

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

Harvest Thanksgiving
October 11, 2026

10:30 am – Holy Eucharist
BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES



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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.

For Readings scroll to end
BAS: <https://www.anglican.ca/wp-content/uploads/BAS.pdf>

HOLY EUCHARIST
BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES
HARVEST THANKSGIVING

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

Hymn: 262 Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

Greeting of the Community

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Trisagion

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PROCLAMATION

First Reading: Deuteronomy 8:7-18 *Margery Cotterell*
The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Psalm 65 *Patricia Dobson*

Response: **You crown the year with your goodness, O Lord.**

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 9:6-15 *Kevin Dobson*
The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn: 631 The Kingdom of God is Justice and Joy
(v. 1-3)

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 17:11-19

The Gospel of Christ

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Gradual Hymn: 631 The Kingdom of God is Justice and Joy
(v. 4)

Sermon

Apostles Creed (Said)

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The Prayers of the People *Meghan Donoghue*

The Confession and Absolution

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The Peace

CELEBRATION

Offertory Hymn: 258 We Plough the Fields and Scatter

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. (October 11 to October 17) Wayne Crewe, Walker Bottomley, Abram Courtney, James Rose, Marjorie Keeping.

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: MP 865 In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful

Anthem: There is a Redeemer

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: 399 Now Thank We All Our God

Dismissal

Postlude

Pastoral Care

In the Cycle of Prayer for North End Churches, we pray for
The Anglican Church of Burundi.

In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer We pray for our primate, Most Reverend Shane Parker; our Bishop, The Right Reverend Sandra Fyfe and we pray for: The Valley Region: Wilmot, Nova Scotia; Holy Trinity Church, Middleton, All Saints' Church, Kingston. Avon Valley, Nova Scotia; St. George's, Falmouth, St. Michael's, Windsor Forks, All Saints, Leminster, St. Thomas', Three Mile Plains, St. Andrew's, Hantsport.

World: we pray for, St. Stephen's Roman Catholic church, Fr. Nathaniel Desroches

Memorials

A memorial gift has been given
to the glory of God

The Flowers on the Altar
are in loving memory of Barbara Copeland
From Susan & Family

*Rest eternal grant onto her, O Lord,
and let light perpetual shine upon her. Amen.*



Thanksgiving Food Drive Collecting food for St. Mark's Food Bank: Kraft Dinner, dry pasta, rice, dry lentils, canned soup, canned beans, canned peas, canned corn, canned tomatoes, canned tuna, pasta sauce, cereal & oatmeal, canned meat, granola bars, peanut butter, oil, tea, coffee.
(Reusable grocery bags, empty one dozen size Egg Cartons)

Crib Social Wednesday, October 21 from 12 to 4.
Cost \$5.00. Pre registration call Doug King at 453-6912.

Week at a Glance October 11 - October 18

Sun 8:30 am — Holy Eucharist BCP said
10:30 am — Holy Eucharist BAS sung (Thanksgiving Sunday)
1:30 pm — Piano Lesson, Sanctuary
Mon 8:30 pm — Bagpipe Practice, Sanctuary
Tues 8:30 am -12:30 — Cleaners, Sanctuary & Hall
12:15 pm — AA, Sanctuary
12:30 pm — Garden Committee, Hall
6:30 pm — Games Night, Hall
Wed 11:00 am — SWAG, Sanctuary
12:00 pm — Prayer & Meditation, Sanctuary
6:00 pm — Cubs, Hall
Thur 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm, Music with Babies, Sanctuary
4:00 pm. All-Ages Ukulele Club, Hall
6:00 pm. Embers & Guides, Hall
7:00 pm, Choir, Sanctuary
Fri All Day, Set up Yard Sale, Hall
6:00 pm, AA, Sanctuary
Sat 9:00 am - 2:00 pm, Prep & Delivery, Soup Kitchen, Kitchen
9:00 am, -12:00 pm, Yard Sale, Hall
Sun 8:30 am, Holy Eucharist BCP (Said)
10:30 am, Holy Eucharist BAS(Sung)
7:00 pm, Taize, Sanctuary

Join Naniya Trevors Monday evenings for an 8 week Mindfulness Based Stress Reduction Course, 6:30-7:30 at the back of the sanctuary. RSVP loveandfreedom2021@gmail.com

Yard Sale October 17th. Need people to man tables. Need an hour on Thursday night to set up tables and empty black hole. Need sorters on Friday for any period of time between 9 am and finish. Finish will depend on number of hands. Tables cost \$15.00. Call Anne King to offer helping hands.

