

The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity September 27, 2020



Erweckung des Jünglings zu Nain/Die Heilung des Blutfüssigen. (c. 1570). Paolo Veronese (1528 - 1588). Oil on canvas

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.

10:30am Choral Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr. Nicholas Hatt, Rector

Mass setting: Missa Mon Coeur se recommande à vous – Johannes Eccard (1553-1661)

The Creed and Gloria will be said.

Please stand

Introit Psalm 146:1-6

sung by the choir

PRAISE the LORD, O MY soul; while I live will I praise the LORD: / yea, as long as I have any being, I will sing praises unto my God.

O PUT not your trust in princes nor in any child of man; / for there is no help in them.

For when the breath of man goeth forth, he shall turn again to his earth: / and then all his thoughts perish.

BLESSED is he that hath the God of Jacob for his help, / and whose hope is in the LORD his God;

Who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that therein is; / who keepeth his promise for ever;

Who helpeth them to right that suffer wrong; / who feedeth the hungry.BOW down thine ear, O LORD, and hear me; / for I am poor and needy.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, / and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, / world without end. Amen.

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

sung by the choir

Kyrie eleison Christe eleison Kyrie eleison

Lord have mercy upon us, Christ have mercy upon us, Lord have mercy upon us.

The Collect

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Please sit

The Epistle (Ephesians 3:13)

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Please stand

Gradual Psalm 146:7-10

sung by the choir

The LORD looseth men out of prison: / the LORD giveth sight to the blind.

The LORD raiseth up them that are fallen: / the LORD loveth the righteous.

The LORD careth for the strangers; he upholdeth the fatherless and widow: / as for the way of the ungodly, he turneth it upside down.

The LORD thy God, O Sion, shall be King for evermore, / and throughout all generations.

The Holy Gospel (St Luke 7:11)

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The Baptism of Nathan Ryan Thomas

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Parents: Nicholas & Kaitlyn Thomas Godparents: Heather and Thomas Stenason

The Sermon

The Rev'd Nicholas Hatt, Rector

Offertory Anthem Laudate Dominum – Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck (1562-1621)

Laudate Dominum, omnes gentes; laudate eum, omnes populi.

Quoniam confirmata est super nos misericordia ejus, et veritas Domini manet in aeternam.

O praise the Lord, all ye heathen: praise him, all ye

For his merciful kindness is ever more and more towards us: and the truth of the Lord endureth for

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

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Pleni sunt cœli et terra gloria tua.

Hosanna in excelsis.

Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini.

Hosanna in excelsis.

sung by the choir

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

sung by the choir

The Agnus Dei

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.

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

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Voluntary

Pièce d'orgue, BWV 572 – J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

Upcoming Special Services in the Round Church

Tuesday, September 29: The Feast of St Michael and All Angels will be celebrated with Choral Holy Communion at 7pm

Services today

8 am Holy Communion begins on page 67 of the Book of Common Prayer. The Collect, Epistle & Gospel for today are found on pages 242-243 The Introit and Gradual Psalm are printed in this bulletin.

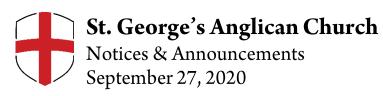
10 am Morning Prayer begins on page 6 of the Prayer Book.

Psalm 90; Ezek. 18:1-4, 19-end; Luke 9:46-end

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

Psalm 91; Neh. 2; 1 Cor. 13

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



Worship during the Pandemic

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

- wear a mask. Please speak to a greeter if you need one.
- clean your hands upon arriving in the church (hand sanitizer is available at the door)
- check-in with the greeter and make sure your name is recorded (this is required in the event that health authorities need to conduct contact tracing)
- refrain from sitting in the pews marked off with a ribbon
- refrain from shaking others' hands
- cough or sneeze into your elbow
- at the time of the Holy Communion (at the 10:30am Choral Holy Communion), please remain seated in your pew until the greeter has signaled that it is time for you to go. Those sitting around the outside aisles and in the upstairs Gallery of the church will go first, followed by those sitting around the centre aisle of the church.
- 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.
- exit the church using the vestry door (side door to your left) and drop your prayer book in the box at the door.

At all times, please observe physical distancing in the church, keeping six feet or two metres from those outside of your family or household. This is especially important when arriving or leaving the church and when approaching the altar to receive the Holy Communion.

