



ANGLICAN CHURCH OF CANADA
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June 5th, 2016 (Year C)

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**



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.

**Office Hours: Mon-Thurs: 9 am - 1:30 pm
Friday: 9 am - 12 noon
Cycles of Prayer**

**Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma): The Most Rev. Stephen Than Myint Oo, Archbishop of Myanmar an Bishop of Yangon.
Ecclesiastical Province of Canada Prayer Care: The Diocese of Eastern Newfoundland and Labrador: Bishop Geoffrey Peddle.
Tri-Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: The Parish of St. Philip: Rev. Edward Keeping, Rector; The**

Parish of Bay L'Argent (8 congregations) Rector awaiting appointment; and The Parish of Badger's Quay/Pool's Island, Rev. Tim Graham, Rector.

From the Rector's Desk

I want to thank those who came out to our teaching mission for the four days that it was held in the parish. It was disappointing to see the small crowd each night after bringing in a guest to be our speaker. I was disappointed by the lack of support from within the parishes in the Diocese. The purpose of the mission was to help us grow spiritually as we continue our journey towards Christ. Even with the small numbers, if we have reached and touched the life of one person, then it was worth it.

I want to thank Shawn Branch of Threshold Ministries for being with us and giving us an insight into the Scripture.

To save on paper and other expenses and time, we may discontinue printing the bulletin each Sunday for the summer months, starting around the middle of June.

You will receive a letter today regarding "In lieu of an auction" fund raiser. The Vestry wants to encourage each parishioner to give to this appeal in order for us to meet the budget for 2016. Please give with a willing heart. We would not have to be doing this if the people of the parish would give to the life of the church. People stop paying when they cannot get their own way and the Vestry has to make difficult decisions. This really tells us where people are spiritually. When something goes wrong, the first thing they do is withhold their money from the church. We have seen this over the past few years. Then people wonder why we are doing so much fundraising now that the church is consecrated. The reason is what I have just said and some of our regular givers have given less over the years since the church was consecrated. These are the facts and every year it takes more money to meet our obligations.

If more people gave with willing hearts, like many are doing, then we wouldn't have so many fundraisers throughout the year. We have to be regular in our giving to the Church. I would hope you will think about your givings to the Church as

we approach a time to relax and be refreshed during this summer season.

Thank you for being a part of the family at St. Philip's.

Rev. Ed.

Church Chuckles

Intercom Repair: My friend's son worked at a fast-food restaurant when he was in high school. One night while he was manning the drive-thru, a customer told him that the Intercom wasn't working properly. My friend's son went about filling the order while a female co-worker fiddled with the intercom. She asked, "Is that okay now?" "Well, no," said the customer, "now you sound like a girl."

A Stewardship Thought for the Week

We worry about inflation, everyday expenses, the cost of high-ticket items. Some of may be functioning at a lower standard than at some time in the past.

But for how many of us is that true? How much do we really have? How long does it take to meet our obligations as compared to years ago? News stories from other nations depict our affluence graphically.

We have much! It is a gift, and a stewardship, from God. Are we participating energetically and sacrificially enough in His business here and around the world?

Stewardship Statement

May 28 & 29, 2016

Regular Givings \$ 1,422.00

Maint. Fund \$ 290.00

Refugee Collection to-date \$ 3,790.00

E-Giving - May/16 \$ 1,555.00

Preauthorized Payment (e-Giving) of Church Offerings is an option for our parishioners. Many people find it 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 are 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.

"Prayerfully consider your parish in your estate planning.

Lavrock Summer Camps

Applications available in the church office.

Intermediate Co-ed Camp (Ages 11 - 13) July 4th - 8th

Girls Camp (Ages 8 - 13) - July 11th - 15th

Junior Co-ed Camp (Ages 8 - 11) - July 18th - 22nd.

Noteworthy Events

Portugal Cove ACW - Monthly Card Games are held the third Tuesday of each month (or the 2nd last Tuesday, if applicable) at St. Lawrence Parish Hall at 8:00 pm. Cost \$5.00 and lunch is served.

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

**Thomas J Skinner Jr.
June 9, 1950 - Jan 24, 1984**

Lovingly Remembered
by
Mother, Ruby.

**Robert Edward Tucker
May, 1934 - June 2006**

by
Margaret and family

**Harold & Lillian Sheppard
Who were married in St. Philip's Church June**

2nd, 1940
Given by

Ethel, Howard, Margaret, Wayne and families

Schedule of Services

Third Sunday after Pentecost June 5th

8:30 am - Holy Communion (BCP) Eucharistic Assistant: Jennifer Tucker

10:30 am - Holy Eucharist (BAS)

Eucharistic Assts: Mose Tucker, Charlie Gosse
Counters: Don Morgan, Ruth Hiscock
Sidesperson: Karen Puglisevich
Fourth Sunday after Pentecost June 12th
8:30 am – Holy Communion (BCP) **Eucharistic Assistant:** Ches Barfitt

10:30 am – Holy Eucharist (BAS)
Eucharistic Assts: Joan Tucker, Dave Bartlett
Counters: Lori Mercer, Linda Thomas
Sidesperson: Todd Martin

On Wednesday, June 15th, there will be a special Holy Eucharist Service at 7:30 pm to celebrate the 65th anniversary of Canon Bert Cheeseman's ordination as deacon on June 3rd, 1951, the 55th anniversary of Canon Don Morgan's ordination as deacon on June 19th, 1960. All are welcome. There will be a lunch served afterwards.