James is looking for help with live-streaming, training provided. A Part-time commitment, that would really help. Please see James

We are starting an online book study of Arthur Miller's The Crucible on Tuesdays at 1 PM. If you are interested, please email Rev Ed at rev.ed.trevors@gmail.com and he will send you the link.

Collect

Creator of the fruitful earth, you made us stewards of all things.

Give us grateful hearts for all your goodness, and steadfast wills to use your bounty well, that the whole human family, today and in generations to come, may with us give thanks for the riches of your creation.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

First Reading Deuteronomy 8:7-18

For the LORD your God is bringing you into a good land, a land with flowing streams, with springs and underground waters welling up in valleys and hills, a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive oil and honey, a land where you may eat bread without scarcity, where you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron and from whose hills you may mine copper. You shall eat your fill and bless the LORD your God for the good land that he has given you. “Take care that you do not forget the LORD your God by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes that I am commanding you today. When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them and when your herds and flocks have multiplied and your silver and gold is multiplied and all that you have is multiplied, then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid wasteland with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow for you from flint rock. He fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you and in the end to do you good. Do not say to yourself, ‘My power and the might of my own hand have gotten me this wealth.’ But remember the LORD your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today.

PSALM 65

Refrain : **You crown the year with your goodness, O Lord.**

You are to be praised, O God, in Zion; *
to you shall vows be performed in Jerusalem.

To you that hear prayer shall all flesh come, *
because of their transgressions. **R**

Our sins are stronger than we are, *
but you will blot them out.

Happy are they whom you choose
and draw to your courts to dwell there! *
they will be satisfied by the beauty of your house,
by the holiness of your temple. **R**

Awesome things will you show us in your righteousness,
O God of our salvation, *
O Hope of all the ends of the earth
and of the seas that are far away.

You make fast the mountains by your power; *
they are girded about with might. **R**

You still the roaring of the seas, *
the roaring of their waves,
and the clamour of the peoples.

Those who dwell at the ends of the earth will tremble at
your marvellous signs; *
you make the dawn and the dusk to sing for joy. **R**

You visit the earth and water it abundantly;
you make it very plenteous; *
the river of God is full of water.

You prepare the grain, *
for so you provide for the earth. **R**

You drench the furrows and smooth out the ridges; *
with heavy rain you soften the ground and bless its increase.

You crown the year with your goodness, *
and your paths overflow with plenty. **R**

May the fields of the wilderness be rich for grazing, *
and the hills be clothed with joy.

May the meadows cover themselves with flocks,
and the valleys cloak themselves with grain; *
let them shout for joy and sing. **R**

Lord God, joy marks your presence; beauty, abundance, and peace are the tokens of your work in all creation. Work also in our lives, that by these signs we may see the splendour of your love and praise you through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Second Reading 2 Corinthians 9:6-15

The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not regretfully or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. As it is written, “He scatters abroad; he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever.” He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us, for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your partnership with them and with all others, while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

Gospel Luke 17:11-19

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, “Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!” When he saw them, he said to them, “Go and show yourselves to the priests.” And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus’s feet and thanked him.

And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, “Were not ten made clean? So where are the other nine? Where are they? Was none of them to return to give praise to God except this foreigner?” Then he said to him, “Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.”

Prayer over the Gifts

Source of all life,
the heaven and earth are yours, yet you have given us dominion over all things.
Receive the symbols of our labour and love which we offer you this day, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer after Communion

God of our hope,
in this eucharist we find the source of all your blessings.
Nourished in these holy mysteries may we, with our lives,
give you continual thanks and praise. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

St. 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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