



## **BART'S BUZZ**

**FOR THE WEEK OF**

**JUNE 8-15, 2025**

### **ST. BARTHOLOMEW ANGLICAN CHURCH – WINNIPEG**

#### **LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

*We acknowledge that we live and work in Treaty 1, 2 and 3 Territory, which is the ancestral traditional land of the Indigenous peoples, and is common home to everyone in virtue of God, our Creator's, gracious gift.*

#### **PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

*"To embrace, encourage and empower people in their faith journey; to discern and participate in God's Work in the world."*

#### **Sunday, June 8, 2025 Day of Pentecost**

#### **Morning Prayer at 10:30 am**

**Hymns:** CP # 354 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing; CP # 647 Spirit of the Living God; CP # 505 Be Thou My Vision; CP # 508 I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

**Readings:** Acts 2:1-21; Psalm 104:25-35, 37B; Romans 8:14-17; John 14:8-17 (25-27)

**Vestment Colour:** White

## **ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER**

Local, National, and International Leadership we pray for

- Primate (Acting) of the Anglican Church of Canada, The Most Rev. Anne Germond
- National Bishop of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, Bishop Susan Johnson
  - General Secretary (Lutheran World Federation) The Rev. Dr. Anne Burghardt
  - National Indigenous Archbishop, The Rt. Rev. Chris Harper
  - Bishop of Rupert's Land, The Rt. Rev. Geoffrey Woodcroft
  - Administrator of the Diocese of Rupert's Land, The Ven. Simon Blaikie
  - Bishop of the Manitoba/Northwestern Ontario Synod, Bishop Jason Zinko
  - Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of the Northern Lights, The Most. Rev. Greg Kerr-Wilson
  - President of the Elder's Conference (Northern Province) in the Moravian Church in Canada, The Rev. David E. Bennett and District President (Canadian District) of the Moravian Church in Canada, Mr. David Jones

In the Anglican Communion Worldwide, we pray for The Anglican Church of Melanesia. In the Anglican Church of Canada, we pray for the theological colleges and training programs within the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario: Canterbury College, Huron University College, Renison College, the Anglican Studies Program at Saint Paul University, Thorneloe University, Trinity College, Wycliffe College. In the ELCIC, we pray for Luther College at the University of Regina and Luther College – High School. In the Moravian Church in Canada, we pray for The School of Theology at Moravian University (formerly Moravian Theological Seminary and Lancaster Theological Seminary) in Bethlehem, PA. In the Diocese of Rupert's Land, we pray for our parishes and communities. We also pray for Bishop-Elect Naboth Manzongo after his election on May 31.

### **Prayer Requests**

We pray for those for whom prayers have been requested: Sally; Avet; Sandy and Debbie, Jean, Kathy, Morgan, Lorna, Derrick, Don, Elizabeth, Rosemary, Iris, Ted, Michelle and Cloe. Please keep Jody and family in your prayers as they mourn the loss of Bruce.

As well, keep Bishop Geoff and family in your prayers.

***Please communicate all prayer requests either by the form available at the back of the church or by email to Rev. Deacon Helen Hunter at [helenhunter3339@gmail.com](mailto:helenhunter3339@gmail.com) or Val Ross at [valerie8ross@gmail.com](mailto:valerie8ross@gmail.com) or to the office at [stbartswpg@gmail.com](mailto:stbartswpg@gmail.com).***

***Phone calls to the parish office at (204)257-8594 on Tuesday or Friday are another way of communicating.***

*Treat every person with kindness and respect, even those who are rude to you. Remember that you show compassion to others not because of who they are, but because of who **you** are." Andrew T. Somers*

