



St. George's Anglican Church

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The Eighth Sunday after Trinity

August 2, 2020



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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.

10:30am Sung Holy Communion

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr. Peter Harris

Mass setting: John Merbecke (1510-1585)

The *Creed* and *Gloria* will be said.

Introit Psalm 48:1-12

sung by cantor

GREAT is the LORD, and highly to be praised / in the city of our God.

His holy hill is a fair place, / and the joy of the whole earth:

Mount Zion of the uttermost parts of the north, / the city of the great King.

He hath made himself known in her citadels / as a sure refuge.

FOR lo, the kings of the earth were gathered, / and gone by together.

They marvelled to see such things; / they were astonished, and suddenly cast down.

Fear came there upon them, / and anguish, as upon a woman in her travail;

As when with the east wind / thou breakest the ships of the sea.

LIKE as we have heard, so have we seen in the city of the LORD of hosts, in the city of our God: / God upholdeth the same for ever.

We have thought on thy loving-kindness, O God, / in the midst of thy temple.

O God, according to thy Name, so is thy praise unto the world's end; / thy right hand is full of righteousness.

Let the mount Sion rejoice, and the daughters of Judah be glad, / because of thy judgements.

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 p. 67

The Summary of the Law p. 69

The Kyrie *sung by the cantor*

The Collect p. 229

Please sit

The Epistle (Romans 8:12) p. 230

Please stand

Gradual Psalm 48:13-15 *sung by the cantor*

WALK about Sion, and go round about her; / and count the towers thereof.

Mark well her bulwarks, consider her citadels, / that ye may tell them that come after.

For this God is our God for ever and ever: / he shall be our guide for evermore.

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| The Holy Gospel (St Matthew 7:15) | p. 229 |
| The Nicene Creed | pp. 71-72 |
| The Sermon | The Rev'd Canon Peter Harris |
| <i>After the biddings, please kneel</i> | |
| The Prayer of Intercession & Invitation to Confession | pp. 75-76 |
| The Confession | p. 77 |
| The Absolution, Comfortable Words, & Thanksgiving | pp. 77-78 |
| The Sanctus and Benedictus | <i>sung by the cantor</i> |
| The Prayer of Consecration & Pax | pp. 82-83 |
| The Prayer of Humble Access | pp. 83-84 |
| The Agnus Dei | <i>sung by the cantor</i> |
| The Holy Communion | |
| <i>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.</i> | |
| The Lord's Prayer | p. 85 |
| The Prayer of Thanksgiving | pp. 85-86 |
| The Gloria in Excelsis | p. 86 |
| The Blessing | p. 86 |
| Postlude | |

The Parish Choir is on break for the Summer

The Parish Choir is taking a well-deserved break until September. We thank our Music Director Garth MacPhee and those members of the choir who have provided such beautiful music throughout the trying period of the shutdown and we hope the rest of the choir knows that we miss them and that we look forward to the return of the full choir whenever that might become possible. Today, we are pleased to welcome Dr. Robert Summerby-Murray back to St. George's as organist during Garth's vacation.

Upcoming Services in the Round Church

Thursday, August 6: The Feast of the Transfiguration of our Lord will be celebrated with Holy Communion (said) immediately following 5:30pm shortened Evening Prayer.

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 228-229.

The Introit and Gradual Psalm are printed in this bulletin.

