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# **St. Margaret's Church**

**Sunday, January 8, 2023**

**Baptism of the Lord**





## Greeting

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**Celebrant: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
and the love of God,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,  
be with you all.**

**People: And also with you.**

MP38 As We Are Gathered by John Daniels (🎵 🎵)

**As we are gathered, Jesus is here;  
one with each other, Jesus is here;  
joined by the Spirit, washed in His blood  
part of the Body, the Church of God.  
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## Collect for Purity

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**Celebrant: Almighty God,**

**All: To you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## The Gloria

BAS Page 186

**Celebrant: Glory to God in the highest,**

**All: And peace to his people on earth.**

**Lord God, heavenly king,**

**almighty God and Father,**

**we worship you, we give you thanks,**

**we praise you for your glory.**



**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
You take away the sin of the world:  
Have mercy on us;  
You are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
Receive our prayer.**

**For you alone are the Holy One,  
You alone are the Lord,  
You alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,  
In the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

# Kyrie Eleison

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Lord, have mercy.

**Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy.

**Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit, keep your children, born of water and the Spirit, faithful to their calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**1<sup>st</sup> Lesson:**  
**Isaiah 42:1-9**  
**OT Pages 670-671**



**Reader: The Word of the Lord.**

**All: Thanks be to God.**

**Ascribe to the Lord, you gods, ascribe to the Lord  
glory and strength.**

**Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name;  
worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.**

**The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the God  
of glory thunders; the Lord is upon the mighty  
waters.**

**The voice of the Lord is a powerful voice; the voice of the Lord is a voice of splendour.  
The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar trees; the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon;  
He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.  
The voice of the Lord splits the flames of fire; the voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness; the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.**



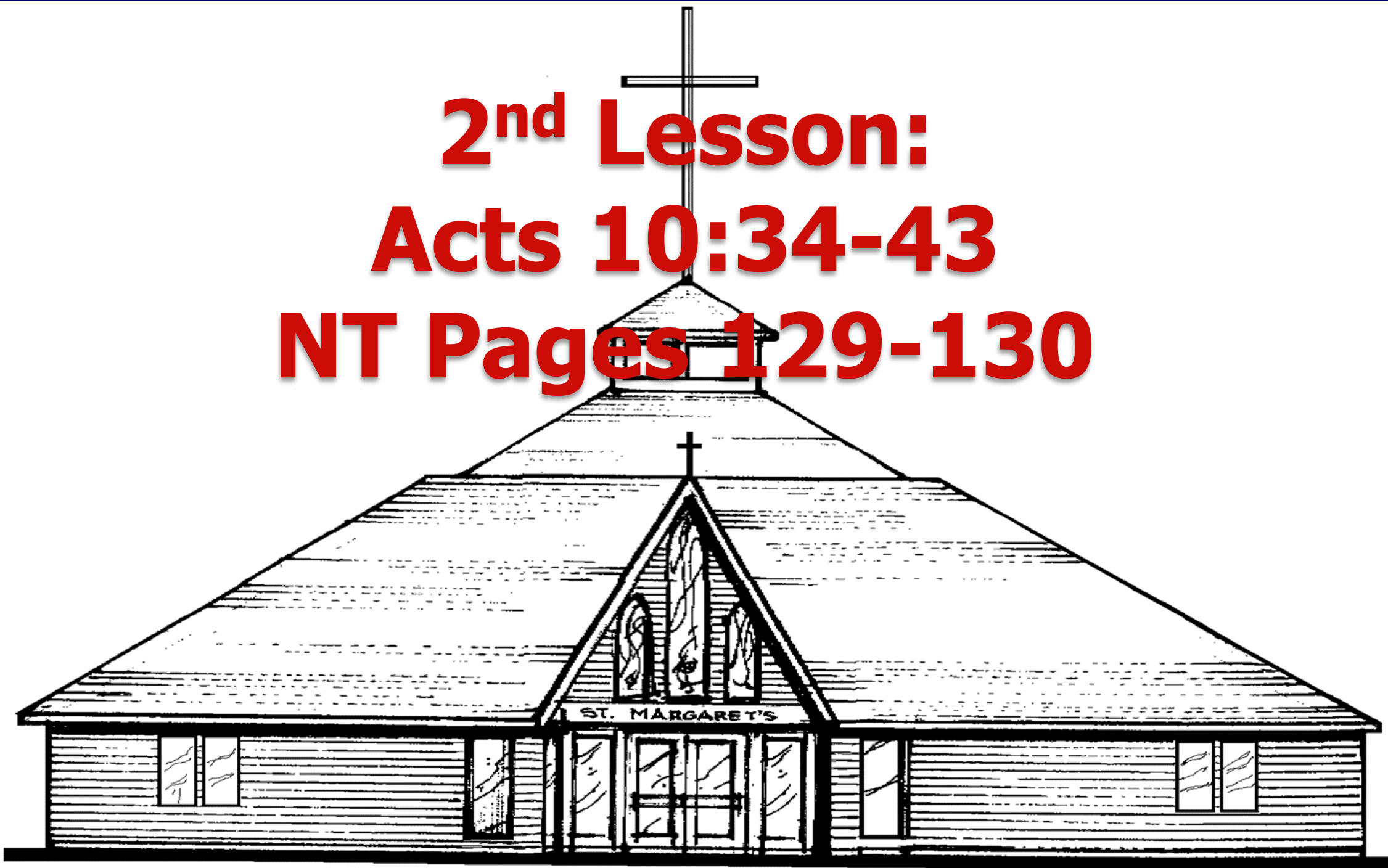
**The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees  
withe and strips the forests bare.**

