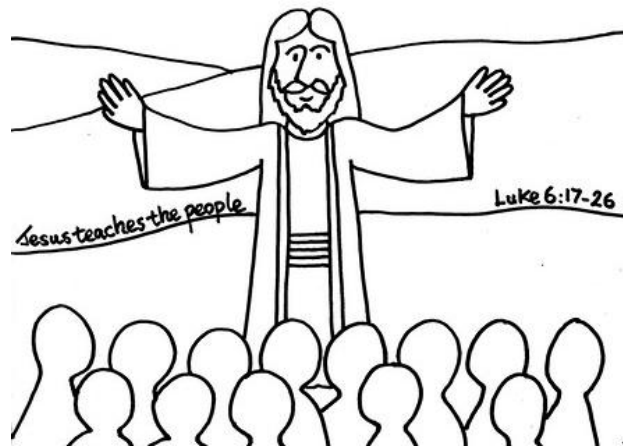


St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church
Open minds and loving hearts
All are Welcome

February 23, 2025

10:30 am Family Service [Sung]

HOLY EUCHARIST
SOUTH INDIA LITURGY



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.

HOLY EUCHARIST

From The Community of the Anglican Church of South India

The hymns are in the *white Mission Praise*
& the *blue Common Praise Hymn Books*.
The service is in the Funday School Booklet.

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Gathering

Processional Hymn: MP 272

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

Greeting and Land Acknowledgement

Kids' Prayer

Collect of Purity Sung (pg. 3)

Confession and Absolution

Passing of The Peace

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Psalm 37:1-12, 41- 42

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now and will be for ever. Amen.**

Gradual Hymn: MP 456

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace (vv . 1-2)

Holy Gospel: Luke 6:27-38

Gradual Hymn: MP 456

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace (vv. 3 -4)

Sermon

Activity

Offertory Hymn: 382 Praise to the Lord

Prayers of the People

EUCHARIST FROM SOUTH INDIA

Prayer of Consecration

Lord's Prayer (Sung)

Communion Hymn: 464 Bonum est Confidere

Anthem: Blessed Are the Persecuted

POST COMMUNION AND SENDING

Prayer After Communion & Blessing

Parish Motto (Sung): **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.

Announcements

Happy Birthday to you
Jesus' love makes all things new
May all of God's blessings
Now descend upon you

Recessional Hymn: MP 598 Silver and Gold

Dismissal

Postlude (Please remain seated)

Collect

Almighty God, your Son revealed in signs and miracles the wonder of your saving love. Renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

Psalm

Refrain: Put your trust in the Lord and do good.

Do not fret yourself because of evildoers; do not be jealous of those who do wrong. For they shall soon wither like the grass, and like the green grass fade away. Put your trust in the Lord and do good; dwell in the land and feed on its riches. **R** Take delight in the Lord, and he shall give you your heart's desire. Commit your way to the Lord and put your trust in him, and he will bring it to pass. He will make your righteousness as clear as the light and your just dealing as the noonday. **R** Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him.

Do not fret yourself over the one who prospers, the one who succeeds in evil schemes. Refrain from anger, leave rage alone; do not fret yourself; it leads only to evil. **R** For evildoers shall be cut off, but those who wait upon the Lord shall possess the land. In a little while the wicked shall be no more; you shall search out their place, but they will not be there. But the lowly shall possess the land;

they will delight in abundance of peace. **R**

But the deliverance of the righteous comes from the Lord; he is their stronghold in time of trouble. The Lord will help them and rescue them; he will rescue them from the wicked and deliver them,

because they seek refuge in him. **R**

Psalm 37:1-12, 41-42

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

Jesus Said 'But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who

begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

'If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. If you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. If you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. But love your enemies, do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return. Your reward will be great, and you will be children of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful.

'Do not judge, and you will not be judged; do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven; give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap; for the measure you give will be the measure you get back.'

Luke 6:27-38

Book of Remembrance

For those who have gone before us and noted in our Book of Remembrance we give you thanks. (February 23 to March 1) Margaret Jeffery, Alfred Cave, Garnet Cook, Mary Jewers, Muriel Moffat, Harold Bezanson, Shawn Brewer, Dora Beck.

