



# St. George's Anglican Church

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## The Fifth Sunday after Easter *commonly called Rogation Sunday*

**May 22, 2022**



Jesus teaching his disciples. (1684). Illyas Basim Khuri Bazzi Rahib (17<sup>th</sup> c.). Illustrated Manuscript

## 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 196-197. The Introit (Psalm 107:1-9) and Gradual (Psalm 66:15-19) are found on pages 471 and 409, respectively.

## 10:30 am Choral Holy Communion

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

*Mass setting: Missa Amor Ecco Colei* – Orlando di Lasso (1532-1594)

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

*Please kneel*

### The Litany

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### The Kyrie

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<i>Kyrie eleison,</i>	Lord have mercy upon us,
<i>Christe eleison,</i>	Christ have mercy upon us,
<i>Kyrie eleison.</i>	Lord have mercy upon us.

### The Collect

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*Please sit*

### The Epistle (St James 1:22)

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*Please stand*

### The Gradual Psalm 66:15-19

tone III.5



O COME HI-ther, and hearken, all ye that fear God, /  
and I will tell you what he hath *done* for my soul.

I called unto *him* with my mouth, / and gave him prais-es with my tongue.

If I had regarded *wick-ed^ness^* in my heart, / the Lord would *not* have heard me.

But verily *God* hath heard me, / and considered the *voice* of my prayer.

Praised be God, who hath not *cast* out my prayer, / **nor turned his mer-cy from me.**

### The Easter Sequence (see insert)

*Victimae Paschali*

### The Holy Gospel (St John 16:23)

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### The Sermon

The Rev'd Nicholas Hatt, *Rector*

### Offertory Hymn 399 ALL creatures of our GOD and King

*Lasst uns erfreuen*

*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 171 LORD, in thy Name

Lincoln

### Communion Motet

*Haec dies quam fecit Dominus:  
exultemus et laetemur in ea,  
alleluia.*

*Haec dies – William Byrd (1540-1623)*

This is the day which the Lord hath made:  
let us be glad and rejoice therein.  
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 721 ALL things bright and beautiful

Royal Oak

*After the Closing Hymn, please return your prayerbooks and hymnals and follow the procession*

outside for the blessing of the gardens. Prayers for the blessing of the early planting are traditionally offered on Rogation Sunday.

## Hymn for the blessing of the gardens

*Crusader's Hymn*



1. Fair - est Lord Je - sus, Ru - ler of all Na - ture,
2. Fair are the mea - dows, fair - er still the wood - lands,
3. Fair is the sun - shine, Fair - er still the moon - light,
4. All fair - est beau - ty hea - ven - ly and earth - ly,



1. O Thou of God and man the Son;
2. Robed in the bloom - ing garb of spring;
3. And all the twink - ling star - ty host;
4. Won - drous - ly, Je - sus, is found in Thee;



1. Thee will I cher - ish, Thee will I hon - our,
2. Je - sus is fair - er, Je - sus is pur - er,
3. Je - sus shines bright - er, Je - sus shines pur - er,
4. None can be near - er, fair - er or dear - er,



1. Thou, my soul's glo - ry, joy and crown.
2. Who makes the woe - ful heart to sing.
3. Than all the an - gels heaven can boast.
4. Than Thou, my Sav - iour, art to me.

## 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 46 & 63; Num. 24:1-19; Rom. 6:1-14

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

Psalms 61 & 62; Deut. 28:1-13; Mark 4:1-20

## 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. there was an error in previous bulletins where the figures were updated, but the name of the month was not. This has been corrected.*

## 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 14:* Team 6 led by Jordan Gracie. Food and volunteers came from All Saints' Bedford; 90 were served.

*Yesterday, May 21:* Team 1 led by Jim Rawding. Food and volunteers came from St. Peter's Birch Cove.

*Next week, May 28:* Team 2 led by Mary Hills. Food and volunteers will come from St. John's United, Fall River.

## 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.



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### Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

**Sun** – Church of the Province of South East Asia  
**Mon** – The Diocese of London – The Church of England (Canterbury Province)  
**Tue** – The Diocese of Long Island – The Episcopal Church (II (2) Province)  
**Wed** – The Diocese of Los Angeles – The Episcopal Church (VIII (8) Province)  
**Thu** – The Diocese of Louisiana – The Episcopal Church (IV (4) Province)  
**Fri** – The Diocese of Western Louisiana – The Episcopal Church (VII (7) Province)  
**Sat** – The Diocese of Luapula – The Church of the Province of Central Africa

### Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Chebucto Region

**St James', Armdale:** The Rev'd Katie Taylor-Flynn  
**St. George's:** The Rev'd Nicholas Hatt; The Rev'd Canon Peter Harris, *Honourary Assistant*  
**St. Margaret of Scotland:** The Rev'd Ed Trevors



## St. George's Anglican Church

Notices & Announcements  
May 22, 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>	Deut. 7. 6-13	Matt. 6. 5-18	Deut. 8	Matt. 6. 19-end
<b>Tue</b>	11. 8-21	Luke 5. 1-11	1 Kings 8. 22-43	Jas. 5. 1-18
<b>Wed</b>	Joel 2. 21-27	John 6. 22-40	Song of Three Childr. 29-37	Matt. 28. 16-end
<b>Thu</b>	2 Kings 2. 1-15	17	Dan. 7. 9, 10, 13, 14	Heb. 1
<b>Fri</b>	Judges 2. 6-end	Heb. 2	Judges 3. 12-end	3
<b>Sat</b>	4	4. 1-13	5	4. 14-5. 10

## 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, Audtin, and Sherman.

**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), Shirley Miles ('16), and Jim Jenner ('07).

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

## 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. Canteen items (pulled pork sandwiches) will be available on Friday.

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

Volunteers are still needed to sell goods and pantry items, Friday 3-6, Saturday 9-12. Please contact Jacquie (jdemestral@gmail.com). Posters are 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.

## Ordination this Tuesday

God willing, Benjamin von Bredow will be ordained deacon along with Debra Fice, Dawn-Lea Greer, Jane Magrath this Tuesday, May 24th at 7 p.m. at All Saints' Cathedral. Benjamin worked as our summer tour guide in 2017. Please uphold him and the other candidates in your prayers.

## Thank you from Father Hatt

Last Sunday I was a bit confused as to why it was taking so long for our organist to start the final hymn at the end of the 10:30 a.m. service. Little did I know the tremendous gift from the congregation that was about to be presented to me ! As I said last Sunday, serving at Saint George's is a tremendous gift in itself. I am deeply grateful for your support and encouragement. Thank you.

## 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. The full conference schedule is now available at [www.atlantictheologicalconference.ca](http://www.atlantictheologicalconference.ca).

## 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 Father Hatt 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.

**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.

## 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!

## Fellowship

We still need people to help serve tea and coffee after the 10:30am service on Sundays. If you're interested in helping out, get in touch with Mary Hills.