

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

Transfiguration
Last Sunday after the Epiphany
March 2, 2025

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.

Readings: <https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2025-03-02>

HOLY EUCHARIST
BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

Hymn: 2 When Morning Gilds the Sky

Greeting of the Community

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Gloria (sung)

Collect

PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Exodus 34:29-35 *Bob Blunden*

Psalm 99 *Judy Carpenter*

Response: **The Lord our God is the Holy One.**

**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.**

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2 *Fred Carpender*

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 9:28-36 (37-43a)

The Gospel of Christ

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

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

Sermon

Apostles Creed (Sung)

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The Prayers of the People *Sherry Smith*

The Confession and Absolution

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The Peace

CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymns: 619 Fairest Lord Jesus

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. (March 2 to March 8) Bessie O'Hearn, Elizabeth Green, Francis Pickerem, Karl Berrigan, Ed Savage, Minter Walters, Garfield Collier.

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: 553 Ubi Caritas Et Amour

Anthem: Jesus on the Mountain Peak

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: 374 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus (v. 1-3)

Dismissal

Postlude

Pastoral Care

In the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches, we pray for St. Margaret of Scotland, Rev. Ed Travors and Naniya.

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 **the Cape Breton Region**: St. Alban's - Sydney / Whitney Peir; The Collieries Parish: ▪ All Saints - New Waterford ▪ Good Shepherd – Dominion ▪ St. Mary's - Glace Bay ▪ St. Paul - Port Morien

World: we pray for,
The Anglican Church of Burundi

Week at a Glance March 2 - March 9

Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist, BAS Sung
2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall
7:00 pm — Celtic Service, Sanctuary

Mon 8:30 am — Evermore Cleaners, Sanctuary
6:30 pm — Sandwich Club, Hall

Tue 12:00 pm — AA, Sanctuary
5:00 pm — Pancake Supper, Hall

Wed 9:00 am — Yoga, Sanctuary
10:00 am — Ash Wednesday Combined Service at St. Mark's
11:00 am — Surprise the World, Sanctuary
12:00 pm — Prayer and Meditation, Sanctuary
6:00 pm — Cubs, Scouts, Venturers, Hall
7:00 pm — Ash Wednesday Combined Service, Sanctuary

Thu 9:00 am — St. Mary's Lawn Bowling, 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 6:00 pm — AA, Hall

Sat 7:00 pm — Evans & Doherty Concert, Sanctuary

Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist BAS Sung
2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall
7:00 pm — Scouting Meeting, Hall

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.

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.

Around the world, Women's World Day of Prayer this year is on March 7. The theme for 2025, "I made You Wonderful"

A beautiful service of prayers, songs and stories has been created by members of the Cook Islands. For more information go to <https://wdpcanada.ca>

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.

International Women's Day 2025 is observed on March 8.

The theme this year is "Accelerate Action"- action that will promote a gender equality and challenge discrimination in its many forms.

For more information look up www.internationalwomensday.com

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.

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.

Thank you all for your donations of Egg Cartons for the Food Bank **No more Cartons are needed.**

Margaret of Scotland Mission Statement:

For the glory of God and the welfare of God's people, we are committed to share the love, joy, peace and hope of God with our friends, families and neighbours. Through vibrant, meaningful and authentic ministries, worship and fellowship, we will strive to reach out into the world emulating the compassion and devotion of His servant, our patron, St. Margaret of Scotland and to be the hands and feet of Jesus Christ alive and active in our community.



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