

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

June 29, 2025

10:30 am Family Service [Sung]

HOLY EUCHARIST
NIGERIAN 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.

Readings Printed at end of Bulletin

HOLY EUCHARIST

From The Community of the Anglican Church of Nigeria
*The hymns are in the green Songs for a Gospel People and
the blue Common Praise Hymn Book. The service is in the Funday School Booklet*

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Gathering

Processional Hymn: SGP 38 Come, Children, Join to Sing

Greeting and Land Acknowledgement

Kids' Prayer

Collect of Purity (Sung)

Confession and Absolution

Passing of The Peace

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20

Refrain: **What god is as great as our God?**

Galatians 5:1, 13-25

**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: 430

Will You Come and Follow Me (vv. 1-3)

Holy Gospel: Luke 9:51-62

Gradual Hymn: 430

Will You Come and Follow Me (vv. 4-5)

Sermon

Activity

Offertory Hymn 532 What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Prayers of the People

EUCCHARIST FROM NIGERIA

Prayer of Consecration

Communion Hymn: 464 Bonum est Confidere

Anthem: Be Still and Know That I Am God

Lord's Prayer (Sung)

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: 259 For the Fruit of All Creation

Dismissal

Postlude (Please remain seated)

Book of Remembrance

For those who have gone before us and noted in our Book of Remembrance we give you thanks. (June 29 to July 5) Mary Isaacs.

Pastoral Care

In the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches, we pray for St. Stephen's Roman Catholic Church, Fr. Nathaniel Desroches.

In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for our primate Right Rev. Linda Nicholls; our Bishop Sandra Fyfe and for **Chebucto Region**:

Parish of Emmanuel, Spryfield, Parish of the Falklands, St. James, Herring Cove.

World: we pray for, The Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma)

Third Sunday After Pentecost

June 29, 2025

Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20

Refrain: **What god is as great as our God?**

I will cry aloud to God; I will cry aloud, and he will hear me. In the day of my trouble I sought the LORD; my hands were stretched out by night and did not tire; I refused to be comforted. **R**

I will remember the works of the LORD, and call to mind your wonders of old time. I will meditate on all your acts and ponder your mighty deeds. **R**

Your way, O God, is holy. Who is so great a God as our God? You are the God who works wonders; and you have declared your power among the peoples. **R**

By your strength you have redeemed your people, the children of Jacob and Joseph. The waters saw you, O God, the waters saw you, and trembled; the very depths were shaken. **R**

The clouds poured out water; the skies thundered; your arrows flashed to and fro; The sound of your thunder was in the whirlwind; your lightnings lit up the world; the earth trembled and shook. **R**

Your way was through the sea, and your paths in the great waters, yet your footsteps were not seen. You led your people like a flock by the hand of Moses and Aaron. **R**

Galatians 5:1, 13-25

For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.

For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, ‘You shall love your neighbour as yourself.’ If, however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another.

Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh; for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you from doing what you want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. Now the works of the flesh are obvious: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

Luke 9:51-62

When the days drew near for Jesus to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him, but they did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. When his disciples James and John saw

this, they said, “Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?” But he turned and rebuked them. Then they went on to another village. As they were going along the road, someone said to him, “I will follow you wherever you go.” And Jesus said to him, “Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.” To another he said, “Follow me.” But he said, “Lord, first let me go and bury my father.” And Jesus said to him, “Let the dead bury their own dead, but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.” Another said, “I will follow you, Lord, but let me first say farewell to those at my home.” And Jesus said to him, “No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.”

Week at a Glance **June 29 - July 6**

Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist, Nigerian Liturgy Family Funday
6:00 pm — Guides Appreciation Night, Hall
Mon Canada Day
8:30 am — Evermore Cleaners, Sanctuary
1:00 pm — NSCC Day Camp Leaders Meeting, Hall
Tue 8:30 am — NSCC Summer Day Camp, Hall
12:00 pm — AA, Sanctuary
6:30 pm — Games Night, Hall
Wed 8:30 am — NSCC Summer Day Camp, Hall
9:00 am — Yoga, Sanctuary
11:00 am — Surprise the World, Sanctuary
12:00 pm — Prayer and Meditation, Sanctuary
Thu 8:30 am — NSCC Summer Day Camp, Hall
1:00 pm — Music with Babies, Sanctuary
Fri 8:30 am — NSCC Summer Day Camp, Hall
6:00 pm — AA, Hall
Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist BAS Sung

Thank you! To everyone who helped in anyway with the White Rose Family Folk Fest! Special thanks to Rebecca and the performers, planners, cooks, kids activities volunteers etc, and thanks to everyone who attended! We Won \$50 Card towards this Event as part of Neighbour Week!

Thank you for being part of **Neighbour Week 2025!** We're excited to let you know that you've been selected as one of our prize winners! You've won at \$50 gift card to Super Store! We'd also love to see how you celebrated! If you snapped any photos during your event, feel free to tag us on Facebook or Instagram using **#NeighbourWeek2025 #HRMNeighbourWeek**, or email them to us at VolunteerHelp@halifax.ca. Sharing your photos helps us spread the joy and inspire

even more connection next year. Thanks again for helping make this year's Neighbour Week such a success. We hope to see you again in 2026!
Warm regards, KATE MOON, SHE/HER Community Developer
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*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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