



St. George's Anglican Church

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The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

January 21, 2024



The centurion appeals to Jesus on behalf of his servant, Codex Egberti, 10th century

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.

The Gradual Psalm 102:15-18

tone IV.8



THE NA-TIONS shall fear thy *Name*, O Lord, /
and all the kings of the earth thy *ma~jes^ty*;

**When the Lord hath *built up Si-on*, /
and when he hath appeared in his *glo~ry*;**

When he hath turned him unto the prayer of *the poor des-ti^tute*, /
and hath not despised *their~ de^sire*.

**This shall be written for those *that come af^ter*; /
and a people which shall be born shall *praise~ the^Lord*.**

The Holy Gospel (St Matthew 8:1)

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The Nicene Creed

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The children of the Sunday School depart for their lesson, returning to the service at the time of Communion.

The Sermon

The Rev'd Nicholas Hatt, *Rector*

Offertory Hymn 388 JESUS shall reign where'er the sun

Duke Street

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.*

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts,
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Hosanna in excelsis.

Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini.

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the

Hosanna in excelsis.

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).*

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

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

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. If you do not wish to receive communion, you are welcome to come to the altar rail to receive a blessing. To indicate that you wish to receive a blessing, cross your arms across your chest when you come to the altar rail.

Communion Hymn 493 JESU, the very thought of thee

St Botolph

Communion Motet *Almighty and everlasting God* – O. Gibbons (1583-1625)

Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look upon our infirmities,
and in all our dangers and necessities stretch forth thy right hand to help and defend us,
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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 Blessing

Closing Hymn 100 ALLELUIA, song of sweetness

Alleluia dulce carmen

Postlude

Praeludium in F-sharp – Dieterich Buxtehude (1637-1707)

After the 10:30 service, please stay for tea and coffee in the parish hall, just out the door to the right of the pulpit and up the concrete walk. There is a barrier-free ramp off the Maitland Street side of the hall.

Upcoming Special Services and Event

The Conversion of Saint Paul, Thursday, January 25th: 5:45 p.m. Holy Communion (said) following shortened Evening Prayer at 5:30 p.m.

Candlemas, Friday, February 2nd: 7pm Choral Holy Communion

Parish Annual General Meeting, Sunday, February 11th (Quinquagesima) following the 10:30 a.m. service.

Ash Wednesday, February 14th: 7am Morning Prayer and Litany

7:30 am Holy Communion (said) with Imposition of Ashes

10am Holy Communion (said) with Imposition of Ashes

7pm Choral Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes

Today's Offices

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

Psalms 96 & 97; Amos. 5:6-24; John 6:41-end

5 pm Evening Prayer begins on page 17 of the Prayer Book.

Psalms 65 & 67; Mic. 4:1-7; John 9

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



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Notices & Announcements

January 21, 2024

Worship schedule

Holy Communion (said): Wed, 10 am; Sun, 8 am

Choral Holy Communion: Sun, 10:30 am

Daily Offices

✠**Morning Prayer:** Mon – Fri, 8 am; Sun, 10 am

✠**Evening Prayer:** Mon – Fri, 5:30 pm; Sun, 5 pm

Until the end of May, all of the Daily Offices are said in the Round Church

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	Hab. 3. 2-end	1 Cor. 7	Mal. 1	1 Cor. 8
Tue	Mal. 2. 1-16	9	2. 17-3. 12	10. 1-11. 1
Wed	3. 13-4 end	11. 2-end	Isa. 56. 1-8	Acts 26. 1-23
Thu	Jer. 1. 4-10	Gal. 1. 11-end	Ecclus. 39. 1-10	Phil. 3. 1-14
Fri	Joel 2. 15-end	1 Cor. 14. 20-end	Joel. 3	1 Cor. 15. 1-34
Sat	Jonah 1 & 2	15. 35-end	Jonah 3 & 4	16

Prayer List

Let us pray for those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially: Barbara, Evelyn n, Lowell & Gladys, Wendy, Patricia, Daniel, Patricia, Kevin, Kent, Willis, Loren, Wade, Lorayne, Ron and Paulette, Ginny, Greg, Trudy, Daryl and family, Martin, Jack, Ginny, Gregory, Dale, Josh, Margaret, Joan, Thomas, Chantal

For the Faithful Departed: Billy Burns ('13), Fr. Robert Crouse ('11), Sheila Jackson ('19), Paul McCulloch ('09), Catherine Jewell ('23), Jean Eldora Guest ('11), Robert Wallace Parke ('05), Betty Jae McCarthy ('04), and William Innis ('08).

