#### 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.



The Wine & Host
Given in memory of Mary King
from Doug & Anne King



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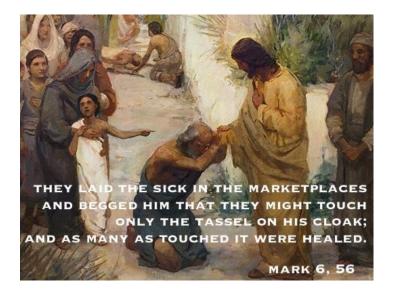
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### St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church

# Open minds and loving hearts All are Welcome

The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost July 18, 2021

9:30 am — Holy Eucharist BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES



A warm welcome to and 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.

Always be ready to make your defense to anyone who demands from you an accounting for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and reverence.

1 Peter 3:15

### HOLY EUCHARIST BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

Lay Minister: Frank Riggs, Ted Johnson

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome to the Parish of St. Margaret of Scotland in the north end of Halifax. We are blessed as we gather together in community for worship. We are blessed in our ministry team this morning. We remember families in our Parish Cycle of Prayer, those we have contacted this past week to let them know they are in our thoughts and prayers, we give thanks for Gordon & Susan Crouse, Emma Cleveland, Iris Newman, Paula Freeman, Betty Purcell, Albert and Zelma Green, Joyce Prest, Jean Lane, Ruth Rogers, Janet Beaton.

Our Paschal Candle is lit in memory of Robert Pompa, Kenneth Purcell and Muriel Moffat as their families are awaiting a funeral liturgy or internment.

Hymn: CP #101 - Hail to the Lord's Anointed

Greeting of the Community Gloria (sung)

Collect (see bulletin insert)

PROCLAMATION

First Reading: 2 Samuel 7:1-14A Bob Blunden

The Word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Psalm 89:20-37 Charlene Day (see bulletin insert)

Psalm Response: I will keep my love for him for ever.

Second Reading: Ephesians 2:11-22 Victor Day

The Word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn: CP #592

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The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** 

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Holy Gospel: Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

The Gospel of Christ.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ** 

Sermon

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The Prayers of the People Litany # 6 Bob Blunden page 115

The Confession and Absolution

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The Peace

CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymn: CP #399 - Now Thank We All Our God Prayer over the Gifts (see bulletin insert)

Book of Remembrance & Memorials

For those who have given Bread & Wine, in memory of Mary King we give you thanks.

For those who have gone before us and noted in our Book of Remembrance we give you thanks. Hubert Perrett (July 19), Mary King (July 19), Clarence Redden (July 24).

For the financial offering of your people for the work of your church, we give you thanks. For the service of your people in workplaces, community organizations and our faith community, we give you thanks.

For all your gifts O Lord, we give you thanks

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O Lamb of God The Communion

Communion Hymn: CP #619 - Fairest Lord Jesus

SENDING

Prayer after Communion & Blessing

(see bulletin insert)

**Announcements and Mission Minute** 

Hymn: CP #393 - Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Dismissal Postlude

### Pastoral Care

The cycle of Prayer for the North End Churches, we pray for Northwood chaplaincy, Rev. Renée Clark In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for: We pray for our primate Right Rev. Linda Nicholls; our Bishop Sandra Fyfe and for the Fort Sackville Region Hackett's Cove.

The Reverend Taunya Dawson, and Peter <u>Hubbards</u>,

The Most Rev. Ron Cutler, Priest-in-Charge, and Marianne The Reverend William MacDonald, Deacon St. Nicholas, Westwood Hills,

The Archdeacon Tammy Hodge Orovec, and Daniel The Reverend Lynda Downing, Deacon The Reverend Randal Johnson, Honorary Assistant World

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for: The Anglican Church of Rwanda

### Spiritual Development

### Online Hymn Sing & Coffee Time

St. Margaret parishioners are invited to attend an online all request hymn sing and coffee time.

Please join Rebecca on Zoom to sing songs and socialize. Rebecca will be taking music requests, including hymns, folk songs, and other favourites. You are welcome to invite other friends and family members. Hope to see you there! Bring your own coffee or tea. Wednesdays at 2pm

Zoom: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82582714593? pwd=M0NFbmVJekx0MXUzK0cxaUk4V0dzUT09 Meeting ID: 825 8271 4593 / Passcode: 380606

Readings for next week: The Ninth Sunday after Pentecost 2 Samuel 11:1-15; Psalm 14; Ephesians 3:14-21; John 6:1-21

**Serenity Prayer** God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, the courage to change the things I can, and the wisdom to know the difference.

### Outreach Missional Initiatives

**Missional Committee:** Do you have a new neighbour? If you live in the North End and know of someone who has recently moved here, please take a gift bag to them, along with a warm welcome. There is a supply of bags in the cupboard in the coat room at the back of the church, next to the prayer shawls. Or, inform someone on the Missional Committee (Ted Johnson, Margery Cotterell, Frank Riggs, Victor Day) and we will arrange for someone else to welcome them.

Community Garden Committee: Help wanted! We are looking for volunteers to tend this year's Ward 5 bed. If you enjoy gardening and are interested in a charitable undertaking, Ward 5 is in need of people to help plant and oversee the growing of produce which they can use in the preparation of the many meals they serve to the needy in the north end of Halifax. St. Margaret of Scotland has always supported Ward 5 in this vital service to those less fortunate and this would be another way for us to show how much we value their work. Please contact Margery Cotterell or Georgia Johnson if you are interested.

**22nd Halifax Scouts.** They are looking for new leaders Please contact Steve Terrio @ 902-489-0290 or steveterrio@gmail.com

July - Special thanks to our parishioners who have donated to our Discretionary Fund over the years. We are sending \$250.00 for the back pack program for the Mi'kmaq Native Friendship Center for their back to school project. If anyone would like to contribute to our July, project, kindly contribute to the Discretionary Fund for the back pack program.

**May - Ward 5 - Special thanks** to all who contributed to the silver jar campaign for Ward 5. We raised over \$600.00.

**June - St. Georges - thanks** to all who contributed to the Soup Kitchen Meal. We raised over \$250 with costs of \$625