

ANGLICAN PARISH OF WOODSTOCK

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH CHRIST CHURCH



Fifth Sunday In Lent
April 3, 2022



Mary anoints Jesus.

Service of Morning Prayer

**Livestreamed to YouTube Sunday morning and available
on Facebook, YouTube & 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.

Let us be Kind to One Another

Effective March 14, Covid restrictions have been lifted in the province. Proof of vaccination is no longer required. Some folks may choose to wear a mask and maintain physical distance, and that is okay. Let us be understanding.

Thank you for your cooperation and patience. God bless you for your faithfulness.

Welcome to In-person Worship!

Order of Service

Book of Alternative Service p. 45

Hymn #497: *Eternal Ruler Of the Ceaseless Round*

Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Scripture Sentence: All I care for is to know Christ and the power of his resurrection. *Philippians 3.10*

The Penitential Rite

Confession & Absolution p. 46

The Invitatory #8 before and after the Canticale p. 48

Officiant: The Lord is full of compassion and mercy:

Response: O come, let us worship!

Canticale #9 (together) p. 80

The Proclamation of the Word

1st Reading: Isaiah 43: 16-21 *Escape from Babylon*

Psalms 126 (responsively) p. 885

**2nd Reading: Philippians 3: 4b-14 *The True Righteousness/
Running toward the Goal***

Hymn #435: *Take My Life And Let It Be*

Gospel: John 12:1-8 *Mary Anoints Jesus*

Sermon: *Love is Extravagant!*

Instrumental #497: *Eternal Ruler Of the Ceaseless Round*

Affirmation of Faith p. 52

**Offertory Hymn #601: *God Whose Giving Knows No
Ending***

Prayer over the Gifts: Eternal God, your only Son suffered death upon the cross to bring the world salvation. Accept the praise and thanksgiving we offer you this day, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

Prayers of the People, Litany #14 p. 121

Response: Lord, have mercy.

The Collect of the Day together:

Most merciful God, by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ, you created humanity anew. May the power of his victorious cross transform those who turn in faith to him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Prayer for Ukraine

God of peace and justice, we pray for the people of Ukraine today. We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons. We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them. We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions. Above all we pray for all your precious children at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them. We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. Amen.

Source: Archbishop Justin Welby and Archbishop Stephen Cottrell.

Blessing

Closing Hymn #503: *Fight the Good Fight with All Thy Might*

Dismissal

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

People: **Thanks be to God!**

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, Jim, Trevor, Lindsay, Lois, David, Carrie, Barry, Freda, Charles, Betty-Jean, Gary, Jennifer, Archbishop David's parents, Doreen and John.

Participating in Today's Service

Officiant: Rev. Shirley Noseworthy

Lay Reader: Janis Richard

Organist: Sandra Culberson

Greeters:

Videographer: Tony Richard

Audio: Armin Hackelsperger

Altar Guild: Jean Collicott & Barb Richard

Easter Sunrise Breakfast April 17 at 9 am

Come early on April 17 and enjoy an Easter continental breakfast of tea, coffee, muffins and the like, from 9 am to 10 am at St. Luke's Hall, and join us in the Church for 10:30 am Holy Eucharist as we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ! For those willing to help with this ministry of hospitality, we are seeking donations of breakfast items. There is a signup sheet at the back of the church for items needed. For more info, contact Janis Richard at 328-8225.

Celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Happy Birthday to Donna Saunders, Tammy Dunbar, Lesley Anthony, Geraldine McHatten and to anyone celebrating a birthday!

Happy Wedding Anniversary to Robet & Ellen Kee and to anyone celebrating their special day!

A Prayer based on 1 John 4:7-12

Father, we adore You. Bless those who are celebrating a birthday or an anniversary this week. May Your love continue to flow through them. You gave Your one and only son so that we might live through Him, and we pray that as You have loved us, that we continue to love one another. Thank You for living within us and thank You for Your love being made complete within us, Amen.

