

The Feast of St. Philip & St. James the Apostles with St. James the brother of the LORD, Martyr May 1, 2022



Saint Philip and St James, Icon

Welcome!

Who are we? In response to the Gospel of Jesus Christ, the Parish of Saint George offers a unique combination of traditional Anglican worship and a commitment to Inner-City Ministry. Open to the community that surrounds it, Saint George's dares to be shaped by the Inner City, yet seeks to transform our neighbourhood by preaching, in Word and action, the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Come join us in worship, fellowship and outreach ministry.

8 am Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Father Nicholas Hatt, Rector

The Holy Communion service begins on page 67 of the Book of Common Prayer. The Collect, Epistle, and Gospel are found on pages 274-276. The Introit and Gradual are printed in this bulletin.

10:30am Choral Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Father Nicholas Hatt, Rector Mass setting: Missa Aeterna Christi munera – G. P. da Palestrina (1525-1594) Creed & Gloria: John Merbecke (1510-1585)

Opneing Hymn 212 THE eternal gifts of CHRIST

Church Triumphant

The Introit Psalm 33:1-6

tone VIII.1



RE-JOICE IN the Lord, O ye righ-teous; /

for it becometh well the just to be thank-ful.

Praise the Lord with harp: /

sing praises unto him with the lute, and instru-ment of ten strings.

Sing unto the Lord a new *song:* / sing praises lustily with a good cou-rage.

For the word of the Lord is true, / and all his works are faith-ful.

He loveth righteousness and *judge*-ment: / the earth is full of the *good*-ness of the^Lord.

By the word of the Lord were the heavens made, / and all the host of them by the breath of his mouth.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, / and to the Ho-ly^Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever *shall* be, / world with-*out* end. A-men.

Please kneel

The Lord's Prayer and Collect for Purity

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The Summary of the Law

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The Kyrie

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Kyrie eleison,Lord have mercy upon us,Christe eleison,Christ have mercy upon us,Kyrie eleison.Lord have mercy upon us.

The Collects

pp. 274, 275, & 191

Please sit

The Epistle (St James 1:1)

p. 275

The Gradual Psalm 89:5-8 tone I.1 O LORD, THE very heavens shall praise thy won-drous works / and thy faithfulness in the congregation of the ho~ly^ones. For who is he in the skies that shall be compared unto the Lord? / And what is he among the gods that shall be like un-to the~ Lord? God is very greatly to be feared in the council of the ho-ly ones / And to be had in reverence above all them that are *round* a-bout~ him. O Lord God of hosts, who is like un-to thee? / Thy faithfulness, most mighty Lord, is on ev~ery^side. The Easter Sequence (see insert) Victimae Paschali The Holy Gospel (St John 14:1) p. 276 The Sermon The Rev'd Nicholas Hatt. Rector **Offertory Hymn 194** THE KING of saints, we offer Laus tibi. Domine After the biddings, please kneel The Prayer of Intercession & Invitation to Confession p. 75 The Confession p. 77 The Absolution, Comfortable Words, & Thanksgiving p. 77 The Sanctus and Benedictus p. 81 Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts, Pleni sunt cœli et terra gloria tua. Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Hosanna in excelsis. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis. the Lord: Hosanna in the highest. The Prayer of Consecration & Pax p. 82 The Prayer of Humble Access p. 83 The Agnus Dei p. 84 Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, miserere nobis. (bis). have mercy upon us. (repeat). Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, dona nobis pacem. grant us thy peace.

Holy Communion

The Anglican Church of Canada welcomes communicant members of all Churches who have been baptized with water in the Name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, to receive Holy Communion in faith, hope and charity. At the 10:30 am service, please remain in your pew until the greeter or sidesperson has indicated that it is time to go forward.

Communion Hymn 539 King of love my Shepherd is

Dominus regit me

Communion Motet

Sicut Cervus - G. P. da Palestrina (1525-1594)

Sicut cervus desiderat ad fontes aquarum, ita desiderat anima mea ad te, Deus.
Sitivit anima mea ad Deum fortem vivum: quando veniam et apparebo ante faciem

Fuerunt mihi lacrimae meae panis die ac nocte, dum dicitur mihi quotidie: Ubi est Deus tuus? Like as the hart desireth the water-brooks: so longeth my soul after thee, O God.

My soul is athirst for God, yea, even for the living God: when shall I come to appear before the presence of God?

My tears have been my meat day and night: while they daily say unto me, Where is now thy God?

The Lord's Prayer

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The Prayer of Thanksgiving

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The Gloria in Excelsis

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The Dismissal

W The Lord be with you.

R! And with thy spirit.





The Blessing

Closing Hymn 164 THE day of resurrection!

