

St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church

BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

The Sunday of the Passion with the Liturgy of Palms

March 28, 2021 - 9:30 a.m.

Lay Minister: Sherry Smith

(Palm branches to be picked up with bulletin)

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Parish Cycle of Prayer

Hymn: CP #373 - This Is the Day the Lord Hath Made

Prayer - Page 297

Holy Gospel - The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according
to St. Mark *Danny Ray*

Blessing of Palms and Collect

PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-9a *Judy Carpenter*

Psalms 31:9-16 *Fred Carpenter*

Second reading: Philippians 2:5-11 *Margery Cotterell*

Hymn: CP #182 - Ride On, Ride On in Majesty

Holy Gospel: Mark 15:1-39 (40-47)

Sermon

Apostle's Creed and Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution

The Peace

CELEBRATION

Hymn: CP # 537 - In the Cross of Christ I Glory

Prayer over the Gifts and Book of Remembrance

Eucharistic Prayer #2 - Page 196

Lord's Prayer

Breaking of Bread #7

O Lamb of God and Communion hymn:

CP # 198 O Sacred Head, Surrounded

Prayer after Communion and Doxology

Blessing and Announcements

Hymn: CP # 533 Jesus, Lover of My Soul; and Postlude

Dismissal

From the Book of Remembrance

Today we remember on their Year's Mind

Percy Bowser - March 29

Annie Corey - March 29

Grace O'Hearn - March 30

Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord.

And let light perpetual shine upon them. Amen.



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Spiritual Development

Choir

The parish choir will resume weekly rehearsals the week of April 4th and sing their first service on Sunday, April 11. All COVID precautions will be taken to ensure the continued safety of the choristers and congregation. If you would like to sing in the choir, please speak to Director of Music Rebecca Fairless after the service, or email her at the church email address, st.mofs@gmail.com.

Compline, a Short Evening Prayer Service from the BCP, Join licensed lay minister in training Wynne Whitten-Holmes at 8:30 pm on Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays. To participate using the Zoom app, simply select Join Meeting, enter the Meeting ID and click Join. Meeting ID: 283 092 8271 Passcode: 3751. To tune in by phone, dial 1(647)558-0588 and enter the Meeting ID and passcode when prompted. No User ID is required.

Holy Week - The glory of Easter is the heart of the Christian gospel. It is the center of the Church's faith and worship. We are invited to celebrate Holy Week in a quiet and reflective way this year. All of our worship services will follow our BCP and BAS liturgies. We will continue to gather and pray each day of Holy Week. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday (March 29, 20, 31) we will gather at 9:30 a.m. for quiet reflective services of Holy Communion in the BCP. On Maundy Thursday (April 1) we will gather at 9:30 a.m. and at 7:00 p.m. for the Celebration of Holy Communion. On Good Friday (April 2) we will gather at 9:30 a.m. and the usual 3:00 p.m. for a blend of our BAS and Stations of the Cross liturgy. On Holy Saturday we will gather at 9:30 a.m. for a quiet Easter Holy Communion for those who prefer not to gather in larger numbers on Easter Day. Easter Day Worship is at 9:30 a.m. If you and or your friends and family wish to gather for an Easter Day worship service yet are hesitant to gather with large numbers on Easter Day, remember we gather Holy Saturday at 9:30 a.m. (April 3)

Our extra services are an opportunity for those to gather with us who have been maintaining safer practices during our pandemic.

On Wednesday morning at 9:30 in Holy Week (March 31) we will give thanks for the life of Muriel Duretta Moffat (September 1, 1923 - February 24, 2021). Dale will give a reflection on the life of her mother at that time. It has been a blessing to share prayers with Muriel in her dying hours on behalf of our congregation.

Readings for next week: Easter Sunday
Acts 10:34-43; or Isaiah 25:6-9; Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 or Acts 10:34-43 or John 20:1-18 or Mark 16:1-8.

Pastoral Care

Parish Cycle of Prayer, we pray for ...
Elizabeth Marsh, Jackie Nickerson, Joyce Prest, Joyce Shackleton and Sherry Smith.

Cycle of Prayer for the North End Churches, we pray for
Bethel Halifax, Pastor Art Macdonald

In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for:
Bishop Sandra Fyfe and for the Northumbria Region

St. George's, New Glasgow, The Reverend Falen McNulty
Strait-Chedabucto, The Reverend Susan Slater, Priest-in-Charge, and Lief. (*St. James', Melford; St. Andrew's, Mulgrave; Holy Trinity, Port Hawkesbury*)

World

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for:
Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui

Outreach Missional Initiatives

The **22nd Halifax Scouting group**. We are reaching out to anyone who may be interested in becoming involved as leaders (all sections – Beavers, Cubs & Scouts) or as members of the group committee (chairperson, treasurer & secretary) Please contact Steve Terrio @ 902-489-0290 or steve.terrio@gmail.com for more information.