ANGLICAN PARISH OF WOODSTOCK

SAINT LUKE'S

CHRIST CHURCH



April 11, 2021

Service of Morning Prayer

recorded Sunday morning and available on Facebook, YouTube & our Website in the evening.







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We acknowledge that the land on which we gather is the traditional unceded territory of the Wolastoqiyik (Maliseet) and Mi'kmaq Peoples.

Welcome!

The service begins on page 45 BAS

Hymn 231: That Eastertide with Joy Was Bright Vs 1 & 4
(You may sing if you are wearing a mask)

Opening Sentence:

Have you believed, Thomas, because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet believe. *John 20.29*

A Call to Prayer

Officiant: Let us pray: Gracious God, thank you that you are over all, in all and through all. We lift our world before you as we face the Covid-19 pandemic. We pray for those who are suffering its effects, the medical personnel who are caring for them and those who are seeking a vaccine or cure. (We pray for the success of the vaccines in Canada and other parts of the world!) We are grateful for the lives of people who have died and pray for their families and friends in their bereavement. We ask that you enable us to know your love for all and give us your peace which passes all understanding. In the name of Christ our Lord. **Amen.** (*Prayer by Archbishop David Edwards*)

The Penitential Rite

Confession & Absolution	p. 46
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Response #10 before and after the Venite: Officiant: Alleluia! The Lord is risen indeed: Response: O come, let us worship!	p. 48
Jubilate (together)	p. 49

The Proclamation of the Word

1st Reading: Acts 4: 32-35 The Believers Share Their Possessions

Psalm 133 (responsively) p. 890

2nd Reading: 1 John 1: 1-2:2 The Word of Life

Parish Mission Statement: Together: We are a worshipping Anglican Community, nourished by Liturgy, Scripture, Sacraments, Prayer, and Fellowship. We are guided by the Holy Spirit to care for God's creation, so that all may know the peace of Christ and the power of His Resurrection.

Gospel: John 20: 19-31 Jesus Appears to His Disciples

Sermon: As the Father has Sent Me, So I Send You!

Instrumental: Breathe on Me, Breath of God

Apostles Creed p. 52

Hymn #223: Christ Is Risen vs. 1 & 3

(You may sing if you are wearing a mask)

Prayer over the Gifts

(Offering plates remain on Greeter's tables.)

God of grace, you have freed us from our sins and made us a kingdom in your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Accept all we offer you this day, and strengthen us in the new life you have given us, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Prayers of the People, Litany #15 p. 122

Response: Hear us, Lord of glory!

The Collect of the Day together:

Almighty and eternal God, the strength of those who believe and the hope of those who doubt, may we, who have not seen, have faith and receive the fullness of Christ's blessing, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**. Lord's Prayer

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Parish Vision Statement: Together:

We will become a more caring community of believers who learn together, nurture and support each other, and reach out to the community at large with the love of Christ.

The Blessing

Hymn 378: Crown Him with Many Crowns Vs. 1 & 4 (You may sing if you are wearing a mask)

Dismissal

Officiant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God! Alleluia

Welcome: A hearty welcome to all who are worshipping with us today. Visitors are invited to sign our Guest Book in the entry of the hall. Expect Covid-19 protocols (Yellow phase).

Special Prayers are requested for: Janet, Kim, Ernest, Mavis, Gordon, Ellen, Karla, Amanda, Jennifer, Randy, Colin, Liam, Sadie, Emma, Scottie, Kate, Gail, Tanya, Terry, Brad, Billy, Lorne, Kent, Doreen, Dick, Susanne, Wesley, Jim, Trevor, Lindsay, Lois, David, Carrie, Barry, Freda, Charles, Archbishop David's parents, Doreen and John.

Participating in Today's Service

Officiant: Rev. Shirley Noseworthy

Lay Reader: Larry Graham
Organist: Sandra Culberson
Greeter: Dorine Dennique
Videographer: Armin Hackelsperger

Altar Guild: Royce Brown & Jean Collicott

Celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Happy Birthday to Malcolm Collicott, and to anyone celebrating a birthday!

Happy Wedding Anniversary to anyone celebrating their special day!

A Prayer based on 1 Corinthians 13:4-8

God of Love, Your word states that love is patient, love is kind. Love does not envy, nor does it boast. It does not dishonor others. Love is not self-seeking. Bless those who are celebrating a birthday or anniversary this week. Thank You because Your love always protects, always trusts, hopes, and perseveres. Love never fails. It is because of Your Love, O God, that we can send our love to those celebrating their special day. So, Father we thank You, in Jesus' name. Amen.

Wall of Blessing 2021

Thank you everyone for what you have given and continue to give. There are Envelopes with amounts on the WALL and blank ones in a BASKET for those who are inspired to pick a certain amount. You may place Envelopes in the offering plate or bring to the Church office. Or donate on-line through e-transfer or our Parish website. Contact Nancy at 328-2295 or Jennifer at 325-9305 any time for help or questions.

Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God. – Hebrews 13:16

Covid-19 Operational Plan - Yellow Phase

Expect screening, hand sanitizing, physical distancing. Wearing a mask is mandatory. You may sing while wearing a mask. Those who are high risk, including elderly and people with underlying health issues, are advised to remain at home for your safety.

Recycling Revenue from CIEVA Received

Please remember to drop off your recyclables to Community Industries on Moffatt Street. Thank you to those who are supporting this project. We recently received CIEVA recycling revenue in the amount of \$222.90. Mark your bag of recyclables 'St. Luke's Church' and they will credit us with the value. You do not have to count or sort – they look after all of that and pay us the value. It is another way of blessing our church ministry!

St. Luke's ACW Selling Memorial Flower Saddle Arrangements.

Cost \$50. Please place your order by April 18, to have it ready in time for Mother's Day, May 6, 2021. To order, first choose your colour using the corresponding number (#1-#5) below, (see poster for photos) and contact Jean Collicott at 328-8981 or icollicott?@gmail.com.

- #1. Pink with purple and white.
- #2. Orange with yellow and purple.
- #3. Purple and pink with yellow.
- #4. Shades of pink.
- #5. Yellow with shades of orange.

Bulletin Board

Sunday, April 11 – 2nd Sunday of Easter

10:30 am Morning Prayer (BAS)

Tuesday, April 13

6:30 pm Brownies meet in the hall.

Sunday, April 18 – 3rd Sunday of Easter

10:30 am Holy Eucharist (BAS)2:00 pm Vestry Meeting - Hall