

Quote of the Week

Being extravagantly generous is an enchanting way to become holy and Godlike, for God is awesomely extravagant — as is revealed by even a casual glance at creation.

Edward Hays
The Great Escape Manual

Called to Serve

Readings for Next Service, February 03, 2019

Jeremiah 1: 4-10
Psalm 71; 1-6
1 Corinthians 13: 1-13
Luke 4: 21-30

Service Time: Sunday, February 03, 2019

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Visits - If you know of someone in this Parish who is sick or shut-in and would like a visit, please let us know! Rev Wendy would love to visit.

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St. James Anglican Church

January 27, 2019

3rd After Epiphany

Service of Holy Eucharist

The Book of Alternative Services

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Procession Hymn: Jesus Shall Reign RB-164

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The Grace

The Gloria Pg 186

The Collect for Purity

The Collect for the Day: Pg 276

(Together) Almighty God, by grace alone you call us and accept us in your service. Strengthen us by your Spirit, and make us worthy of your call; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever...Amen

First Reading: Nehemiah 8: 1-3, 5-6, 8-10

Psalm 19 (Bulletin)

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12: 12-31

Gradual Hymn: Fairest Lord Jesus RB-46

Gospel: Luke 4: 14-21

Sermon

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Offertory Hymn: The Lord's My Shepherd RB - 131

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Prayer Over the Gifts:

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(Together) Loving God, before the world began you called us. Make holy all we offer you this day, and strengthen us in that calling. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.. Amen

Eucharistic Prayer #1

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The Lord's Prayer

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The Breaking of the Bread

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The Communion

Communion Hymn What A Friend We have in Jesus RB-114

Prayer after Communion:

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(Together). **Prayer after Communion**

Gracious God, our hands have taken holy things; our lives have been nourished by the body of your Son. May we who have eaten at this holy table be strengthened for service in your world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen

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The Blessing

Announcements (Birthdays: Benjamin Keifer- Lewis)
(Anniversary)

Recessional Hymn: Come Let Us Sing

RB – 126

The Dismissal

Annual Meeting – February 17

Our AGM will be held on February 17 following the Sunday service. Please start thinking about your annual reports and email or deliver them to the office by February 03

Candlemas Eucharist – Sat, Feb 2 – 4:00 pm

Seafood Chowder – 5:00 pm

Altar Guild Annual Meeting – 6:00 pm

*Candles to be used this year will be blessed at the Eucharist.
You are sincerely invited to attend.*

Volunteers for Vestry and/or Synod Delegate - If you have an interest or feel called to serve on Vestry or as a Synod Delegate, please speak to Rev Wendy or Loretta or Peter. You may wish to nominate someone to sit on Vestry. If so, please speak to the person and with their permission, speak to Rev Wendy, Loretta or Peter.

OUT OF THE COLD SHELTER UPDATE: The shelter on Assumption Blvd is averaging 30 guests per night. **Needed warm outerwear, socks & undergarments. Coffee shop gift cards of \$5 or \$10** value are always appreciated too! A basket is in the vestibule to drop your donations, Rev. Wendy will receive your gift certificates.

Many thanks for all donations of food and items for the shelter. They have been distributed. We thank you for your continued big hearts.

Church News

PWRDF Dispensary Fundraiser The St. James total is **\$2,327.45**. If you multiply that by 6 it equals **\$13,964.70**. We have done very very well.

From the **Catholic Bookstore**, 1 Bayard Dr., Saint John: final stock clear-out sale. 50 per cent or more off storewide (some exceptions apply). Store hours until Jan. 31 are Tuesday - Friday, 2:30 - 4:30 pm.

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Public presentation Jan. 31, 12:10 - 1 p.m. ***Why Doesn't God Do Something? An Honest Look at the Problem of Evil;*** at Christ Church (Parish) Church, 245 Westmorland Street, Fredericton. With Dr. John Stackhouse of Crandall University; hosted by the Diocesan Mission & Outreach team.

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Public presentation Jan 31 at 7 p.m. at UNB Fredericton (room 143, D'Avray Hall) entitled ***The Recent Death of Reason: Are We Now in a Post-Truth Age?*** With Dr John Stackhouse of Crandall University; hosted by the Diocesan Mission & Outreach team.

