



# St. George's Anglican Church

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## The Fourth Sunday after Easter May 15, 2022



*Christ taking leave of the Apostles.* (1308-1311). Duccio di Buoninsegna (1260-1318). Tempera on wood.

## 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 194-196. The Introit and Gradual are printed in this bulletin.

## 10:30 am Choral Holy Communion

*Celebrant & Preacher:* Father Nicholas Hatt, *Rector*

*Mass setting: Missa Audi filia* – Claude Goudimel (c. 1514-1572)

*Creed & Gloria:* John Merbecke (1510-1585)

**Opening Hymn 155** CHRIST the LORD is risen again

Württemberg

**The Introit** Psalm 98:1-4

tone V.3



O SING UN-to the Lord a new *song*; /  
**for he hath done *mar-vel-lous* things.**

**With his own right hand, and with his holy *arm*, /  
hath he gotten him-*self* the vic-to-<sup>^</sup>ry.**

The Lord hath declared his sal-*va*-tion: /  
his righteousnes hath he openly shown in the sight *of* the na-tions.

**He hath remembered his mercy and his faithfulness  
toward the house of Is-ra-<sup>^</sup>el; /  
and all the ends of the world have seen the sal-*va*-tion of our-<sup>^</sup>God.**

Glory be to the Father, and to the *Son*, / and *to* the Ho-ly-<sup>^</sup>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,  
Christe eleison,  
Kyrie eleison.*

Lord have mercy upon us,  
Christ have mercy upon us,  
Lord have mercy upon us.

The Collect

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*Please sit*

The Epistle (St James 1:17)

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*Please stand*

## The Gradual Psalm 118:15-18

tone III.4



THE VOICE OF joy and health is in the dwellings of the righ-teous: /  
**the right hand of the Lord bringeth mighty things to pass.**

**The right hand of the Lord is e-xal-ted: /**  
**the right hand of the Lord bringeth mighty things to pass.**

I shall *not* die, but live, / and declare the works of the Lord.

**The Lord hath chastened and cor-rec-ted me; /**  
**but he hath not given me over un-to death.**

## The Easter Sequence (see insert)

*Victimae Paschali*

The Holy Gospel (St John 16:5)

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The Sermon

The Rev'd Nicholas Hatt, *Rector*

**Offertory Hymn 167 ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! Hearts to heaven**

*Würzburg*

*After the biddings, please kneel*

The Prayer of Intercession & Invitation to Confession

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## The Confession

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The Absolution, Comfortable Words, & Thanksgiving

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The Sanctus and Benedictus

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*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

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**The Prayer of Humble Access**

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The Agnus Dei

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*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 235** LORD, enthroned in heavenly splendour *St Osmund*

## Communion Motet

*Pascha nostrum* – William Byrd (1540-1623)

*Pascha nostrum immolatus est Christus, alleluia.*

*Itaque epulemur in azymis sinceritatis et veritatis, alleluia.*

Christ our Paschal Lamb has been sacrificed, alleluia.

Therefore, let us keep the feast with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth, alleluia.

## 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

∩ The Lord be with you.

℞ And with thy spirit.



∩ Go forth in peace. Al-le-lu-ia. Al-le-lu-ia.



℞ Thanks be to God. Al-le-lu-ia. Al-le-lu-ia.

## The Blessing

## Closing Hymn 606 JESUS lives! thy terrors now

*St Albinus*

## Voluntary

Sonata no 4 in B-flat, 4th mvt. *Allegro Maestoro e vivace*  
Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

## Upcoming Special Services in the Round Church

**Monday, May 23:** the first Rogation Day will be observed with Holy Communion (said) at 5:45pm immediately following 5:30pm Evening Prayer

**Tuesday, May 24:** the second Rogation Day will be observed with Holy Communion (said) at 5:45pm immediately following 5:30pm Evening Prayer

**Wednesday, May 25:** the third Rogation Day will be observed with Holy Communion (said) at 10am.

**Thursday, May 26, 7pm:** the Feast of the Ascension will be celebrated with Choral Holy Communion. *Guest Preacher:* The Rev'd Ian Wissler

## Today's offices

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

Psalms 126, 127 & 128; Num. 22:36-23:12; John 11:1-44

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

Psalms 136; Deut. 10:12-11:1; Rev. 22



# St. George's Anglican Church

Notices & Announcements

May 15, 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	
<b>Mon</b>	Joshua 1	Acts 21. 1-16	Joshua 2	Acts 21. 17-36
<b>Tue</b>	3	21. 37-22. 22	4. 1-5. 1	22. 23-23. 11
<b>Wed</b>	5. 13-6. 20	23. 12-end	7	24. 1-23
<b>Thu</b>	9. 3-end	24. 24-25. 12	10. 1-15	25. 13-end
<b>Fri</b>	21. 43-22. 8	26	22. 9-end	27
<b>Sat</b>	23	28. 1-15	24. 1-28	28. 16-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, Rosanne, The Robertson family, Bev, Adalene, Kevin, Daniel, Amy, Sister Bonnie, Sister Barbara, Nini, Sherman, and Austin .

**For the Faithful Departed:** Nan Robertson ('21), Tanya Jean Brooks ('09), Sherry McCarthy ('21), Bill Greencorn ('13), Flora Grandy ('07), Fr. Eldie Richard ('13), Anne Marie Gibson ('08), David Moulton ('19), and Shirley Miles ('16).

