

ANGLICAN CHURCH OF CANADA

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A WARM WELCOME IS EXTENDED TO ALL OUR
PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS
WHO ARE WORSHIPPING WITH US TODAY

January 26, 2014 (Year A)

Parish Mission Statement

God's people in the Parish of St. Philip, in a covenant relationship with God through Baptism, are called....

- ‡ To be Fishers of people in response to the call of Jesus, in the power of the Holy Spirit;
- ‡ To be a House of Prayer
- ‡ To be a Centre for Christian Teaching;
- ‡ To be Disciples in learning;
- ‡ To be a fellowship of Loving and Sacrificial Service;
- ‡ To be Witnesses to our Lord's Love through Word and Example.

Launching out into the Deep....Into New Spiritual Depths

The Bulletin is given today to the Glory of God and in loving memory of:

Dear Mother and Grandmother
Clementine MacRoberts,
May 3rd, 1923 – January 30th, 2012
By the family

Schedule of Worship

Jan 27th (Monday) at 7:00 pm, "Prayers of the People" training session. We welcome any new members who would like to lead the Prayers of the People on Sunday mornings.

Jan. 27th (Monday) at 8:00 pm, ACW Card Game.

Jan 28th (Tuesday) at 7:30 pm, Meeting of the Clergy of the Parish, in the Board Room.

Jan. 29th (Wednesday) at 7:30 pm, ACM Annual Meeting.

Advance notice of the Congregational Annual General Meeting, Sunday, February 9th, 2014, to be held after our pot-luck lunch. All members of the congregation who are in good standing are asked to attend.

Feb. 9th (Sunday) at 5:00 pm DAMA will meet at St. Peter's Parish for supper, meeting and church service. All men of the Parish are asked to attend.

Feb. 21st & 22nd: VOCATION WEEKEND

March 1st, (Saturday), 10 am – 2 pm, Quiet Day. Our Bishop will be holding a "Quiet Day" for Lent, here, at St. Philip's Church, with a closing eucharist. If you would like to attend, please register at the Church Office. Other parishes will be invited to this event as requested by the Bishop-elect.

Just a reminder to Parishioners who make their church contributions through post-dated cheques, that this may need to be taken care of at this time. Post-dated cheques may be dropped off at the office or placed in the offertory plate. Thank you.

Year-End Statements and Parish Letter may be picked up in the foyer.

Boxes of Offertory Envelopes for 2014 may be picked up in the foyer.

Israel: A Journey to the Holy Land. Check with the church office for additional information if you are interested. Deadline for discount is April. If interested, call LeGrow's Travel, Village Mall

A reminder for persons entering the St. John's Hospitals and who would like to see a chaplain during your stay, make sure you or a family member tells the admitting clerk "I would like to see the chaplain during my time in hospital". You will then be asked your religious affiliation and will receive a visit from the chaplain within a day.

Fundraising and selling tickets. It was decided by Vestry that fundraising and selling tickets will no longer take place in the church foyer at the time of worship services. Any activities of this nature will be conducted through the church office. We trust this meets with your approval.

Financial Report to January 19th, 2014

Loose Offering	\$ 44.20	Weekly Envelopes	\$4978.00
Maint. Fund	640.00	Sunday School	22.05
PWRDF	80.00	Sanctuary/Memorial	150.00
Bulletin	125.00	Hall Rental	60.00
Initial	204.00	Visitor	20.00
Jacob Whelan Fund	80.00		
Total:			\$6403.25

Maintenance Fund Offering – Please your pink envelope to contribute now to our new maintenance fund. If you are not already contributing to this fund, please consider it to help us with the ongoing upkeep of our complex.

Parish Hall Rental - any person wishing to rent the parish is asked to call the church office at 895- -0715.

Recyclable Donations – for your convenience, boxes are located near Sharpe's Store on Thorburn Road and Country Convenience, corner Old Broad Cove Road and Bennett's Road. This is a project of the ACM.

**Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9am-1:30pm.
Friday 9am-12 noon.**

Dismissal to be sung at the end of the service:

Go now in peace, never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every day. Go now in faith, steadfast strong and true. Know he will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith and in love.

Collect, Epistle and Gospel for the Third Sunday after Epiphany

Scripture Readings for Today, January 26th

1st Reading: **Isaiah 9: 1-4 Psalm 27; 1, 5-13, (Page 735)**

2nd Reading: **1st Corinthians 1; 1 - 9**

Gospel: **John 1; 29 - 42**

The Scriptural Sentence for our worship today as appointed in our BAS Lectionary, page 350:

Let us say it together:

Jesus preached the gospel of the kingdom and healed every infirmity among the people
(See Mathew 4.23)

Collect for the Day (In Unison) **Almighty God, by grace alone you call us and accept us in your service. Strengthen us by your Spirit and make us worthy of your call; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

Collect for Launching out into the Deep (In unison). **Bless, O Lord our God, the worship and work of this church. Grant that it may faithfully Launch Out into The Deep and respond to the call of Jesus to be fishers of people. By the power of your Holy Spirit make it a house of prayer, a Centre of Christian teaching and disciples in learning, a community of loving and sacrificial service, and a witness to your redeeming love, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

Prayer over the Gifts: (In unison) **Loving God, before the world began you called us. Make holy all we offer you this day, and strengthen us in that calling. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

Prayer after Communion: (In unison) **Gracious God, our hands have taken holy things; our lives have been nourished by the body of your Son. May we who have eaten at this holy table be strengthened for service in your world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

Today in our Parish Cycle of Prayer we pray for our Parish

Families: Each week we remember a number of our families in our Prayers of the People: Canon Donald & Florence Morgan, Greg & Michelle Moss, Barry & Deborah Myers, John & Susanne Myrick, Diane Neil, and their families.

In our Tri-Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for: The Parish of St. Augustine, St. John's (Rev. David Pilling, Rector); and **The Parish of Gambo (5 congregations)**, (Rev. Betty Harbin, Rector)

In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for: Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil: The Most Rev'd. Mauricio Jose Araujo De Andrade, Primate of Brazil & Bishop of Brasilia.