



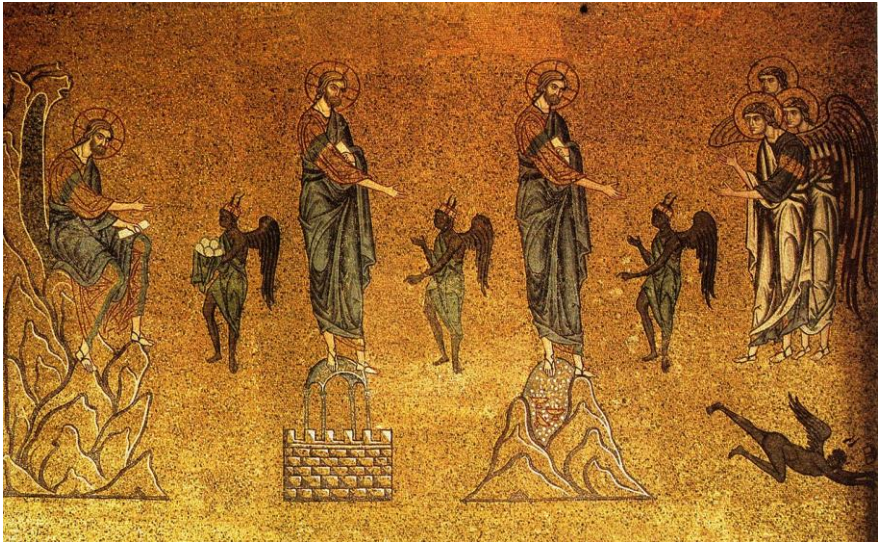
St. George's Anglican Church

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The First Sunday in Lent

February 21, 2021



The Temptation of Christ. 12th century. Ign. Mosaic in the Basilica di San Marco, Venice.

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 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 134-136.

The Introit and Gradual are printed in this bulletin.

The Introit Psalm: 91:1-8 *Qui habitat*

1 Whoso dwelleth under the defence of the Most High /
shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.

2 I will say unto the LORD, "Thou art my refuge and my stronghold; /
my God in whom I will trust."

3 For he shall deliver thee from the snare of the hunter, /
and from the noisome pestilence.

4 He shall defend thee under his wings, and thou shalt be safe under his feathers; /
his faithfulness is a shield and buckler.

5 Thou shalt not be afraid for any terror by night, /
nor for the arrow that flieth by day;

6 For the pestilence that walketh in darkness, /
nor for the sickness that destroyeth in the noonday.

7 A thousand shall fall beside thee, and ten thousand at thy right hand; /
but it shall not come nigh thee.

8 Yea, with thine eyes shalt thou behold, / and see the reward of the ungodly.

10:30 am Choral Holy Communion

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

Mass setting: *Missa XI cum júbilo*

Creed: John Merbecke (1510-1585)

The Litany

p. 30

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

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Please sit

The Epistle (2 Corinthians 6:1)

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Please stand

The Gradual Psalm 91:9-16

tone V.1



BE-CAUSE THOU hast said, "The Lord is my *re-fuge*"; /
and hast made the Most High thy *ha-bi-ta-tion*,

There shall no evil happen unto *thee*, /
neither shall any plague come *nigh* thy *dwel-ling*.

For he shall give his angels charge over *thee*, / to keep *thee* in all thy ways.

They shall bear thee in their hands, / that thou hurt not thy foot a-against a stone.

Thou shalt tread upon the lion and *ad-der*: /

the young lion and the dragon shalt thou trample *un-der* thy feet.

Because he hath set his love upon me, therefore will I de-li-ver him; /

I will set him up, because he hath known my Name.

He shall call upon me, and I will *hear* him: /

yea, I am with him in trouble; I will deliver him, and bring *him* to ho-nour.

With long life will I sa-tis-fy him, / and show him my sal-va-tion.

The Lent Prose (see insert)

Attende, Domine

The Holy Gospel (St Matthew 4:1)

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The Nicene Creed

p. 71

The Sermon

The Rev'd Nicholas Hatt, *Rector*

Offertory Hymn 121 CHRISTIAN, dost thou see them? *Gute Baume Bringen*

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

p. 77

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).

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.

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 382 AS pants the hart

Martyrdom

Communion Motet *Emendemus in melius* – Orlando di Lasso (1532-1594)

*Emendemus in melius quae ignoranter
peccavimus;*

*ne subito praeoccupati die mortis,
quaeramus spatium poenitentiae, et
invenire non possimus.*

*Attende, Domine, et miserere; quia
peccavimus tibi.*

*Adjuva nos, Deus salutaris noster, et
propter honorem nominis tui libera nos.*

Let us amend for the better in those things
in which we have sinned through ignorance;
lest suddenly overtaken by the day of death,
we seek space for repentance,
and be not able to find it.

Hearken, O Lord, and have mercy:
for we have sinned against thee.

