

Monday to Friday, **Morning Prayer** will be prayed and live streamed at **St. George's Chapel at 8:30 a.m.**

Thursday 10:00 p.m. Holy Communion Service

7:00 p.m. Gospel-based Discipleship (ZOOM)

DAILY BIBLE READING

A modified schedule from the Prayer Book's Table of Lessons

Sunday	I Samuel 20:1-17	I Corinthians 12: 27-13 end
Monday	I Samuel 20:18-End	I Corinthians 14: 1-19
Tuesday	I Samuel 21:1-22:5	I Corinthians 14: 20- End
Wednesday	I Samuel 22:6-End	I Corinthians 15:1-34
Thursday	I Samuel 23	I Corinthians 15:35-End
Friday	I Samuel 24	I Corinthians 16
Saturday	I Samuel 25:2-42	II Corinthians 1:1-22

 **Please Note**  Our Bible Study gatherings at St. James, St. George's are on summer break and will resume in September.  We look forward to studying God's Word together again in September!

 **Morning Prayer Schedule Change** Please note that Monday Morning Prayer will be held at 8:15 a.m. (instead of 8:30 a.m.)  Tuesday to Friday Morning Prayer will continue at 8:30 a.m.

The Community Meal at St Mary's will be on summer break during **July and August** to give our volunteers a well-deserved rest. We will resume on **September 20**

 **Next Vestry Meeting:** The next Vestry Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, **August 25 at 6.30 pm at St Andrew's church.**

Let us remember before the Lord the faithful departed, **Lorna Patricia Glencross and Lynn Fife**, and pray for their family, that they may know the comfort, peace, and hope of Christ's resurrection.



St. Alban's Service   **Date:** Wednesday, August 5 at 2pm 
Service: St. Alban's Holy Communion Service. All are warmly welcome to join us for worship and fellowship. We look forward to seeing you there!

If you or a loved one has been admitted to the hospital, please kindly call the parish visit. (506)-855-5209   

The Parish of the Six Saints

Jesus Christ the Same, Yesterday, Today and Forever

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The Ninth Sunday After Trinity

August 2, 2026

LUKE 16:1-10

THE PARABLE OF THE UNRIGHTEOUS MANAGER

A manager who was about to be fired called in his master's debtors and reduced what they owed. Though he acted out of self-interest, the master commended him for acting wisely.

Jesus teaches:

"Use worldly wealth wisely to make friends for eternity."



Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will also be dishonest with much. Be faithful in little, and God will entrust you with much.

The Gospel for today: Luke 16: 1-10

Prayer Requests: please contact the Parish Office: office@stgeorgesmoncton.ca or 506-855-5209

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Welcome to the Parish of the Six Saints

Services for this Sunday are being offered at

- 8:00 am Holy Communion St. George's (Rev John Paul Westin)
- 9:00 am Holy Communion St. Mary's (Rev Rob Salloum)
- 9:00 am Morning Prayer St Andrews (Rev David Alston)
- 10:00 am Holy Communion St. George's (Rev John Paul Westin)
- 11:00 am Holy Communion St James' (Rev Rob Salloum)
- 5:00 p.m. Evening Prayer St. George's (Rev Norman Dupuis)



After the Service Coffee • Tea • Light Snacks
Served with love Enjoy fellowship and meaningful conversation as we gather, share, and connect together.

THE COLLECT FOR TODAY IS:

Grant to us, Lord, we beseech thee, the spirit to think and do always such things as be rightful; that we, who cannot do any thing that is good without thee, may by thee be enabled to live according to thy will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen BCP P 231

THE INTROIT PSALM

Be-hold, God is my helper; the Lord is he that up-hold-eth my soul: reward thou evil unto mine enemies; destroy them in thine anger, for thy righteousness sake, O lord my strength and my defender. Save me, O God, for thy Nam's sake: and avenge me in thy strength. Glory be... and to the Holy ghost. As it was... and ever shall be: world without end. Amen

READINGS FOR TODAY AND NEXT WEEK

Today's Readings (Trinity 9)

BCP- Book Of Common Prayer and BAS- Book of Alternate Service

Psalms 44	BCP P 384/BAS 760
The Lesson: Proverbs 8: 1-13	
The Gradual: Psalm: 105: 39-43	BCP P 467/BAS 847
The Epistle: I Corinthians 10: 1-17	BCP P 231
The Holy Gospel: Luke 16: 1-10	BCP P 232

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Next Sunday's Readings, Trinity 10

Psalms 50
The Lesson: I Kings 8:22-30
The Gradual: Psalm: 137
The Epistle: I Corinthians 12:1-11
The Holy Gospel: Luke 19:41-47

Announcements **Parish Picnic Celebration** The Parish is delighted to host a joyful picnic gathering at St. Martin's-in-the-Woods, Shediac Cape, NB E4P 3J2 on **August 16th at 1 p.m.!** This special occasion will also be a warm welcome celebration for our new priest, Rev. Christopher Tapera. This will be a potluck gathering, and everyone is warmly invited to bring finger foods to share.



