



# St. George's Anglican Church

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## The Third Sunday in Lent

### March 7, 2021



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## 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 Sunday & 10 am Wednesday Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr. 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 145-146.

The Introit and Gradual are printed in this bulletin.

## 10:30 am Choral Holy Communion

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

Mass setting: *Missa XI Orbis factor*

*Creed*: John Merbecke (1510-1585)

**Opening Hymn 429** O GOD of Bethel, by whose hand

*Martyrdom*

**The Introit** Psalm 25:8-15

tone I.1



GRA-CIOUS AND righteous is *the* Lord; /  
**therefore will he teach *sin*-ners in~ the^way.**

**Them that are meek shall he guide in *judge*-ment; /  
and such as are gentle, them shall *he* teach his~ way.**

All the paths of the Lord are mercy *and* truth, /  
unto such as keep his covenant *and* his tes~ti^mon^ies.

**For thy Name's sake, O Lord, / be merciful unto my *sin*, for it~ is^great.**

What man is he that feareth *the* Lord? /  
him shall he teach in the *way* that he~ shall^choose.

**His soul shall dwell *at* ease, / and his seed shall in~*he*-rit the~ land.**

The secret of the Lord is for them that *fear* him; /  
and he will show *them* his co~ve^nant.

**Mine eyes are ever looking unto *the* Lord; /  
for he shall pluck my feet *out* of the~ net.**

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 & Collect for Purity

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The Ten Commandments

pp. 68-69

The Kyrie

*sung by the choir*

*Kyrie eleison*

Lord have mercy upon us,

*Christe eleison*

Christ have mercy upon us,

*Kyrie eleison*

Lord have mercy upon us.

The Collect

pp. 145, 138

*Please sit*

The Epistle (Ephesians 5:1)

p. 145-146

*Please stand*

**The Gradual** Psalm 25:16-22

tone V.1



TURN THEE UN-to me, and have mercy up-on me; /  
for I am desolate *and* in mi-se^ry.

**Relieve thou the sorrows of my heart:/ O bring thou me out of my trou^bles.**

Look upon my adversity and mi-se^ry, / and for-give me all my^sins.

**Consider mine enemies, how many they are; /  
and they bear a tyrannous hate a-against me.**

O keep my soul, and de-li-ver^me; /  
let me not be confounded, for I have put my trust in^thee.

**Let perfectness and righteous dealing pre-serve me; / for my hope is in thee.**

Deliver Israel, O God, / out of all his trou-bles.

**The Lent Prose** (see insert)

*Attende, Domine*

The Holy Gospel (St Luke 11:14)

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**The Nicene Creed**

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The Sermon

The Rev'd Nicholas Hatt, *Rector*

**Offertory Hymn 109** MAN of Sorrows, wrapt in grief

*Aberystwyth*

*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

*sung by the choir*

*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

*sung by the choir*

*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.

## The 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 249 JESU, thou Joy of loving hearts!

Eisenach

#### Communion Motet Herr, laß meine Klage – Johann Hermann Schien (1586-1630)

Herr, laß meine Klage für dich kommen;  
unterweise mich nach deinem Wort,  
laß mein Flehen für dich kommen.  
Errette mich nach deinem Worte.  
Meine Lippen sollen loben,  
wenn du mich deine Rechte lehrest.

Let my cry come before you, O Lord;  
give me discernment according to your word.  
Let my prayer come before you;  
rescue me according to your promise.  
May my lips pour forth your praise,  
as you teach me your laws.

### The Lord's Prayer

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### The Prayer of Thanksgiving

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Please kneel

### The Lenten Anthem



O KING, ALL glorious amid thy saintly com-*pa*-ny / **who ever shalt be~ prais-èd.**  
**Thou, O Lord, art in the midst of us / and we are called by thy~ ho-ly^Name.**  
Leave us not, O *our* God, /  
but grant us that with a pure conscience we may duly *keep* the~ Pas-chal^Feast,  
**And at the day of judge-ment /**  
**be placed in the number of thy Saints and chosen ones, King most~ bless-èd.**

### The Blessing

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### Closing Hymn 448 BE thou my guardian and my guide

Abridge

#### Voluntary

*Praeludium in b*, BWV 544 – J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

## Today's Offices:

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

Psalms 52 & 54; Gen. 18:16-end; Luke 18:1-14

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

Psalms 55 or 102; Gen. 24:1-28; Mark 14:53-end

With meditation offered by Hannah Griffin, Lunch Program Coordinator at YouthNet, and organ accompaniment

## Financial Update

Total Budgeted Undesignated Offering for 2021:	\$288,025.62
Budgeted undesignated offering as of the end of February:	\$48,004.27
<hr/> Total received as of the end of February:	<hr/> \$33,225.91

## Soup Kitchen Update

Since the pandemic, the Soup Kitchen has been operating as a take-out only service.