If you have travelled or have been in direct contact with someone who has travelled outside of Nova Scotia or the Atlantic 'bubble' 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; 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

Financial Update

Total Budgeted Undesignated Offering for 2020: \$260,269.21 Budgeted undesignated offering as of the end of August: \$173,512.81 Total received as of the end of August: \$178,982.09

Total needed for repairs to the Round Church\$25,000Total raised as of last Sunday\$8,135

(This is not an error. Nothing new came in for repairs last week)

Update from the Finance Warden

In the past few months we have been reporting a budget surplus for the parish. The financial statements to the end of August show the surplus has grown to approximately \$46 000. We are thankful for this and for the support of all who have continued to make their offering to the parish so faithfully. However, we must not be complacent. Most of this surplus is due to wage subsidies from the federal government, received through the diocese, and the receipt of grant money and the HST Rebate. Monthly offerings have been tapering off over the summer. Our monthly net income has been on a downward trend since May. We cannot be sure we will continue to receive wage subsidies to the end of the year. Rental income is slowly increasing as groups gradually resume meeting in the Church and Hall (with COVID restrictions as required) and we are hopeful that with proper precautions these meetings can continue. As people gradually return to work, parking income is increasing as well.

Thank you to all who have made contributions to the fund to repair the roof and paint the exterior of the Round Church. To date we have received about \$8135 of the required \$25 000. We hope to meet our goal by the end of the year. Information about how to contribute is on a separate sheet. Every little bit helps, many small contributions are as good as a few large ones.

If you have any questions please speak to the Rector or one of the wardens.

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, Debbie, Barbara, Patricia, the Almasalma Family, Evelyn, Lowell, Richard, Wendy, Cynthia, Lauren, Mary, the McAllister Family, Ginny.

For the Faithful Departed: Robert Hiltz ('18), Donna Stewart '19), Vera Judge ('20), Michael Kotchan ('20), Barbara Wentzel ('20), Donald Norton ('08), Alexander Kristian Welton ('10), Colin Gardiner ('13), and Bernie Campbell ('20).

Daily Office lessons for this week

	Morning 1	Prayer	Evening Prayer		
Sun	Ezek. 18. 1-4, 19- end	Luke 9. 46-end	Neh. 2	1 Cor. 13	
Mon	Jer. 40	Phil. 3	Daniel 12:1-4	Rev. 8:1-6	
Tue	2 Kings 6:8-17	Acts 12:1-11	Daniel 10:4-end	Rev. 5	
Wed	Jer. 44. 1-14	Col. 1. 1-20	Jer. 44. 15-end	John 13	
Thu	Ezek. 1. 1-14	1. 21-2. 7	Ezek. 1. 15-end	14	
Fri	2	2. 8-19	3. 1-14	15	
Sat	3. 15-end	2. 20-3. 11	8	16	

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, September 19: Team 4 led by Alex Bickerton. Food and volunteers came from St. Thomas' Fall River. 150 were served Yesterday, September 26: Team 5 led by Jordan Gracie. Food and volunteers came from Bedford Baptist.

Next Week, October 3: Team 6 led by Jordan Gracie. Food will be provided by the families of Sam Landry and Helen Hillis.

New Bishop

The Rev'd Sandra Fyfe was elected Bishop of the Diocese of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, replacing The Most Rev'd Ron Cutler, at the Electoral Synod held on Saturday, September 12th. The Rev'd Fyfe is currently Rector of St John's, Horton in Wolfville, Nova Scotia. She will take office on the Feast of Saint Andrew, November 30th. Please uphold her in prayer as she prepares for this challenging new ministry.

YouthNet Update

YouthNet is back into the swing of things! This past Monday, we had our first day of both our Lunch Program and After-School program. In both of our programs, we were glad to see all of the youth once again, as well as add several new participants to our programs! We are currently navigating our new protocol in terms of COVID-19, and adjusting to the new protocols in place at both Joseph Howe School and our own YouthNet space. Teen Program is set to begin next week, following the hiring of our second Teen Program Coordinator.

Sunday Morning Greeters - Volunteers needed!

We are looking for a few more greeters on Sunday mornings at the 10:30 a.m. Choral Holy Communion Greeters welcome people to the church, make sure that attendance is recorded, and direct the line up at the time of Communion. This ministry is more important now than ever during the pandemic, to help ensure people feel welcome at our services and are comfortable while worshipping here. We hope to have enough volunteers to have rotations of two every six to eight weeks. Thank you to our current greeters, Palma Heming, Tracy Lenfesty, Alex Bickerton, Helen Hillis, and Marilyn Orr. If you would like to help with this important ministry, please speak with Father Hatt or one of the wardens.

