

Upcoming Events:

Book Study: The Book Study, "A Case for Christ", will resume this Tuesday evening at 7:00pm at the rectory.

Easter Memorial: If you would like your loved one included in the Easter memorial list, please use the memorial envelopes in the Narthex. Clearly print the needed information on the enclosed forms. These must be submitted no later than Sunday, March 25. Donations to the building fund or flower fund would be much appreciated.

Cathedral Outreach (February 26): Donations of yoghurt, cheese, fruit, muffins and sandwiches are appreciated for this vital ministry to the needy. Please bring the items to the church today, labelled "Cathedral Outreach". Thank you

World Day of Prayer: This year's World Day of Prayer Service will be at St. Francis of Assisi in Lincoln on this Friday, March 2 at 7pm. Storm date is Sunday, March 4 at 2pm. St. Margaret's and Forest Hill United will be participating in the service.

Monthly Breakfast Fundraiser: The next breakfast fundraiser will be held on Saturday, March 3rd, from 8:30-10am. The volunteer sheet will be at the back table. Please take some time to volunteer during the set up, Thursday evening, March 1st or on Saturday, March 3rd. We also would appreciate donations for the food supplies.

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

**Special Ministries Next Sunday
March 4, 2018**

8:30 a.m.
Lay Reader: Faith Cormier
10:30 a.m.
First Lesson: Bob Boucher
Second Lesson: Peggy Boucher
Lay Readers: Jeffrey Mills
Cathy Lutes
Prayer Desk: Volunteer
Sidespersons: Georgina Terry
Volunteer
Counters: Jeffrey Mills
Volunteer
Chancel Guild: Cathy Lutes
Sunday School: Maria Thomas

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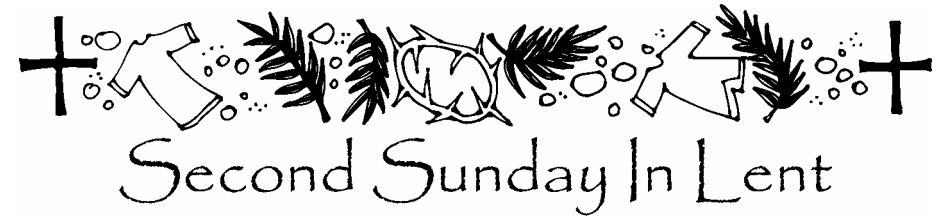
Rector: The Rev. Rick Robinson
Honorary Assistant: Reverend John Harvey
Parish Health Ministry Coordinator: Faith Cormier
Music Ministry: Deborah Smith
Parish Wardens: Ken Brien, Bob Boucher
Parish Treasurer: Jeffrey Mills

**Services and Readings for Next Sunday:
March 4, 2018**

3rd Sunday of Lent (Year B)

8:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist
10:30a.m. Holy Eucharist

Exodus 20: 1-17 OT Page 66
Psalm 19 BAS Pages 725-726
1 Corinthians 1: 18-25 NT Page 166
John 2: 13-22 NT Page 93



Second Sunday In Lent

Sunday, February 25, 2018

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 SERVICE

8:30am: Holy Eucharist: BAS Page 230
10:30am: Holy Eucharist: BAS Page 185

**Special Ministries Today
February 25, 2018**

8:30 a.m.
Lay Reader: Ken Brien
10:30 a.m.
First Lesson: Bryan Mouhaweij
Second Lesson: Bryan Mouhaweij
Lay Readers: Peggy Boucher
Bob Boucher
Prayer Desk: Volunteer
Sidespersons: Sylvia Woodcock
Patty Flemming
Counters: Carl Dunphy
Brenda Dunphy
Chancel Guild: Peggy Boucher
Sunday School: Maria Thomas

The Holy Eucharist

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

AT THE PLACING OF THE COLORS BY THE SCOUTERS:

♪♪ Hymn HB 217 "O Canada"

♪♪ HYMN HB 12

"All People, that on Earth do Dwell"

Greeting Page 185

♪♪ "As We Are Gathered"

Collect for Purity (All) Page 185
Kyrie Eleison Page 186

Collect: *All together, please*
Almighty God,
whose Son was revealed in majesty
before he suffered death upon the cross,
give us faith to perceive his glory,
that being strengthened by his grace
we may be changed into his likeness, from glory
to glory; who lives and reigns with you and the
Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The Proclamation of the Word

📖 **1st Lesson:** Genesis 17: 1-7, 15-16 OT Page 13

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

Psalm: 22: 22-30 BAS Page 730

📖 **2nd Lesson:** Romans 4: 13-25 NT Page 155

♪♪ **Gradual Hymn** MP 652
"The Light of Christ"

📖 **Holy Gospel:** Mark 8: 31-38 NT Page 44

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Mark.

