#### 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.



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## St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church

# Open minds and loving hearts All are Welcome

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany February 6, 2022

10:30 am – Holy Eucharist BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES



"Then he sat down and taught the people from the boat."

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. HOLY EUCHARIST BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES Lay Minister: Sherry Smith

## 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 #334 - Holy God, We Praise Your NameGreeting of the Communitypage 185Gloria (sung)page 186Collect(see bulletin insert)

PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Isaiah 6:1-13 *Bob Blunden* The Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God** 

Psalm 138 Judy Carpenter

Response:

The Lord will make good his purpose for me.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 Fred Carpenter The Word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn: CP #432 - Jesus Calls Us! O'er the Tumult

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 5:1-11	
The Gospel of Christ.	
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ	
Sermon	
Apostles Creed	page 189

The Prayers of the People Dale Moffat

The Confession and Absolution The Peace page 191

#### CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymn: CP #466 - How Clear is Our Vocation Lord

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. (Feb. 6th to Feb. 12<sup>th</sup>) Clyde Garrison, Rae Tench, Gerald Hayman, Ada Munroe.

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 Holy Holy Holy (Sung) The Lord's Prayer The Breaking of the Bread O Lamb of God (Sung) The Communion

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Communion Hymn: CP #76

- Thee We Adore, O Hidden Saviour, Thee

## SENDING

Prayer after Communion & Blessing (see bulletin insert)

Announcements and Mission Minute

Hymn: CP #320 - Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones

Dismissal

Postlude

## Pastoral Care

<u>The Cycle of Prayer for the North End Churches</u>, we pray for: Bethel Halifax, Pastor Art MacDonald

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 <u>PEI Region</u> - Retired Clergy and Widows

#### <u>World</u>

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

### Christmas Memorials

<u>To the Discretionary Fund</u> In loving memory of My parents, Louise & Mae Acker and all of my brothers & sisters from Elizabeth March In loving memory of My brother Michael Marsh from Jackie Nickerson

#### Memoríals

<u>To the General Fund</u> In memory of Jean Lane from Cheryl, James & John Campbell In memory of Jean Lane from Beverley Powell

> <u>To the Furnace Fund</u> In memory of Jean Lane from Donna Mossman

## Spiritual Development

**Readings for next week:** Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany [Proper 6] Jeremiah 17:5-10; Psalm 1; 1 Corinthians 15:12-20; Luke 6:17-26

#### **Annual Reports**

It is that time of year for us to give thought to writing our annual reports. Although no date has yet been set for the AGM, the compilation of the Annual Report can proceed. In order to give Denine ample time to put it together, anyone who heads up a committee or group should prepare his/her report as soon as possible and forward it to Denine via email or hand-written copy. Thanks to everyone for contributing.

**San Tai Chi** offers group Tai Chi classes at St. Margaret's of Scotland every Wednesday at 12:30pm. In the large community room downstairs, we practice in safety with masks and social distancing. Proof of vaccination is required. Each class begins with group warm-up exercises to loosen up the body and engage the breath and mind. Tai Chi is an excellent practice to improve balance and coordination, strengthen muscles, improve memory, and deeply relax the body and mind. (Acupuncture Studio & Tai Chi School 902-593-1381, info@santaichi.com - www.santaichi.com,

## **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:** Although the Prayer Shawl group has not met lately because of COVID restrictions, 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 address)

**St. Mark's Food Bank is in need of reusable bags**. If you have extra bags taking up space at home, they can make good use of them at the Food Bank! Thank you!