Saint George's YouthNet Lunch Program Resumes

YouthNet's lunch program is starting up this week! Every school day, YouthNet provides lunches for 36 children at Joseph Howe Elementary. Hannah, the lunch coordinator, is looking for two more lunch providers who could help either in the form of cooking a meal or of donating the price of lunch once a month (\$85) in exchange for a tax-receipt. Please find Hannah after church or email her at lunch@stgeorgesyouthnet.ca if you can help!

Update from Deck the Hall

It has been a while since we have had a meaningful update so DTH wanted to share our progress in the last many months. We have secured pricing to remove the chimney that used to exhaust the old furnace. It runs from the basement through the main hall to the roof. It will make room for a new closet in the upper hall for Soup Kitchen. We got a pricing update from the contractor for the entire music room renovation. We are in the process of breaking it down into smaller parts to be able to phase in the work and also allow us to apply for very specific grants with pricing for a staged approach. We are hopeful that you will see work begin in the next few months moving us closer to having a music room underneath the hall.

This Tuesday — St Michael and All Angels

The Feast of St Michael and All Angels will be celebrated with Choral Holy Communion on Tuesday, September 29th at 7 p.m. in the Round Church. A small group of choristers will offer Claudio Monteverdi's *Messa à quattro voci da capella* for the mass setting, and *Princeps gloriosissime* by G. P. Palestrina as the motet. The organ voluntary will be Toccata and Fugue in d, BWV 565 by J.S. Bach. The Rector will preach.

Property Update - as of September 20th

Work started this week on the third of our major maintenance projects of summer 2020. The roofers have started on the upper dome, removing shingles prior to replacement. This Monday a boom truck will be arriving; if you are entering or exiting the parking lot over the next few weeks please be aware that you may need to access by Maitland Street. The reshingling will take several weeks, with expected completion in early October. The company involved, Classic Roofing and Siding Ltd., was responsible for shingling the New Horizons Baptist Church up the street last year.

The painting of the upper dome and cupola is complete. Do take a moment to admire the gleaming handiwork of the painters. In addition to painting, replacement was needed of rotten sills on the cupola, the cupola shutters were reset, and the storm windows on the drum section were repaired where necessary prior to repainting and reinstallation. Thanks to the painters who took such care restoring the uppermost levels of the Round Church.

The replacement of the oil furnace by a new natural gas furnace was completed earlier this summer. Work is presently being done on some of the duct work to improve performance and reduce noise of operation.

All of the above maintenance projects this year have been made possible through grants from the NS Heritage Property Program and the HRM Community Grants Program, the use of some excess preservation funds which can only be used for the upkeep of the Round Church, and the generosity of a parishioner. The total remaining cost to the Parish is only \$25,000. We encourage all who are able to contribute to the repair fund. Please see insert for further details. We will benefit from these repairs for many years to come.

In addition to these major projects, Allan Snook and Ian Porter have volunteered their time with smaller, but just as necessary repairs in the Hall and Round Church. Many thanks to them both. If you have any questions regarding Property, or to volunteer for this dynamic committee, please contact the Property Chair, Jacquie de Mestral.



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Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

Sun – Pray for the Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan

The Most Rev'd Ezekiel Kumir Kondo - Archbishop of the Province of Sudan & Bishop of Khartoum

Mon - Patna (North India) The Most Rev'd Dr Philip Marandih

Chandigarh (North India) The Rt Rev'd Younas Massey

Tue – Pelotas (Brazil) The Rt Rev'd Renato Da Cruz Raatz

Chelmsford (England) Vacant

Wed – Pennsylvania (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd Daniel Gutierrez

Chester (England) The Rt Rev'd Peter Robert Forster

Thu – Perth (Australia) The Most Rev'd Kay Goldsworthy

Chhattisgarh (North India) The Rt Rev'd Robert Ali

Chicago (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd Jeffrey Lee

Fri – Peru (South America) The Rt Rev'd Jorge Luis Aguilar

Chichester (England) The Rt Rev'd Martin Warner

Sat – Peshawar (Pakistan) The Most Rev'd Humphrey Peters (Primate)

Chotanagpur (North India) The Rt Rev'd B. B. Baskey

Koforidua (West Africa) The Rt Rev'd Felix Odei Annancy

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:

Staff and Students at the Atlantic School of Theology: The Rev'd Neale Bennett, *President*; The Rev'd Canon Dr. Jody Clarke; The Rev'd Dr. Paul Friesen; The Rev'd Paul Jennings, *Director of Anglican Formation*.

Staff and Students at the University of King's College: Mr. William Lahey, *President*; The Rev'd Dr. Ranall Ingalls, *Chaplain*.

Staff and Students at Kings-Edgehill School, Windsor: Mr. Joseph Seagram, Headmaster

The Programmes of Discernment, Training, and Formation for Ordained Ministry.