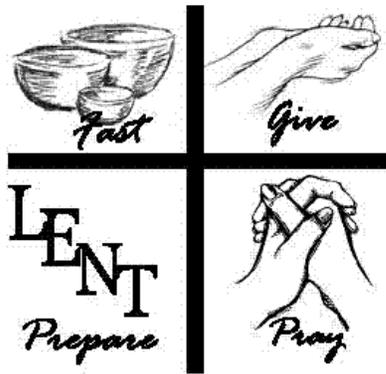


Quote of the Week



Readings for Next Week, March 08, 2020

2nd Sunday in Lent

Genesis 12:1-4a

Psalm 121

Romans 4:1-5, 13-17

John 3:1-17

Service Time: Sunday March 08, 2020 at 11 am

Clergy

The Rev. Wendy Amos-Binks

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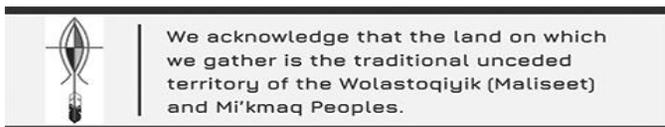
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Visits - If you know of someone in this Parish who is sick or shut-in and would like a visit, please let us know! Rev Wendy would love to visit.

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St. James Anglican Church

March 01, 2020
1st Sunday in Lent
Service of Holy Eucharist, BAS, p. 230

Processional Hymn Immortal, invisible God only wise RB – 26

The Holy Eucharist Pg 230

The Grace

The Collect for Purity

The Summary of the Law Pg 231

The Collect for the Day:

(Together) Almighty God, whose Son fasted forty days in the wilderness, and was tempted as we are but did not sin, give us grace to discipline ourselves in submission to your Spirit, that as you know our weakness, so we may know your power to save; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading: Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7

Psalm : 32 (Bulletin)

Second Reading: Romans 5:12-19

Gradual Hymn: Lord the Light of your Love MP – 460

Gospel: Matthew 4:1-11

Sermon:

The Nicene Creed Pg 234

Prayers of the People

Imposition of ashes. Confession and Absolution Pg 238

The Peace Pg 240

Offertory Hymn At the name of Jesus RB-39

Prayer Over the Gifts:

(Together) God our refuge and our strength, receive all we offer you this day, and through the death and resurrection of your Son transform us to his likeness. We ask this in his name Amen

Eucharistic Prayer A Pg 241

The Lord's Prayer Pg 245

The Communion Pg 246

Communion Hymn How Sweet the Name RB-116

Prayer after Communion:

(Together) Faithful God, in this holy bread you increase our faith and hope and love. Lead us in the path of Christ who is your Word of life. We ask this in his name. Amen

Doxology Pg 247

The Blessing Pg 248

Closing Hymn: All Creatures of our God and King RB-1

Announcements: Birthdays
Anniversary: ()

The Dismissal Pg 249



DO YOU WANT TO FAST THIS LENT?

In the words of Pope Francis

- Fast from hurting words and say kind words.
- Fast from sadness and be filled with gratitude.
- Fast from anger and be filled with patience.
- Fast from pessimism and be filled with hope.
- Fast from worries and have trust in God.
- Fast from complaints and contemplate simplicity.
- Fast from pressures and be prayerful.
- Fast from bitterness and fill your hearts with joy.
- Fast from selfishness and be compassionate to others.
- Fast from grudges and be reconciled.
- Fast from words and be silent so you can listen.

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Church News

Food Bank Sunday – First Sunday of the Month - Today thanks so much for bringing in food items for the Food Bank .We continue to focus on this the first Sunday of the month.

Milton in his prayer shawl.



Church News

Lenten Study of the movie 'Chocolat' with Bible references – will begin today Sunday Mar 1 – Lent 1 after the service for 1 hour approximately. If you haven't managed to watch the movie yet, you are still warmly invited.

St. James Community Breakfast

On the third Saturday of each month, St James Church sponsors a Community Breakfast at St. George's Church from 8:00am to 10:30am. Volunteers are needed. If you can help or need more information, please talk to Rev. Wendy, or Donna.