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 – Venturers;

Spencer Geddes & Jordan Parsons Amos

♪♪ **Children’s Hymn** HB 114

“What a Friend we have in Jesus”

Children can join Maria for Sunday School.

Sermon

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THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Gracious and life-giving God, through the suffering and death of your Son Jesus Christ you have raised us to the new life of grace: Hear our prayers on behalf of all people, that your promise of fruitfulness may extend throughout the world, as we say:

We praise you in the great assembly.

You have called us to be Christ’s followers, O God, to take up our cross and to give our lives willingly for his sake: Set our minds not upon human things but on divine things, that we may proclaim the glory of Christ’s resurrection to all the world.

We praise you in the great assembly.

You rule over the nations, Almighty One, and you hear the voice of the poor when they cry out to you: Bless the multitude of nations with your compassion that they may follow in your ways of justice and mercy.

We praise you in the great assembly.

Your son suffered rejection from religious and political leaders, O Compassionate One: Uphold with your resurrection power all who suffer, that their faith may be strong unto the day of their deliverance.

We praise you in the great assembly.

You have made an everlasting covenant with your people, O Holy One: Bless the children of Abraham who worship you in the faiths of Judaism, Christianity

and Islam, in this community and around the world, that we may be exceedingly fruitful to fulfill the promise that rests on grace, which is guaranteed to all of Abraham’s descendants, as we make known to a people yet unborn the saving deeds that you have done.

We praise you in the great assembly.

You are the God who gives life, calls into existence the things that do not exist: Hear our prayers for all for whom we intercede, especially__.

Bless all who wish to bear children with the promise of Sarah, that their descendants may be known as yours for ever.

We praise you for your promises and fulfillment of your blessing in our lives, especially for__.

To you alone all who sleep in the earth bow down in worship; raise to your joyful presence those who have died, especially__.

We praise you in the great assembly.

Gracious and merciful God, you have taught us through Jesus that there is no profit in gaining the whole world if we lose our own lives, and you have invited us to follow Jesus, for the way of the cross is the way of life: Give us the faith of Abraham that we may trust in your promises and share in the glory of Christ’s inheritance, through the power of your Holy Spirit. **Amen**

Confession and Absolution Page 191

The Peace Page 192

Announcements

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.

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

I do not glory except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. Galatians 6:14

♪♪ **OFFERTORY HYMN** HB 187

“Faith of our Fathers”

The Prayer over the Gifts

God of wisdom

may the light of the eternal Word, our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, guide us to your glory.

We ask this in his name. Amen

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer #3

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1st Proper Preface for Lent

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The Lord’s Prayer

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The Breaking of the Bread #7

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♪♪ **COMMUNION HYMN** MP 894

“My Jesus I Love Thee”

The Prayer after Communion

Creator of heaven and earth,

we thank you for these holy mysteries,

which bring us now a share in the life to come, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

DOXOLOGY

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We will sing the first verse of;

♪♪ **Hymn** HB 218 “God Save the Queen”

♪♪ **FINAL HYMN** HB 321

“Lift High the Cross”

DISMISSAL

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DISMISSAL SONG “Send Us Out”



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today

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

9:30a.m. – **Choir Practice**

This Week

√ Monday

7:45a.m. – **Cathedral Outreach**

√ Tuesday

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

1:30p.m. – **Bible Study:** Twelve Extraordinary Women.

7:00p.m. – **Book Study:** A Case for Christ

√ Wednesday

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

√ Thursday

6-8p.m. – **Breakfast Set Up**

√ Friday

7:00p.m. – **World Day of Prayer**

√ Saturday

8:30-10:00a.m. – **Breakfast Fundraiser**

We welcome members of 1st St. Margaret’s Scouts who are holding their annual Church Parade today in celebration of Scout-Guide Week, held every February around the shared birthday of Lord Robert Baden-Powell (B-P) and his wife and collaborator, Lady Olave Baden-Powell (February 22).

Scouting began in 1907 when Lt.-Gen. Robert Baden-Powell took a group of youth to a camp on Brownsea Island. There is evidence that a few Scouting groups started up in Canada in 1907. The Canadian General Council of the Boy Scout Association was incorporated by an act of the Canadian Parliament on June 12, 1914. In 2007, our name was officially changed to Scouts Canada.

Today, Scouts Canada is a diverse organization with over 100,000 members representing every faith and culture. Scouts Canada offers programming in more than 19 languages reflecting Canada’s multicultural landscape and communities.

St. Margaret’s relationship with Scouting goes back at least to the 1920s.