We thank all those who have continued to volunteer, and the parishes and organizations who partner with us to offer hot meals on Saturdays.

**Last week, February 27:** Team 3 led by Mike & Wendy Himmelman. Food and volunteers came from All Saints' Cathedral.

**Yesterday, March 6:** Team 4 led by Alex Bickerton. Food and volunteers came from All Saints' Anglican Church, Bedford.

**Next Week, March 13:** Team 5 led by Jordan Gracie. Food and volunteers will come from Bedford Baptist.

## Prayer List

To add the name of a loved one to this list, please contact Fr. Hatt (rector@roundchurch.ca).

**Let us pray for those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially:** Bruce, Jennifer, Rob, Vernon, Winnie, Marie, Patrick, Travis, Leroy, Debbie, Barbara, Patricia, the Almasalma Family, Evelyn, Lowell, Richard, Wendy, the McAllister Family, Ginny, Betty-Jane, Barbie, Blake, Bishop Michael Hawkins, Ash, James, Noah, Sandra, John, Elizabeth, Daruka and family, Kim, Victoria, Donald, Brenda, Brentwood, Douglas, Norm, Mary, and Gordon.

**For the Faithful Departed:** Hal Davies ('11), Jackie Harmer ('14), Larry Miles ('19), Gerald Moulton ('11), Robert Kennedy ('21), George MacLennan ('10), Reuben Cluett ('10), Carmen Caultifield ('10), Steve ('21), Hugh Tilley ('10), Dick Sweeney ('11), Barry Nicolle ('15), Beverly Ann Coolen ('05), Christopher Tilley ('21), and Kenneth Caissie ('21)



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### Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

**Sun** – Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo

**Mon** – The Diocese of Athabasca – The Anglican Church of Canada (Rupert's Land Province)

**Tue** – The Diocese of Athooc – The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan (Jonglei Province)

**Wed** – The Diocese of Atlanta – The Episcopal Church (IV (4) Province)

**Thu** – The Diocese of Auckland – The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia (Pakeha Tikanga)

**Fri** – The Diocese of North West Australia – The Anglican Church of Australia (Western Australia Province)

**Sat** – The Diocese of Aweil – The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan (Northern Bahr el Ghazal Province)

### Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Cape Breton Region

**St John the Baptist, North Sydney:** The Rev'd Douglas Beck, *Interim Incumbent*  
**Sydney Mines and Baddeck:** The Rev'd Stacey LeMoine

## Worship schedule

**Holy Communion (said):** Wed, 10 am;  
Fri, 12:15pm (during Lent);  
Sun, 8 am

**Choral Holy Communion:** Sun, 10:30 am

### Daily Offices

✠**Morning Prayer:** Mon – Fri, 9 am; Sun, 10am

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



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Notices & Announcements  
March 7

## Worship during the Pandemic

The ongoing COVID-19 pandemic means that we must take extra precautions to help prevent the further spread of the virus. While in the church, please...

- wear a mask;
- clean your hands upon arriving;
- check in with the greeter to record your name;
- do not sit in the pews marked off with a ribbon;
- refrain from shaking hands and try to cough or sneeze into your elbow.

At the time of the Holy Communion (during the 10:30 a.m. service only), please remain seated until the greeter has signaled that it is time for you to go. Those sitting around the outside aisles and the upstairs Gallery will go first, followed by those sitting around the centre aisle.

There are two stations for receiving the Sacrament, one on each side of the Communion rail. We ask that only one person or household go to each station at a time.

Upon leaving the Communion rail, please turn to the left and go through the vestry door or follow the arrows back down the central aisle of the chancel. (The latter may be easier for those with mobility problems).

**At the end of the service, please exit the church using the door to the parking lot (side door to your right), or the Brunswick Street doors,** leaving your prayer books in the box provided at the door. If physically possible, please consider using the Brunswick Street door, especially if you are seated near the back of the church.

At all times, we must observe physical distancing in the church, keeping six feet or two metres from those outside of your family or household. **It is tempting to chat with friends and newcomers at the back of the church at the end of the service, but it is best for people to gather for such conversations outdoors where distancing is easier.**

If you have travelled or have been in direct contact with someone who has travelled outside of Nova Scotia within the last fourteen days or are feeling unwell and have symptoms of COVID-19, please do not come to church. Let the Rector know if you are unwell so we can offer our care and our prayers for you.