Pastoral Care

In the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches, we pray for Northwood Chaplaincy, Rev. Renée Clark

In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for our primate, The Most Rev'd Anne Germond; our Bishop, The Right Rev'd Sandra Fyfe, and for the **PEI Region**: Port Hill, ▪ St. John's, Ellerslie ▪ St. Peter's, Foxley River; St. Peter's Cathedral, Charlottetown, St. George's, Montague.

World: we pray for, The Anglican Episcopal Church of Brazil

Today! The Annual Meeting

Please plan to stay following the 10:30 a.m. service, or come back after the 8:30 a.m. service. This is a meeting for everyone in our congregation, so please plan to come along, if you can.

Week at a Glance February 23 - March 2

Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist, BAS Sung (Funday Sunday)
— Annual General Meeting, Sanctuary
2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall
5:00 pm — Friends & Neighbours Potluck, Hall
Mon 8:30 am — Evermore Cleaners, Sanctuary
6:00 pm — Beavers, Hall
Tue 12:00 pm — AA, Hall
6:30 pm — Games Night, Hall
Wed 9:00 am — Yoga, Sanctuary
11:00 am — Surprise the World, Sanctuary
12:00 pm — Prayer and Meditation, Sanctuary
2:00 pm — Altar Guild Meeting, Sanctuary
6:00 pm — Cubs, Scouts, Venturers, Hall
Thu 11:30 am — Casserole Luncheon, Hall
1:00 pm — Music with Babies, Sanctuary
4:15 pm — Ukulele Club, Hall

6:00 pm — Embers & Guides, Hall
7:00 pm — Choir, Sanctuary
Fri 9:00 am — St. Mary's Lawn Bowling, Hall
5:00 pm — Beavers Sleepover, Hall
6:00 pm — AA, Sanctuary
Sat 12:00 pm — Beavers Sleepover Ends, Hall
Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist BAS Sung
2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall

Casserole Luncheon Thursday, February 27, 11:30 am

In addition to deserts and casseroles we also need coffee, tea, milk, cream, salad greens, tiny tims, cucumbers, salad dressing. Please let Anne King know at (902-453-6912) if you can help.

All Ages Ukulele Club - Thursdays 4:15 pm in the parish hall!

Free After School Program for kids age 10+ and adults!

Learn, sing, play games, and make friends. Snacks provided.

Dear people of St. Margaret of Scotland: It is my pleasure to invite you to my 70th BIRTHDAY PARTY at 7:00 pm next Sunday March 2, 2025, at the Golden Age Social Center, 212 Herring Cove Rd. in Spryfield. Music! Dancing! Bring a friend! Kids welcome! Feel free to bring finger food and/or non-alcoholic drinks to share. Best wishes only. RSVP 902 210 9371 or charlesbull97@gmail.com See you there! Charles

Tuesday March 4th - Pancake Supper! Dine In or Take Out

5:00 pm to 6:30 pm. The Meal includes: pancakes, Sausages, Dessert, Butter & Syrup. You can pre-order & pay by EFT to SMOSHalifax@outlook.com or pay cash at the door.

Friends of St. Margaret of Scotland present in concert, Evans and Doherty, Saturday, March 8, 2025 at 7 pm. Tickets \$30. See or call Joanna 902-495-8883.

Book Club starting up soon - starting with CS Lewis' The Screwtape Letters. If anyone needs a copy let Rev. Ed know and he will place an order.

Celtic Service every first Sunday of the month @ 7 pm, Our Sanctuary becomes a place of contemplation and stillness, a place to experience the presence of God through prayer, ritual, and traditional music.

Taizé Prayer Service Every Third Sunday @ 7 pm An evening of meditative music from the Taizé Community of France.

Saint Stephen's Elementary is in need of extra mittens and is wondering if any knitters in the church would be willing to make some for the kids. Thank you in advance for any help you can give.

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.*

I tell you who hear me:
~~LOVE~~ your enemies,
do GOOD to those who hate you,
BLESS those who curse you,
PRAY for those who mistreat you.

Luke 6:27-28

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