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

Psalms 39 & 41; 1 Kings 22:1-38; Acts 25:1-12(13-end)

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

Psalm 40; Eek.33:21-end; John 16:16-22

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

Daily Office lessons for this week

| | Morning Prayer | | Evening Prayer | |
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| Sun | 1 Kings 22:1-38 | Acts 25:1-12 (13-end) | Ezek. 33:21-end | John 16:16-22 |
| Mon | 2 Sam. 7 | 1 Cor. 4:18-5 end | 2 Sam. 8 | Luke 10:25-end |
| Tue | 2 Sam.9 | 1 Cor. 6 | 2 Sam. 10 | Luke 11:1-28 |
| Wed | 2 Sam.13:38- 14:24 | 1 Cor. 7 | 2 Sam. 14:25- 15:12 | Luke 11:29-end |
| Thu | 2 Sam.15:13-end | 1 Cor. 8 | 2 Sam. 16 | Luke 12:1-34 |
| Fri | 2 Sam.17:1-23 | 1 Cor. 9 | 2 Sam. 17:24- 18:18 | Luke 12:35-53 |
| Sat | 2 Sam.18:19-end | 1 Cor. 10:1-11:1 | 2 Sam. 19:1-23 | Luke 12:54-13:9 |

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, July 25: Team 2 led by Mary Hills & Sam Landry. Food and volunteers came from St. George's. Many thanks to Mary and volunteers from Team 4 for cooking! 110 were served

Yesterday, August 1: Team 3 led by Jordan Gracie, filling in for Mike & Wendy Himmelman. Food and volunteers came from St. George's.

Next Week, August 8: Team 4 led by Alex Bickerton. Food and volunteers will come from St Francis by the Lakes.

Let us pray for those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially: James, Bruce, Bruce, Vernon, Eric, Jennifer, Rob, Peter, Wanda, Helen, Justin, Joshua, Marie, Debbie, Max, Barbara, Patricia, the Almasalma Family, the family of Daruka, the McAllister Family, (baby) Thomas, David, Justin, Brenda, Helen, Peter, Evelyn, Shauna, Jeff, the Kleven family, Brooke and (baby) Hendrik, Roseanna, Lowell, Richard, David and Heather, Leona, Roger, Wendy, Ginny, Roy, and Kristin.

For the Faithful Departed: Leslie Jackson ('06) Lillian Patterson ('11), Fr. J Christopher Snow ('16), Jane Curran ('11), Gai Thomas ('11), DawnMarie Lorenc ('20), Emerson Hall ('20), Joseph Walker ('11), Percy James ('11), Bernard James ('17), and Lucy Miles ('03).



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Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

Sun – Pray for the new Province of Alexandria

- created from the former Diocese of Egypt with North Africa and the Horn of Africa in the Episcopal Church of Jerusalem and the Middle East.

Mon – Karnataka Central (South India) The Rt Rev'd Prasana Kumar Samuel

Karnataka North (South India) The Rt Rev'd Ravikumar J. Niranjana

Karnataka South (South India) The Rt Rev'd Mohan Manoj

Tue - Ogbaru (Nigeria) The Rt Rev'd Dr Prosper Amah

Bondo (Kenya) The Rt Rev'd David Kodia

Kasai - Mbujimayi (Congo) Vacant

Wed – Ogbia (Nigeria) The Rt Rev'd James Oruwori

Bor (South Sudan) The Most Rev'd Ruben Akurdi Ngong

Umzimvubu (Southern Africa) The Rt Rev'd Sitembele Mzamane

Thu – Ogbomoso (Nigeria) Vacant

Botswana (Central Africa) The Rt Rev'd Metlhayotlhe Rawlings Beleme

Brandon (Canada) The Rt Rev'd William Cliff

Fri – Ogoni (Nigeria) The Rt Rev'd Solomon Gberegbara

Brasilia (Brazil) The Rt Rev'd Maurício Jose Araujo De Andrade

Brazzaville (Congo) The Rt Rev'd Molanga Jean Botola

Sat – Ogori-Magongo (Nigeria) The Rt Rev'd Festus Davies

Brechin (Scotland) The Rt Rev'd Andrew Swift

Katakwa (Kenya) The Rt Rev'd John Okude Omuse

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Fort Sackville Region

Retired Clergy: The Rev'd Arthur Cuzner, The Rev'd James Greene, The Rev'd Tom Kerr, The Rev'd Judy Lafford, The Rev'd John Mills, The Rev'd Marilyn Hamlin