*"We can't help everyone, but everyone can help someone." Ronald Reagan*

## **PARISH NEWS**

### **YOUTH BBQ / GARDENING ANYONE?**

**JUNE 14<sup>TH</sup> – 10: 00 – YOUTH ARE PLANNING A BBQ / WINDUP**

#### ***“LET’S RAMP IT UP A NOTCH”***

- Last year some St. Bart’s members did garden clean up while the Youth BBQ was setting up. This year WE ARE ASKING FOR HELP FROM THE BBQ YOUTH, to share some of their ‘fun time’, to help us with the clean up.
- It is a church goal – to show our love for nature and the environment through word and deed. Michelle seems to think that there will be water balloons in the mix somehow- and an opportunity to dig and pull and get rid of some of those exam anxieties!!
- THERE IS NO AGE LIMIT – WE ARE LOOKING ***FOR YOUNG AND YOUNG AT HEART OR JUST GARDENING LOVERS*** TO JOIN US AT 10 AM TO TRY AND GET RID OF WEEDS AND PREPARE THE BEDS FOR PLANTS.

**\*\* Please come with gardening gloves and shovels and trowels. (labelled)**

**WHICH LEADS US TO BLUE JEAN SUNDAY – JUNE 15<sup>TH</sup> – AN OLD FAVOURITE HAS BEEN REVIVED.!!!**

- Come to church in your jeans/don’t have jeans? Wear your casual working clothes.
- We will take time after the service to plant flowers in those nicely prepared beds.
- Linda Robbins has volunteered to bring flowers to plant. As usual we will appreciate donations to defray the cost.

**-- EVEN IF YOU DON’T FEEL UP TO PLANTING – WE NEED HELP WITH WATERING AND POURING LEMONADE**

**\*\* Please bring watering cans, plant foot, plants you might want to share**

***Please plan to Join us for fun times – at one or both of these events!***

### **YOUTH ZOOM MEETING – JUNE 7 AT 10 AM**

Rev. Wilson Akinwale is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: ZOOM MEETING ARRANGEMENTS FOR YOUTH BBQ/GARDENING ANYONE & FOR EVERYONE:)

Time: Jun 7, 2025 10:00 AM Central Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85450026686?pwd=bZK1THHbnjCaTHd2bDBVnlIaTyB9PX.1>

Meeting ID: 854 5002 6686

Passcode: 277706

## **MESSAGE FROM TREASURER, DAVE ABEL** **ANONYMOUS DONOR MATCH IN THE MONTH OF MAY**

ANONYMOUS DONATION FINANCIAL MATCH:

Just a quick update, we had a couple of late donations so the total donated was \$4,950.00. Again, thank you for being such a caring community.

## **REV. DR. BRUCE MILES**

Please keep Rev. Jody and her family in your prayers as they mourn the loss of Bruce. Bruce passed away on May 29. A funeral will be held at a later date.

## **ST. BART'S MUSIC LIBRARY**

We are looking to expand our music library. If anyone has CD's that we could borrow to download please let the office know. If anyone has any other ideas to help with our Worship Music let Rev. Wilson know.

## **ADMINISTRATION OFFICE CLOSED IN JULY AND AUGUST**

The administration office will not be having regular office hours during July and August. The email will be checked on a regular basis. Everything related to the worship services will be prepared in advance before the end of June.

## **WORSHIP SERVICE RECORDING**

We have started recording our weekly worship services. They can be found at

<https://www.youtube.com/@st.bartschurch>

or on our website - [Weekly Service Recording | St Bartholomew Anglican Church](#)

## **ALONGSIDE HOPE - PREVIOUSLY - PRIMATES WORLD** **DEVELOPMENT FUND**

Just a reminder to St. Bart's Parishioners about the good work the Alongside Hope/PWRDF is doing in our world. Please check out their website – <https://pwrdf.org/> - to see all the valuable work they are doing.

## ANGLICAN GROW HOPE

*Join us again in helping raise money for the people in Kenya*



### WHAT IS IT?

- Diocese of Rupert's Land - ANGLICAN GROW HOPE 2025 - Marsabit County Project
- It's all about **Partnerships!!** Our chance to help those facing food insecurity.
- Our donations support our **Partner** farmer, Fred Wiebe, to dedicate 40 acres of his soybean crop to Grow Hope
- Fred donates all the proceeds of these acres to our next **Partner**, Canadian Food Grains Bank (CfGB), where it goes into the Alongside Hope (formerly PWRDF) account
- When Alongside Hope withdraws the money for the Marsabit county project, the federal government becomes another **Partner**, matching the funds 3:1!
- In turn, Alongside Hope **Partners** with Church World Services (CWS) who **partner** directly with the villagers helping them to identify their strengths and building on those strengths
- These activities put money into action transforming lives in the villages
- Mary Obiero, who visited Rupert's Land 2 years ago, is the head of CWS in that region, ensuring that money is spent supporting villagers to improve their lives

