

## Upcoming Events:

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

**Combined Service:** There will be a combined service on January 27 at 9:30am. This will be the only service of the morning.

**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 next Sunday, January 13<sup>th</sup> & you can send them to Carolyn Pellow at the following email; [capellow@gmail.com](mailto:capellow@gmail.com)

**Caregivers Support Group:** The next gathering of the Caregivers Support Group will be held in the Church lounge on Monday, January 14 at 2pm.

**World Day of Prayer Planning Meeting:** The Women's Inter-Church Council of Fredericton is having the World Day of Prayer Planning Meeting on Monday, January 14, at 10:00am at Christ Church Parish Church, 245 Westmorland Street. St. Margaret's Parish is hosting this year's World Day of Prayer. The 2019 World Day of Prayer service was written by the women of Slovenia (part of former Yugoslavia). Contact Nancy Wiggins-454-6654 or Cathy Lutes-459-3265 if you are interested in attending.

**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 13, 2019

8:30 a.m.  
Lay Reader: Faith Cormier  
10:30 a.m.  
First Lesson: Jason Parsons  
Second Lesson: Jeffrey Mills  
Lay Reader: Peggy Boucher  
Jamie Yeamans  
Prayer Desk: Carolyn Pellow  
Sidespersons: Georgina Terry  
Volunteer  
Counters: Jamie Yeamans  
Georgina Terry  
Chancel Guild: Peggy Boucher  
Sunday School: Martika Boucher

### Parish Contact Information

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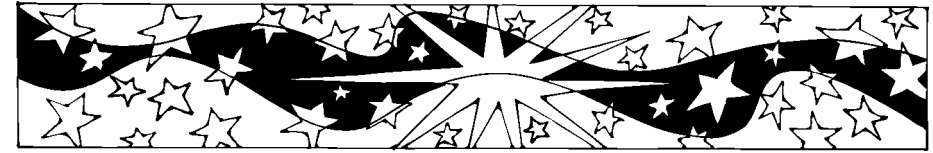
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Rector: Position is Vacant  
Honorary Assistant: Fr. John Harvey  
Parish Health Ministry Coordinator: Faith Cormier  
Music Ministry: Deborah Smith  
Parish Wardens: Ken Brien, Bob Boucher  
Parish Treasurer: Jeffrey Mills

### Services and Readings for Next Sunday: January 13, 2019

#### Baptism of the Lord (Year C)

8:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist  
10:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist  
Isaiah 43:1-7 OT Page 672  
Psalm 29 BAS Page 738  
Acts 8:14-17 NT Page 126  
Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 NT Page 60



## The Epiphany Of Our Lord

Sunday, January 6, 2019

### 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 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  
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### The Holy Eucharist

### THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

♪♪ Hymn HB 433  
"Songs of Thankfulness and Praise"  
Greeting Page 185  
♪♪ "As We Are Gathered"

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

Collect: *All together, please*

**Eternal God,  
who by a star  
led wise men to the worship of your Son.  
Guide by your light the nations of the earth,  
that the whole world may know your glory;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives 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: Isaiah 60:1-6 OT Page 690

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

**Psalm:** Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14 BAS Pages 797-798

📖 2<sup>nd</sup> Lesson: Ephesians 3:1-12 NT Page 193

♪ Gradual Hymn HB 435  
“As With Gladness”

📖 Holy Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

NT Page 2

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 – Martika Boucher

♪ Children’s Hymn  
“Ring the Bells”

Children may leave with Martika for Sunday School.

Sermon  
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**THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Gracious and loving Creator, in the manifestation of Christ you have revealed to all the earth the mystery of your love, spreading your illumination and your abundant promises unto all humanity: Hear us now and visit us with that light, as we pray for the needs of all creation, saying: Arise, shine, for the light has come, and the glory of God has risen upon us.

Guide your church, O Holy One, that it may manifest the boundless riches of Christ by becoming a true servant of your grace.

Arise, shine; for the light has come,  
**and the glory of God has risen upon us.**

Let the nations come to your light, O God, and bring rulers to the brightness of your day, that they may rule your people righteously and the poor with justice.

Arise, shine; for the light has come,  
**and the glory of God has risen upon us.**

Thwart the schemes of those who abuse the resources of the world, O Creator, that the showers that water the earth may produce bountifully for all. Arise, shine; for the light has come,

**and the glory of God has risen upon us.**

Manifest your Son to our community, O Merciful One, and lead us to your presence, that we might remember the lowly and poor, preserving the lives of the needy.

Arise, shine; for the light has come,  
**and the glory of God has risen upon us.**

We pray for those for whom our prayers have been requested, especially \_\_\_\_.

We give thanks for our many blessings, especially \_\_\_\_.

We remember those who have entered into the mystery of your eternal life, especially \_\_\_\_.

Arise, shine; for the light has come,  
**and the glory of God has risen upon us.**

*Gracious and loving God, we come before you with no gifts but ourselves: Accept the offering of our lives as vessels for the manifestations of your presence and let the light of your Spirit shine within and among us that we may share in the mystery of your loving purposes for all creation, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.*

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The Peace Page 192

Announcements – Cathy Lutes

*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**

We have seen his star in the East, and have come to worship him *Matthew 2.2*

♪ Offertory Hymn  
“The Birthday of a King”

**THE PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS:**  
**Gracious God,**  
**accept the offering of your Church,**  
**the hearts of your people**  
**joined in praise and thanksgiving,**  
**in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen**

**The Great Thanksgiving**  
Eucharistic Prayer #1 Pages 193-195  
The Lord’s Prayer Page 211  
The Breaking of the Bread #2 Page 212

♪ Communion Hymns  
Instrumental

**THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**  
**God of all the nations of the earth,**  
**guide us with your light.**  
**Help us to recognize Christ as he comes to us**  
**in this eucharist and in our neighbours.**  
**May we welcome him with love,**  
**for he is Lord now and for ever. Amen**

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**THE BLESSING**

♪ Final Hymn HB 146  
“The Church’s One Foundation”

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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  
√ Tuesday  
9:00 a.m. – **Coffee Club:** Cards, crafts and conversation. Come and bring friends. All welcome.  
11:45a.m. – **Bible Study:** Book Study on Proverbs.



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