

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

August 17<sup>th</sup>, 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**

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Schedule of Services

**10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost, Aug. 17<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 AM – Holy Communion (BAS)  
Eucharistic Assistant: Christopher Earle  
10:30AM – Holy Eucharist (BAS)  
Eucharistic Assistants: Todd Martin, George Sharpe  
Counters: Ruth Hiscock & Don Morgan  
Sidesperson: Todd Martin

**11<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost, Aug. 24<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 AM – Holy Communion (BAS)  
Eucharistic Assistant: Debbie Collis  
10:30AM – Holy Eucharist (BAS)  
Eucharistic Assistants: Harve Hiscock, Mose Tucker  
Counters: Ruth Hiscock & Don Morgan  
**Sidesperson: Gerald Sharpe**

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Notices

We are looking for a Sunday School teacher and some assistants to help with our Sunday School program starting in September. Please call Lisa Lake if you would like to get involved in this ministry.

Please continue to remember in your prayers **Nicholas Mercer**, whose surgery was cancelled in July and has been rescheduled for September.

We would like to say congratulations to **Courtney Hiscock** on the completion of her Master's Degree in Education.

**ACW monthly card game will be held on Monday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, at 8:00 pm in the Parish Centre.** Lunch will be served. Cost \$5.

**The Parish Centre is now rented to Eastern Health on Thursdays of each week from 2 pm to 4 pm.**

**There are many ministries being carried out in this parish that need the support of our people. Therefore as we begin our fall, I would like to see people get involved more in these ministries. Just speak to the rector or call the church office to become involved.**

**MEMORIAL BULLETIN:** We encourage you to donate the weekly bulletin as a memorial to a departed loved one. The

envelopes and information are available from the pamphlet rack in the foyer.

**Parish Hall Rentals:** The Parish Centre is available to members of the congregation for birthday parties, weddings, Anniversary Parties, etc. Please consider renting the hall for your next important event. - Any person wishing to rent the parish hall may 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 of Old Broad Cove Road and Bennett's Road. This is a project of the ACM. If you can help with sorting the recyclables on Monday or Tuesday nights please call John Parrell. **Our help is needed.**

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

**Preauthorized Payment (e-Giving) of Church Offerings** can now be offered to our parishioners. Many people find that this is a safe and convenient way to make their offerings and, if you are interested, **please complete the form which you will find in the pamphlet rack in the foyer.**

**For those who are giving by Pre – Authorized (e-Giving),** there will be plastic cards available in the foyer which read “Giving Electronically to the Anglican Parish of St. Philip”. We want our people to think about giving to the church by this method.

This year our budgeting focus will be on our weekly envelope giving. Please keep in mind our goal is a minimum of \$500 per year per family. Therefore, we will give a brief report for your consideration:

Weekly Envelope Budget Requirement	\$ 1,826.92
Regular Envelope Collection	
For the week of Aug 10 <sup>th</sup>	\$ 1262.00

**(Thank you for your generous contributions)**

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**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 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
Scripture Readings for today, Aug 17<sup>th</sup>**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: **Genesis 45: 1 – 5** Psalm: **133** (Page 890) (Gloria Earle)

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: **Romans 11: 1 – 2a, 29 - 32** (Debbie Collis)

Gospel: **Matthew 15: 21 – 28** (Deacon Ed Bonnell)

The Scriptural Sentence for our worship today as appointed in our BAS Lectionary, page 374:

**Jesus preached the gospel of the kingdom and healed every infirmity among the people**  
(Matthew 4: 23)

**Collect for the Day. (In Unison)** Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and sent into our hearts the Spirit of your Son. Give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that all people may know the glorious liberty of the children of God; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. 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 and Father, you have adopted us to be your heirs. Accept all we offer you this day and give us grace to live as faithful children. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

**Prayer after Communion: (In unison)** Eternal God, we have received a token of your promise. May we who have been nourished by holy things live as faithful heirs of your promised kingdom, in the name of Jesus Christ our 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: **Thomas & Elizabeth Bursey, Wanda Butler, Milton & Mary Carlson, Nicole M. Chafe, Randy & Marie Chafe and their families.**

**In our Tri-Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the Parish of Heart's Content (3 congregations):** Rev. Irene Sutton, Rector pro tem, and the **Parish of Holy Spirit (13 congregations):** Rev. Dianne Fry, Rev. Gary Hussey & Rev. Allan Fry, Team Rectors.

**In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for:** The Church of South India (United): The Most Rev. Gnanasigamony Devakadasham, Moderator CSI and Bishop of Kanyakumari.