

Upcoming Events:

Church Ministry Summaries: If you are coordinator of a Church Ministry, a summary of 2019 activities will be needed for the AGM Report by January 15th & you can send them to Claude LeBlanc at the following email; claude.leblanc@snb.ca

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 13, at 10:00am at Christ Church Parish Church, 245 Westmorland Street. The 2020 World Day of Prayer service was written by the women of Slovenia Zimbabwe. The theme is "Rise, Take Your Mat and Walk." Contact Nancy Wiggins-454-6654 or Cathy Lutes-459-3265 if you are interested in attending.

Cathedral Outreach: St. Margaret's will be participating this month on Monday, January 20th. Your donations of fruit, muffins, sandwiches, drink boxes & yoghurt should be in on Sunday, January 19th. Thank You

Study Leave: The Rev'd Rob Langmaid will be away for continuing education January 12th-February 8th. If any pastoral emergencies arise please contact Fr. John Harvey 461-3319. For any church building emergencies please contact the Wardens.

Annual General Meeting: The AGM will be held on Sunday, February 23rd 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.

Special Ministries Next Sunday January 12, 2020

8:30 a.m.
Lay Reader: Faith Cormier
10:30 a.m.
First Lesson: Bob Boucher
Second Lesson: Peggy Boucher
Lay Reader: Cathy Lutes
Jeffery Mills
Prayer Desk: Carolyn Pellow
Sidespersons: Christine Trimble
Mary Louise Luck
Counters: Carolyn Pellow
Crystal Baird
Chancel Guild: Sandy McCarty
Sunday School: Martika Boucher
Sun. Sch. Assisstant: Volunteer

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Fr. John Harvey & Canon Neville Cheeseman
Parish Health Ministry Coordinator: Faith Cormier
Parish Wardens: Bob Boucher, Cathy Lutes
Music Ministry: Deborah Smith
Parish Treasurer: Jeffrey Mills

Services and Readings for Next Sunday: January 12, 2020

Baptism of the Lord (Year A)

8:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist

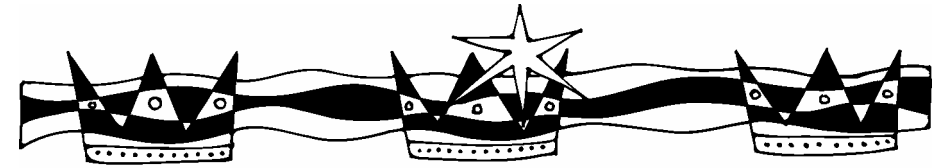
10:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist

Isaiah 42: 1-9 OT Pages 670-671

Psalms 29 BAS Page 738

Acts 10: 34-43 NT Pages 129-130

Matthew 3: 13-17 NT Page 3



The Epiphany Of Our Lord

Sunday, January 5, 2020

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 5, 2020

8:30 a.m.
Lay Reader: Faith Cormier
10:30 a.m.
First Lesson: Carolyn Pellow
Second Lesson: Christine Crew
Lay Reader: Bob Boucher
Ken Brien
Prayer Desk: Peggy Boucher
Sidespersons: Georgina Terry
Volunteer
Counters: Ken Brien
Andy Gunter
Chancel Guild: Cathy Lutes
Sunday School: Martika Boucher
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The Holy Eucharist

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

♪♪ Hymn CP 374

"Alleluia, Sing to Jesus"

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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*

**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

📖 1st 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.**

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

📖 2nd Lesson: Ephesians 3:1-12 NT Page 193

♪ Gradual Hymn CP 560
“God Whose Almighty Word”

📖 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: **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 – Peggy Boucher

♪ Children’s Hymn

“The Birthday of a King”

Children may leave with Martika for Sunday School.

Sermon

Creed

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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

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 CP 423

“How Great Thou Art”

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 3 Pages 198-200

Proper Preface: Epiphany Page 220

The Lord’s Prayer Page 211

The Breaking of the Bread #1 Page 212

♪ Communion Hymns HB 106

“Lord of the Dance”

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 MP 266

“I Cannot Tell”

DISMISSAL Page 215

DISMISSAL SONG “Send Us Out”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today

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

This Week

√ Tuesday

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

12:00p.m. – **Bible Study: (Postponed until January 14th.)**

√ Wednesday

7:00-8:00 a.m.– **Morning Bible Study at Cora’s (Postponed until Rev. Rob returns)**

9:00-11:30a.m. – **Parents & Tots (Postponed until January 15th)**

√ Thursday

9:30 -11:30 a.m. – **Capital City Singers**