

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

July 20th, 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 today is given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of

Mother, **Edith Cavell Tucker (1922 – 2006)**

and

Father, **Moses Tucker (1904 – 1985)**

and

**Grandparents**

by **Cavell Durdle, Loretta Greeley and Mabel Hiscock**

Schedule of Services

6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost, July 20<sup>th</sup>

8:30 AM – **Holy Communion (BCP)**

Eucharistic Assistant: **Christopher Earle**

10:30 AM – **Holy Eucharist (BAS)**

Eucharistic Asst: **George Sharpe, Debbie Collis**

Counters: **Linda Roberts, Todd Martin**

Sidesperson: **Gerald Sharpe**

7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost, July 27<sup>th</sup>

8:30 AM – **Holy Communion (BCP)**

Eucharistic Assistant: **Mose Tucker**

10:30 AM – **Holy Eucharist (BAS)**

Eucharistic Asst: **Harve Hiscock, Ann Lambert**

Counters: **Linda Roberts, Todd Martin**

**Sidesperson: John Parrell**

Notices – Additional Insert at the back of our Program

Rev. Keeping has had to change his planned holidays to start July 13<sup>th</sup> to July 26<sup>th</sup>. If any urgent matters arise during this time, please contact one of the Wardens.

The mid-year statements and letters are available in the foyer. Please pick them up on your way out. Also, please pick up a copy of the "Today" pamphlet from the book stands.

On Monday, **July 21<sup>st</sup>, at 2:00 pm** there will be a funeral service here at the church for the late **Gary Sharpe**, son of Virtue Sharpe.

Please remember in your prayers **Nicholas Mercer**, who will be travelling to Toronto for heart surgery scheduled for July 31<sup>st</sup>. This surgery is the latest of many from the time he was an infant to now as an adult.

**Seniors' Day: Friday, July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 – 4:00 pm.** There will be entertainment and a lunch served. All seniors of the congregation are invited to attend.

Our annual **Flower Service** will be held on **Sunday, July 27<sup>th</sup>, at 10:30 a.m**

**ACW Card Game: Monday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, at 8:00 pm.** Lunch will be served. Cost is \$5.00.

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

**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.

**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”.**

**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 July 13 <sup>th</sup>	\$ 2,150.00

**(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 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
Scripture Readings for today, July 20<sup>th</sup>**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: **Genesis 28: 10 – 19a Psalm: 139: 1 – 11, 22 - 23  
(Page 896)** (Ches Barfitt)

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: **Romans 8: 12 - 25** (David Earle)

Gospel: **Matthew 13: 24 – 30, 36 - 43** (Deacon Ed Bonnell)  
The Scriptural Sentence for our worship today as appointed in our  
BAS Lectionary, page 367:

**My word shall accomplish that which I purpose, and prosper in  
the thing for which I sent it.**

Isaiah 55.11

**Collect for the Day (In Unison).** Almighty God, your Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence. Give us pure hearts and constant wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; 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)** O God, accept our praise and thanksgiving. Help us in all we do to offer ourselves as a true and living sacrifice; through Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

**Prayer after Communion: (In unison)** O God, as we are strengthened in these holy mysteries, may our lives be a continual offering, holy and acceptable in your sight; through 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: **William & Rebecca Tucker, William & Rhonda Tucker, Thomas & Leila Tulk, Lorna Walters, Kevin & Joyce Whelan and their families.**

**In our Tri-Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for:** The Parish of Bonavista (2 congregations): Rector – Rev. Shaun O'Connor and The Parish of Fortune-Lamaline (2 congregations): Rector – Rev. Neal Buffett, Hon. Asst: Rev. Lochleigh Fiander

**In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for:** The Episcopal Church in the Philippines: The Most Rev. Edward Pacyaya Maledan, Prime Bishop of the Episcopal Church in the Philippines.