

Communion Motet *Cantate Domino* - Claudio Monteverdi (1567 - 1643)  
*Cantate Domino canticum novum,* Sing to the Lord a new song,  
*Cantate et benedicite nomini ejus:* Sing and give praise to his name:  
*Quia mirabilia fecit.* for he has done marvellous deeds.  
*Cantate et exultate et psallite* Sing and exult and praise.  
*in cythara et voce psalmi:* in songs with the harp and the voice:  
*Quia mirabilia fecit.* for he has done marvellous deeds.

**The Lord's Prayer** p. 85

The Prayer of Thanksgiving pp. 85, 86

**The Gloria in Excelsis** p. 86

The Blessing

**Closing Hymn 606** JESUS lives! thy terrors now *St. Albinus*

Voluntary *Prelude and Fugue in c minor, BWV 549 - J. S. Bach (1685-1750)*

*After the 10:30 service please stay for coffee and tea in the hall, just out the door near the pulpit and up the cement walk. There is a wheelchair ramp off the Maitland Street side of the hall.*

## Upcoming Services & Events

**Thursday, May 25 at 7:00pm:** The Feast of the Ascension will be celebrated with Choral Holy Communion in the Round Church. Preacher: Benjamin Lee.

**Sunday, June 11 at 3:00pm in the Round Church:** Saint George's Junior Choir presents its annual Spring Concert featuring the jazz musical *A Tale of Three Trees*. Admission by donation. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend this special event.

## Services today

**8 am Holy Communion** begins on p. 67 of the Book of Common Prayer.

The Collect, Epistle and Gospel for today are found on pages 194 - 196.

The Introit and Gradual Psalms are printed in this bulletin.

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

Lessons: Exod. 34:1-10; 1 Pet. 3:8-end. Psalms 126, 127, & 128.

**5 pm Evensong** begins on p. 18 of the Book of Common Prayer.

Lessons: Exod. 35:30-36:7; Luke 16:19-end. Psalm 136.

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



# St. George's Anglican Church

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## The Fourth Sunday after Easter May 14, 2017



*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.

**The Presence Lamp, the light which hangs above the Sanctuary,  
burns this weeks in loving memory of Orpha Casey.**

# 10:30 am Choral Holy Communion

Mass setting: *Missa Maria Magdalene* - Alonzo Lobo (1555 - 1617)

Creed & Gloria: John Merbecke (1510-1585)

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

Württemberg

**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^ry.**

The Lord hath declared his sal-va-tion: /  
his righteousness 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^el; /  
and all the ends of the world have seen the sal-va-tion of our^God.**

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 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*

Lord have mercy upon us,

*Christe eleison*

Christ have mercy upon us,

*Kyrie eleison*

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*

**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 Nicene Creed**

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The Sermon

The Rev'd Canon James Purchase

**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.*

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts,

*Pleni sunt caeli et terra gloria tua.*

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

*Hosanna in excelsis.*

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).*

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.*

**Communion Hymn 235** LORD, enthroned in heavenly splendour *St. Osmund*



# St. George's Anglican Church

Notices & Announcements

May 14, 2017

## Easter 4

### Worship schedule

**Daily Offices** (*Round Church*)

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

☩ **Evening Prayer:** Mon – Fri, 5:30 pm

**Said Holy Communion:** Wed, 10 am; Sun, 8 am (*Round Church*)

**Choral Holy Communion:** Sun, 10:30 am (*Round Church*)

**Evensong:** Sunday, 5 pm (*Round Church*)

### Lessons for the week of Easter 4

	Morning Prayer	Evening Prayer
<b>Mon</b>	Joshua 1; Acts 21:1-16	Joshua 2; Acts 21:17-36
<b>Tue</b>	Joshua 3; Acts 21:37-22:22	Joshua 4:1-5:1; Acts 22:23-23:11
<b>Wed</b>	Joshua 5:13-6:20; Acts 23:12-end	Joshua 7; Acts 24:1-23
<b>Thu</b>	Joshua 9:3-end; Acts 24:24-25:12	Joshua 10:1-15; Acts 25:13-end
<b>Fri</b>	Joshua 21:43-22:8; Acts 26	Joshua 22:9-end; Acts 27
<b>Sat</b>	Joshua 23; Acts 28:1-15	Joshua 24:1-28; Acts 28:16-end

### Soup Kitchen Update

**Last Week, May 6:** Team 2, led by Mary Hills. Food and volunteers came from St. Paul's Anglican Church, Halifax; 93 people were served.

**Yesterday, May 13:** Team 3, led by Mike & Wendy Himmelman, Food and volunteers came from St. Mark's Anglican Church, Halifax.

