

Upcoming Events:

New Year's Eve Dinner: There will be a Shared Meal on New Year's Eve at 6:00pm. If you are planning to attend, please add your name to the sign up sheet at the back table.

New Year's Eve Service: There will be an Evening Prayer Service at 7:00pm, following the shared meal. The service will be lead by Ken Brien, Layreader.

Annual General Meeting: The AGM will be held on Sunday, January 27 at 11:30am, following the 9:30am combined service & a light lunch. A new Vestry will be elected and voted in and all business and issues concerning St. Margaret's will be covered during the meeting. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

Church Ministry Summaries: If you are coordinator of a Church Ministry, a summary of 2018 activities will be needed for the AGM Report by January 13th & you can send them to Carolyn Pellow at the following email; capellow@gmail.com

Pastoral Care: During this time that St. Margaret's is without a Priest-in-Charge, you can address any Pastoral care to;
Fr. John Harvey – 461-3319
Nancy Wiggins – 454-6654
church matters to the Wardens;
Ken Brien – 454-6981
Bob Boucher – 459-8357
Or through the church office – 450-0110

**Special Ministries Next Sunday
January 6, 2019**

8:30 a.m.
Lay Reader: Faith Cormier

10:30 a.m.
First Lesson: Betty Ann Sparks
Second Lesson: Sylvia Woodcock
Lay Reader: Nancy Wiggins
Carolyn Pellow
Prayer Desk: Peggy Boucher
Sidespersons: Wendy Chase
Volunteer
Counters: Jeffrey Mills
Nancy Wiggins
Chancel Guild: Cathy Lutes
Sunday School: Martika Boucher

Parish Contact Information

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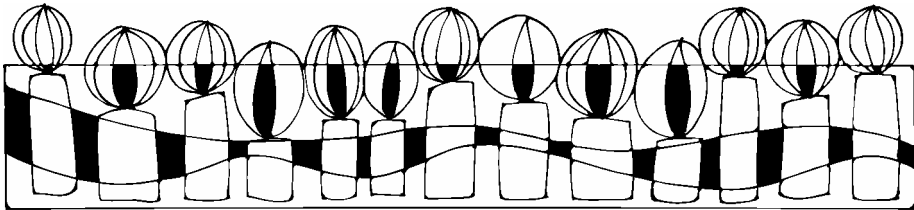
Website: <http://www.stmargs.ca>
email: treasurer@stmargs.ca

Rector: Position is Vacant
Honorary Assistant: Fr. 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:
January 6, 2019
The Epiphany of the Lord (Year C)**

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

Isaiah 60:1-6	OT Page 690
Psalms 72:1-7, 10-14	BAS Pages 797-798
Ephesians 3:1-12	NT Page 193
Matthew 2:1-12	NT Page 2



First Sunday After Christmas

Sunday, December 30, 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

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

**Special Ministries Today
December 30, 2018**

8:30 a.m.
Lay Reader: Faith Cormier

10:30 a.m.
First Lesson: Jeffrey Mills
Second Lesson: Sylvia Woodcock
Lay Reader: Ken Brien
Nancy Wiggins
Prayer Desk: Volunteer
Sidespersons: Elizabeth McCarty
Doreen Izzard
Counters: Carl Dunphy
Martika Boucher
Chancel Guild: Wendy Smith
Sunday School: Martika Boucher

The Holy Eucharist

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

♪♪ Hymn HB 1
"All Creatures of Our God and King"
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♪♪ "As We Are Gathered"

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

Collect: *All together, please*
Almighty God,
you have shed upon us the new light
of your incarnate Word.
May this light, enkindled in our hearts,
shine forth in our lives;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen

The Proclamation of the Word
📖 1st Lesson: 1 Samuel 2:18-20,26 OT Page 246

Following the reading of each lesson:
Reader: The Word of the Lord.
All: **Thanks be to God.**
Psalm: Psalm 148 BAS Pages 907-908

📖 2nd Lesson: Colossians 3:12-17 NT Page 201

♪ Gradual Hymn HB 408
“Angels From the Realms of Glory”

📖 Holy Gospel: Luke 2:41-52

NT Page 59

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

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

All stand for the reading of the Gospel

People: **Glorify 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 – Cathy Lutes

♪ Children’s Hymn HB 412

“Twas in the Moon of Wintertime”

Children may leave with Martika for Sunday School.

Sermon

Creed

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THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

(In peace let us pray to the Lord, saying, “Lord, have mercy.”)

For peace from on high and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the peace of the whole world, for the welfare of the holy Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For our bishops, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For Elizabeth our Queen, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For Fredericton, for every city and community, and for those who live in them in faith, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For good weather, and for abundant harvests for all to share, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For those who travel by land, water, or air, for the sick and the suffering (especially . . .), for prisoners and captives, and for their safety, health, and salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For our deliverance from all affliction, strife, and need, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the absolution and remission of our sins and offences, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For all who have died (especially . . .), let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mercy.

Remembering (. . . and)

all the saints, we commit ourselves, one another, and our whole life to Christ our God.

To you, O Lord.

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications to you, and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together you will hear their requests. Fulfill now our desires and petitions, as may be best for us, granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come eternal life; for you, Father, are good and loving, and we glorify you through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, in the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

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Announcements – Wendy Chase

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.

GLUTEN-FREE WAFERS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts; let the word of Christ dwell in you richly.

Colossians 3.15, 16

♪ Offertory Hymn HB 301

“O Master Let Me Walk With Thee”

THE PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS:

God of light,

in the birth of your Son we see your glory.

May we who share in this mystery

grow daily in your love.

This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ the

Lord. Amen

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer #4

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The Lord’s Prayer

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The Breaking of the Bread #1

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♪ Communion Hymns

Instrumental

THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Source of truth and joy,

may we who have received the gift of divine life always follow the way of your Son.

This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ the

Lord. Amen

DOXOLOGY

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THE BLESSING

♪ Final Hymn HB 112

“Once in Royal David’s City”

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 & fellowship.

This Week

√ Monday

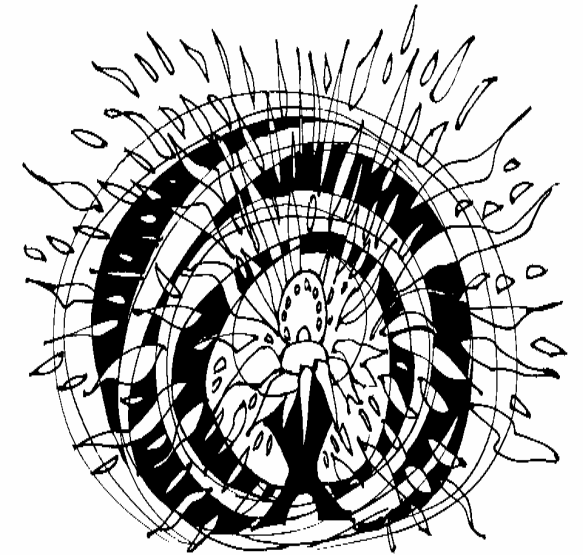
6:00p.m. – **Shared Meal**

7:00p.m. – **Evening Prayer Service**

√ Tuesday

9:00 a.m. – **Coffee Club:** Postponed until January 8th.

11:45a.m. – **Bible Study:** Postponed until January 8th.



Oh, that birth forever blessed

