



St. George's Anglican Church

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The Twenty-second Sunday after Trinity

October 31, 2021

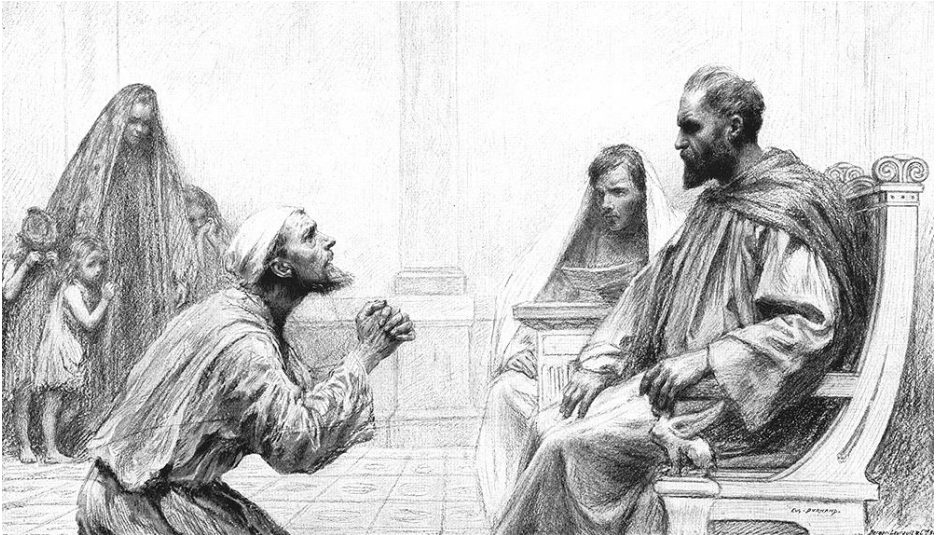


Illustration for Matthew 18:23-34. (pub. 1908). Eugène Burnand (1850-1921). Illustration.

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: Fr. Nicholas Hatt, *Rector*

The service begins on page 67 of the Book of Common Prayer. The Collect, Epistle, and Gospel are found on pages 254-255. The Introit and Gradual are printed in this bulletin.

10:30 am Choral Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr. Nicholas Hatt, *Rector*

Mass setting: *Missa Sine Nomine* – G. P. da Palestrina (1525-1594)

Creed & Gloria: John Merbecke (1510-1585)

Opening Hymn 455 GREAT Shepherd of thy people, hear *Winchester Old*

The Introit Psalm 130

tone II.1



OUT OF THE deep have I called unto thee, O *Lord*; / **Lord, hear my voice.**

O let thine ears consider well / the voice of my com-plaint.

If thou, Lord, wilt be extreme to mark what is done a-*miss*, /

O Lord, who *may* a-bide^it?

But there is forgiveness with thee; / therefore shalt thou be feared.

I look for the Lord; my soul doth *wait* for^him: / in his word *is* my trust.

**My soul looketh for the Lord more than watchmen for the morn-ing, /
yea, more than watchmen for the morn-ing.**

O Israel, trust in the Lord, for with the Lord there is *mer-cy*, /
and with him is plenteous *re-demp-tion*.

And he shall redeem Is-ra^el / from all his sins.

Glor-y 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 without end. A-men.**

Please kneel

The Lord's Prayer and Collect for Purity p. 67

The Summary of the Law p. 69

The Kyrie p. 70

Kyrie eleison

Lord have mercy upon us,

Christe eleison

Christ have mercy upon us,

Kyrie eleison

Lord have mercy upon us.

The Collect p. 254

Please sit

The Epistle (Philippians 1:3) p. 254

Please stand

The Gradual Psalm 133

tone VIII.2



BE-HOLD, HOW good and joyful a thing it is /
for brethren to dwell togeth-er in u-ni^ty!

It is like the precious oil upon the head, that ran down unto the beard, /
even unto Aaron's beard, and went down to the collar of his cloth-ing;

Like as the dew of Her-mon, / which falleth upon the hills of Si-on.

For there the Lord promised his bless-ing, / even life for e-ver^more.

The Holy Gospel (St Matthew 18:21)

p. 244

The Nicene Creed

pp. 71-72

Children, grades Primary through 6, exit through the door to the right of the pulpit to go to Sunday School in the hall.

