### 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.



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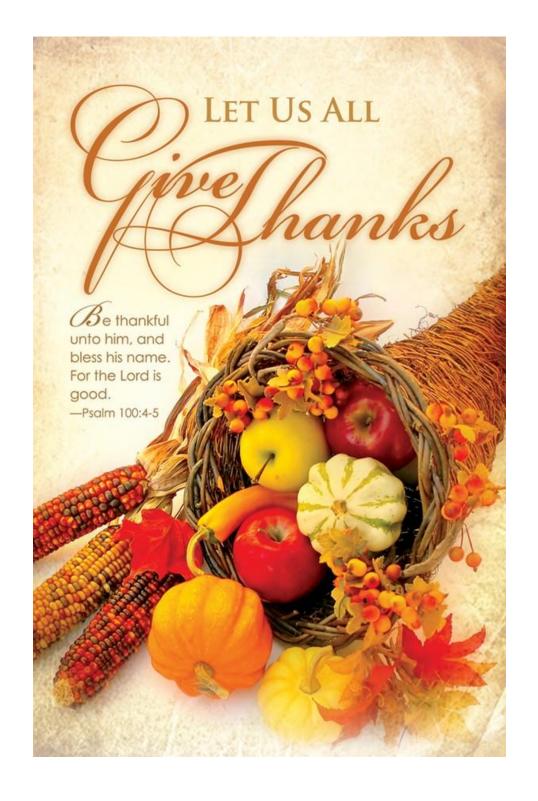
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## HOLY EUCHARIST BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

Lay Minister: Bud Harnish, Brian George

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.

Hymn: CP #259 - For the Fruit of All Creation

Greeting of the Community page 185 Gloria (sung) page 186 Collect (see bulletin insert)

PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Joel 2:21-27 Dale Moffat The Word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Psalm 126 Ted Johnson

Psalm Response: The Lord has done great things for us.

Second Reading: 1 Timothy 2:1-7 Anne King

The Word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn: CP #458 - Seek Ye First

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

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

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Holy Gospel: Matthew 6:25-33 The Gospel of Christ.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ** 

Sermon

**Apostles Creed** page 189

The Prayers of the People Margery Cotterell

The Confession and Absolution page 191

The Peace

# CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymn: CP #258 - We Plough the Fields and Scatter

Prayer over the Gifts

(see bulletin insert)

Book of Remembrance & Memorials

For those who have gone before us and noted in our Book of Remembrance we give you thanks. Victor Delaney (October 10). Wayne Crewe (October 11), Walker Bottomley (October 12), Abram Courtney (October 12), James Rose, (October 13).

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

**Eucharistic Prayer** The Lord's Prayer

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The Breaking of the Bread O Lamb of God (Sung)

The Communion

**Communion Hymn: CP #407** 

- Many and Great, O God, Are Your Works

This hymn, both words and tune, was written by Joseph Renville (1779–1846), a French-Sioux man who helped translate the Bible into the Dakota language.

SENDING

Prayer after Communion

(see bulletin insert)

Doxology

Glory to God, All 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.

Blessina

Announcements

Hymn: CP #429 - For the Beauty of the Earth

Dismissal Postlude

# Pastoral Care

The Cycle of Prayer for the North End Churches, we pray for: Aurora North End Parish Church, Pastor Kevin Jolly.

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 South Shore region, For Blue Rocks, The Very Rev John Wright;

For Lunenburg, The Reverend Laura Marie Piotrowicz

#### World

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for: The Church of the Province of West Africa.

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.

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

## **Grateful Thanksgiving**

Although we feast on this special day, Thanksgiving isn't just for food; We focus on blessings great and small; Thanksgiving is for gratitude.



# Spiritual Development

Readings for next week: The Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost. Job 38:1-7 (34-41); Psalm 104:1-9, 25, 37b; Hebrews 5:1-10; Mark 10:35-45.

The Parish Choir resumes singing today! If you would like to sing in the choir, please speak to Director of Music Rebecca Fairless after the service, or email her at: rebecca.fairless@gmail.com

**Beginning Sunday, Oct 17,** we will be going back to our traditional service times of 8:30 (said BCP) and 10:30 AM (sung BAS). Please help us to share this change with others.

#### Outreach Missional Initiatives

Missional Committee: Do you have a new neighbour? 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.

# Discretionary Fund

Special thanks to our parishioners who have donated to our Discretionary Fund over the years. August - We have forwarded \$250.00 to Parker Street Food Bank for their back to School Backpack Program. - We have forwarded a cheque in the amount of \$150.00 to the Anglican Church Women Board, for their annual project, this year being the Marguerite Center.