If you have loved ones you would like added to the prayer list, please let Father Hatt know (rector@roundchurch.ca).

Parish Prayer List 'Refresh'

Father Hatt has 'refreshed' the prayer list. If you have names of loved ones for the list, please pass them along to him (rector@roundchurch.ca).

Financial Update – January 21, 2024

Last week I reported that the final tallies were in, and I spoke too soon. This week, our bookkeeper and envelope secretary have been hard at work with a late invoice, reconciling the last of the offerings and correcting some errors – including one in our favour.

The wonderful news is that as of January 18th the **deficit is down to just \$335!**

2023 Income	\$801,196.04
2023 Expenses	\$801,530.92
Year End position	(\$334.88)

The draft of the 2024 budget was approved by Parish Council on Tuesday night and will be brought to the Annual General Meeting for final approval. I would like to thank Council members for their attention to the budget proposal and their helpful comments in preparation for the Annual General Meeting.

Sarah Stevenson
Parish Treasurer

We will observe the Feast of Candlemas (the 40th day after Christmas) on Friday, February 2nd at 7 p.m. with Choral Holy Communion. Our guest preacher will be Mr. Isaac Grainger. He is presently the Youth Coordinator at St Paul's on the Grand Parade.

Soup Kitchen Update

Last Week, January 13 Team 3 led by Matthew Vanderkwaak and Kieva Diamond. Food and volunteers came from St. George's. 110 were served.

Yesterday, January 20 Team 4 led by Alex Bickerton. Many thanks to the members of Team 4 for cooking and serving the meal!

Next Week, January 27 Team 5 led by Jordan Gracie. Food and volunteers will come from Bedford Baptist.

Change in Daily Office Schedule

Beginning Monday, January 15th the daily office of Morning Prayer are said at 8 a.m. rather than 9 a.m. in the Round Church.

Parish Daily Prayer List

The parish daily prayer list, which includes a list of the names of all parishioners, will be published next Sunday. This list will be used at the daily offices and is available to all parishioners so that we can uphold one another in prayer each day. If you do not want your name included on this public list, please let Father Hatt know (rector@roundchurch.ca). Please also advise him of any errors or corrections to be made to the list.

Annual Reports for 2023 - due January 21st

We are starting to put together the Annual Report for 2023. Heads of committees and groups and ministries are asked to send their report to the Parish Office (office@roundchurch.ca) by January 21st at the latest.

Nominations for 2024

In late November, Parish Council established a group consisting of the Rector, wardens Tracy Lenfesty and Matthew Vanderkwaak, and Palma Heming to nominate people for elected roles within the parish for 2024. We are especially in need of a warden, parish council secretary, and parish council members-at-large. We are also looking to populate a small property committee. Please direct nominations to any member of the committee.

Parish Annual General Meeting

Mark your calendar — the Parish Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday, February 11th following the 10:30 a.m. service. This is an important time to reflect on the parish's ministry of the past year, plan for the year ahead, and elect parish officers and other officials. If you are able, please bring some food to share at the potluck beforehand. Sandwiches and other "finger foods" are preferable so that we can eat quickly and get the meeting started!

A few 2024 Prayer Book Calendars still available!

Please contact Jordan in the parish office (902 423 1059 ext. 1 or office@roundchurch.ca) if you would like to purchase one of the few remaining copies.



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Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

Sun – The Church of South India (United)

Mon - The Diocese of Busoga – The Church of the Province of Uganda

Tues - The Diocese of Central Busoga – The Church of the Province of Uganda

Wed - The Diocese of Butare – Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda

Thurs - The Diocese of Butere – The Anglican Church of Kenya

Fri - The Diocese of Buye – The Anglican Church of Burundi

Sat - The Diocese of Byumba – Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Prince Edward Island Region

New London, PEI: The Rev'd Shirley Cole, *Rector*

Port Hill, PEI: The Rev'd Ann Bush, *Rector*; The Rev'd Gordon Bush, *Deacon*