### WHAT IS THE PROJECT?

- Marsabit is a region in northern Kenya badly affected by drought / Droughts are happening more often and lasting longer in recent years
- Men of the village forced to move their herds in search of pasture and water, leaving women and children on their own with few resources
- Church World Services (CWS), with support from Alongside Hope, is working with village women to mitigate the effects of drought
- Mitigation actions involve developing Kitchen Gardens which are transformative for the village families, through provision of seeds and education

- Women grow traditional foods and newer foods which are drought-tolerant and plant trees to provide both fruit and shade

**The funds we send provide seeds, education and staff provide assistance and CHANGE LIVES.**

### **HOW DO WE HELP?**

\*Help us raise funds to pay Fred the Farmer for his input costs - \$300 per acre x the 40 acres (\$12,000) Every dollar helps / Every parish should be involved.

\* There will be special events across the Diocese to raise awareness and funds

\* Youth involvement through a Grow Hope project rolling out in August

\* Donations are made by writing a cheque payable to the Diocese of Rupert's Land with Grow Hope in the Memo line and putting it on the collection plate

\* Save your toonies and loonies to be placed in our Grow Hope Jar

### **SUBMISSIONS TO BART'S BUZZ**

Just a reminder - anything you want to appear in Bart's Buzz should be sent to me with a description of what is happening. I will edit for clarity and length but the information must come from you, the parish. As well, please copy [Rev. Wilson](#) on your communication. Thank you. Submissions are accepted until 12:30 pm on Friday

**St. Bart's Website - <http://www.stbartsmb.ca>**

Please remember to check our website (link above) on a regular basis for events and information updates. If you need any assistance navigating the site, just give the office a call and they will be happy to help.

## **DIOCESAN NEWS**



### **OUR NEW BISHOP**

The 120th Synod of the Diocese of Rupert's Land has concluded with the election of **Naboth Manzongo** as our new bishop. Please keep him in your prayers as he prepares to take on this new responsibility. Thank you to all the candidates who let their names stand for election. Congratulations, Naboth!

Lord God, you are our eternal shepherd and guide. In your mercy, grant your Church in this diocese a shepherd after your own heart who will walk in your ways and with loving care watch over your people, that your name may be glorified; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **GARDEN TOUR: TEA, CRAFT, & PLANT SALE**

**Saturday, June 21st from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm (tours)**

**Saturday, June 21st from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm**

**Deer Lodge; Prairie Spirit United Church (207 Thompson Drive)**

Enjoy a self-guided tour of the most beautiful gardens in Deer Lodge on Saturday June 21, from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm, and enjoy a Manitoba Tea (with Bannock and Homemade Jam) and visit the Craft and Plant Sale all at Prairie Spirit United Church from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. For more information and to purchase tickets, [click here](#).

See poster attached.

### **Masses for the Healing and Comfort of Bishop Geoff**

**Sundays at 1:00 pm**

**St. Michael & All Angels (300 Hugo St. N)**

You are invited to St. Michael and All Angels for services of Holy Communion according to the Book of Common Prayer with the intention of Bishop Geoff's healing and comfort. Incense will not be used at these services.

**St. Bartholomew's Anglican Church**

Incumbent:	The Rev. Wilson Akinwale – 204-998-4239
Honorary Assistant:	The Rev. Deacon Helen Hunter — 431-335-1166
Elected Warden:	Irvine Hildebrand – 204-253-4022
Appointed Warden:	Iyabode Adetoyese 204-554-3500
Parish Treasurer:	Dave Abel – 204-791-5419
Sunday School:	Lynn Doyle – 204-257-3147
Pastoral Care:	The Rev. Deacon Helen Hunter