

## 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.

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## 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 140** O SACRED head! sore wounded *Passion Chorale*

Communion Motet *O vos omnes* – Richard Dering (1580-1630)

*O vos omnes qui transitis per viam, attendite et videte: Si est dolor similis sicut dolor meus. Attendite, universi populi, et videte dolorem meum. Si est dolor similis sicut dolor meus*

O all ye that pass by the way, attend and see: If there be any sorrow like to my sorrow. Attend, all ye people, and see my sorrow. If there be any sorrow like to my sorrow.

## The Lord's Prayer

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The Prayer of Thanksgiving

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*Please remain kneeling*

## The Lenten Anthem (all kneeling)



O KING, ALL glorious amid thy saintly com-*pa*-ny / **who ever shalt be~ prais-éd.**

**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-éd.**

## The Blessing

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**Closing Hymn 132** GO to dark Gethsemane

*Nicht so traurig*

Voluntary

*Praeludium in c, BWV 546 - J. S. Bach (1685-1750)*

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

## Services today

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

The Collect, Epistle and Gospel for today are found on pages 150-154.

The Introit, Psalm 22 vv. 1-11, is printed on pp. 354-355 of the Book of Common Prayer. The Gradual Psalm is printed in this bulletin.

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

Psalms 23 & 24; Exodus 11; Matthew 26.

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

Psalm 118; Isaiah 52:13-53 end; Luke 19:29-end.

*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)*



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## The Sunday Next Before Easter

commonly called **Palm Sunday**

**April 14, 2019**



*The Entry into Jerusalem (Les Très Riches Heures du duc de Berry, Folio 34v) (1412-1416). The Brothers Limbourg (fl. 1385-1416). Miniature*

## 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.

# 10:30 am Choral Holy Communion

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

Mass setting: Missa IX *cum jubilo*

*Creed*: John Merbecke (1510-1585)

**Opening Hymn 131** RIDE on! ride on in majesty!

*Winchester New*

**Introit Psalm 22:1-11**

tone II.1



MY GOD, MY God, why hast thou for-*sa*-ken<sup>^</sup>me, /  
**and art so far from my help and from the words of my<sup>^</sup>com-plaint?**

O my God, I cry in the day-time, but thou hearest *not*; /  
and in the night-season also I take<sup>^</sup>no rest.

**And thou continuest *ho*-ly, / O thou worship of Is<sup>^</sup>ra-el.**

Our fathers trusted in *thee*; / they trusted in thee, and thou didst *de*-liv<sup>^</sup>er them.

**They called upon thee, and were *sav*ed; /**

**they put their trust in thee, and were not *con*-found-ed.**

But as for me, I am a worm and no *man*; /

a very scorn of men, and the outcast of *the* peo-ple.

**All they that see me laugh me to *scorn*; /**

**they shoot out their lips, and shake<sup>^</sup>their heads,**

Saying, 'He trusted in God, that he would *de*-liv<sup>^</sup>er<sup>^</sup>him; /  
let him deliver him, if he delight-*eth* in him.'

**But thou art he that took me from the *womb*; /**

**thou wast my hope, when I hanged yet upon *my* mo<sup>^</sup>ther's breasts.**

I have been left unto thee ever since I was *born*; /

thou art my God even from *my* mo<sup>^</sup>ther's womb.

**O go not from me, for trouble is hard at *hand*, / and there is none to help me.**

*The Gloria Patri is omitted*

The Lord's Prayer & 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 (Philippians 2:5)

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*Please stand*

**Gradual Psalm 22:12-21**

tone II.1



MA-NY OX-en are come a-*bout* me; /

**strong bulls of Bashan close me in *on* eve<sup>^</sup>ry side.**

**They gape upon me with their *mouths*, /**

**as it were a ramping and a roar-*ing*li-on.**

I am poured out like water, and all my bones are out of *joint*; /

my heart also in the midst of my body is even *like* melt<sup>^</sup>ing wax.

**My strength is dried up like a potsherd, and my tongue cleaveth to my *gums*, /**

**and thou bringest me into *the* dust<sup>^</sup>of death.**

For many dogs are come a-*bout* me, /

and the council of the wicked layeth siege a-*gainst* me.