Next Breakfast March 21

Alpha After Easter - There is interest at St George's in having an Alpha course weekly after Easter, possibly hosted by the Moncton parishes. Please let Rev Wendy know if you might like to attend this or if you would like more information about Alpha.

Stations of the Cross every Fri at St Philip's – 6 pm. Starting Feb 28. Why not take 20 minutes? Each week a layreader or cleric will reflect on one of the stations.

Annual Bowling Tournament to strike out child hunger is coming up in April. More details to follow.

Diocesan Lenten Retreat –

"Plowing the Fields" led by Bishop David

**Fri Mar 6 – Sat Mar 7 OR Sun Mar 8 - Mon Mar 9
at Villa Madonna.**

For more information and to register, visit: nb.anglican.ca/Lent2020
Preregistration is required by February 29

Parish Officers for 2020

Wardens: Loretta Laventure and Donna Tower

Vestry: Keltie Campbell, Linda Hollett, Angus McDonald, Doreen Mercer, Kahfre Pike, Milton Pratt, Tracy Pratt, Susan Robertson.

Synod Delegates: Norman Goguen, Charlene Routledge

Alternate Synod Delegates: Chris Mutch, Denise Martin

Psalm 32

¹Happy are those whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.

²Happy are those to whom the Lord imputes no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit.

³While I kept silence, my body wasted away through my groaning all day long.

⁴For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. Selah

⁵Then I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not hide my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord," and you forgave the guilt of my sin. Selah

⁶Therefore let all who are faithful offer prayer to you; at a time of distress, the rush of mighty waters shall not reach them.

⁷You are a hiding place for me; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with glad cries of deliverance. Selah

⁸I will instruct you and teach you the way you should go; I will counsel you with my eye upon you.

⁹Do not be like a horse or a mule, without understanding, whose temper must be curbed with bit and bridle, else it will not stay near you.

¹⁰Many are the torments of the wicked, but steadfast love surrounds those who trust in the Lord.

¹¹Be glad in the Lord and rejoice, O righteous, and shout for joy, all you upright in heart.

(Together): Watch over us, loving God, and when we fall into sin teach us to acknowledge our guilt. May we forgive and be forgiven, for the sake of the one who was wounded for our transgressions, Jesus Christ your Son our Saviour. Amen

Prayers of the People

4th Sunday after Epiphany

Layreader: Blessed God, whose foolishness is wiser than human wisdom and whose weakness is stronger than human strength, pour out your blessing upon your creation as we pray: "Lead us to do justice and to love kindness...and to walk humbly with our God."

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. Lead us to do justice and to love kindness...**And to walk humbly with our God.**

Reader 2: Inspire our leaders with purity of heart that they may see with godly vision and become peacemakers, children of God. Lead us to do justice and to love kindness...**And to walk humbly with our God.**

Reader 3: Look with mercy on the meek and poor in spirit and protect all who are persecuted falsely throughout the world. Lead us to do justice and to love kindness...**And to walk humbly with our God.**

Reader 4: Bless our community with your grace, that we may be compassionate peacemakers, pure in heart and willing to suffer for the sake of your healing and reconciling work. Lead us to do justice and to love kindness...**And to walk humbly with our God.**

Reader 5: Visit us with your grace and strengthen those who call upon your help, especially(*insert Prayer List*). Comfort all who mourn. We give you thanks for all the blessings you bestow upon us. Lead us to do justice and to love kindness...**And to walk humbly with our God.**

(Together): O God of unchangeable power and eternal light: Look favourably upon your whole Church, that wonderful and sacred mystery; by the effectual working of your providence, carry out in tranquility the plan of salvation; let the whole world see and know that things which were cast down are being raised up, and things which had grown old are being made new, and that all things are being brought to their perfection by him through whom all things were made, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. **Amen.**



Those we uphold in Prayer:

Immediate Prayers: Milton, Nancy, Mary, Kelly, Ivy, Colin, Ron, George, Dawn, Michael, Doreen

Long-Term Prayers: Trish Corner, Rev. Wendy, Rev Dana Dean