St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church Open minds and loving hearts

All are Welcome

Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 21, 2024

10:30 am – Holy Eucharist BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

I am
the Good Shepherd
John 10:11

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.

Readings: https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2024-04-21

HOLY EUCHARIST BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

Hymn: 321 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Greeting of the Community page 185

Gloria (sung)

Collect

PROCLAMATION

First reading: Acts 4:5-12 Bud Harnish

The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Psalm 23 George Isaacs

Response: The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not be in want.

Second Reading: 1 John 3:16-24 Kim MacNeil

The Word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn: 519 The Lord's My Shepherd (vv. 1-3)

The Lord be with you And also with you

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Holy Gospel: John 10:11-18

The Gospel of Christ

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Gradual Hymn: 519 The Lord's My Shepherd (vv. 4-5)

Sermon

Apostles Creed (Sung) page 189

The Prayers of the People Janet Templeton

The Confession and Absolution page 191

The Peace

CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymn: MP 473 My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

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 21 to April 27) Vernon Munroe, Sadie Redden, Barbara Barnes, Leo Arkelian, William Milsom, Albert Bond, Jerry Naish.

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: MP 266 I Cannot Tell

Chant: Christians, to the Pascal Victim

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: 527 How Firm a Foundation

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 **Dartmouth Region**, Dartmouth, The Rev'd Marilyn Newport, The Rev'd Edwin Ebsary.

In the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches, we pray for St. Mark's Anglican Church, Rev. Tammy Hodge Orovec, Rev. Vivien Hannon, Rev. Jim Purchase, Rev. Dianne Parker.

World: we pray for, The Anglican Church of Australia.

Memorials

A memorial gift has been given to the glory of God

<u>Wine & Host</u> f grandfather William Mil

In memory of grandfather William Milsom from Doug & Anne King

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

Volunteers Needed for the Seniors' Afternoon

on April 26th, from 1:15 pm to 4:15 pm. If you would like to help! There is a signup sheet at the Back of the Church!

Here is a 3 month financial summary for our General account ending March 2024. This account is for the day to day operating expenses of the parish. Your Wardens and Council appreciate all you are doing to sustain St. Margaret's as a vibrant parish.

				2024
	JAN	FEB	MAR	YTD
Total Offerings	6,265	7,672	10,943	24,880
Other revenue	2,314	1,745	9,194	13,252
Less expenses	5,397	15,937	17,731	39,065
Net	3182	-6520	2405	-933

Please note, we offer Pre Authorized Remittance for your monthly offering. For more information contact Annette Kelly,

Parish treasurer, @ 902-222-5018 or akelly@eastlink.ca.

Week at a Glance April 21 - March 28

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

7:46 pm — Prep & Set Up Catering, Hall

Tues 12:15 pm — AA, Sanctuary

6:00 pm — Catering St. Georges Event, Hall

Wed 11:00 am — Book Study, Sanctuary

12:00 pm — Prayer and Meditation, Sanctuary

6:30 pm — Cubs, Hall

Thur 11:30 am — Casserole Lunch, Hall

12:00 pm — Music with Babies, Sanctuary

4:15 pm — Ukulele Club, Hall

6:00 pm — Embers & Guides, Hall

7:00 pm — Choir, Sanctuary

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

6:00 pm — AA, Hall

1:15 pm — Seniors' Afternoon, Hall

Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said 10:30 am — Family Eucharist BAS sung 2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall

<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!

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

The 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

Turkey Supper May 4th at 4:30 pm. Helpers Needed! Sign up Sheet at the back of the church!

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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