# St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church Open minds and loving hearts All are Welcome

## Third Sunday of Easter

April 14, 2024

10:30 am – Holy Eucharist BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES



#### **Welcome and Land Acknowledgement**

We would like to begin by acknowledging that we are in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq People. This territory is covered by the "Treaties of Peace and Friendship" which Mi'kmaq and Wolastoqiyik (Maliseet) people first signed with the British Crown in 1725. 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.

Today's Readings: https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2024-04-14

#### HOLY EUCHARIST BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

## GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

Hymn: 217 Christ the Lord is Risen Again (vv. 1-3 / v. 6)

Greeting of the Community page 185

Gloria (sung)

Collect

PROCLAMATION

First reading: Acts 3:12-19 Sherry Smith

The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Psalm 4 Victor Day

Response: The Lord does wonders for the faithful.

Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-7 Brian George

The Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God** 

Gradual Hymn: 486 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling (vv. 1-2)

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 24:36B-48

The Gospel of Christ

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Gradual Hymn: 486 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling (v. 3)

Sermon

Apostles Creed (Sung) page 189

The Prayers of the People Dale Moffat

The Confession and Absolution page 191

The Peace

## CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymn: 545 We Will Lay Our Burden Down

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. (April 14 to April 20) Martha Courtney, William Dicks, Mamie Francis.

**Eucharistic Prayer** 

**Holy Holy Holy (Sung)** 

The Lord's Prayer (Said)

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The Breaking of the Bread

O Lamb of God (Sung)

THE COMMUNION

Communion Hymn: 184 My Song is Love Unknown

Anthem: Ain't No Grave

SENDING

Prayer after Communion & Blessing

With open minds and loving hearts
In Jesus name we daily go
With open minds and loving hearts
In to the world, Christ's love to show. (Sung)

Announcements

Recessional Hymn: 210 Yours Be the Glory, Risen, Conquering Son

Dismissal Postlude

#### Pastoral Care

<u>In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer</u> We pray for our primate, The Most Reverend Linda Nicholls; our Bishop the Rt Rev'd Sandra Fyfe, and for the **Eastern Shore Region**, <u>Eastern Passage</u> & <u>Cow Bay</u>, The Rev'd Jonathan Hallewell, Rector, and Lyn.

<u>In the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches</u>, we pray for Hope United, Rev. Dr. Kathleen Anderson.

World: we pray for, The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia.

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**Thank You!** to everyone who helped with the Indoor Yard Sale!

<u>The Little Friends of St Margaret</u> (Sunday School kids) are looking for an extra set of eyes for our Sunday School lesson. If interested please let Jerin or Chrissy know or sign up at the back of the church. If anyone is interested in painting our removable walls, help create our removable classroom let us know. Thanks!

<u>Want a Garden Bed?</u> We have both regular and accessible beds available in the Community Garden. Contact Margery Cotterell or Georgia Johnson if you would like one or know of someone who would be interested.

### **Volunteers Needed for the Seniors' Afternoon**

To take place on April 26<sup>th</sup>, from 1:15 pm to 4:15 pm. If you would like to help at the door with registration and name tags. Help set up table and chairs at 12:30pm. Help with Donations for Dessert, Help Set up Coffee/Tea Desserts Desserts or Help clean up at 4:30pm. There is a signup sheet at the Back of the Church!

#### **Seniors' Afternoon:**

Friday, April 26, 2024 at 1:15pm to 4:15 pm

Program includes: Self-Compassion/Mental Wellness; "Decadent Dessert, Tea, Coffee"; The Psychological Benefits of Religion; Ready, Set, Move – Stretching & Balance. This is a FREE event but Pre-Registration is required by April 19 Call 902-455-2451 or Email st.mofs@gmail.com

## Week at a Glance April 14 - April 21

Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said

10:30 am — Holy Eucharist BAS

2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall

Mon 8:30 am — Cleaners, Sanctuary

6:00 pm — Beavers, Hall

Tues 12:15 pm — AA, Hall

Wed 11:00 am — Book Study, Sanctuary

12:00 pm — Prayer and Meditation, Sanctuary

6:30 pm — Cubs, Hall

Thur 9:30 am — St Mary's Lawn Bowling, Hall

12:00 pm — Music with Babies, Sanctuary

4:00 pm — Parish Council, Sanctuary

4:15 pm — Ukulele Club, Hall

6:00 pm — Embers & Guides, Hall

7:00 pm — Choir, Sanctuary

Fri 6:00 pm — AA, Hall

Sat 8:30 am — Orthodox Service, Sanctuary

9:00 am — Men's Breakfast, Jenny's

12:30 pm — Orthodox Fellowship, Hall

Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said

10:30 am — Holy Eucharist BAS sung

2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall

Men's Breakfast Meeting 9 am Saturday, April 20 at Jenny's.

<u>Casserole Luncheon</u> April 25! In addition to deserts and casseroles, we also need coffee, tea, milk, cream, salad greens, tiny tims, cucumbers, and salad dressing. Please let Anne King know by calling (902-453-6912) if you can help, also volunteers needed to plate food and help with cleanup. Thank you!



Thanks to help from the Anglican Foundation of Canada, we are about to begin construction of an awesome, fully functional, inclusive and accessible bathroom on the main floor of the church. We are grateful for all the Anglican Foundation does and we look forward to all this addition to our facility will do for the congregation and community groups who use this space.

#### 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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