**They pierced my hands and my feet; I may count all my *bones*: /**

**they stand staring and looking *up*-on me.**

They part my garments a-*mong* them, / and cast lots upon *my* ves-ture.

**But be not thou far from me, O *Lord*; /**

**thou art my succour, haste thee *to* help me.**

Deliver my soul from the *sword*, / and my life from the power of the dog.

**Save me from the lion's *mouth*; /**

**thou hast heard me also from among the horns of *the* wild ox<sup>^</sup>en.**

**The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ According to St Matthew**

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*Today's Gospel will be read as a dramatic reading (see insert)*

**The Nicene Creed**

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The Sermon

The Rev'd Nicholas Hatt, *Rector*

**Offertory Hymn 596** MY song is love unknown

*Love Unknown*

*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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# St. George's Anglican Church

Notices & Announcements

April 14, 2019

## The Sunday Next Before Easter

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### 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

**Compline (said):** 8:20pm on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month

### Soup Kitchen Update

**Last week, April 6:** Team 6 led by Jordan Gracie, filling in for Debbie Davidson. Food and volunteers came from Alpha Gamma Delta Alumni; 88 were served.

**Yesterday, April 13:** Team 1 led by Jim Rawding. Food and volunteers came from Saint George's.

**Next week, April 20:** Team 2 led by Mary Hills. Food and volunteers will come from Saint George's – thank you to Alex Bickerton and volunteers from Team 4 for providing the meal!

### Lessons for Holy Week

#### Morning Prayer

Monday	Hosea 13: 1-14	John 14: 1-14	Psalms 94
Tuesday	Isaiah 42: 1-9	John 15: 1-16	Psalms 71
Wednesday	Numbers 21: 4-9	John 16: 1-15	Psalms 109
Thursday	Lam. 1: 1-14	John 17	Psalms 40, 41
Friday	Genesis 22: 1-18	John 18: 1-32	Psalms 22
Saturday	Zech. 9: 9-12	1 Peter 2: 11-end	Psalms 16, 30

#### Evening Prayer

Monday	Hosea 14	John 14:15-end	Psalms 69
Tuesday	Wisd. 2.1, 12-end	John 15: 17-end	Psalms 79
Wednesday	Lev. 16: 2-24	John 16: 16-end	Psalms 120,140
Thursday	Lam. 3: 1-33	John 13: 1-35	Psalms 116, 117
Friday	Isaiah 50: 4-10	John 19: 38-end	Psalms 88
Saturday	Job 19: 21-27	John 2: 13-22	Psalms 27

## Financial Update

	<b>Budgeted</b>	<b>Received to date</b>	
Total Undesignated Offerings for 2019	\$235,500	\$60,055.45	
Last Week's Undesignated Offering	\$4,529	\$4,273.60	
<p>These numbers represent an estimate of the parish's undesignated offerings. They are presented un-reconciled and unaudited for the purpose of providing a general idea of how the parish is performing financially. The weekly offering does not include offerings received through Direct Deposit and online through Canada Helps.</p>			
<b>Last week's attendance:</b>			
Sunday, 8am: 27	Sunday, 10:30am: 127	Sunday, 5pm: 13	Wednesday, 10am: 21

**Let us pray for those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially:**

Donna, Shari, James, Bruce, Vernon, Jennifer, Peter, Wanda, Eric, Justin, Joshua, Marie, Eric, Debbie, Brian, Max, David, Barbara, Patricia, Johanna, Lynn, Hubert, Schema, Ronald, Alan, Kim, Myrtle, the Almasalma Family, the family of Lual, the family of Daruka, Michelle and (baby) David.

**For the Faithful Departed:** Wanita Frances Gordon ('04), Sgt. Roland Ashe ('06), Elizabeth Ann Taylor ('08), Renata Kartsaklis ('06), Claude Casey ('19), Angus Johnston ('17), Lenore Harvey ('09), Roberta Matthews ('07), Barrie Jackson ('18), Freeman Purchase ('13), Holly Gushue ('06), and Ken Pringle ('19).

## Prayer Intercession List

If you have loved ones who should be added to this list, please speak with Fr. Hatt directly or email him at [rector@roundchurch.ca](mailto:rector@roundchurch.ca).

