ANGLICAN PARISH OF WOODSTOCK

SAINT LUKE'S

CHRIST CHURCH

The 2nd Sunday after the Epiphany

January 17, 2021



St. Luke's Hall

Service of Holy Eucharist

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 185 BAS

The Gathering of the Community

Scripture Sentence: We have found the Messiah: Jesus Christ, who brings us truth and grace. *John 1*

Instrumental Hymn 508: I Heard The Voice of Jesus vs. 1 & 3

Collect together: Almighty God, your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ is the light of the world. May your people, illumined by your word and sacraments, shine with the radiance of his glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

The Proclamation of the Word

1st Reading: 1 Samuel 3: 1-10 The Lord Appears to Samuel

Psalm 139: Vs 1-5, 12-17 p. 896

God's Glory

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.

Sermon: Come and See! Instrumental Hymn 615: Just As I Am vs. 1 & 5 **Apostle's Creed** p. 189 Prayers of the People: Litany #4. p. 113 Response: Lord, hear and have mercy. **Confession and Absolution** p. 191 The Peace p. 192 Instrumental while altar is prepared. **Prayer Over the Gifts** p. 350 (offering plates remain on the side table) **Eucharist Prayer #2** p. 196 The Lord's Prayer p. 211 Breaking of Bread #1 p. 212

Jesus Calls Philip and Nathanael

Invitation to Communion: You are invited to come forward up the center aisle, one person or one family bubble at a time. Please wear your mask, receive the bread, and step 6 feet away before removing your mask to consume the bread. Replace your mask and return to your seat down the side aisle. If for any reason you do not wish to receive communion, feel free to remain in your seat.

Prayer after Communion	p. 350
Doxology	p. 214

Parish Vision Statement: *Together:*

Gospel: John 1: 43-51

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.

Blessing

Instrumental Hymn 515: Be Thou My Vision vs. 1 & 4

Dismissal

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

People: Thanks be to God.

Welcome: A hearty welcome to all worshipping with us today. Visitors are invited to sign our Guest Book in the entry of the hall.

Special Prayers are requested for: Janet, 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, Pat, Yvonne, Archbishop David's parents, Doreen & John.

Offering Envelopes 2021

Still some boxes for 2021 to be picked up at the back of the hall. If you would like someone to drop yours off, please let us know by phoning 328-4304!

Participating in Today's Service

Officiant: Rev. Shirley Noseworthy

Lay Reader: Janis Richard
Usher: Dorine Dennique
Greeters: Richard Dennique
Pianist: Sandra Culberson
Videographer: Armin Hackelsperger

Altar Guild: Royce Brown & Jean Collicott

Celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Happy Birthday to Alex English, Bill Anthony, Nancy English, Zoe Frame, Emma Garnett, Ann Allaby, Mavis Spires, Andrew Watson, Theresa Harrison, Kathy Asch, and to anyone else celebrating a birthday!

Happy Wedding Anniversary to anyone celebrating their special day!

May your special day be a celebration of God's blessing on your life! May the Lord bless you deeply and fill your life with His Spirit! Amen.

Worship in the Hall Winter 2021

To reduce heating costs, we are worshipping in the hall from Jan. 3 to March 21 and will be back in the church for Palm Sunday, March 28!

Financial Update	2020	2019
Year to Date Cash in	\$167,391.18	\$211,144.18
Year to Date Cash out	158,537.15	236,205.50
Year to Date Excess (Deficit)	\$ 8,854.03	\$ (25,061.32)
Cash Position at beginning of year	(9,253.01)	(1,477.45)
Add: 2020 YTD Excess (deficit)	(9,253.01) 8,854.03	(25,061.32)
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Total Deficit at Dec 31, 2020	(398.98)	(26,538.77)
Less Unpaid Bills	(5,743.68)	(17,285.76)
Cash Position at Dec 31, 2020	5,344.70	(9,253.01)

Thank you to our dedicated contributors! God bless you for your faithfulness! This has been a challenging year in many ways! While we ended 2020 in a better financial position than the previous year, the parish has 4 months outstanding Shared Ministry for 2020 ('unpaid bills' above) amounting to \$5,743.68.

Upcoming Meetings

Sunday, Jan. 17, 2 pm Vestry Meeting (hall)

Saturday, Jan. 30, 10 am **Sunday School teachers meet** in the Godly Play room to prepare 'At Home' kits for February.

Sunday, Feb. 7, Congregational AGM (hall). following 10:30 am worship. Due to Covid-19 restrictions, there will be no meal following the service. Instead, we will move immediately into our AGM. Deadline to submit reports Jan 29th! Thank you!

We Are Looking For Vestry Members

There are still vacancies on the vestry for the upcoming terms. The Anglican parish of Woodstock is looking for members of the congregation to round out our board for a vice warden and members to sit on the board. The vice warden is usually elected for a two year term and the vestry members are elected for one/two/or three year terms. If any member of the congregation would like to discuss these posts, please contact the outgoing warden, Jon Tait at 328-2384.

Covid-19 Operational Plan - Orange Phase!

The provincial government moved New Brunswick to the Orange alert level effective midnight January 5, 2021.

During the <u>Orange alert level</u>, masks must be worn at all times when indoors in a publicly accessible building. At worship or for inperson meetings, this means wearing a mask at all times, even if 2-metre distancing is respected. Small children and adults with health issues are exempt. Read more <u>here.</u>

Please use telephone calls and virtual meeting tools as much as possible instead of in-person meetings.

The greatest difference for worship during the Orange phase is "no singing". However, we will still have music, with Sandra Culberson at the piano!

As required by the government, and under the direction of the Diocese of Fredericton, an Operational Plan for worship at St. Luke's during the orange phase, has been prepared and a copy kept on site as well as on our Parish website.

Bulletin Board

Sunday, January 17 – St. Luke's Hall 2nd Sunday After The Epiphany

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

Sunday, January 24 – St. Luke's Hall 3rd Sunday After the Epiphany

10:30 am Morning Prayer (BAS)