The Sermon

The Rev'd Nicholas Hatt, Rector

Offertory Hymn 523 JESUS, thy Blood and righteousness

Walton

After the biddings, please kneel

The Prayer of Intercession & Invitation to Confession

pp. 75-76

The Confession

p. 77

The Absolution, Comfortable Words, & Thanksgiving

pp. 77-78

The Sanctus and Benedictus

p. 81

*Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus
Sabaoth. Pleni sunt caeli et terra Gloria tua.*

Hosanna in excelsis.

Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini.

Hosanna in excelsis.

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Hosts,

Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Glory be to Thee, O Lord Most High.

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of
the Lord: Hosanna in the highest.

The Prayer of Consecration & Pax

pp. 82-83

The Prayer of Humble Access

pp. 83-84

The Agnus Dei

p. 84

*Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
miserere nobis. (bis).*

*Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
dona nobis pacem.*

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of
the world, have mercy upon us. (*repeat*)

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of
the world, 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 529 JUST as I am, without one plea

Saffron Walden

Communion Motet *Ego sum panis vivus* - G. P. da Palestrina (1525-1594)

Ego sum panis vitae.

*Patres vestri manducaverunt manna
in deserto, et mortui sunt.*

Hic est panis

de coelo descendens:

*si quis ex ipso manducaverit,
non morietur.*

I am that bread of life.

Your fathers did eat manna
in the wilderness, and are dead.

This is the bread

which cometh down from heaven,
that a man may eat thereof,
and not die.

The Lord's Prayer

p. 85

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

pp. 85-86

The Gloria in Excelsis

p. 86

The Blessing

p. 86

Closing Hymn 401 IMMORTAL, invisible, God only wise

St Denio

Voluntary

Praeludium in f-sharp minor, BuxWV 146
Dieterich Buxtehude (1637-1707)

Upcoming Special Services & Events

All Saints' Day, Monday, November 1:

7:00pm Choral Holy Communion in the Round Church.

All Souls' Day Requiem, Tuesday, November 2:

All Souls' Day will be observed with Sung Litany in the Little Dutch Church Graveyard (2393 Brunswick Street) at 6:30pm followed by a Choral Requiem in the Round Church at 7pm.

Services today

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

Psalm 118; Wisdom 4:7-17; James 1:1-13 (14-end).

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

Psalm 34; 2 Esdras 2:42-end; Hebrews 11:32-12:2

*To learn more about worship, outreach, Sunday School, music,
and events at St George's, visit our website: www.roundchurch.ca*

Financial Update

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| Total Budgeted Undesignated Offering for 2021: | \$291,020.70 |
| Budgeted undesignated offering as of the end of September: | \$218,265.57 |
| <hr/> Total received as of the end of September: | <hr/> \$186,265.54 |

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, October 23rd: Team 1 led by Jim Rawding. Food and volunteers came from St George's; 96 were served.

Yesterday, October 30th: Team 2 led by Mary Hills. Food and volunteers came from All Saints' Cathedral.

Next week, November 6th: Team 3 led by Jordan Gracie. Food and volunteers will come from St. George's.

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, Barbie, Noah, Daruka, Daniel, and family, Donald, Ferghal, Sister Vicky, Leroy, Bruce, Jacquie and Arie, Patricia, Ginny, Bonita, Steven, Patricia, Alice, Kristian, Carolyn and Bev.

For the Faithful Departed: Jessie Foote ('05), Jacques Berthoud ('11), Shari Clarke ('19), Nellie Snyder ('11), Dorothy Hannam ('17), Eleanor Rhymes ('06), John Kavanagh ('21), Anne Larsson ('09), Michael Tzagarakis ('19), Douglas Linwood Curry ('04), Valda Ingraham Hodder ('04), Dorothy Joan Hammond ('07), and Vernon Mingo ('21).

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



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Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

Sun – The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria

Mon – The Diocese of Gwagwalada – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Abuja Province)

Tue – The Diocese of Haiti – The Episcopal Church (II (2) Province)

Wed – The Diocese of Hanuato'o – The Anglican Church of Melanesia

Thu – The Diocese of Harare – The Church of the Province of Central Africa

Fri – The Diocese of Hawaii – The Episcopal Church (VIII (8) Province)

Sat – The Diocese of Saint Helena – The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: South Shore Region

Mahone Bay: The Rev'd Janet Hatt, *Priest-in-Charge*; The Rev'd Dr. Patti Brace, *Incoming Rector*

The Parishes of Petite Riviere and new Dublin: The Rev'd Oliver Osmond, *Priest-in-Charge*



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Notices & Announcements

October 31, 2021

Worship during the Pandemic

During this time of pandemic, please ...

