

Collect for the Day: (In Unison): O God, your Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread. Open the eyes of our faith, that we may see him in his redeeming work, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Prayer over the Gifts: (In Unison): Creator of all, you wash away our sins in water, you give us new birth by the Spirit, and redeem us in the blood of Christ. As we celebrate the resurrection, renew your gift of life within us. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the risen Lord. Amen.

Prayer after Communion: (In Unison): Author of life divine, in the breaking of bread we know the risen Lord. Feed us always in these mysteries that we may show your glory to all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: We pray for our parish families. (Each week we remember several of our families in our Prayers of the People): **Darlene J. Tucker, Douglas & Judy Tucker, Edith Tucker, Edmund Tucker, Edna Tucker, Florence Tucker and their families.**

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: We pray for the Church of Ireland, The Most Revd Richard Lionel Clarke, Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of all Ireland and Metropolitan.

Tri-Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: We pray for the Parish of Fogo Island East, Rev. Gail Thoms-Williams, Rector and the Parish of Fogo Island West (2 congregations), Rev. Ken Abbot, Pro-Tem, Rector.

Provincial Prayer Care: We pray for the Diocese of Quebec, Bishop Bruce Myers.

ANGLICAN CHURCH OF CANADA.

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April 15th 2018 (Year B)

A WARM WELCOME IS EXTENDED TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS WHO ARE WITH US TODAY. WE HOPE THAT GOD WILL BLESS US AS WE WORSHIP HIM HERE TOGETHER AT ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH.

From the Rector's Desk: As we continue through the season of Easter, our theme, as it should be every week, is that of *resurrection and hope*. How much we need hope, peace and joy in our lives at this difficult and unsettling time we live in. Thanks to the advances of modern communications the world is as large as the television screen in our homes, and, everything unfolds right before our eyes on a daily basis. Unfortunately, often we see the very worst of humanity, such as, in recent days, the use of chemical weapons by the Syrian leader against his own people, a van being driven into a group of people in Germany, and, not long ago the nerve agent attack in London on a man and his daughter, allegedly orchestrated by the Russian leader, and the list goes on and on, and not to mention the horrible things that go on in our own nation and province every day. We see all of that, and, often we don't see the other side of it, which is the very best of humanity in response to terrible situations that happen, by those who are moved by compassion and love. This past week the hearts of the nation and the world were filled with compassion for the 15 people killed in that bus accident in Humboldt,

Saskatchewan, and the 14 victims recovering in hospital. As of noon on Wednesday (when I wrote this), a *gofundme* page had collected more than 8.2 million dollars to aid the families and victims. Donations came from people in 65 nations, obviously many people were moved to help that had never heard of Humboldt or any of the victims or families. They were moved by the capacity of the human spirit to help bring solace, healing, light and hope into the lives of those in pain. It truly is the essence of the Gospel, and the resurrected Lord. May we always be moved by the love of Christ to extend love and compassion to others, even those we have never met but share our humanity, and our need for love and healing. Please continue to pray for the victims and families of the Humboldt tragedy. (Rev. Randy)

What is modern slavery and human trafficking?

It is any form of forced human exploitation for labor or service, such as human trafficking and forced labor. Unfortunately, slavery still exists today in over 130 countries. The International Labor Organization (ILO) estimates that over 21 million people are victims of modern day slavery! For many years, the Anglican Church of Canada has been committed to addressing all forms of human trafficking, within our Church communities and outside of them. We continuously partner with our local communities and with the experts on the

Other Notices

The St John's and Area Council of Churches is holding its 20th Anniversary Dinner and Meeting. Time: 6:00 pm Friday 4 May 2018. Place: The Salvation Army, 106 Ashford Drive, Mount Pearl. Cost: \$20.00 per person. Speaker: The Right Rev Dr Geoff Peddle, Anglican Bishop of Eastern Newfoundland and Labrador. Music: The Rev Greg Mercer and group. Tickets: Contact your denominational representative or George Powell 722-5007 or e-mail georgehpowell@nl.rogers.com

Prayer Group: Would you like to join our Prayer Group? Each week someone from the group takes responsibility for leading the prayers on Sunday morning, which reflect what is happening in our world, nation, community and church. It is wonderful to have the lay people of the parish doing this part of our worship, because it truly becomes *The Prayers Of The People*. Rev. Russell gives leadership to the group, and, anyone interested will be welcomed and assisted in how to prepare the weekly prayers.

Sidespersons: Additional Sidespersons are needed! Currently we have about 5 teams that alternate, which means each group is on duty one week out of 5. A couple of the teams need additional help because their numbers are smaller. Duties include greeting parishioners and visitors on Sunday morning, raising and taking down the flags, passing out service books and bulletins, taking up the offering, ringing the bell, etc. If this is something you would consider doing please speak to Rev. Randy.

