

## Quote of the Week

**Anyone can love a rose, but it takes a lot to love a leaf. It's ordinary to love the beautiful, but it's beautiful to love the ordinary.**

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## Called to Serve

### Readings for Next Week, April 14, 2019

**Palm Sunday**

Isaiah 50: 4-9

Psalms 31: 9-16

Philippians 2: 5-11

Luke: 22: 14-23: 56

**Service Time: Sunday April 14, 2019**

### Clergy

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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*

April 07, 2019

5<sup>th</sup> in Lent

Service of Holy Eucharist  
Book of Alternative Services

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**Processional Hymn: My Faith Looks Up to Thee RB-285**

**Extinguishing of a Lenten Candle**

**Ending Prayer (Said Together)** Loving God, as we journey through this holy season of Lent, give us strength and courage to make the changes that are needed in our lives. Open our hearts and minds to your steadfast presence and help us to put our trust in you. Amen.

**Jesus Bids Us Shine**

**With a pure, clear light,**

**Like a little candle**

**Burning in the night;**

**In this world of darkness**

**So we must shine—**

**You in your small corner,**

**And I in mine.**

**The Holy Eucharist**

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**The Grace**

**The Collect for Purity**

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**The Collect for the Day:**

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**(Together)** Most merciful God, by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ, you created humanity anew. May the power of his victorious cross transform those who turn in faith to him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

**First Reading: Isaiah 43: 16-21**

**Psalm 126**

**(Bulletin)**

**Second Reading: Philippians 3: 4-14**

**Gradual Hymn:** Beneath The Cross RB-440

**Gospel:** John 12: 1-8

**The Nicene Creed** Pg 234

Prayers of the People

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**Offertory Hymn:** O Master Let Me Walk With Thee RB-301

**Prayer Over the Gifts:** Pg 295  
(Together) Eternal God, your only Son suffered death upon the cross to bring the world salvation. Accept the praise and thanksgiving we offer you this day, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen

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**Communion Hymn:** Rock of Ages RB-79

**Prayer after Communion:** Pg 295

(Together). Merciful God, you have called us to your table and fed us with the bread of life. Draw us and all people to your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

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**Closing Hymn:** Crown Him with Many Crowns RB- 480

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## Church News

St James Moncton

Holy Week Services 2019

**Maundy Thursday, April 19**

**6:30 pm - Service of Holy Eucharist** (Stripping of the altar)

**Good Friday, April 20**

**9:45 am – Lenten Activities for all ages** (Make your own Anglican Prayer Beads, decorate your Pascal candle, Easter eggs)

**11:00 am - Stations of the Cross**

**Saturday, Eve of Easter, April 21**

**8:00 pm – Easter Vigil – St Andrews, Sunnybrae**

Lighting of the new fire.

**Sunday, Easter – The Resurrection of our Lord, April 22**

**11:00 am – Holy Eucharist**

**E-offering – Good News!** we now have enough people to set up E-offering for St James. Brochures are in the vestibule. Please fill out the form on the brochure and return to Tim Binks with a 'void' cheque so that arrangements can be made for automatic electronic offering to begin. If you would like to sign up, please put your name on the list in the vestibule and we will be in touch.

**Bible Study, Fellowship Room, St John's United Church – 10 – 11:30 am.**

**Does the Bible have a message for today? St James had a good turn out!**

Sessions continue next Sat April 13 and 20.

**Bowling to 'Strike Out Child Hunger' – today!!! Sun, April 7 – 2-4 pm, Fairlanes Bowling.** Reception afterwards at St James. Half the money raised by St James will be given to 'Blessings in a Backpack' and half will be given to Hillcrest School Breakfast Club Vestry has donated \$200, matched by \$200 from ACW. There is a **jar on the way out for your cash donations**, or you may write a cheque to St James marked 'Bowling Fundraiser'. Thanks so much for your support! Bowlers be at Fairlanes by 1:30 please for shoes.

**April 13: Discipleship Day - Jesus, 9:30 am - 3:00 pm, St. John the Evangelist, 75 Main St., Fredericton** What does it mean to 'live like Jesus'? Led by the Rev Paul Ranson, join us as we explore the mission, meaning and life of Jesus.

### Church News

**Send a Card (e-cards count too) - Blessing for Lent** - 'Blessing' is one of the habits of highly missional people. One way of blessing is by simply sending a card. Adding a word of appreciation or encouragement adds to the blessing. **How many blessings can our Parish Family generate?** Cards will be provided so you can send one to someone who comes to mind. If you need stamps, we have them. For suggestions, just ask Rev Wendy, Loretta or Peter. How many can we bless this Lent? Aw come on and try.