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

**Parish Council** meets this coming Tuesday, May 17 at 7pm in the former Scout Room in the Parish Hall.

## Financial Update

Total Budgeted Undesignated Offering for 2022:	\$288,676.61
Budgeted undesignated offering as of the end of April:	\$96,255.54
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Total received as of the end of April:	\$92,197.86

*N.B. The figures were updated in last week's bulletin; the name of the month was not.*

## 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, May 7:* Team 5 led by Jordan Gracie. Food and volunteers came from Bedford Baptist; 130 were served.

*Yesterday, May 14:* Team 6 led by Jordan Gracie. Food and volunteers came from All Saints' Bedford.

*Next week, May 21:* Team 1 led by Jim Rawding. Food and volunteers will come from St. Peter's Birch Cove.

The parish office will be closed this Monday to allow a day off this week for our Parish Administrator who is leading Soup Kitchen on Saturday.

## 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.

## **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](http://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.

## **Bluenose Marathon, May 21st & 22nd**

**The Bluenose Marathon will be held on the 21st and 22nd of May. Please give yourself lots of time to get to church on that day.**

The organizers have advised area churches that "participant traffic will be heaviest in the North End from 8:00 am until 10:30 am" with roughly 3,450 coming through the area.

Runners will be using Agricola, Barrington, Cornwallis, and North Streets this year (with the full marathon crossing the MacDonald Bridge and circling Lake Banook in Dartmouth), so plan accordingly.

More information on the marathons and their routes is available here:

<https://www.bluenosemarathon.com/bnm/>

Organisers have assured us that police will let you through if you are travelling to church, although you may have to wait for a few minutes until there is a break in the marathon. Just speak with the traffic officers and let them know you are going to St George's.

## **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 weeks. We recently 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.

## **Feast of the Ascension**

We will celebrate the Feast of the Ascension with Choral Holy Communion On Thursday, May 27th at 7 p.m. in the Round Church. This is one of the principal feasts of the year, akin to Christmas and Easter, when we remember Jesus' ascension into heaven. Through his Ascension, Jesus completes his journey home to the Father and reveals that the true destiny of humanity is not just a resurrected life, but a life lived in eternity with God. Our guest preacher for the evening will be the Rev'd Ian Wissler who is presently the Rector of St Stephen's in Chester, Nova Scotia, the parish in which our own rector grew up. Father Wissler attended St. George's when he was a student at King's College and has continued to be a friend to our parish and many of our parishioners through the years.



## **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

We are looking for volunteers to help with set up, take down, and to sell our goods. Please contact Jacquie de Mestral ([jdemestral@gmail.com](mailto:jdemestral@gmail.com)) if you would like to help. Posters are also available at the back at the church. Please take one home and put it up somewhere to help spread word! Donations can be dropped off to the church hall on Thursday, June 2nd at 7 p.m. and on Friday, June 3rd starting at 9 a.m.

## **Volunteer Opportunities: Spring Decluttering!**

In the interest of safety and cleanliness, we are working on moving along some of the clutter that has accumulated during the past couple of years in the church hall. If you would be interested in helping out with this effort, please let the parish office know and you will be contacted by one of the wardens. This does not have to be an ongoing commitment, even just an hour or two make a difference, sorting out a messy corner or driving donatables to the Salvation Army.

## **Little Dutch Church Beautification:**

Soon we will be cleaning up and planting roses in the LDC cemetery. If this is something you would enjoy being a part of, please let the parish office know and we will get in touch with you over the next few weeks to plan a gardening work party in a pretty little cemetery!

## **Upcoming Concerts:**

### **Wondrous Love: Old Time Gospel Music**

**TODAY, Sunday, May 15, 7pm**

**St. Margaret of Scotland Church**

**3751 Robie St, Halifax**

St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church invites the community to Wondrous Love: a special evening service featuring church music from the folk traditions of Appalachia and the American South. Local musicians Jude Pelley, Dane George, Jay Perry, and Rebecca Fairless will be performing a selection of shape note hymns, bluegrass tunes, and old time gospel music. There will also be scripture readings and a message from the Rector of St. Margaret of Scotland, Rev. Ed Trevors. A collection will be taken in support of St Margaret's youth and family ministry.

## **Mark your calendars!**

**On Sunday, June 19th at 7pm the Parish Choir will present G. F. Handel's 'Utrecht' Te Deum.** This festive work was composed by Handel in celebration of the Peace Treaty of Utrecht, marking the end of the War of Spanish Succession in 1713. It was first performed in St Paul's Cathedral in London in July of 1713. Richly scored for soloists, choir, strings, trumpets, oboes, flauto traverso, bassoon and continuo, the Utrecht Te Deum will be a feast for the senses.

This concert is the first of its scale since the choir performed Bach's Magnificat in D, just weeks before the Pandemic reached our shores. Admission will be a suggested donation of \$20. Proceeds will be directed to the Friends of Saint George's Society, toward the Music Programme.





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## Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

**Sun** – The Scottish Episcopal Church

**Mon** – The Diocese of Liverpool – The Church of England  
(York Province)

**Tue** – The Diocese of Liwolo – The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan  
(Central Equatoria Province)

**Wed** – The Diocese of Llandaff – The Church in Wales

**Thu** – The Missionary Diocese of Lodwar – The Anglican Church of Kenya

**Fri** – The Diocese of Lokoja – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)  
(Lokoja Province)

**Sat** – The Diocese of Lomega – The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan  
(Central Equatoria Province)

## Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Chebucto Region

**The Cathedral Church of All Saints:** The Very Rev'd Paul Smith, *Dean*; The Rev'd Heather MacEachern, *Deacon*; The Rev'd Ray Carter, *Deacon*; The Rev'd Dr. Helen Ryding *Assistant Priest*; The Rev'd Dr. Davena Davis, *Honourary Assistant*; The Rev'd Ronald Harris, *Honourary Assistant*.