**And in the temple of the Lord all are crying,  
“Glory!”**

**The Lord sits enthroned above the flood; the  
Lord sits enthroned as king for evermore.**

**The Lord shall give strength to his people;  
the Lord shall give his people the blessing of  
peace.**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Lesson:**  
**Acts 10:34-43**  
**NT Pages 129-130**



**Reader: The Word of the Lord.**

**All: Thanks be to God.**

# Children's Story

## Rev. Rob Langmaid





**Holy Gospel:  
Matthew 3:13-17  
NT Page 3**



**Reader: The Lord be with you.**

**People: And also with you.**

**Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ  
according to St. Matthew.**

**People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**



**Holy Gospel:  
Matthew 3:13-17  
NT Page 3**



**Reader: The Gospel of Christ.**

**People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

# The Sermon



## The Nicene Creed

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**Celebrant:** Let us confess our faith, as we say,

**All:** **We believe in one God, the Father,  
the Almighty, maker of heaven and  
earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:**

**by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father.**

**With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified.**

**He has spoken through the prophets.**



**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.**

**Amen.**

## Prayers of The People 7

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(Let us pray in faith to God our Father, to his Son Jesus Christ, and to the Holy Spirit, saying, “Lord, hear and have mercy.”)

For the Church of the living God throughout the world, let us ask the riches of his grace.

**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

**For all who proclaim the word of truth, let us ask the infinite wisdom of Christ.**

**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

**For all who have consecrated their lives to the kingdom of God, and for all struggling to follow the way of Christ, let us ask the gifts of the Spirit.**

**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

**For Charles our King, for the Prime Minister of this country, and for all who govern the nations, that they may strive for justice and peace, let us ask the strength of God.**

**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

**For scholars and research-workers, that their studies may benefit humanity, let us ask the light of the Lord.**

**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

**For all who have passed from this life in faith and obedience, let us ask the peace of Christ.**

**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

**Celebrant: Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.**

**Celebrant: Most merciful God,**

**All: We confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.**

**We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy  
on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your  
will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your  
name. Amen.**



**Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**All: Amen.**

## The Peace

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**Celebrant:** The peace of the Lord be always with  
you.

**All:** **And also with you.**



# The Announcements



## Offertory Sentence

**A voice came from heaven, saying, “This is my beloved Son with whom I am well pleased.”  
(Matthew 3:17)**



## The Prayer Over the Gifts

**God of life and freedom,  
we celebrate the revelation of Jesus  
as the Christ who makes all creation new.  
Accept all we offer you this day  
and make us new in him,  
who is Lord for ever and ever. Amen.**

## Eucharistic Prayer 2

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**Celebrant: The Lord be with you.**

**People: **And also with you.****

**Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.**

**People: **We lift them to the Lord.****

**Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.**

**People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.****



**We give you thanks and praise, almighty God, through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Redeemer.**

**He is your living Word, through whom you have created all things.**

**By the power of the Holy Spirit he took flesh of the Virgin Mary and shared our human nature.**

**He lived and died as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.**

**In fulfilment of your will he stretched out his hands in suffering, to bring release to those who place their hope in you; and so he won for you a holy people.**

**He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows, and to give up his life on the cross, that he might shatter the chains of evil and death, and banish the darkness of sin and despair.**

**By his resurrection he brings us into the light of your presence.**

**Now with all creation we raise our voices  
to proclaim the glory of your name.**

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory,  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord,  
Hosanna in the highest.**

**Holy and gracious God, accept our praise, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; who on the night he was handed over to suffering and death, took bread and gave you thanks, saying, “Take, and eat: this is my body which is broken for you.”**

**In the same way he took the cup, saying, “This is my blood which is shed for you. When you do this, you do it in memory of me.”**

**Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, we offer you this bread and this cup, giving thanks that you have made us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you.**

**We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering of your holy Church.**

**Gather into one all who share in these sacred mysteries, filling them with the Holy Spirit and confirming their faith in the truth, that together we may praise you and give you glory through your Servant, Jesus Christ.**

**All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and for ever.**

**Amen.**

## The Lord's Prayer

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**Celebrant: And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,**

**All: Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.**



**For thine is the kingdom,  
the power, and the glory,  
forever and ever. Amen.**

## The Breaking of the Bread #3

BAS Page 212

Creator of all,  
you gave us golden fields of wheat,  
whose many grains we have gathered  
and made into this one bread.

**So may your Church be gathered  
from the ends of the earth  
into your kingdom.**



## The Communion

**Celebrant: The gifts of God for the People of God.**

**All: Thanks be to God.**

# Communion Instrumental



**Gracious God, lover of all,  
by this sacrament  
you make us one family in Christ your Son,  
one in the sharing of his body and blood,  
one in the communion of his Spirit.  
Help us to grow in love for one another  
and come to the full maturity of the Body of Christ.  
We ask this in his name. Amen.**

## The Doxology

BAS Page 214

**Celebrant: Glory to God,**

**All: whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.**

# The Blessing







## The Dismissal

BAS Page 215

**Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.**

**All: Thanks be to God.**

## Send Us Out (♪ ♪)

**Send us out in the power of Your Spirit Lord.  
May our lives bring Jesus to the world.  
May each thought and word bring glory to Your  
name;  
Send us out in Your Spirit Lord we pray.**

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# St. Margaret's Church

God be with you!