Rental Rates - The Vestry has approved the following rates for renting of the Parish Centre effective January 1st, 2017:
Baby Showers, Children's Birthday Parties, etc. - \$75.00
Adult Dinner/Dance, Birthday Parties with dance, etc. - \$150.00

If you would like to book the church hall for birthday parties, adult functions, dances, etc., please book through Janice or Donna Spurrell at 895-3581 or cells 725-1057 or 725-0163

Dismissal Song:

**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.**

Children's Corner

ONCE AGAIN JESUS APPEARS

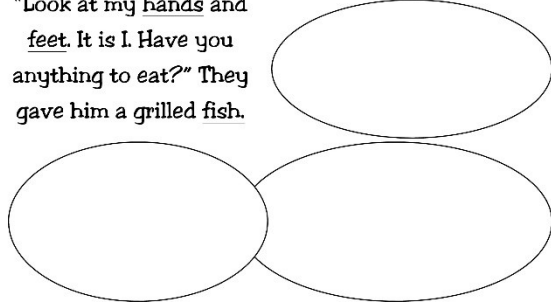
Colour in the letters with the star (*) to reveal what Jesus said

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Then he said,

"Look at my hands and feet. It is I. Have you anything to eat?" They gave him a grilled fish.

In the spaces below draw pictures of what Jesus showed the apostles and what they gave him to eat.



Taking the Stand

He told them, "This is what is written: The Christ will suffer and rise from the dead on the third day, and repentance and forgiveness of sins will be preached in his name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. Luke 24:46-48 (NIV)

Each number represents a letter of the alphabet. Substitute the correct letter for the numbers to reveal the coded words.



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- 21-25-3-19-26 _____
- 16-19-19-5 _____
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- 9-1-17-6-26-5 _____
- 1-22-3-2-26 _____
- 4-6-5-3-19-26-26 _____

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The risen Jesus and the disciples

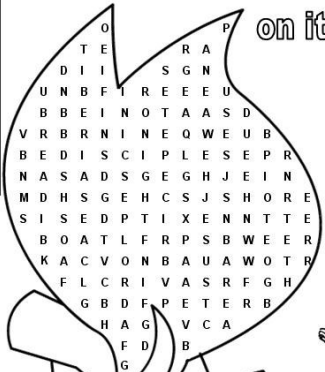


(John 21:1-15)

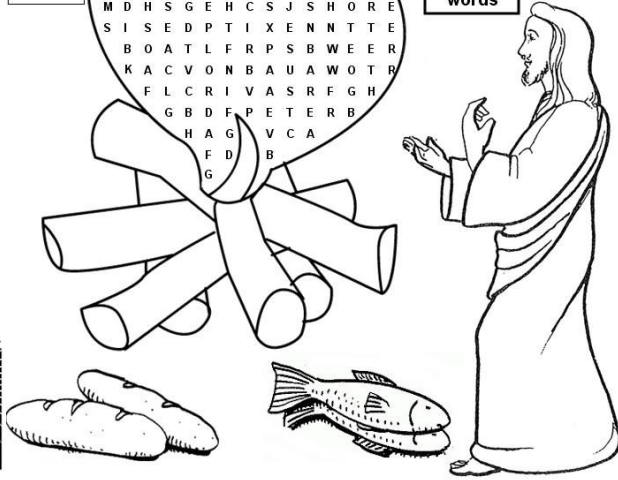
When they climbed out on shore, they saw a charcoal fire with fish on it and bread.



- Tiberias
- Jesus
- Sea
- Disciples
- Peter
- Boat
- Night
- Shore
- Net
- Fish
- Lord
- Fire
- Bread



Find the hidden words



ground who fight this battle every day. To keep the conversation going, we are hosting a Public Community Forum on Human Trafficking and Modern Slavery Tuesday, April 17, 7:00 – 9:00 pm at St. Augustine's Anglican Church, Westerland Road (M.U.N. Campus). During this time, four groups will be highlighted: S.H.O.P. (Safe Harbour Outreach Project). R.I.A.C., (Refugee and Immigrant Advisory Council), Happy City St. John's and the St. John's Native Friendship Centre.

GPS (God's Positioning System) deadline for registration is Sunday, April 22nd.

ACW Spring Fellowship will be held on Thursday, May 3rd at St. Cyprian's – St. Mary's parish, Bell Island. If any ladies of the parish would like to attend that would be wonderful, please advise our own president, Phoebe Parrell, if you plan to go. The ferry will leave at 10:00 am and return at 2:15 pm

The church is on Facebook
Take a look!

Stewardship thought For the Week
Choose rather to want less, than to have more.

Stewardship Statement

Our budget for weekly regular giving this year is set at **\$95,000.00**. Please see chart below. Your continued support is greatly appreciated.

