

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.*



St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church

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

The Third Sunday after Epiphany
January 23, 2022

10:30 am – FAMILY WORSHIP
BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

**The Anglican Church of Canada
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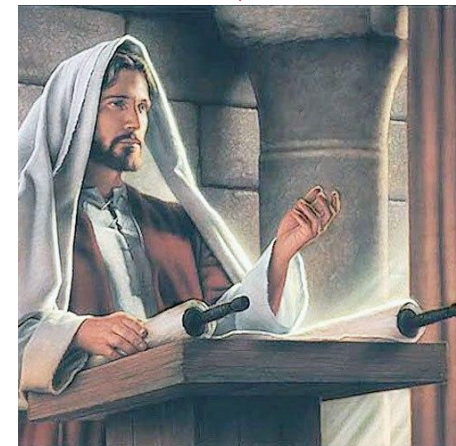
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Luke 4:14-21

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.

Family Worship
Book of Alternative Services
Lay Minister: Danny Ray

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 #1 - Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty

Greeting of the Community

Collect (See readings insert)

PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Psalm 19

Psalm Response: **The words of the Lord are spirit and life.**

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn: CP #631

The Kingdom of God Is Justice and Joy

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.

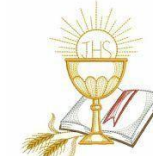
Holy Gospel: Luke 4:14-21

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Memorials

A memorial gift has been given
to the glory of God



The Wine and Host

In memory of Louise Milsom
from Doug & Anne King

Rest eternal grant onto her, O Lord,
and let light perpetual shine upon her. Amen.

Outreach Missional Initiatives

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).

Missional Committee: Do you have a new neighbour?
There is a supply of welcome 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.

Pastoral Care

The cycle of Prayer for the North End Churches, we pray for St. Mother Teresa Fr. Francesco Pirisi, Fr. Nathaniel Desroches.

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; Port Hill, The Reverend Ann Bush, The Reverend Gordon Bush. St. John's, Ellerslie, Foxley River, & Charlottetown, Archdeacon John Clarke, The Reverend Jay Macdonald

World

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for The Anglican church in Hong Kong and Macao.

Spiritual Development

Readings for next week: The Fourth Sunday after Epiphany
Jeremiah 1:4-10; Psalm 71:1-6; 1 Corinthians 13:1-13;
Luke 4:21-30.

2022 Church Calendars

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Sermon

Prayers of the People & Confession

Let us pray together to the Lord, saying,
Lord, hear our prayer." **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Loving God, we thank you for your many gifts to us, for the love which brings us together, for the earth which provides for our needs, for the new life you have given us in Jesus Christ,
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray to you for our Christian family and for grace to grow in your love. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

We pray to you for our world, for all its cares and needs, and for all who lead us and care for us, **Lord, hear our prayer.**

We pray to you for those in need, for the sick and the lonely, for the hurt and the frightened, and for those who live without hope. **Lord, hear our prayer**

We pray for those we love who have died, that you will surround them with your care and love **Lord, hear our prayer.**

We pray for one another, asking you to bless us, our friends, and relatives. Bless the places where we work, and bless our home and our life together. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Let us remember before God our selfish ways, the things we have done wrong, the sorrows we have caused, the love we have not shown.

Silence for reflection is kept.

**Most merciful Father,
forgive us our sins against you and against each other.
Strengthen us to overcome our weaknesses, that we
may live in love as you would have us live, for the sake
of Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.**

Fill our hearts, O God, with your Holy Spirit that we may go forth this day in peace and joy, serving you eagerly in all we do, for Jesus' sake. **Amen.**

The Peace of the Lord Be always with you
And also with you

Offertory Hymn: CP #427

All Beautiful the March of Days

Prayer over the Gifts

Book of Remembrance & Memorials

For those who have gone before us and noted in our Book of Remembrance we give you thanks. (Jan 23 to Jan 29)

Rachel Durnford, Katerine Perrett, Edith Cluett, Elizabeth Milsom, Berthana Dominie, Gordon Covey.

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.

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer(sung)

Our Father who art in heaven

Hallowed be thy name

May your kingdom come

May your will be done

On earth as it is in heaven

Give us this day our daily bread

Forgive us our sins As we forgive others

And lead us not into temptation

But deliver us from the evil one

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For the kingdom

And the power

And the glory are yours forever. Amen

Blessings - Life is short and we do not have much time to gladden the hearts of those who walk this way with us. So be swift to love, and make haste to be kind; and the blessing, mercy, and grace of God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit be upon us and remain with us always. Amen.

Birthday Prayers for the month of January. God our Father, the birth of your Son Jesus Christ brought great joy to Mary and Joseph. We give thanks to you for N, whose birthday we celebrate today. May he/she ever grow in your faith, hope, and love. We ask this in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Anniversary Prayers for the month of January. Gracious God, on this our special day we remember with thanksgiving our vows of love and commitment to you and to each other in marriage. We pray for your continued blessing. May we learn from both our joys and sorrows, and discover new riches in our life together in you. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Announcements

Hymn: CP #425 - Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

Dismissal

Postlude



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