## Daily Office lessons for this week

	Morning Prayer		Evening Prayer	
<b>Sun</b>	Gen. 18. 16-end	Luke 18. 1-14	Gen. 24. 1-28	Mark 14. 53-end
<b>Mon</b>	Exod. 12. 37-end	John 4. 27-end	Exod. 13. 1-16	Eph. 3
<b>Tue</b>	13. 17-14. 14	5. 1-23	14. 15-end	4. 1-16
<b>Wed</b>	15. 1-26	5. 24-end	15. 27-16. 35	4. 17-30
<b>Thu</b>	17	6. 1-21	18	4. 31-5. 21
<b>Fri</b>	19	6. 22-40	20. 1-21	5. 22-6. 9
<b>Sat</b>	22. 20-23. 17	6. 41-end	23. 18-end	6. 10-end

## YouthNet Update – March 7, 2021

This past week, we continued with our regular programming of dance, basketball, drama, skating, and various arts + crafts activities. On Thursday, we also began our first session of our extended collaboration with the film organization iMOVE and NSCAD. We began by exposing our participants to various film projects in hopes to inspire them to think about what they might later create themselves. This week in our Teen Program, we hosted two Youth Advocacy workers, who delivered a workshop to our participants.

If you are interested in receiving monthly e-newsletters from YouthNet, but have not yet registered, email Sarah at [director@stgeorgesyouthnet.ca](mailto:director@stgeorgesyouthnet.ca) to join the mailing list!

## Parish Annual General Meeting – February 14, 2021

The Parish Annual General Meeting was held on February 14 following the 10:30 a.m. service. The 2021 Budget was approved and a general conversation was held about the possibility of hiring a curate (assistant priest) for our parish. Parish Council was asked to form a small working group to develop a proposal. At the meeting, parish officers were also chosen: Kieva Diamond was elected parish warden, joining wardens Meghan Jamieson and Nathan McAllister. Nadine Savoury, Jacquie de Mestral, and David Sheppard were elected as new members of the Parish Council. We give thanks for all those who completed their terms on Parish Council, including Allan Snook, Scott Connors, Mary Hills, Sue Zinck (Synod delegate), and Tracy Lenfesty (warden). Thank you to all who offer service to the church!

## Holy Communion on Fridays in Lent

The Holy Communion will be celebrated every Friday at 12:15 p.m. during Lent, from Friday, February 19th to Friday, March 26th. Consider adding these services to your Lenten devotions this year.

## Sunday Lenten Evensongs with Meditations

From Sunday, February 28<sup>th</sup> until Sunday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, our regular 5pm Evensong will be sung, accompanied by the organ, in the Round Church. Various parishioners will offer meditations on the readings for each evening.

Sunday, February 28th - Lent 2 - Sarah Griffin from YouthNet

Sunday, March 7th - Lent 3 - Hannah Griffin from YouthNet

Sunday, March 14th - Lent 4 – Garth MacPhee

Sunday, March 21st - Lent 5 – Nic Lucciola

## "Gospel Based Discipleship" with The Book of Exodus

On Tuesday evenings during Lent we will gather online (via Zoom) to read through portions of the Book of Exodus and reflect on it with three main questions: What words, ideas, or phrases stand out for you? What is Jesus saying to you? What is Jesus calling you to do? This approach is called "Gospel Based Discipleship" and comes to us from our Indigenous brothers and sisters in the Anglican Church. No prior study or knowledge is necessary. You need only come with an open heart. Tuesday, February 23rd until Tuesday, March 16th at 8 p.m. Sessions will last 45 minutes.

Email Father Hatt ([rector@roundchurch.ca](mailto:rector@roundchurch.ca)) to get the link.

## March 25th - Feast of the Annunciation

The Feast of the Annunciation will be celebrated with Choral Holy Communion on Thursday, March 25th at 7 p.m. in the Round Church. Our preacher will be The Rev'd Dianne Parker, a retired priest who has served for over 54 years in lay and ordained ministry within our diocese. She is currently an honorary assistant at St Mark's Church in Halifax and chaplain to the Halifax L'Arche Community, in addition to volunteering with Ward 5 Neighbourhood Centre, among other community groups.

## The Lenten Fast

The Book of Common Prayer (page xiii) directs all Christians to observe the following days of fasting, abstinence, and solemn prayer during Lent:

*Major fast days:* Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. On both these days, from sunrise to sundown, we should try to go without food and water during the day.

*Days of Abstinence:* The Forty Days of Lent (this excludes the Sundays in Lent). On these days we should eat simple, smaller meals, and undertake other forms of self-denial, giving up a luxury or indulgence.

*Days of Solemn Prayer:* The Lenten Ember Days being the Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday after the First Sunday in Lent. On these days we should spend extra time in daily prayer and try our best to attend the Holy Communion.

(Some people are not able to undertake these disciplines for reasons of health and wellness.)

## The Rule of Life from the Book of Common Prayer, p. 555:

Every Christian man or woman should from time to time frame for himself a RULE OF LIFE in accordance with the precepts of the Gospel and the faith and order of the Church; wherein he may consider the following:

The regularity of his attendance at public worship and especially at the holy Communion.

The practice of private prayer, Bible-reading, and self-discipline. Bringing the teaching and example of Christ into his everyday life.

The boldness of his spoken witness to his faith in Christ. His personal service to the Church and the community.

The offering of money according to his means for the support of the work of the Church at home and overseas.