

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

Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 18, 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=2025-05-18>

HOLY EUCHARIST
BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

Hymn: 355 All Creatures of Our God and King (vv. 1-3, 7)

Greeting of the Community page 185

Gloria (sung)

Collect

*(Children and Youth leave with their leaders
to go downstairs for Funday Sunday School)*

PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Acts 11:1-18 *Naniya Trevors*

Psalm 148 *Janet Templeton*

**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: Revelation 21:1-6 *James Haviland*

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn: **484 In Christ There Is No East or West (vv. 1-2)**

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 13:31-35

The Gospel of Christ

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Gradual Hymn: 484 In Christ There Is No East or West (vv. 3-4)

Sermon

Apostles Creed (Sung) page 189

The Prayers of the People *Naniya Trevors*

The Confession and Absolution page 191

The Peace

CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymn: SGP 110 O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go

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. (May 18 to May 24) Frances Elms.

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: 314 Laudate Omnes Gentes

Anthem: Qui vult venire - Orlande de Lassus

If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me, saith the Lord.

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: 486 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Dismissal

Postlude

Pastoral Care

In the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches, we pray for
Aurora North End Parish Church, Pastor Kevin Jolly

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 **Dartmouth Region**: Holy Trinity Emmanuel, Dartmouth, ▪ St. Peter's, Eastern Passage ▪ Christ Church, Cow Bay.

World we pray for,
The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem & The Middle East.

Memorials

To the Building Fund
In memory of Harold Dort
from Greta Moore

In Celebration of Bob & Susan's Marriage - Congratulations

To The Friends of St Margaret from
- Victor & Charlene Day

To the Altar Guild from
Margery Cotterell
Doug & Anne King
Emma Cleveland
Sherry Smith
William & Nancy Lee Mason
Joanna Hazeldine

Taize Contemplative Service - Sunday, May 18, 7pm, Sanctuary
Please join us for our monthly evening of meditative music from the Taizé Community of France. This month the choir will be joined by guest musicians Simon Blake and Ryan Veltmeyer as we chant meditative hymns together. At the end of the service, Simon and Ryan, as REZOUND, will turn the Sanctuary into a sound bath, as they improvise gorgeous vocal ambient music, together with immersive visual projections.

Week at a Glance

May 18 - May 25

Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist BAS Sung
2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Sanctuary
3:30 pm — Piano Lessons, Sanctuary
7:00 pm — Taizé Service, Sanctuary
Mon 8:30 pm — Evermore Cleaners, Sanctuary
Tue 12:00 pm — AA, Hall
6:30 pm — Games Night, Hall
Wed 9:00 am — Yoga, Sanctuary
11:00 am — SWAG, Sanctuary
12:00 pm — Prayer and Meditation, Sanctuary
12:30 pm — Northwood Team Meetin, Hall
6:00 pm — Cubs, Scouts, Venturers, Hall
6:00 pm — SafeRChurch Training, Sanctuary
Thu 9:00 am — St. Mary's Lawn Bowling, Hall
1:00 pm — Music with Babies, Sanctuary
4:00 pm — Ukulele Club, Hall
4:30 pm — Parish Council, Sanctuary
6:00 pm — Embers & Guides, Hall
7:00 pm — Choir, Sanctuary
Fri 6:00 pm — AA, Hall
Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist BAS Sung
2:00 pm — Bops with Tots, Hall
3:30 pm — Piano Lessons, Sanctuary
5:00 pm — Friends & Neighbours Potluck, Hall

Ward 5 - Take Out Spaghetti Dinner May 22nd Cost: \$8.00 per meal or family of 4 \$25.00.
Pick up location 2776 Gottingen St. or St. Mark's Church 5522 Russell Street. Please RSVP by the 21st 902-454-0018 ward5susan@ward5

The next **Casserole Lunch** is May 29th! In addition to deserts and casseroles, we also need coffee, tea, milk, cream, salad greens, tiny tins, 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!

The SWAG is organizing a **Clothing Swap** which will be held May 31 in the church parking lot. We are looking for donations of gently used clothing. As you spring clean, think of us! See Meghan, Brian or Shirley with any donations.

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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