

St. Margaret of Scotland Mission Statement:
*To be a Christ-centered, 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.*



St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church

**Open minds and loving hearts
All are Welcome**

The Baptism of Our Lord
January 9, 2022

10:30 am – Holy Eucharist
BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

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Diocese of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island**

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Baptism of Christ
Painting by Vladimir Zagitov
available at: www.artmajeur.com

A warm welcome to all, especially those who are
worshipping with us online 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.

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 #527 - How Firm a Foundation

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Collect (see bulletin insert)

PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Isaiah 43:1-7

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Psalm 29

Response: **The Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace.**

Second Reading: Acts 8:14-17

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn: CP#165 - Mark How the Lamb

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Holy Gospel: Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Sermon

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The Prayers of the People

The Confession and Absolution

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The Peace

CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymn: CP #163

When Christ's Appearing Was Made Known

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. Tom O'Hearn, Clara Vallis, Beatrice Dicks, Thomas Vallis, James Milsom, Susan Hubley, Charles Williams, Matilda Bowdridge, Joanne Prest, Dulcie Hillier, Shirleen Naish, Ruth Dicks, Martha Dunphy, Thomas Gunnery, Douglas Lane, John Baggs, Robert Pemberton.

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: Coventry Carol

SENDING

Prayer after Communion & Blessing (see bulletin insert)

Announcements and Mission Minute

Hymn: CP #385 - Worship the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness

Dismissal

Postlude

Pastoral Care

The Cycle of Prayer for the North End Churches, we pray for:
St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church, Rev. Ed Trevors.

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 PEI Region
Alberton, The Reverend Ann Bush, Priest-in-Charge and Gordon; Christ Church & Cherry Valley, The Rev. Dr. G. Wayne Short, Priest-in-Charge, and Sheila.

World
In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for:
Anglican Church of Chile

Memorials

A memorial gift has been given to the glory of God

To the Furnace Fund

In memory of Gordon Crouse from Ted Johnson

To the Altar Guild

In memory of Gordon Crouse from Reg Barnes

To the Building Fund

In memory of Gordon Crouse from Victor & Charlene Day
In memory of Joyce Bond from Victor & Charlene Day

Wine & Host

In memory of brother Jim Milsom
from Doug and Anne King



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



Spiritual Development

Readings for next week: Second Sunday after the Epiphany
[Proper 2] Isaiah 62:1-5; Psalm 36:5-10; 1 Corinthians 12:1-11; John 2:1-1.

Church Calendars are still available at \$8.00. Please call Susan Crouse at 902-477-5197 if you would like one & I will arrange delivery.

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.

Prayer Shawl Ministry: Calling all knitters and crocheters! Although the Prayer Shawl group has not met lately because of COVID restrictions, we are looking ahead to the time when we can gather again to pray, chat, share ideas and enjoy a cup of tea. That is not to say that the group hasn't been busy at home knitting or crocheting shawls. We would love to have new members join our group in this contemplative and prayerful ministry of serving others who are in need of comfort for whatever the reason and would benefit by the warmth and peace that come from the prayers that are knit into each shawl. If you are interested in serving God through this ministry, please contact Dale Moffat at 902-835-6948 or daleamoffat@gmail.com (make sure to include the "a" in my email).