



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

June 19 2022

Second Sunday after Pentecost

Service of Holy Eucharist. BAS

Opening Hymn Our Lord's A Fortress RB- 135

The Grace

Celebrant: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

People: And also with you.

The Collect for Purity

Celebrant: Almighty God,

People: to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen

The Collect for the Day

(Together): O God our defender, storms rage about us and cause us to be afraid. Rescue your people from despair, deliver your sons and daughters from fear, and preserve us all from unbelief; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and ever. Amen

First Reading: 1 Kings 19: 1-4, 8-15

Psalm 42

¹ As the deer longs for the water brooks, * so longs my soul for you, O God.

² **My soul is athirst for God, athirst for the living God; * when shall I come to appear before the presence of God?**

³ My tears have been my food day and night, * while all day long they say to me, “Where now is your God?”

⁴ **I pour out my soul when I think on these things: * how I went with the multitude and led them into the house of God,**

⁵ With the voice of praise and thanksgiving, * among those who keep holy-day.

⁶ **Why are you so full of heaviness, O my soul? * and why are you so disquieted within me?**

⁷ Put your trust in God; * for I will yet give thanks to him, who is the help of my countenance, and my God.

⁸ My soul is heavy within me; * therefore I will remember you from the land of Jordan, and from the peak of Mizar among the heights of Hermon.

⁹ One deep calls to another in the noise of your cataracts; * all your rapids and floods have gone over me.

¹⁰ The Lord grants his loving-kindness in the daytime; * in the night season his song is with me, a prayer to the God of my life.

¹¹ I will say to the God of my strength, “Why have you forgotten me? * and why do I go so heavily while the enemy oppresses me?”

¹² While my bones are being broken, * my enemies mock me to my face;

¹³ All day long they mock me * and say to me, “Where now is your God?”

¹⁴ Why are you so full of heaviness, O my soul? and why are you so disquieted within me?

¹⁵ Put your trust in God; * for I will yet give thanks to him, who is the help of my countenance, and my God.

(Together): Gracious God, in the night of distress we forget the days of sun and joy. Even when we do not know your presence, preserve us from the dark torrent of despair. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Second Reading Galatians 3: 23-29

Gradual Hymn: Lead Us Heavenly Father RB-268

Gospel: Luke 8: 26-39

Sermon

The Apostles' Creed

Celebrant: Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,

People: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Church News



**Farewell to Mike and Mary Prangnell
Tea Party – Sunday, June 26 after the service.
*Hats and other finery – yes!, but not required.
Please note change of date to Sun, June 26.***

Masks at St James now optional - After a brief discussion at Vestry, it was decided that we will follow Christ Church Cathedral's example and make the wearing of masks at St James optional.

Holy Communion – for now, we will continue with ‘bread only’, abiding by the recommendation of our Bishop.

St James Yard and Plant Sale – Saturday June 25.

We need volunteers to help with this event.

If you have donations, please call Loretta 854-5499 or Denise – 854-3118.

Church News

**Next Vestry Meeting – Today Sunday, June 19
after the service. Note change of date.**

Singing and Sizzling (BarBQ)

Moncton churches

St George, St Philip, St Andrew, St James, St Mary's

Sunday, July 24 – 4:00 pm

Bring your own chair

Location TBA

Looking forward to fun and fellowship!

Current Food Bank Needs are -

Canned vegetables

Peanut butter

Cheese Whiz

We take our offerings to the food bank after the first Sunday of the month. Our support to the Moncton Food Bank is so greatly appreciated. Thanks!

Prayer Shawls Available – Please ask if you would like a prayer shawl to give to someone. Rev Wendy or Loretta.

Communitiy Breakfast – We need socks, men's underwear, jackets, clean hoodies, hats, gloves, socks for our monthly breakfast at St Georges. Thanks for your continued generosity! Our next Breakfast will be Sat. July 16. Please let us know if you would like to volunteer!

Prayers of the People

Second Sunday after Pentecost

Priest: O God our Shepherd, you spread a table before us and reassure our hearts with your guiding care: Hear our prayers for all your people, as we say, the Lord is our shepherd; **we shall not be in want.**

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 Archbishop, 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. You know your own and your own know you, good Shepherd of the sheep: Guide the Church in gentleness and peace, that we may obey your commandment to love one another and live out that love in truth and action. The Lord is our shepherd; **we shall not be in want.**

Reader 2: The rejected stone has become the cornerstone for the whole world's salvation, the power and name for all healing: Be present, O God, among our leaders and with those who exercise authority for the nations of the world, that they may guide us along right pathways for your Name's sake. The Lord is our shepherd; **we shall not be in want.**

Reader 3: You have given your life for the protection of your people: Open our eyes to see our brothers' and sisters' need throughout the world, and then empower us to respond with generous help. The Lord is our shepherd; **we shall not be in want.**

Reader 4: The Spirit that you have given us is alive in this community: Revive our souls that we may abide in Christ, lay down our lives for one another, and lie down in green pastures beside the still waters of fellowship and reconciliation.
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Reader 5: Hear us as we bring the prayers of our hearts to you, O Gracious One, remembering especially (Add Prayer List)
We thank you that we abide in Christ and that Christ abides in us. Receive our prayers of gratefulness and thanksgiving. Hear our prayers for those who have walked through the valley of the shadow of death; grant that they may dwell in the house of the Lord forever. The Lord is our shepherd; **we shall not be in want.**

(Together): **Reassure our hearts, O God, with the comfort of your guiding presence, that we may know that you are with us, and we will fear no evil. Strengthen us to join in the Spirit's work of leading all people into your divine abundant love, that goodness and mercy may follow us all the days of our life, through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.**

Confession and Absolution

Celebrant: Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Celebrant; Most merciful God,

People: we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: Amen.

Musical Selection

Prayer Over the Gifts:

(Together): **Eternal God, you have made our Saviour Jesus Christ the head of all creation. Receive all we offer you this day and renew us in his risen life, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen**

Eucharistic Prayer #2

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Celebrant: We give you thanks and praise, almighty God,..... /to proclaim the glory of your name.

People: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The Lord's Prayer

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant: We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All: **We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

The Communion

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

Musical Selection:

Prayer after Communion:

(Together:) **Almighty God, guide and protect your people who share in this sacred mystery, and keep us always in your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

Doxology:

Celebrant : Glory to God,

People: whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Blessing

Announcements

Closing hymn Come Let Us Sing

RB - 126

Prayer Requests: Sharie Belanger, Kelly Campbell , Joan Dennison, Gert, Fred, Louise, Trisha Corner, Donna Tower, Mike Johnstone, Sawyer.