Help us, O God of our salvation,
and for the honour of thy name deliver us.

The Lord's Prayer p. 85

The Prayer of Thanksgiving p. 85

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 p. 86

Closing Hymn 105 FORTY days and forty nights *Heinlein*

Voluntary *Passacaglio in c, BWV 582 – J. S. Bach (1685-1750)*

Upcoming Services in the Round Church

Wednesday, February 24: the Feast of Saint Matthias the Apostle will be celebrated with Holy Communion (said) at 10am.

The Lenten Ember Days:

Friday, February 26: 12:15pm Holy Communion

Saturday, February 27: 12:15pm Holy Communion

Today's Offices:

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

Psalm 38; Gen. 13; Matt 9:1-17

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

Psalms 32 & 36; Gen. 8; Mark 14:1-26

Financial Update

Total Budgeted Undesignated Offering for 2021:	\$288,025.62
Budgeted undesignated offering as of the end of January:	\$24,002.14
Total received as of the end of January:	\$15,126.06

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 13: Team 1 led by Jim Rawding. Food and volunteers came from St. Peter's, Birch Cove; 100 were served.

Yesterday, February 20: Team 2 led by Samuel Landry and Mary Hills. Food came from St John's United, Fall River UCW.

Next Week, February 27: Team 3 led by Mike & Wendy Himmelman. Food and volunteers will come from All Saints' Cathedral.

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, Marie, Patrick, Travis, Leroy, Debbie, Barbara, Patricia, the Almasalma Family, Evelyn, Lowell, Richard, Wendy, the McAllister Family, Ginny, Betty-Jane, Barbie, Blake, Bishop Michael, Ash, James, Noah, Sandra, Steve, Daira, John, Elizabeth, Daruka and family, Kim, Victoria, Donald, Brenda, and Brentwood.

For the Faithful Departed: Georgina Loretta Myles ('06), Borden Conrad ('21), Gregg Peacock ('21), Ian Henderson ('10), Martha Bungay ('06), Heather Anne Smith ('08), Hal Davies ('11), Jackie Harmer ('14), Larry Miles ('19), Gerald Moulton ('11), and Robert Kennedy ('21)



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Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

Sun – The Church of the Province of Central Africa
Mon – The Diocese of Argentina – The Anglican Church of South America
Tue – The Diocese of Northern Argentina – The Anglican Church of South America
Wed – The Diocese of Argyll & The Isles – The Scottish Episcopal Church
Thu – The Diocese of Arizona – The Episcopal Church (VIII (8) Province)
Fri – The Diocese of Arkansas – The Episcopal Church (VII (7) Province)
Sat – The Diocese of Armagh – The Church of Ireland (Armagh Province)

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Cape Breton Region

Collieries Parish: The Rev'd Dorothy Miller; The Rev'd Myrna MacMullin,
Associate Parish Priest.



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Notices & Announcements
February 21

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 one of the three exits: the vestry door (side door to your left), 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.

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.

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

Daily Office lessons for this week

	Morning Prayer		Evening Prayer	
Sun	Gen. 13	Matt. 9. 1-17	Gen. 8	Mark 14. 1-26
Mon	Gen. 42	Matt. 26. 1-30	Gen. 43	Phil. 1
Tue	44	26. 31-56	Isa. 22. 15-22	Matt. 11. 25-30
Wed	1 Sam. 2. 27-35	7. 15-27	1 Sam. 16. 1-13	1 Cor. 4. 1-8
Thu	Gen. 47. 13-end	27. 1-26	Gen. 48	Phil. 4
Fri	49. 1-32	27. 27-56	49. 33-50 end	Col. 1. 1-20
Sat	Exod. 1. 1-14, 22-2. 10	27. 57-28 end	Exod. 2. 11-22	1. 21-2. 7

YouthNet Update

Over the past few weeks at YouthNet, we've been up to a lot of exciting things. We've kept up our weekly drama, dance and basketball sessions. We've also done a few different art activities, led by a few of our volunteers. An exciting new project on the horizon for our after-school program is a collaboration with iMOVE, an art and film non-profit organization in Halifax. We plan on working on a project where our participants make short films about the grandparents and elders in the North End community as a way of preserving a cultural memory. We are very excited about this project.

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

Parish Annual General Meeting - Last Sunday

The Parish Annual General Meeting was held last Sunday 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, Jacque 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!

Offering Plate

Two Sundays ago the offering was stolen at the 10:30 a.m. service. There was a witness and the matter has been reported to the police. Many people are using direct debit and e-transfers to make their offering to the parish, so the loss was less than it might have been, but nonetheless it is quite distressing. If you bring an offering to the church, please give it directly to one of the greeters who will bring it forward during the offertory hymn and ensure it is placed in a secure location.

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

Starting next Sunday, we will hold simple, sung Evensongs on Sunday evenings at 5 p.m. 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 - TBA

Sunday, March 21st - Lent 5 - TBA

"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) to get the link.

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.