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On Feb 2 at 10.00 am Mike Briggs Diocesan Stewardship Officer will hold a presentation on '**Wills, why you need one and what to think about**' at St Philip 30 Lynch St Moncton, no charge. Registration at 9.30 am coffee, tea, water provided.

Psalm 19

1 The heavens declare the glory of God, * and the firmament shows his handiwork.

2 One day tells its tale to another, * and one night imparts knowledge to another.

3 Although they have no words or language, * and their voices are not heard,

4 Their sound has gone out into all lands, * and their message to the ends of the world.

5 In the deep has he set a pavilion for the sun; * it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber; it rejoices like a champion to run its course.

6 It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens and runs about to the end of it again; * nothing is hidden from its burning heat.

7 The law of the Lord is perfect and revives the soul; * the testimony of the Lord is sure and gives wisdom to the innocent.

8 The statutes of the Lord are just and rejoice the heart; * the commandment of the Lord is clear and gives light to the eyes.

9 The fear of the Lord is clean and endures for ever; * the judgements of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.

10 More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold, * sweeter far than honey, than honey in the comb.

11 By them also is your servant enlightened, * and in keeping them there is great reward.

12 Who can tell how often he offends? * cleanse me from my secret faults.

13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins; let them not get dominion over me; * then shall I be whole and sound, and innocent of a great offense.

14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, * O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.

(Together) Gracious creator of heaven and earth, your Word has come among us as the true Sun of righteousness, and the good news of his birth has gone out to the ends of the world. Open our eyes to the light of your law, that we may be purified from sin and serve you without reproach for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Light and our Life. Amen

Prayers of the People
First Sunday after Christmas
December 30, 2018

Layreader: In Christ God's Word has become flesh dwelling among us, full of grace and truth. Let us pray to the true light which enlightens the world, that from the fullness of God all creation may receive grace upon grace, saying: What has come into being in Christ was life, and the life was the light of all people.

Reader 1: Loving God, you have given your people the confidence to come before you through the new and living way that Jesus Christ has opened for us. Grant your church grace to provoke one another to love and good deeds, encouraging one another in Christ. In the church we pray for David our Bishop, Brent our Archdeacon, Wendy our priest and all in leadership roles. May they lead us to understand the love of Jesus and His message. Bless your Church and her members as we labour in your vineyard, that we may be fruitful, as we live our lives in a manner worthy of the gospel, and live faithfully in your loving presence. Clothe your Church with the garments of salvation and cover her with robes of righteousness, O Gracious One, that we may be your witnesses to testify to the light. What has come into being in Christ was life, **and the life was the light of all people.**

Reader 2: Almighty One, inspire the leaders of our nation and all in authority in the ways of grace and truth, that we may no longer be a people enslaved under the law but may know ourselves to be heirs, adopted as God's children. What has come into being in Christ was life, **and the life was the light of all people.**

Reader 3: Be our light in the darkness for all the world, O God, that the fullness of your heart may be made known for the healing of the earth. What has come into being in Christ was life, **and the life was the light of all people.**

Reader 4: Live among us, O Word made flesh, and reconcile this community to your light. What has come into being in Christ was life, **and the life was the light of all people.**

Reader 5: May your people be a crown of beauty and a royal diadem in your hand, as we pray in faith for (Add Parish List). Hear our gratitude for your glory manifest among us. Receive those who have died as heirs of eternal life. What has come into being in Christ was life, **and the life was the light of all people.**

(Together) Loving and gracious Creator, from the beginning you have brightened our darkness with the light of your life: Let your vindication shine out like the dawn, and your salvation like a burning torch, that your Word made flesh may bring grace upon grace to all the earth, in the power of your Holy Spirit, through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.



Those we uphold in Prayer:

Immediate Prayers:, Robert, Kay, Kelly, Charlie, Ron, Colin, Wayne and Edith, Marilyn

Long-Term Prayers:, Susan Goguen, Rev. Chris Ketch, Ron and Colin