Diocesan Intercessions

Each week we pray for those on the Anglican Prayer Cycle, located [here](#). **April 3:** The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion), the Most Rev Henry Ndukuba, Metropolitan and Primate. Council of the North, Diocese of the Arctic, Bishop David Parsons, Suffragan Bishops Annie Ittoshat, Lucy Netser and Joseph Royal, clergy and people, the Arthur Turner Training School in Pangnirtung, the Cathedral parish of St. Jude, Iqaluit and the Synod office staff in Yellowknife. Archbishop Linda Nicholls, Anglican Church of Canada. Ecclesiastical Province of Canada, Archbishop David Edwards and the Provincial Council. Diocese of Ho, Bishop Matthias Meduadues-Badohu. Diocese of Yukon, Bishop Lesley Wheeler-Dame, PWRDF diocesan representative Betty Davidson; AFC representative Glen Gough; diocesan ACW president Blanche Buckle and all ACW members; social and ecological justice ministries. Retired bishops Claude, William and George, and their families. House of Bishops meetings this week.

Diocesan eNews

Want to know what is going on around the Diocese of Fredericton, learn about interesting online presentations, or get some ideas for your parish? Get the diocesan eNews delivered weekly to your mail inbox! Go to nb.anglican.ca/signup and subscribe with your email address. And have a look around the diocesan website while you are there.

Food Bank Update

On March 1 the Valley Food Bank served 107 people, March 7th, 168 people, March 14, 169 people and March 21, 179 people. As you can see the need is steadily increasing. In a four-week period 623 people were processed through the Valley Food Bank. They need our help! A Basic Food Box consists of the following items; cereal, Kraft dinner, dry pasta, cookies, soda crackers, canned beans, canned pasta, canned soup, canned veggies, pasta sauce, bread, sweets, hamburger, hot dogs, frozen French fries, flour, sugar, coffee, rice, tea, salt, onions, potatoes, carrots, apples, bananas, margarine, milk, eggs toilet paper, personal products such as: toothbrushes, shampoo, conditioner, soap, razors. Extras, when available, include Peanut Butter and Cheese Whiz. As you can see the need is great and we as a church family can help.

40 Days 40 Items for the Foodbank

As an act of sacrifice during Lent, consider donating one food or toiletry item every day for 40 days and bring it to the church on Palm Sunday, April 10, for delivery to the Valley Foodbank. The Lord will honor our giving. Thank you to Janis Richard for offering to deliver the items to the foodbank during Holy week, in time for Easter.

Congratulations to our Gold Medalist!

Congratulations to Ross Belyea, who won Three Gold Medals at the Canadian Masters Track & Field Competition in Saint John on the last weekend in March 2022. His results were:

Triple Jump - broke the Canadian & Provincial records & won Gold!

Long Jump - broke the Provincial record & won Gold!

60-Metre Dash - broke the Provincial record and won Gold!

Your church family in the Anglican Parish of Woodstock is proud of you! Well done, Ross!



Bulletin Board

Sunday, April 3 – Fifth Sunday in Lent

10:30 am Morning Prayer (BAS)

Tuesday, April 5 – Brownies

2:00 pm Bible Study, St. Luke's Hall

6:15-7:45 pm St. Luke's Hall

Thursday, April 7 – Choir Practice

7:00 pm St. Luke's Hall

Sunday, April 10 - Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday

10:30 am Holy Eucharist (BAS)

2:00 pm Carleton Manor Ecumenical Service

Holy Week Schedule

Maundy Thurs. 7 pm Holy Euch.& Stripping Altar, St. Luke's

Good Friday 11 am Celebration of the Lord's Passion, St. Luke's

Holy Saturday 7 pm Easter Vigil, Christ Church

Easter Sunday 9 am to 10 am Breakfast, St. Luke's Hall

10:30 am Holy Eucharist BAS

Resuming a Readers' Schedule

Now that the provincial Covid restrictions have lifted, would members of our congregation who enjoy public speaking, like to be added to a monthly schedule to read scripture, as we did pre-Covid? If you are interested in taking a turn reading the second lesson during Sunday services, please contact Rev. Shirley at 328-9913 or Ruth at 328-4304 to submit your name. Thank you for your prayerful consideration.

*I will give you thanks in the great assembly;
among the throngs I will praise you.
Psalm 35:18*