**Next Week, May 20:** Team 4, led by *Vacant*, Food will be prepared by Mary Hills, and Brian and Nellie Yee.

**If you are interested in volunteering with the soup kitchen, please contact the Parish Office (ph: 902 423 1059; e: [office@roundchurch.ca](mailto:office@roundchurch.ca))**

## **Safer Church at St George's**

At the Parish Annual General Meeting in 2015, the parish adopted the Safer Church policy of the Diocese, after which a committee was struck to coordinate the audits of the many ministries at St George's and prepare the Safer Church plan. This plan is designed to strengthen the many opportunities of our ministries to form and strengthen relationships to one another in Christ. Also the plan is tailored to ensure that any potential risks to any involved in the parish are removed or minimized.

All relationships are based on trust. However, the Diocese's Safer Church policy defines "positions of trust" in a specific way: "A situation in which one person is relied on—i.e., a position in which "faith or confidence is placed in the loyalty, veracity, reliability, strength, [good character], etc., of a person" (Canadian Oxford Dictionary). A position of trust describes a situation in which one person is given a significant degree of power, control, or influence over another person, usually someone more vulnerable because of age, the nature of the relationship, disability, etc. The duty of care in such relationships is intense and the standard of care to be met is high."

In order to meet the requirements of abuse insurance, as well as build a safer parish community, the Safer Church plan requires that the positions of trust be treated much as a paid job would be, and will require an interview, references from within or outside of the parish, a requirement for a 6 month probationary period and for those working with youth or vulnerable adults, a police record check. These are significant requirements, but they should not prevent anyone who is moved to enter more deeply into the life of the parish.

The Safer Church Committee will assist fellow parishioners to meet the requirements. There is a cost associated with a police record and vulnerable sector check (PRC/VSC). These will add up to be a significant expense for our church. The cost will be reimbursed by the parish. The leader for each Ministry will let you know whether you need a PRC/VSC and how to apply. The results of this record search will be kept confidential, known only to the Rector and to Sue Zinck, a physician and warden. You can be assured that this information will be kept in the *strictest confidence*. That we each know one another well is as, in fact, *more*, important than a result of a PRC/VSC. The parish wants to ensure every parishioner can be active in the life of the parish. If any of you is concerned, please bring these concerns forward to the committee chairs or wardens.

Anyone who holds a hall or church key is also defined as being in a position of trust, and therefore, would need a PRC/VSC. There are dozens of us who hold keys. The key holder list has therefore been reviewed as to the level of need each person has to continue to hold a key. If a key is held that is not deemed essential for the holder, the person will be contacted and asked to either return the key or pay for the PRC, in order to minimize costs to the parish.

There are Safer Church training sessions that are mandatory for those involved in ministries. An evening talk will be held on **Tuesday May 16, 2017 at 7:00pm, at St George's, in the Church.** The teachers who have kindly offered their wisdom in the area will be Wendy Himmelman and Rozzi Curran. Those who cannot come to the meeting would be required to view a video online of the talk and sign the covenant of care. It would be a blessing to have parishioners come together for the meeting to enjoy one another's company as we learn. There will be an opportunity for discussion about the benefits and risks of the Safer Church initiatives in the parish.

How can you help?

- If you are able, you could offer to cover all or part of the \$30 cost of the police record check, if you require one in your position.
- Attend the training session, which will be held Tuesday, May 16, 2017 at 7:00pm..
- Consider bringing a small plate of finger food or a beverage to the meeting to share.
- If you cannot attend, please review the online video of the talk and sign the covenant of care, which will be on the parish website soon after the talk.
- Let us support one another during this change: do share your questions with the committee members.

The St George's Safer Church Committee includes the Rector or Priest-in-Charge, Co-chairs Donna Stewart and Kieva Diamond and Wendy Himmelman, and warden Sue Zinck.

**In preparation for this session, please review St. George's Safer Church Policy and the Diocesan Sexual Misconduct Policy.** These can both be found on the Parish website: [www.roundchurch.ca](http://www.roundchurch.ca).

## **Parish Meeting - Sunday, May 28 at 12:15pm**

Going forward at St George's

Fr. Christopher has sent a letter of resignation to the parish due to health needs. Bishop Ron Cutler has accepted this resignation.

Fr. Jim Purchase will continue as our Priest-in-Charge. It was a joy to welcome Fr. Christopher to the parish to worship and preach on Sunday, May 7th. There will be a celebration of thanksgiving for Fr. Christopher's ministry at St George's and for Fr. Jim's continued presence with us as Priest-in-Charge, later in June, with a date to be announced soon.