Notices

ACW-ACM:Walkathon/Rockathon/ Brunch - Moose Sausages, Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, Toast, Tea & Coffee – June 11th – Starting at 11:30 am in the Parish Centre.
Tickets for the Brunch are on sale now from Vestry members: Cost \$12.00

Line-Painting of Church Parking Lot: You will notice that the markings have been newly painted on the parking lot. Please adhere to the “NO PARKING” and “HANDICAPPED PARKING” areas. There was not sufficient room in the centre of the lot to mark out parking spaces and if you park there, it will be at your own risk.

STUDENTS: We are looking to hire a student for work in our cemetery during the summer beginning on June 30th. The term will be for 7 weeks – 35 hours per week. **Students between the ages of 15 and 30 and who will be returning to school (high school or post-secondary) in September are eligible to apply.** Please contact the church office at 895-0715 for more information.

SYRIAN REFUGEE FAMILY – As you are now aware, five parishes have come together to form a Committee and hope to raise enough funds in these

five parishes to sponsor a Syrian Refugee family. We want to raise the funds among the five churches instead of asking the diocese for a grant. I hope every family in this parish will give to this appeal. **No amount is too small.** We have an opportunity to help a family, who is now living in a refugee camp, to find a new home in a new country where peace and security reign. I ask you as members of St. Philip's Parish to give and as you can see in the bulletin today, some have already given.

Recyclable Donations: -Recycling is a fundraising project of the ACM and your assistance is needed. *“We thank you for your co-operation in removing screw top covers from all bottles – plastic & glass - and further ask that you remove corks and screw tops from alcoholic beverage containers.”* 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. If you can help with sorting the recyclables on Monday or Tuesday nights please call John Parrell. **The ACM could really use your help.**

Maintenance Fund: We want to thank you for your continued support. It is very important for us to build on this fund so that the necessary repairs to the church can be completed in a timely manner. Please keep in mind that we were encouraged after the church was debt free to continue to give a dollar per day to this fund. **As per the motion passed at the Annual General Meeting on Feb. 21/16, any money received for this fund will go into a separate account and will not be used for general operating expenses. Please note:** We will have to use money from this fund to replace the furnace in the near future. Please give to this fund on a monthly basis.

Parish Hall Rentals: The Parish Centre is available to members of the congregation and the public to rent for birthdays, weddings and anniversaries. Please consider renting the hall for your next important event. Any person wanting to rent the Parish Centre can call the church office at 895-0715.

Milestones

Congratulations are extended to the following:

Sarah Laite, granddaughter of Jeanette & Lloyd Osmond, on receiving her Bachelor of Nursing Degree from MUN on June 2nd.

Christopher Earle, son of David & Gloria Earle, on receiving his M.D. from MUN.

Joshua Rodgers on receiving his Bachelor of Computer Science and **Meghan Rodgers** on receiving her Bachelor of Special Education, children of Patricia and the late Wayne Rodgers.

A note from The Anglican Chaplaincy

If you are admitted to hospital you should be asked by admitting if you would like the services of Pastoral Care. If you say “Yes”, you will sign a consent and the chaplain will see you within 24 hours. If you decline pastoral care and later change your mind, have a nurse call the chaplain. You will be asked to sign a consent and the chaplain will visit. Please note that due to confidentiality, the chaplains can only contact your parish priest with your permission

Response after the Scripture Reading:

Reader:
For the Word of God in Scripture;
For the Word of God among us;
For the Word of God within us;
Response: We give you thanks, O God.

Dismissal Song - 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 3rd Sunday after Pentecost Scripture Readings for today, June 5th

1st Reading: **1st Kings 17: 8 – 16 Psalm 146 (Page 905) (Don Morgan)**
2nd Reading: **Galatians 1: 11 – 24 (Jeanette Osmond)**
Gospel: **Luke 7: 11 - 17 (Rev. Ed Bonnell)**

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

A great prophet has arisen among us! God has visited his people!

Collect for the Day: (In Unison): **O God, you have assured the human family of eternal life through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Deliver us from the death of sin and raise us to new life in him, 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): **Merciful God and Father, in Adam's fall we were born to death; in the new Adam we are reborn to life. In all we offer you this day may we share a taste of your eternal kingdom. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

Prayer after Communion: (In Unison): **O God, we have shared in the mysteries of the body and blood of Christ. Nourish us by this feast, that we may live the risen life and serve you faithfully in the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

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): **Tanya Knight, Dave & Ann Lambert, William Lamswood, Bernadine Lawlor, Cynthia LeRoux, Winnie Lynch and their families.**