- Sanitize your hands upon entering the building.
- Sign-in with a greeter or in the binder provided.
- Wear a mask at all times, including while singing.
- Do not sit in the pews which are closed off.
- Follow the arrows on the floor when moving about the church.

At the time of Communion, please follow the directional arrows on the floor to direct you forward to the altar. At the 10:30 a.m. Sunday service, please remain in your pew until a greeter has signalled that it is time for you to go. As per Provincial and Diocesan guidelines, proof of vaccination is not required to attend worship services. The clergy of Saint George's are happy to share with you that they are both fully vaccinated.

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 | |
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| Mon | Wis. 3. 1-9 | Rev. 19. 6-10 | Ecclus. 44. 1-15 | 1 Cor. 1. 1-8 |
| Tue | Ecclus. 1 | 5 | Ecclus. 2. 1-23 | 1 John 1. 1-2. 6 |
| Wed | 3 | 1 John 2. 7-17 | 4 | 2. 18-end |
| Thu | 5 | 3. 1-18 | 6. 1-7. 14 | 3. 19-4. 6 |
| Fri | 7. 15-end | 4. 7-end | 8 | 1 Peter 5 |
| Sat | 9 | 2 John | 10 | 3 John |

2022 Prayer Book Calendars now available

Church calendars for 2022 following the Church Year according to the Book of Common Prayer are available starting today. You may call the parish office (902 423 1059) to reserve your calendar or, on Sundays, see Maxine Miles after the 8am Holy Communion service or Susan Harris after the 10:30am Choral Holy Communion service. On Wednesdays, see Leona Sweeney after the 10am Holy Communion service. The cost this year is \$8.00.

All Saints' Day – Monday, November 1st: 7pm

Choral Eucharist in the Round Church

This is one of the most important feast days of our Church Year, in which we recollect the lives and witness of all the saints throughout the ages, from the early Apostles and Martyrs of Our Lord's time right down to the present age, when Christians still offer themselves sacrificially and even suffer and die for their faith. The Church has been built, nurtured and sustained by the faithfulness of these holy men and women. Please join us for this glorious and joyful service. Music of the service will include G. P. da Palestrina's Missa Sine nomine and William Byrd's O quam gloriosum. The voluntary will be Litanies (Trois Pièces) by Jehan Alain.

All Souls' Day Requiem

Our annual All Souls' Day Requiem takes place Tuesday, November 2nd. We begin with the sung Litany at 6:30 p.m. in the graveyard at the Little Dutch Church, joining in prayer with the founders and benefactors of our church. At the conclusion of the Litany, we process to the Round Church for the Choral Requiem at 7 p.m., during which we remember especially our loved ones who have passed on to "another shore". If you have loved ones you would like remembered at this service, please note their names on the sign-up sheet at the back of the church or email Father Hatt at rector@roundchurch.ca.

Chatty Crafters Fall Sale

The Chatty Crafters will be selling beautiful, handmade keepsakes and delicious treats made with love by local seniors, in support of Chebucto Links at their fall fair on Saturday, November 6th from 10am-1pm upstairs in our own parish hall (2221 Maitland Street). Cash only. Masks and social distancing are mandatory.

Craft Supplies for Sunday School

The Sunday School is looking for donations of craft supplies! If you have any lingering around in your house you would like to donate, please speak with our superintendent, Meghan Jamieson or email her at meghan_j_ca@yahoo.ca

Sunday School is now in session, in-person. **Children ages 5-12 are welcome to meet at the door to the right of the pulpit immediately following the Creed to go to the hall for the lesson, and they will return in time for a blessing at Holy Communion.** The theme of this year's lesson is "God's People in the Church," focusing on the lives of those faithful women and men who have served God and neighbour throughout the ages. **We are always looking for new teachers and helpers.** Please speak with our Sunday School Superintendent, Meghan Jamieson or Father Hatt if you have any questions or would like to help out.

New Cherub Choir (ages 2-5yrs)

This fall, a singing circle for toddlers and their parents/guardians is taking place in the church, immediately following the 10.30 Holy Communion Service on Sundays. Led by parishioner Brenda O'Connor, these sessions will be both informal and fun, with a duration of 10-15 minutes.