A parochial committee nominee slate will be chosen by the wardens, which shall consist of the three wardens and four members of the parish. Thank you to those who have submitted nominations. **Parishioners are reminded that they are invited to submit nominations to the wardens.** The parochial committee nominees will be voted on by the parish as a whole, and the parochial process explained to us at a meeting chaired by our Archdeacon, the Very Rev'd Paul Smith. **Please save the date for this meeting, Sunday May 28th, 12:15 PM, after the 10:30 service, in the church hall .**

### **Update:**

The wardens met with Archdeacon Smith on Wednesday, May 10th, to review Canon 25 and the necessary preparations for the parochial process. A timeline of the parochial committee work and updates will be published weekly in the parish bulletin.

## **Bluenose Marathon - May 20 & 21**

Please be aware that **the 5k race occurs on Saturday, May 20 beginning at 2:00pm.** Parishioners traveling in the area of South Street and Young Avenue may experience heavy traffic and delays. The heaviest runner traffic is expected to be between 3:00pm and 3:45pm.

Both **the Half and Full Marathons occur on Sunday, May 21, beginning at 8:00am.** Parishioners attempting to cross Agricola Street or Barrington Street may experience heavy traffic and delays. The heaviest runner traffic is expected to be between 8:00am and 9:20am.

For more information, and for detailed route-maps, please visit

[www.bluenosemarathon.com](http://www.bluenosemarathon.com)

## **Sacred Sorrows: Mental Health and the Journey to Wholeness**

Thank you to Fr. Jim McCorrison and Dr. Sue Zinck for leading the Eastertide series on mental health and the spiritual life: *Sacred Sorrows: mental health and the journey to wholeness*.

### **Diocesan Synod 2017**

Diocesan Synod 2017 will be held from Thursday, May 25 to Saturday, May 27, 2017 at the Dalhousie Student Union Building (6136 University Ave., Halifax). **Delegates may register on the Diocesan Website ([www.nspeidiocese.ca](http://www.nspeidiocese.ca)) before May 15, 2017.**

### **Plant Sale and Turkey Burgers**

This fund raiser will be held **Saturday June 3, 10 am to 2 pm, and Sunday June 4, directly after the 10.30 service, in the hall, 12 noon to 2 pm.**

Edmonds is donating their wonderful annual flowers for us, and you can purchase these. Coffee or tea with a sweet and a turkey burger will be available for \$5 on both days. If you are planning to purchase flowers, please bring along boxes or trays to carry them in. There will be some on hand, but extras would be useful.

On Sunday June 4, the parishioners will be asked to make a small donation for their coffee or tea – as this is a fund raiser. Maxine Miles and Jim Rawding will run the kitchen with volunteers for both days. Jordan has donated 6 turkeys for the event. The hospitality team for June 4 is asked to just bring sweets on this occasion.

Thank you to Richard Kent and Matthew VanderKwaak for their enthusiasm and readiness to set up tables etc. and take over the advertising for this event. This event is not only for parishioners - bring your friends!

Selling tickets for turkey burgers: Patricia Martinson will look after Sunday – Saturday ticket seller(s) to be confirmed.

Counters: – Lowell Perry and Martin Yeatman

Plant tables: Dinah Savoury, Trudy Urquhart, Barb Richardson, and Elizabeth Henderson

Posters are available today at the back of the church. Please take one and put it in a public spot. More posters are available in the hall at coffee hour.

Thanks for help with posters etc. Richard, Matthew and Jordan.

“Books and More” will continue to sell plants, pots and gardening items on Sunday mornings, so please keep this in mind.

## **"Signal Boosters" Wanted for St. George's**

The Publicity Committee are looking for as many volunteers as possible to "boost the signal" for St. George's events on social media. Help us get the word out on the many interesting things going on in our church community! If you're on Facebook, Twitter etc. and willing to help, we'll send you a notice when we post an event, and ask you to share it in turn to as many of your followers as you see fit. Speak to Richard Kent, Matthew Vanderkwaak, Andrew Pickett, Davinia Wright, or Jordan Gracie to be added to the list, or email [office@roundchurch.ca](mailto:office@roundchurch.ca).

## **Doors Open Halifax 2017**

The parish will be opening the doors of two of its heritage buildings, the Round Church and the Little Dutch Church, as part of Doors Open Halifax 2017. The Round Church will be open from 10:00am - 4:00pm on Saturday, June 3; the Little Dutch Church will be open from 10:00am - 4:00pm on both Saturday, June 3 and Sunday, June 4. Any parishioners who are interested in helping to welcome the public or show people around either building are encouraged to leave their names on the signup sheet at the back of the church, or to contact the parish office (e: [office@roundchurch.ca](mailto:office@roundchurch.ca)).

## **Daily Offices Move to the Little Dutch Church**

Beginning Monday, June 5, the Daily Offices of Morning and Evening Prayer will move to the Little Dutch Church until the end of September. The 5:00pm Evensong on Sunday, will also move to the Little Dutch Church as of Sunday, June 4, and will remain there until the end of September.



