- **Fredericton-York Deanery Annual**

**Mtg.-St. Peter's Anglican Church, Woodstock Rd.**

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

10-11a.m. – **Book Study:** The Case for Christ

7:00p.m. – **Vestry Meeting**

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### Dementia Caregivers Support Group

This group, led by Nancy Wiggins, will be meeting on Monday, October 16 at 2pm in Rev. Rick's office. Those caring for a spouse (or other person with a form of dementia) and looking for support can attend. For further information contact Nancy Wiggins at 454-6654 or email at [nwiggins@nbnet.nb.ca](mailto:nwiggins@nbnet.nb.ca).