Ellacombe

Postlude *Prelude in D Minor,* BuxWV 140 – D. Buxtehude (1637-1707)

Music Director Away Today

Our Music Director is away today. We thank Organ Scholar Gabriel O'Brien and Andrew Pickett for leading the music in this morning's liturgy.

Today's offices

10 am Morning Prayer begins on p. 6 of the Prayer Book.

Psalm 139; Prov. 4:10-18; John 6:1-14

5 pm Evensong begins on page 18 of the Prayer Book.

Psalm 27; Job. 23:1-12; John 17:1-8

Financial Update

Total Budgeted Undesignated Offering for 2022: \$288,676.61

Budgeted undesignated offering as of the end of

March: \$72,169.14

Total received as of the end of March: \$70,503.76

Soup Kitchen Update

Our Saturday Soup Kitchen has been operating as a take-out only service since the start of the pandemic. We thank all those who have continued to volunteer, and the parishes and organizations who partner with us to offer hot meals on Saturdays for residents of the inner-city.

Last Week, April 23: Team 3 led by Matthew Vanderkwaak.

Yesterday, April 30: Team 4 led by Alex Bickerton. Food and volunteers came from St. Paul's Anglican Church Youth Group.

Next week, May 7: Team 5 led by Jordan Gracie. Food and volunteers will come from Bedford Baptist.

Junior Choir in the Kiwanis Music Festival

The Junior Choir received Gold for their performance in the Kiwanis Music Festival on Wednesday of Easter Week. The adjudicator praised the choir for its discipline, poise and musicality, noting also their fine physical alignment and healthy vocal tone. Participants repaired to Flynn's Dairy Bar after the class, where they enjoyed fabulous ice cream treats. The proprietor not only refused to take any money for the ice cream, but sent the children home with boxes of novelty candy. A great success for the Junior Choir! Plans to return to Flynn's are in the works, as we want to express our appreciation for their kindness.



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Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

Sun – The Episcopal Church in the Philippines

Mon – The Diocese of West Lango – The Church of the Province of Uganda

Tue – The Diocese of Langtang – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Jos Province)

Wed – The Diocese of Lebombo – The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

Thu – The Diocese of Leeds – The Church of England (York Province)

Fri – The Diocese of Leicester – The Church of England (Canterbury Province) **Sat** – The Diocese of Lesotho – The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Dartmouth Region

Holy Trinity Emmanuel, Dartmouth: The Rev'd Marian Lucas-Jefferies, *Priest-in-Charge*

Holy Spirit, Dartmouth: The Rev'd Cate Ratcliffe, *Priest-in-Charge*St. Alban's, Woodside: The Rev'd Marian Lucas-Jefferies, *Priest-in-Charge*St. Andrew's, Dartmouth: The Rev'd Canon Edwin Ebsary, *Priest-in-Charge*; The Rev'd Bert Chestnut, *Associate Parish Priest* [on leave]



St. George's Anglican Church

Notices & Announcements May 1, 2022

Worship during the Pandemic

At the time of the Holy Communion (during the 10:30 a.m. Sunday service) please remain in your pew until a greeter has signalled that it is time for you to come forward. We ask that only one person or household go to each side of the Communion rail.

Scripture Readings for the Week

The Scripture readings below can be read on their own, or with the daily offices of Morning and Evening Prayer (see pp. 1-24 in the Book of Common Prayer), or the shortened Family Prayers in the back of the Book of Common Prayer (see pages 728-736).

	Morning Prayer		Evening Prayer	
Mon	Deut. 8	Acts 8. 26-end	Deut. 9. 1-10	Acts 9. 1-31
Tue	9. 11-end	9.32-end	10	10. 1-23
Wed	11. 1-12	10. 24-end	11. 13-end	11. 1-18
Thu	12. 1-14	11. 19-end	15. 1-18	12. 1-24
Fri	16. 1-20	12. 25-13. 12	17. 8-end	13. 13-43
Sat	18. 9-end	13.44-14.7	19	14. 8-end

Prayer List

Let us pray for those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially: Barbara, the Almasalma Family, Evelyn, Lowell, Wendy, Noah, Daniel, Donald, Ferghal, Sister Vicky, Leroy, Bruce, Jacquie and Arie, Patricia, Ginny, Bonita, Steven, Patricia, Kristian, Louise, Ernest, Eric, Jack and family, William, Elizabeth, Rosanne, The Robertson family, Bev, Adalene, Kevin, Daniel Alvarez, Amy, Sister Bonnie, Sister Barbara, and Nini.

For the Faithful Departed: Nan Robertson ('21), Rodney Wright ('22), Shirley Wilmhoff ('22), Freeman Purchase ('13), Holly Gushue ('06), Bill Naftel ('18), Hubert Rose ('12), Thomas Yeomans ('14), Margherita Mendel ('20), Mikah Zyeshia Ross-Taylor ('08), Joyce McCulloch ('12), Sophia Grandy ('07), Tanya Jean Brooks ('09), and Sherry McCarthy ('21).