## Could Ye Not Watch With Me One Hour?

Following the Maundy Thursday liturgy, our parish keeps vigil through the night in the Round Church. We need one person in the main body of the church, by then barren and stripped of decoration, and one person at the Altar of Repose, where the Sacrament of our Lord's Body and Blood will be taken at the end of the service on Maundy Thursday. Please consider coming to watch and pray during this all-night vigil, as we recollect Our Lord's agony in the Garden of Gethsemane with his disciples. We keep vigil until the early service on Good Friday morning. Stay for an hour, a half hour, or even just drop in for a few minutes. Bring a friend with you or perhaps a young person who might be keeping vigil for the first time. This can be a very moving experience. **A sign up sheet is available on one of the doors at the back of the church.**

## The Lenten Fast

The Book of Common Prayer (page xiii) directs us 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.

## Lenten Sunday Evensongs

Each Sunday in Lent, we held a Sung Evensong with organ accompaniment. Meditations on the appointed Scripture readings were offered by different parishioners. Copies of those meditations can be found on the parish website by visiting [www.roundchurch.ca/sermons](http://www.roundchurch.ca/sermons).

Lent I – Jane Neish

Lent II – Samuel Landry

Lent IV – David Sheppard

Lent V – Meghan Jamieson

## **Atlantic Theological Conference**

This year's Atlantic Theological Conference will take place in Charlottetown, PEI from Wednesday, June 26th until Saturday, June 29th. The title of this year's conference is "Upon this Rock", and the conference will be built around various Scripture verses from the life of Saint Peter.

## **A Holy Lent: Lenten Study Sessions**

The Exhortation appointed to be read on Ash Wednesday (page 611-612) in the Book of Common Prayer directs us to "the observance of a holy Lent, by self-examination and repentance, by prayer, fasting, and self-denial, and by reading and meditation upon God's holy Word." Over the past few weeks, the Rector led three bi-weekly sessions to help us better understand these disciplines, what the Book of Common Prayer says about them, and how we might undertake them with a renewed vigour. These sessions were especially designed for those new to the Book of Common Prayer.

Our first session was on March 12, on "Reading and Meditation upon God's holy Word." We discussed the history of the reading of Holy Scripture in the Church, and the Daily Offices of Morning and Evening Prayer.

Our second session was Tuesday, March 26, on "Fasting and Self-Denial". We discussed the origins of fasting in the Hebrew Scripture and its practice by early, medieval, and reformed Christians and how our own Book of Common Prayer reflects this in its requirement (see page xiii) that Anglicans undertake some form of fasting and self-denial at various times throughout the church year. Our final session was held last Tuesday, April 9, on "Prayer and Intercession." Jan Connors led a discussion on selections from Metropolitan Antony Bloom's book *Courage to Pray* (copies available at the back of the church). Participants reflected upon intercessory prayer as a spiritual means of helping to bear another's burden. In particular, we considered the following from Brother Geoffrey Tristram from the Society of Saint John the Evangelist:

### **Intercede**

When we pray, as our Rule puts it, we are not calling down a divine presence to come to the place where we have seen a need, for the Christ who fills all things is already in that place. Christ is already there in grace and mercy beside those in greatest need - sharing their sorrows. In our prayers we are willing to take on the suffering of others, and join God in God's compassionate presence.

## **Services for Holy Week and Easter**

The services appointed for Holy Week and Easter enact the narrative of our Lord's Passion, Death, and Resurrection. For a fuller description of these services, please pick up a copy of the Holy Week Booklet found at the back of the church and on the website at [www.roundchurch.ca](http://www.roundchurch.ca).

### **Holy Monday, April 15<sup>th</sup> and Holy Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup>**

**7 pm** Choral Holy Communion. *Meditations will be offered by Jordan Draper, ordinand for the Diocese of Saskatchewan.*

### **Holy Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>**

**10 am** Holy Communion (said).

**7 pm** Tenebrae

### **Maundy Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup>**

**7 pm** Foot-washing, Choral Holy Communion, and stripping of the altar. *The Rector will preach. This service is followed immediately by the all-night vigil.*

### **Good Friday, April 19<sup>th</sup>**

**7:30 am** Mass of the Presanctified

**9 am** Morning Prayer and Litany

**10 am** Stations of the Cross for Children and Families, followed by the decoration of the Easter Tomb.

**12 noon to 3 pm.** The Three Hour Service. *The Rector will offer a series of meditations on the Seven Last Words of Christ on the Cross. If you can't make it to the entirety of this service, please enter and exit the church quietly, preferably during a hymn, and using the Brunswick Street doors (unless prevented by mobility issues).*