Junior Choir Resumes! (ages 6-14yrs)

Going strong for a decade, this choir welcomes any young person who enjoys singing and learning more about music. Rehearsals will take place in the Music Room Space on Sundays following the 10.30 Holy Communion Service- 12.15-1.15pm The Junior Choir sings in church every 5 weeks or so, as well as the annual Christmas/Epiphany Lessons and Carols service. Each spring, the choir presents a Jazz Musical with professional choreographer, Karen Bassett. Contact Garth at music@roundchurch.ca if you know a potential Junior Chorister.

Pickford Choral Scholarship (ages 14-17yrs)

Young adolescents ages 14-17yrs interested in singing may consider applying for the Pickford Choral Scholarship (\$500 annually). The Pickford Scholar is appointed by the Director of Music and is selected on the basis of musical excellence and enthusiasm for Choral Music. The Scholar sings in our Parish Choir, an opportunity to learn extraordinary Church Music in an ensemble of highly skilled musicians, mentored by our Director of Music in the art of choral singing. Interested in learning more about this? Contact Garth MacPhee at music@roundchurch.ca

Bluenose Marathon – Next Saturday and Sunday

The Bluenose Marathon will be taking place in Halifax next weekend, so please schedule extra traveling time to get to church. Organisers of the Marathon have reassured churches in the North End that they will accommodate worshippers.

The route this year runs the full length of the peninsula, starting at the corner of Bell Road & Sackville, going north on North Park and Agricola, coming back down south via Novalea and Barrington before climbing Cornwallis Street from Barrington to Creighton, and going Downtown via Cogswell. The marathon then does a loop of Downtown and the South End following Hollis, Inglis, and Young Ave. to Point Pleasant Park, then returns to Citadel Hill via Young Ave., South Park, and Rainnie Dr. The half marathon runs this route once; the full marathon does two laps of the route.

Traffic is expected to be heaviest in the North End between 8am and 9:30am, and heaviest in the South End between 9:00am and 10:30am.

If you are coming from Dartmouth, you should be safe coming to church using the Old Bridge and taking Gottingen, turning left onto Prince William, and then right onto Maitland; if you're coming from the West End, you are going to have to cross the marathon at some point. It is probably going to be safest to do so either at Agricola and North, or at North Park and Cunard.

More information, including maps of the marathon routes, can be found at www.bluenosemarathon.com



Third Quarter Update from the Treasurer

The parish ended the third quarter of 2021 (the end of September) with a modest surplus of about \$15 000. This is good news. However, no report from the Treasurer would be complete without an “However”, so here is it...

The parish has been receiving money from the Federal government through the diocese in the form of the Canadian Emergency Wage Subsidy (CEWS). From January to the end of September the parish has received about \$33 000. Without that money, we would be running a deficit of \$18 000. If we average out the total amount of undesignated offerings as agreed to in the budget over the months of January to September, or three quarters of the total \$291 000 for the year, we are behind in undesignated offerings by \$32 000. This is about the same amount that the parish has received from CEWS. We are under-spent in an number of categories to date, allowing for the current surplus. However, the heating season is coming up and there are a number of property related expenses to come due once the work is completed.

The government announced that CEWS ended on the 23rd of October. This is no longer a source of income for the parish. The requirements to qualify for the replacement program look to be such that the diocese will not qualify. What does this all mean? Last year we had tremendous generosity in giving towards major capital work on the Round Church and other bits of the property. This year I would suggest the “landing spot” for giving is undesignated funds. They are so necessary to the work of the parish, and allow for timely action to be taken by the Rector, Wardens and Parish Council when unexpected items or events present themselves. An example that comes to mind from this year was the cleaning up of the graveyard at the LDC. This activity took a long time to complete largely due to delays in getting the funding sorted from sources other than undesignated funds. When it became clear that work had to happen the parish was not in a surplus at that time.

Below is a graph of monthly undesignated offering from the last few years and this year to date. The overall trend for this year matches other years. However, I would reiterate that the 2021 budget was both one of hope and optimism. If we as a parish cannot reach the goal set in the budget for this year, the next budget committee would be in a position to start making some hard choices. CEWS will not be available to make up the difference next year.

Now, with all of that out of the way, I would like to thank all of the faithful donors, large and small, one-time and regular contributors. Your generosity is what allows St. George’s to do what it does, and it gives me great comfort and confidence as we move through this year.

Alan (Al) Wilson
Treasurer

Undesignated Offerings by Month, 2018-2021