## Upcoming Concerts

**Halley Performs Halley** – Sunday, May 14 at 4:00 pm at the Cathedral Church of All Saints, 1330 Cathedral Lane, Halifax. Paul Halley is a five-time Grammy-winning composer and church musician. This performance of his own works features 15 new pieces for choir and organ, sung by choristers from the acclaimed University of King's College Chapel Choir, with guest instrumentalists. From wedding anthems written for his children to commissions for choirs across North America, these works set beautiful texts – including psalms, and sacred poems by Tennyson, Neruda, Herbert, Manley Hopkins, Dickinson, and Mechthild of Magdeburg – in striking ways. Tickets: \$20 regular, \$10 student. Available at the door, or in advance from King's Bookstore (902.422.1270 ext. 261) and [www.tickethalifax.com](http://www.tickethalifax.com) / 902.422.6278. For more information, visit [www.ukings.ca/concerts](http://www.ukings.ca/concerts)

**Nova New Horizons Band** - On Tuesday, May 16 the Nova New Horizons Band program will present its annual Metro based end of term concert at the Sea King Club on CFB Shearwater in Dartmouth starting at 7:30 p.m. The admission price is \$10.00 per person and \$5.00 for young children.

**Aeolian Singers Present *At The Water's Edge With Zoe Leger*** - Saturday, May 27, 7:30pm at First Baptist Church. Tickets are \$20 regular and \$15 for students and seniors and are available now from choir members, online at [www.aeoliansingers.ca](http://www.aeoliansingers.ca) and will be available at the door.

**Seton Cantata Choir presents *Burst Forth ... toward the Unknown Region*** - Sunday, May 28 at 7:00pm. The Seton Cantata Choir, directed by Garth MacPhee and guest conductor, Andrew Pickett, performs works by Srul Irving Glick, Ralph Vaughan Williams and Norman Della Joio. Tickets adults \$20/students \$15. Maritime Conservatory of Music, 6199 Chebucto Road.

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## Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

**Sun** – New Jersey - (II, The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd William Stokes  
**Mon** – New Westminster - (BC & the Yukon, Canada) The Rt Rev'd Melissa Skelton  
Niagara - (Ontario, Canada) The Rt Rev'd Michael Allan Bird  
**Tue** – New York - (II, The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd Andrew Dietsche  
Suffragan Bishop of New York - (II, The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd Allen Shin  
Western New York - (II, The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd William Franklin  
**Wed** – Newala - (Tanzania) The Rt Rev'd Oscar Mnung'a  
**Thu** – Newark - (II, The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd Mark Beckwith  
**Fri** – Newcastle - (York, England) The Rt Rev'd Christine Hardman  
Suffragan Bishop of Berwick - (York, England) The Rt Rev'd Mark Tanner  
**Sat** – Newcastle (AUS) - (New South Wales, Australia) The Rt Rev'd Greg Thompson  
Assistant Bishop of Newcastle - (New South Wales, Australia) The Rt Rev'd Peter Stuart

## Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Dartmouth Region

**Retired Clergy:** The Rev'd Canon Charles Black and Shirle, The Rev'd David Ferguson and Sheila, The Rev'd Canon Edward Fiander and Carol, The Rev'd Canon Peter MacDonald, The Rev'd Louise MacHardy, The Rev'd Kirby Walsh and Linda, The Rev'd Bruce Ward and Susan, The Rev'd Carolyn Tomlin and The Rev'd John Ferguson, The Rev'd Barry Connor.

**Widows:** Mrs. Mary Cluett, Mrs. Corrine Earle, Mrs. Edith Ebsary, Mrs. Elizabeth Pitt, Mrs. Patti Reid, Mrs. Marjorie Davis Snow, Mrs. Margaret Linton.

**In special need:** Rick S., Rebecca S., Ulrich S., Edie S., Carol O., Hyeon Soo Lim, James, Debbie, Mateo, Tristan, Natalie, Melanie, Jayden, Bryson, Aleksandra, Eman, Vienna, Bernadine, Joshua, Abigail, Glen, Tyler, Kevan, Leann, Helen, William, Satinder, Johnathan, Barbara, Barbara, Max, Debbiel, Wallace, Red, Fred, Stephen, and Fr Christopher.

**For continuing prayers:** Brian, Catherine, Lowell, Ernie, Dick Gallagher, Ken, David, Catriona, Ann, Patricia, Dorothy.

**Faithful Departed:** Tanya Jean Brooks ('09), Bill Greencorn ('13), Flora Grandy ('07), Fr. Eldie Richard ('13), and Anne Marie Gibson ('08).