

ANGLICAN PARISH OF WOODSTOCK
SAINT LUKE'S **CHRIST CHURCH**



Third Sunday After Pentecost
June 13, 2021



Service of Holy Baptism
Book of Alternative Services



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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 151
of the Book of Alternative Services.

Scripture Sentence: Quietly accept the message planted in
your hearts; it can bring you salvation. *James 1.21*

Hymn #485 *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* (Tune #447)
vs. 1 & 4 (You may sing if you are wearing a mask!)

The Gathering of the Community

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The Proclamation of the Word

1st Reading: 1 Samuel 15: 34-16:13 *David Anointed as King*

Psalms 20 (responsively by half verse) p. 726

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17 *Living by Faith/
Friendship with God through Faith*

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: Mark 4: 26-34 *The Parable of the Mustard Seed*

Sermon: *From Something Small Can Come Great Things!*

Process to the Font: Instrumental #38 *This Child of Ours*

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The Celebration of Baptism

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The Peace	
Recess from Font: Instrumental 38: <i>This Child of Ours</i>	

Hymn #434 *The Love of Jesus Calls Us*

Verses 1 - 4 (You may sing if you are wearing a mask!)

Prayer Over the Gifts (offering plate remains on the back table.)
God of reconciliation and forgiveness, the saving work of Christ has made our peace with you. May that work grow toward its perfection in all we offer you this day. We ask this in his name. **Amen**

Prayers of the People, Litany #3 p. 112

Response: Lord, hear our prayer.

The Collect of the Day together: Almighty God, without you we are not able to please you. Mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer p. 54

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 #502 *You Are Salt for the Earth 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. A special welcome to the family of Malory Murielle Goodine (child of Nick & Pam) who will be baptized today and become the newest member of our church family! Visitors are invited to sign our Guest Book. Expect Covid-19 protocols.

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, Don, Archbishop David's parents, Doreen and John.

Participating in Today's Service

Officiant: Rev. Shirley Noseworthy

Lay Reader: Ruth Hall

Organist: Sandra Culberson

Cantor: Emily Clark

Greeter: Richard Dennique

Usher: Dorine Dennique

Videographer: Armin Hackelsperger

Altar Guild: Janis Richard, Jennifer Taylor

Celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Happy Birthday to Shirley Melanson, Julie Brown, Bruce Dunbar. and to anyone celebrating a birthday!

Happy Wedding Anniversary to Robert and Tobi Pirie and to anyone celebrating their special day!

Congratulations to Graduates 2021! Best wishes in all your future endeavors!

A Prayer based on Ephesians 2:10

O give thanks to the Lord for He is good! Lord thank You for those celebrating a special day! Each one is Your handiwork created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which You have prepared in advanced for them to do! Thank You Lord for creating a plan and purpose for their lives. May they never take their life for granted. We praise Your Name for all you have in store for them! In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Diocesan Intercessions

Each week we pray for those on the prayer cycle from our Diocesan Website, located [here](#). On June 13, The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion). Archbishop Linda Nicholls, Anglican Church of Canada. Diocese of Central Newfoundland, Bishop John Watton. Provincial Synod meeting this week. Diocese of Ho, Bishop Matthias Meduadues-Badohu. Diocese of Yukon, Bishop Lesley Wheeler-Dame, communities of Carmacks & Keno. David, our archbishop, Claude, William and George, retired bishops, and their families.

Congratulations to Isabelle Fletcher Scholarship Recipient!

Learning Disabilities Association of New Brunswick offered its first annual scholarship this year to a grade 12 student entering post-secondary in the 2021-22 academic year, or a current post-secondary student who will be continuing their studies into the 2021-22 academic year. The criterion for applying is to have a documented learning disability, to be a resident of NB, and to submit an essay on how LDs have affected their life. **LDANB is pleased to announce that the \$1000 scholarship will be awarded to Isabelle Fletcher who will be starting her first year at the University of New Brunswick this fall. To read her inspiring essay submission, click [here](#). Congratulations and best wishes, Isabelle, from your church family!**

Covid-19 Operational Plan – Yellow Phase

Expect screening, hand sanitizing, physical distancing. Wearing a mask is mandatory. Exception is made for those with health issues. You may sing if you are wearing a mask.

Appeal from Our Wardens Update

Thank you to those who have responded to the appeal from our Church Wardens, Richard Dennique and Nancy English, on behalf of St Luke's Vestry, to the faithful of our parish, to turn around our growing financial debt, remembering, "With God, all things are possible!" Matthew 19:23. It is because of the generous contributions that have started to come in that we see a ray of hope! Praise God!

For those who have not yet responded, we are calling on each of our parishioners to prayerfully review their individual financial situation to see if you can increase your gifts. For those who have not yet contributed this year, we ask that you consider financially supporting your church, so that we can sustain the ministry to our church family and community! Any amount, large or small, will help the overall monthly income! Your regular donation will make a difference!

Thank you to those who have already made pledges or donations towards the purchase of a new furnace, at a cost of \$12,000.

All donations will be receipted for income tax purposes. Ruth Hall, our Parish Administrative Assistant, will keep track of incoming donations specifically made towards the cost of a new furnace, as well as regular contributions.

Any amount large or small will help towards the cost of a new furnace and keep us warm through the cold season!

God bless each member of our Parish for your donations and support!

Bulletin Board

Sunday, June 13– Third Sunday after Pentecost
10:30 am Holy Baptism (BAS)

Sunday, June 20 – Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
10:30 am Holy Eucharist (BAS)

The regular **Vestry Meeting** scheduled for June 20 has been changed to **June 27 at 2 pm in the hall.**

Honouring High School Graduates 2021 on June 27

Join us at St. Luke's at 10:30 am on June 27, 2021, the 5th Sunday after Pentecost for a service of Morning Prayer as we honour the High School Graduates 2021 associated with St. Luke's Church family. We will be presenting each graduate with a gift as an expression of our congratulations on their achievement and of our love, support, and best wishes in all their future endeavors!



A letter has been sent to the graduates inviting them to the service. Please respond so we will know you are coming!

If there are any graduates connected with St. Luke's church who have not received a letter, we are sorry for the oversight, and please let us know so that you will be included!

We look forward to seeing everyone there! May the peace of Christ dwell in you richly!