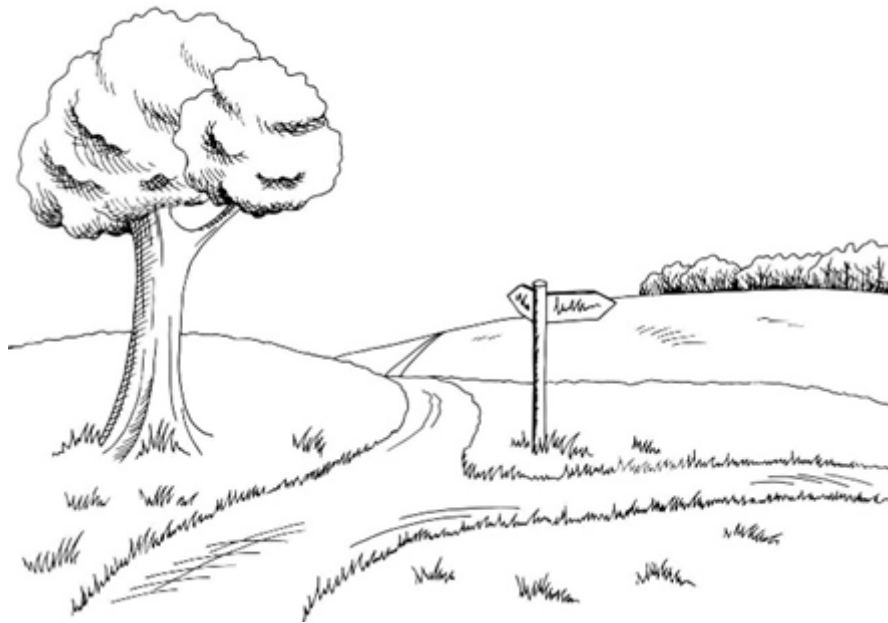


St. Margaret of Scotland Anglican Church
Open minds and loving hearts
All are Welcome

Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 3, 2026

10:30 am – Morning Prayer
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.

MORNING PRAYER
BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

Prelude

Welcome and Gathering

Hymn: 300 Christ is Made the Sure Foundation

The Penitential Rite

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The Invitatory to Morning Prayer

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The Venite (Sung)

The Jubilate (Said)

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Old Testament: Acts 7:55-60 (*Ted Johnson*)

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Psalms 31:1-5, 15-16 (*Anne King*)

Response: **Behold, I come to do your will, O God.**

**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.**

Epistle: 1 Peter 2:2-10 (*Brian George*)

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn: 498 How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place (v. 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

Gospel: John 14:1-14

The Gospel of Christ

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Gradual Hymn: 498 How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place (v. 4)

Sermon

Anthem: Be Still and Know That I Am God

The Apostle's Creed (Said)

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Prayers of the people (*Meghan Donoghue*) Litany # 15 Page 122

The Collect

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Offertory Hymns: 644 Come, Gracious Spirit, Heavenly Dove

Prayer over the Gifts

The Lord's Prayer (Said)

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**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: 354 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Blessing & Dismissal

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Postlude

Book of Remembrance & Memorials

For those who have gone before us and noted in our Book of Remembrance, we give you thanks. (April 26 to May 2)
Margaret MacNeil, Albert Bond, Jerry Naish, Blanche Miles, Arnold MacNeil, Carrie Tench, David Snider, Harold Dominie

Pastoral Care

World we pray for, The Diocese of Edmonton –The Anglican Church of Canada

In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer. We pray for our primate, Most Reverend Shane Parker; our Bishop, The Right Reverend Sandra Fyfe and for **The Eastern Shore Region:** Tangier, Nova Scotia Holy Trinity, (Tangier), St. James', (Spry Bay), St. Andrew's, (Spry Harbour), St. Thomas', (Mooseland) St. Paul's, (Mushaboom), St. Peter's, (Murphy Cove).

In the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches, we pray for St. John's United Church, Rev. Rhonda Schofield.

Easter Memorials

To Altar Guild/Flower Fund

In memory of Bernie Hazeldine
From mom Joanna Hazeldine

To Building Fund

In memory of Elmer & Helen Fancy
From Harold Boutilier

To Discretionary Fund

In memory of Louise Johnson
From Ted & family

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

St. Margaret of Scotland pewter ornament depicting the church building \$15. Ask Emma or Susan if you would like to purchase one.

Men's Breakfast 9 am Saturday May 9th at the Jenny's.

Friends and Neighbours Potluck May 24 at 5 pm in the Hall
Bring a friend and your favourite dish to share.

Thank you to every who helped out with the Yard Sale and The Casserole Lunch. The next Monthly Casserole Lunch is May 28 at 11:30 am.

The Plant Sale Annuals, perennials, House Plants, Plant Books, Garden Tools, Collectibles, Pantry Table, Canteen and More. St. George's Hall 2221 Maitland Street, Friday June 6, 9am to 12 noon. roundchurch.ca

Week at a Glance May 3 - May 10

Sun 8:30 am — Morning Prayer BAS (Said)
10:30 am — Morning Prayer BAS (Sung)
7:00 pm — Celtic Table, Sanctuary
7:00 pm — Scouting Group Committee Meeting, Hall

Mon 8:30 am - 12:30 pm — Evermore Cleaners, Sanctuary & Hall
6:00 pm — Beavers, Hall
8:30 pm — Bagpipe Practice, Sanctuary

Tues 12:15 pm — AA, Sanctuary
6:30 pm — Sandwich Club, Hall

Wed 11:00 am — SWAG, Sanctuary
12:00 pm — Prayer and Meditation, Sanctuary
6:00 pm — Cubs & Venturers, Hall
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm — Annual Community Garden Meeting, Sanctuary

Thur 9:00 am — St Mary's Lawn Bowling, Hall
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm — Music with Babies, Sanctuary
4:00 pm — Ukulele, Hall
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
3:15 pm - 4:15 pm — Piano Lesson, Sanctuary

Join us for our Alongside Hope 2026 Diocesan gathering at St. John's Bedford on May 16th. This year we are excited to welcome staff members from Alongside Hope to come and join us for our annual Alongside Hope parish rep gathering. If your parish does not currently have a representative for Alongside Hope, you are welcome to come and learn more about Alongside Hope as we gather together and take advantage of this opportunity to hear more about the projects and work that is being done thanks to the

volunteers and the ministry of Anglicans here, across Canada, and our partners around the world. Lunch is provided. Please RSVP by May 9th 2026.

[Alongside Hope Diocesan Gathering 2026 REGISTRATION – Fill out form
alongsidehope@nspeidiocese.ca](https://www.alongsidehope@nspeidiocese.ca)

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.*



JOHN 14:6

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