Widows: Mrs. Judy Appleton, Mrs. Barbara Corbin, Mrs. Marion Andrews, Mrs. Greta Moore, Mrs. Beverly Dellapinna



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Notices & Announcements

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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 Communion during the 10:30 a.m. service, we ask that members of the congregation remain in their pews until the greeter or sidesperson has indicated that it is time for them to go forward. This is necessary to ensure we maintain proper physical distancing while in line to receive the Sacrament, now that there are larger numbers of people attending.**
- 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

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| Total Budgeted Undesignated Offering for 2020: | \$260,269.21 |
| Budgeted undesignated offering as of the end of June: | \$130,134.61 |
| Total received as of the end of June: | \$143,462.59 |

Financial Update from the Finance Warden

Last month we reported that the parish had accumulated a small financial surplus. This was largely due to allotment relief from the Diocese and a subsidy of the Rector's stipend and housing allowance obtained by the Diocese through the federal government. We are very grateful that parishioners have continued to provide regular offerings to the parish which has put us in a strong financial position.

As of the end of June, that surplus has slightly increased to approximately \$25,000. While this is encouraging, we must now begin paying allotment expenses again and the subsidy for the Rector's stipend and housing could end at any time. We also have some additional expenses for cleaning the church and hall, the video recordings of our Sunday liturgy, and some minor property repairs. We also know that we will soon need to re-shingle the roof of the Round Church and paint the upper drum and cupola of the church which will be significant expenses. If we can maintain our current momentum, we will be in a good position to meet these challenges.

Thank you to all who have supported our parish so faithfully in recent months. We encourage everyone to continue their regular giving to the parish.

YouthNet Update

Our summer camps are in session! So far, we've played a lot of basketball, done some arts + crafts, tried our hand at letter writing and played some water games outside. We're very excited to have some youth back in our space, and we are cautiously following COVID-19 guidelines in order to make it possible.

Sadly, our Program Coordinator, Joe Blackwood, has resigned from his position with us, due to a need to be with his family in the U.S at this time. Please carefully consider if you know of anyone that might be a good fit for the position. Contact Sarah at director@stgeorgesyouthnet.ca to get a copy of the job posting.

One of our summer students, Rebecca, is creating a YouthNet 'Alumni Board'. The aim of this Board will be to show our present YouthNet participants some former participants of YouthNet, and what they are up to now. If you know of any names of participants from YouthNet's long history that we could feature on the board, please contact director@stgeorgesyouthnet.ca.

Rector's Vacation

Father Hatt will be on vacation from Monday, July 13th returning Wednesday, August 5th. We thank Father Jim Purchase for covering services until the end of July and Father Peter Harris who will take services on Sunday, August 2nd. In the event of a pastoral emergency while the Rector is away, please phone Father Purchase at (902) 455-1888.

Property Update

Furnace replacement

You may have noticed the construction on Cornwallis Street and the south lawn of the Round Church earlier this week. Heritage gas was extending the gas line to the side of the church. The wall on Cornwallis was dismantled and the pavement cut through, these are being restored along with the lawn.

The old furnace and oil tanks were successfully removed and we now await the installation of the new boilers. Bremner's expects these to arrive this coming week, so full installation may well be completed by the end of the month. We shall be very relieved to enter the upcoming heating system without the worry of furnace breakdown. Many thanks to those who made this possible.

Exterior work on the Round Church

As most are aware, it is 25 years since the devastating fire and the subsequent rebuilding of the upper dome and cupola. The wooden shingles remain in good condition but need repainting. The roof shingles have deteriorated and need replacing; this will be done using the heaviest, longest lasting shingles. The painting of the cupola and upper dome will start this week, to be completed early September. The re-shingling of the two upper domed roofs will then follow. Access to these work areas will require the use of staging and boom trucks which will, by times, block the Cornwallis Street entrance to the parking lot; best to access from Maynard Street.