

St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church

Open minds and loving hearts All are Welcome

The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 27, 2020

9:30 am - HOLY EUCHARIST
BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES



*God said to Moses in the wilderness:
"Strike the rock, and water will come out of it,
so that the people may drink."*

A warm welcome to all, especially those who are worshipping with us for the first time this morning. We hope your time here today will be a blessing to you, as your presence is a blessing to us. *All who seek closeness with God are welcome to receive Holy Communion this morning.*

St. Margaret of Scotland Mission Statement:

To be a Christ-centred, mission minded community, embracing all people across the spectrum of cultural, ethnic, gender, sexual orientation, ages and class diversity as full members of the family of God.

Word from the Brothers: Blessing

Even if, by grace, beauty and goodness pour forth from our life and worship of God, it will not be of our own making; we will not own it. Such blessing is given to us so that we might gratuitously give it away. Br. Sean Glenn, Society of Saint John the Evangelist



From the Book of Remembrance

Today we remember on their Year's Mind

Leah Kendall - September 27

Reginald Prest - September 28

Gladys Garrison - September 28

Robert Downer - October 2

Thomas Kendall - October 2

*Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord.
And let light perpetual shine upon them. Amen.*

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HOLY EUCHARIST

9:30 am Lay Minister: Sherry Smith

GATHERING

Opening Hymn: In the Bulb There Is a Flower (see bulletin insert)
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The Gloria page 186
The Collect of the Day (see bulletin insert)

PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Exodus 17:1-7 *Charlene Day*
Psalm 78:1-4, 12-16 *Victor Day* (see bulletin insert)
Second Reading: Philippians 2:1-13 *Brian George*
Gradual Hymn: CP #487 - Where Charity and Love Prevail (vv. 1-4)
Holy Gospel: Matthew 21:23-32
Gradual Hymn: CP #487 - Where Charity and Love Prevail (vv. 5, 6)
Sermon
Apostle's Creed page 189
The Prayers of the People *Sherry Smith*
The Confession and Absolution page 191
The Peace

CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymn: CP #482 - Come and Journey with a Saviour
Prayer over the Gifts (see bulletin insert)
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The Breaking of the Bread #1 page 212
Lamb of God
The Communion
Communion Hymn: CP #56 - I Am the Bread, the Bread of Life

SENDING

Prayer after Communion (see bulletin insert)
Doxology page 214
Benediction
Announcements
Recessional Hymn: CP #502 - You Are Salt for the Earth
Dismissal

Today we welcome, Rev. Charles to celebrate his farewell service.

Welcome to Church, As of July 31, wearing a non medical mask is required for places of worship. Also in effect is the use of hand sanitizer, and social distancing. The service will also be live streamed on Facebook for any who are unable or choose not to attend in person for any reason. For those who would like to read over the readings for September 27th, ahead of time they are: Exodus 17:1-7; Psalm 78:1-4, 12-16; Philippians 2:1-13; Matthew 21:23-32.

A general meeting to elect a **Parochial Committee** was held on Sunday, September 13, 2020. Rev. Paul Smith chaired the meeting and briefed the congregation on the Canon 25 process to find a new Rector for the parish. The elected members of the Committee are: Margery Cotterell, Danny Ray, Mike Cuvelier and Victor Day. Your two Wardens are automatically on the Committee for a total of six people. We will be updating the congregation along the way and including everyone in the process. Please remember your elected Committee in your prayers.

Mission to Seafarers



We are thankful for our ongoing commitment to the Mission to Seafarers. They are still receiving warm sweaters and jackets for men. Volunteers are still visiting the ships and providing pastoral support. You can drop the items off at the Mission on Terminal Road or at our church.

Go For Par – Have you considered signing up for automatic withdrawal for you offering? It saves you time, is convenient and maintains your offerings. Pick up a brochure at the back for more information or if you wish, contact Annette Kelly 902- 454-6390