### **Holy Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup>**

**10am** Ante-Communion, followed by the preparation of the church for Easter

**10:30pm** The Easter Vigil and the First Mass of Easter. *Fr. Harris will preach.*

### **Easter Day, April 21<sup>st</sup>**

**8 am** Holy Communion (said)

**10 am** Morning Prayer (said)

**10:30 am** Choral Holy Communion and Baptism. *The Rector will preach.*

### **Easter Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**10 am** Holy Communion (said) and Baptism in the Little Dutch Church.

*This service, held on the anniversary of the consecration of the Little Dutch Church to Saint George on Easter Monday, 1761, uses the 1662 Book of Common Prayer.*

## **YouthNet Update**

Rozzi Curran will be stepping down as the Executive Director of Saint George's YouthNet effective June 1st in order to begin graduate studies this autumn. The YouthNet Board of Directors has begun the search for a new Executive Director. The job posting is available online at [www.stgeorgesyouthnet.ca/job-postings](http://www.stgeorgesyouthnet.ca/job-postings). We thank Rozzi for her hard work and dedication to the Program over the past three years and wish her well in her studies. An event to thank Rozzi will be held on Thursday, May 30th at 3:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. All are welcome! Please keep Rozzi and our YouthNet families in your prayers during this time of transition.

## **Easter Flowers and Preparations**

You may have noticed that our church looks different in Lent. The crosses are veiled in purple and we don't put flowers on the altar so as to reflect the penitential season. For Easter, the crosses will be revealed again and the hangings will be changed to white for our celebrations. On Holy Saturday the altar guild will be asking for help to clean and prepare the church for Easter - watch for more information in the coming weeks.

I am currently making plans for Easter flowers. If anyone would like to make a contribution, please clearly mark your offering "Easter Flowers" so we can make sure the money is allocated properly. Donations can be in memory of a friend or relative, *or just because*. If you make a donation in memory of someone, let the office know so that their name can be included in the Easter bulletin. If you have any questions please speak to me. Thanks! Tracy Lenfesty

## **Easter Egg Decorating**

On Saturday, April 20th, Holy Saturday, at 10 a.m., the Sunday School will be decorating hard boiled eggs to distribute on Easter Sunday after the 10:30 service. Anyone able to do so, is invited to bring a dozen or more hard boiled eggs to the Sunday School Room on Saturday morning to make sure there are enough to decorate.







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### Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

**Sun** – Pray for the Episcopal Church in Jerusalem & The Middle East  
The Most Rev'd Suheil Dawani - Archbishop, Jerusalem & the Middle East & Archbishop in Jerusalem

**Mon** – Mississippi (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd Brian Seage  
Western Massachusetts (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd Douglas Fisher  
Ifo (Nigeria) The Rt Rev'd Nathaniel Oladejo Ogundipe

**Tue** – Missouri (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd Wayne Smith  
Western Mexico (Mexico) The Rev'd Ricardo Joel Gómez Osnaya

**Wed** – Mityana (Uganda) The Rt Rev'd Stephen Kaziimba  
Western Michigan (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd Whayne Houglund  
Western New York (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd William Franklin

**Thu** – Mombasa (Kenya) The Rt Rev'd Alphonse Mwaro Baya  
Western Newfoundland (Canada) The Rt Rev'd John Organ  
Western North Carolina (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd José Antonio McLoughlin

**Fri** – Monmouth (Wales) The Rt Rev'd Richard Pain  
Western Tanganyika (Tanzania) The Rt Rev'd Sadock Makaya  
Igbomina (Nigeria) The Rt Rev'd Emmanuel Adekola

**Sat** – Montana (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Rev'd C. Franklin Brookhart  
Wiawso (West Africa) The Rt Rev'd Abraham Kobina Ackah  
Igbomina - West (Nigeria) The Rt Rev'd Olajide Adebayo

**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:** Eastern Shore Region

**Seaforth:** The Rev'd Evelyn Knorr; The Rev'd Fred Grainger, *Associate Parish Priest*