If you have names to add to the list, please email Father Hatt (rector@roundchurch.ca) or speak with him in person.

PWRDF Support for Ukraine

The Primate's World Relief and Development Fund (PWRDF) is providing financial support to local aid agencies in Ukraine to help those forced to flee their homes (now thought to be more than 1 million people) due to the Russian invasion. If you would like to make a donation to support their efforts, please visit www.pwrdf.org/give-today and click on 'Response in Ukraine' or phone 1-866-308-7973. You can also place a cheque in the offering plate (payable to the Parish of Saint George) clearly marked for 'Ukraine Support' and we will forward the funds.

Advance Notice

The 2022 Atlantic Theological Conference will take place at St. Paul's Church in Sackville, New Brunswick from June 26th - 29th. The topic of this year's conference will be *Plague, Perseverance, Providence: Adversity and the Christian Response to Adversity.* A number of St. George's parishioners and people known to our parish will be speaking at this conference. Among others, speakers will include The Rev Dr Thomas Curran, Mary Lu Redden, The Rev Colin Nicolle, Peter Bryson, The Rev Dr Gary Thorne, Amy Bird and Dr Neil Robertson. Topics to be considered will be: Biblical responses to adversity; Plagues and Adversity in Antiquity; Representations of Plague and Adversity in art; and Illness and Repentance: The Prayer Book Response to Affliction. As more information becomes available, further updates will follow.

Sunday School - in person again!

Sunday School has resumed meeting in person on Sundays during the 10:30 a.m. service. Young people in grades 1 to 6 are most welcome. Young people and teachers gather at the side door following the Nicene Creed and head over to the church hall. They return to the church during the distribution of the Holy Communion.

Update on Little Dutch Church cemetery wall

A few weeks ago, Parks Canada informed the parish that our application for funds to restore the first section for the dry stone wall along the Gerrish Street side of the cemetery had been successful. Parks Canada will provide up to \$120,000 (50%) towards the restoration, and the parish must put forward the matching funds. We have submitted a number of applications to various local, municipal, and provincial agencies, and we await their decisions over the next few week. This past week we learned that the Halifax Foundation will provide \$15,000 and the Nova Scotia Heritage Trust will provide \$2,500 towards these matching funds. We are planning for the work to begin this August. A special thank you to our property chair, Jacquie de Mestral for her leadership on this project.

Annual Plant Sale & More

Mark your calendar! Our annual Plant Sale is back and will take place on Friday, June 3rd from 3-6pm and Saturday, June 4th, from 9am-12 noon. Shop for your favourite plants, collectibles, pantry items, garden books and tools.

Donations of the following items will help make our annual plant sale a great success:

- House plants -- this is a good time to recycle those you are tired of and get something different
- Perennials -- a great time to dig up and split garden perennials
- Plant books, extra garden tools, and pots
- Collectibles & antiques -- any item that you feel someone else might buy and enjoy, not necessarily old but in good condition
- Pantry items -- cookies, squares, breads, jams, jellies, pies, cakes, biscuits, condiments and fudge

Details about how and when to drop off donated goods will be made available soon.

Holy Week and Easter - Thank you!

With more than 20 special worship services and events during Holy Week and Easter in our parish, it is a real team effort to bring it all together. Thanks are due to so many people. Thank you to Father Peter Harris, the subdeacons, and servers for assisting with worship and making sure the Rector did not forget the important details; to Marilyn Orr for inviting Tabitha and Eli the donkeys to attend Palm Sunday worship this year, and to Nathan and James for being their escorts; to Susan Harris for the endless proof-reading of bulletins and overseeing the sign up for the Maundy Thursday Vigil; to those who kept watch during the All Night Vigil in the church; to Tracy Lenfesty and the altar guild who made sure the church was properly adorned for worship; to Palma Heming and the greeters for providing a warm welcome to those attending worship; to Meghan Jamieson and her care for all the events for children, especially Sunday School, Good Friday Stations of the Cross, and Easter Egg Decorating; to Michal King for providing musical accompaniment for the Stations of the Cross on Good Friday; to Kieva Diamond for her administrative support to the Rector during this busy time of year; to Jim Rawding and the Team from Edmonds who kept the church and yard spotlessly clean throughout Lent and Holy Week; to Garth MacPhee and the choir for offering glorious music to lift our hearts; to our Parish Administrator, Jordan Gracie, who produced countless bulletins, and who made sure all the details came together; and to the daily office officiants, counters, and so many others whose attention to even the smallest details uphold our life together in this place. Let us bless Almighty God for the opportunity to worship in this place, and pray it may be his pleasure for us to do so for many years to come.