**Losing It for Lent** –Each day of Lent, place one thing in a bag. It can be clothing, housewares, books, tools, toys, flowerpots, knick knacks, anything! One thing at a time seems a good place to start. More than one thing at a time is also great! Bring your bags here for us to drop off at the Clothing Depot or do so yourself. Just keep a record...and we will have prizes at the end! Really, honestly. **Let's Lose It this Lent!**

**Khafre Pike's Graduation from Flying School - Friday, April 26 - 10:00 am, Moncton Wesleyan Centre.** All are invited to attend to support Khafre at this exciting time.



## MEN'S GROUP

### An Evening with Bishop David Edwards

An invitation to all men in our Deanery Parishes:

**Monday, April 8th – 6:00pm**

Hosted by the Men's Club at

*St. John the Baptist Anglican Church*

*Parish Hall (28 Wooldridge)*

**Roast Beef Dinner -- \$10**

Planning to attend? Please register by:

386-7431 or [revbrentham@gmail.com](mailto:revbrentham@gmail.com)

**Prayer Shawls** – Wool and patterns are available in the vestibule. Please take a bag and knit a prayer shawl. Thank you.

**Memorial Bulletins** – Vestry has approved offering parishioners the opportunity to sponsor a 'Memorial Bulletin' on a Sunday chosen by the donor. This could be on or near a date of special significance remembering loved ones. A memorial notice will then be placed in the bulletin for that week. A donation of \$25-50 would be gratefully received. For more information please talk to Loretta Laventure, Peter Colwell or Rev Wendy.

## Psalm 126

1 When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion, \* then were we like those who dream.

2 Then was our mouth filled with laughter, \* and our tongue with shouts of joy.

3 Then they said among the nations, \* "The Lord has done great things for them."

4 The Lord has done great things for us, \* and we are glad indeed.

5 Restore our fortunes, O Lord, \* like the watercourses of the Negev.

6 Those who sowed with tears \* will reap with songs of joy.

7 Those who go out weeping, carrying the seed, \* will come again with joy, shouldering their sheaves.

**(Together): Praise to you, God of our salvation. Your generous gifts surpass all that we can ask or imagine. You have delivered us from the exile of sin and restored us to new life in Jesus Christ our Saviour. Glory and honour and praise to you for ever and ever. Amen**

*Prayers of the People*  
*The Fifth Sunday Of Lent*  
*APRIL 7, 2019*

Layreader: Gracious God, your Son Jesus Christ took on our flesh, becoming poor for us that we might know the power of your presence, which brings resurrection and life for all humanity: Let new things spring forth, as we pray to you, saying: God has done great things for us, and we are glad indeed.

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. Because Christ Jesus has made the Church his own and gifted it with the righteousness from God based on faith, we want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection: Be with all our ministers and people, Gracious One, that we may press on toward the goal for the prize of your heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus. God has done great things for us, **and we are glad indeed.**

Reader 2: Because you do new things, Almighty One, making a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert, we turn to you in trust: Inspire our civic leaders and all in authority throughout the world, that they may share in your reconciling work of peace and be a blessing to the poor. God has done great things for us, **and we are glad indeed.**

Reader 3: Because you love them, you are present to help all who suffer: Restore the fortunes of all who cry out in anguish from poverty, violence, illness, and oppression, that those who sow with tears may reap with songs of joy. God has done great things for us. **and we are glad indeed.**

Reader 4: Because you raise the dead to new life, we live in hope for the renewal of our community and for the healing of the world: Let our mouths be filled with laughter and our tongues with shouts of joy. God has done great things for us, **and we are glad indeed.**

Reader 5: Because you are infinite in love and mercy, hear our prayers for those for whom we intercede, especially (Add Prayer List). Because you bless your children and give drink to your chosen people whom you formed for yourself, we bring you our prayers of gratitude and thanksgiving. Because we press on to make your resurrection our own, we offer to your eternal life those who have died especially Millicent Chesley. The Lord has done great things for us, **and we are glad indeed.**

**(Together): Anoint us with the generous Spirit of Christ's death and resurrection, O Holy One, that we may joyfully proclaim the good news to all people and serve the poor and needy with Christ-like compassion, as we praise you, O Holy Trinity, One God, forever and ever. Amen.**



*Those we uphold in Prayer:*

**Immediate Prayers: Bob, Allison, Joan Dessison, Nancy, Kelly, The Family of the late Millicent Chesley.**

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