Young Adult Day Trip to Summerside, PEI! Date: Monday, September 7, 2026 Destination: Summerside, Prince Edward Island Join us for a fun-filled day exploring the Island, relaxing at the beach, and connecting with friends. Lunch and snacks will be provided. To attend or for more information, please contact Olivia Lipton at oliviaglipton@gmail.com.

Congratulations to Tyler McKenna! We are delighted to share that Tyler McKenna, a long-time member of St. George's Church, will be one of the ordinands. Date: Saturday, September 12 Time: 3:00 p.m. Location: Christ Church Cathedral Please keep Tyler in your prayers and join us in celebrating this joyful occasion. Everyone is warmly invited to attend the ordination service and show their love and support as Tyler is ordained to this sacred ministry.

Sunday School Volunteers Needed! As we prepare for Sunday School St. George's Church from September, we are looking for caring and enthusiastic volunteers to help share God's love with our children. Join us for a Sunday School Volunteers' Meeting which is on August 15. During the meeting, we will: Review the Sunday School curriculum Discuss crafts and teaching activities Explore the new Godly Play materials recently gifted to our parish. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact the Parish Office (506-855-5209) or office@stgerogesmoncton.ca for more information. "Train up a child in the way he should go..." — Proverbs 22:6

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LORD'S MOST COMFORTING PROMISES



Life often has a way of wearing us down, doesn't it?



Sometimes the weight of our circumstances—whether we're dealing with loss, financial stress, health concerns, or relationship struggles—can feel overwhelming.

If you're in a difficult season right now, we want you to know: there is hope in Jesus. Real, life-changing, energy-giving hope.

When your heart feels heavy, your body grows weary, and your emotions leave you utterly drained—where do you turn?

All of us will experience seasons like this, when we feel hopeless, helpless, and deeply discouraged. These are moments when we wonder how much more we can take. I've been there, and probably you have, too.

My friend, at such times, don't give up. God has a clear and practical answer, no matter what the trouble may be. Jesus, the Son of God and sovereign of this universe, said, "Come to Me, all who are weary and heavy-laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For My yoke is easy and My burden is light" ([Matthew 11:28-30](#)).

You may think you've tried to rely on these words before and were left as troubled as ever. But God doesn't offer solutions that don't work. So how *do* we take our deepest burdens to the Lord and find the relief we so desperately need?

First, accept the invitation. Jesus says, "Come to Me" (v. 28). Tell Him in prayer about your burden: "Lord, here's how I'm hurting. Here's the reason I feel so weighed down." It doesn't matter what the problem is. If you're emotionally drained, weary, sorrowful, angry, or weighed down by sin, Jesus is "gentle and humble in heart" and He will receive you with kindness (v. 29).

Second, give Him your burden. Acknowledge that you can't handle the problem, and you're turning it over to Him. Now, we often think we've done this, but we just pick the burden right back up again. We might do this a

thousand times yet still hold on. If this is happening, it's because we remain focused on the burden and not on Jesus. Examine your prayers: How much time do you spend expressing your despair versus praising God for His power, faithfulness, and love? Then change your focus—from the burden to the burden-bearer.

God placed reminders throughout His Word to help us with this surrender:

He *wants* to handle our burdens ([1 Peter 5:6-7](#)).

He will sustain us through them ([Psalm 55:22](#)).

He does not disappear on us but continues His aid daily ([Psalm 68:19](#)).

Keep recalling such verses until you believe you can cast "all your anxiety on Him, because He cares about you" ([1 Peter 5:7](#)).

Third, follow Him earnestly. "Take My yoke upon you" ([Matthew 11:29](#)).

Jesus doesn't remove all yokes; He exchanges our burdensome one for His "easy" one (v. 30).

And His yoke is simply this: that we submit to Him and walk in obedience—out of gratitude and joy, enabled by the Holy Spirit. Bringing a dire situation to the Lord doesn't always mean it will disappear.

He says, "learn from Me" (v. 29); sometimes He will teach us how to live in the burden without being worn down by it.

Finally, what can we expect? When we do all this, we'll "find rest for [our] souls" (v. 29). With His yoke, what we're walking through will begin to feel "comfortable" because His burden is "light" (v. 30).

Soon we'll be able to walk with a sense of confidence that God is in control, knowing that He'll work out the circumstances in His time and in His perfect way.

No matter what you're facing, or how long you've faced it, no matter how heavy it is and how awful it makes you feel—Jesus is sufficient and adequate to sustain you, strengthen you, and to remove that awful weight from your shoulders. That's His promise. We're grateful that Jesus' promise of rest isn't just for the future; it's available to us right now. No matter how heavy our situation, it can't disqualify us from God's love or care. In fact, it's precisely in these moments that the precious quality of His invitation becomes most clear.

You don't need to have things figured out before you come to Him, and you never have to carry your burdens alone. – From a Pastor