Prayerfully consider your Parish in your estate Planning

Maintenance Fund We continue to ask our parishioners to give monthly through the Maintenance Fund to help us lower our debt on the heating system. We have borrowed the amount of \$50,000.00 from the Bank of Montreal. This loan is out for seven years effective Dec. 31st 2016, we are paying **\$653.93** per month.

Yearly Budget for Envelope giving for 2017 - \$95,000.00	
Needed Monthly -	\$7,916.67
Needed Weekly -	\$1,979.16
Rec'd Apr. 8th. Regular Giving	\$ 2,760.00
Maintenance	\$ 140.00
Rec'd Year to Date Regular Giving	\$24,824.00
Maintenance	\$ 4,256.00
Total brought in for Apr. 8th.	\$ 2,311.25

The Scriptural Sentence for our worship
today as appointed in our BAS Lectionary
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***Lord Jesus, open to us the
scriptures; make our hearts burn
within us while you speak.***

Easter 3 – April 15th.

8:30 am – Holy Communion (BCP)
Eucharistic Assistant – Marianne Baker
10:30 am – Holy Eucharist (BAS), &
Sunday School
Eucharistic Assistants – Harve Hiscock &
Carol Bartlett
Counters: - Ruth Hiscock & Don Morgan
Sidesperson: - Gerald Sharpe
Altar Duty: Ruth Hiscock & Karen
Puglisevich

Easter 4 – April 22nd.

8:30 am – Holy Communion (BCP)
Eucharistic Assistant Lori Gosse
10:30 am – Holy Eucharist (BAS), &
Sunday School
Eucharistic Assistants – Jennifer Tucker &
Mose Tucker
Counters: Viola Squires & Susan Powell
Sidesperson: John Parrell
Altar Duty: Jeanette Osmond, Phoebe
Parrell & Joan Osmond

The Collect, Epistle and Gospel for
Today – Easter Sunday - April 15th.
Scripture Readings

1st Reading – Acts 3: 12-19
Psalm 4: Page 707
(Todd Martin)

2nd Reading – 1st John 3: 1-7
(Canon Shirley Gosse)

Gospel: St. Luke 24: 36b-48
(Deacon Bonnell)

Other notes:

Rev. Randy will meet with the young people preparing for Confirmation immediately following the morning worship next Sunday, April 22nd. We ask the congregation to keep them in prayer as they prepare for their special day on December 16th. Their names are: Jennifer Shik; Lauryn Au; Amy Ryan; Tristan Penney; Roisin Tucker; Daniel Sharpe; Aiden Osmond; Kenny Brown; Morgan Brown.

We now have five names of those interested in forming a church band. Rev. Randy will be meeting with them very soon, but still wanted to encourage others to sign up as well.

NOTICES

There will be no Bible Study this Wednesday due to the preparations for Sub Sandwich sale.

The Mount Pearl Seniors Independence

Group will be holding their monthly "Caregivers Education and Support Program" on Tuesday, April 17th, 1:30-3:00p.m., Park Place Community Centre in Mount Pearl. Guest speaker will be Debbie Hollett, Eastern Health Regional Social Worker who will be speaking on Advance Care Planning. If you are a primary caregiver; caring for a loved one at home and would like to attend, please call 748-6485 to register.

GPS (God's Positioning System) is an Archdeaconry Youth Event happening at St. Lawrence's church, Portugal Cove, April 26 – 29. The guest speaker will be Sheilgh McGlynn, an animator for youth ministry at national church in Toronto. This event is open to ages 11 – 18, and our parish will be offering its support by hosting one of the events on Thursday, April 26th, and serving refreshments after.

Home Again Furniture Bank is a non-profit organization providing gently-used furniture and household items to individuals and families in need. They work through a referral system of local agencies to ensure everyone can make their house a home. Our diocese is one of the founding members of this organization, and St. Philip's

parish is also one of the referral agencies. There are special envelopes available to help our parish raise much needed funds to help. There are also some cardboard outlines of various furniture pieces, each time you make a donation using the envelopes you get to place a full coloured piece over the outline with your name on it. These will be posted in the main entrance. Please take an envelope today and make your contribution.

St. Thomas' Church Silent Auction and

Cold Plate Supper (with an all-you-can-eat salad buffet) will be held on Saturday, April 21 at 5 pm in Canon Wood Hall, 8 Military Road. Tickets (\$15 each) are available by calling 754-0151.

The Lavrock Camp is gearing up for another busy year of camping. Application forms are now available for the *Girls Camp (ages 8-13)* taking place July 9th – 13th and the *Junior Coed Camp (ages 8-13)* taking place July 16th – 20th. All information is included with the application form available at the church.

Counsellor in Training/Staff Application forms for Lavrock camps this Summer are also available. To apply one must be at least 15 years of age, having some experience as a camper or working with children, as well as some other criteria outlined in the application form. These are available at the church.