

This is the Fifth Sunday of Lent and the Scriptural Sentence for our worship today is as appointed in our Lectionary in the BAS, page 294. **Let us say it together.**  
**All I care for is to know Christ and the power of his resurrection.**  
Philippians 3:10

**Collect, Epistle and Gospel for the Fifth Sunday in Lent, March 17th, 2013**

Collect of the Day: (In unison) **Most merciful God, by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ, you created humanity anew. May the power of his victorious cross transform those who turn in faith to 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). **Eternal God, your only Son suffered death upon the cross to bring the world salvation. Accept the praise and thanksgiving we offer you this day, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen**

Prayer after Communion: (In unison). **Merciful God, you have called us to your table and fed us with the bread of life. Draw us and all people to your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Today in our Anglican 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 & Michele Moss, Barry & Deborah Myers, John & Susanne Myrick, Diane Neil, Robert & Dale Noseworthy, and their families.**

**Pray today for: The Parish of Bay de Verde (3 congregations)  
Rector: The Rev. Michael Carruthers**

**The Parish of Lewisporte (3 congregations)  
Rector: The Rev. Bruce Vallis**

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**The Rev. Canon Bert Cheeseman**

**The Rev. Canon Don Morgan**

**The Rev. Canon Shirley Gosse**

**The Rev. Russell Osmond**

**Honorary Warden: George King**

**Rector's Warden – Margaret Boone 782-0988**

**People's Warden – Margaret Tucker 895-2251**

**A WARM WELCOME IS EXTENDED TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS**

**WHO ARE WORSHIPPING WITH US TODAY**

**March 17th, 2013 (Year C)**

Parish Mission Statement

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

- <sup>35</sup>/<sub>17</sub> To be Fishers of people in response to the call of Jesus, in the power of the Holy Spirit;
- <sup>35</sup>/<sub>17</sub> To be a House of Prayer
- <sup>35</sup>/<sub>17</sub> To be a Centre for Christian Teaching;
- <sup>35</sup>/<sub>17</sub> To be Disciples in learning;
- <sup>35</sup>/<sub>17</sub> To be a fellowship of Loving and Sacrificial Service;
- <sup>35</sup>/<sub>17</sub> To be Witnesses to our Lord's Love through Word and Example.

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



**Our Bulletin today is given to the glory of God in memory of**

**Wayne Gary Tucker  
September 4, 1960 – March 12, 1983**

**Lovingly remembered and sadly missed by mother Shirley Tucker, twin sister Elaine, brothers Junior and Chris, nephew Keith Tucker.**

Schedule of Worship

Fifth Sunday in Lent, March 17<sup>th</sup>

**8:30 am – Holy Communion (BCP)**

Eucharist Assistant: Charlie Gosse

**10:30 am – Holy Eucharist & Sunday school**

Eucharistic Assistants: Ches Barfitt, Joan Tucker  
Counters: Linda Thomas, Lori Mercer  
Sidesperson: Gerald Sharpe

Sixth Wednesday in Lent, March 20<sup>th</sup>  
**7:00 pm Service**

Passion Sunday (Palm Sunday), March 24<sup>th</sup>  
**8:30 am – Holy Communion (BCP)**

Eucharist Assistant: David Bartlett

**10:30 am – Holy Eucharist, Distribution of Palms & Sunday school**

Eucharistic Assistants: Todd Martin, Christopher Earle  
Counters: Linda Roberts, Todd Martin  
Sidesperson: John Parrell

Scripture Readings for Today, March 17<sup>th</sup>

Isaiah 43: 16 - 21 Psalm 126 (Page 885)

Philippians 3: 4b - 14

Gospel: John 12: 1 - 8

**Vestry meeting, Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm**

**Lenten Café, Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>. at 5:00 pm.**

We will be serving pasta dinner. The sign-up sheets are in the Foyer. The Lenten Café and Worship Service give us an opportunity for fellowship and spiritual renewal. Please join us.

**If anyone can help with the ACM recycling program while John Parrell is recuperating, please call Ches Barfitt at 782-8610.**

**Belize Project:** If anyone would like to contribute toward the cost of sending the team to Belize, you may do so by putting your donation in a plain envelope and write your name, amount and church envelope number on the front. Place this envelope in the offering plate by March 31<sup>st</sup>. Thank you.

**Fundraising Dance for Belize:** There will be a dance at St. Peter's Hall, Upper Gullies on

Saturday, **March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9:00 pm.** Music by the "Flankers". Cost \$12.00 per person.

**Items for the children of Belize:** We would like to take the following items to the children of Belize: **Children's Vitamin tablets; musical instruments – recorders, mouth organs; soccer balls and air pumps.** Please call Rev. Keeping to donate.

**Confirmation will be held at St. Philip's Church on Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 10:30 a.m.**

**Pennies for PWRDF.** During the season of Lent, we are collecting pennies for the Primate's World Relief and Development Fund of the National Church. Please drop off your pennies and place them in the pail which is placed in the foyer.

**Tickets for the Church Consecration Banquet** to be held on Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2013, are now available at a cost of \$25.00 each. Please call the church office at 895-0715 to reserve one.

**Church Consecration Booklet:** As we prepare for the consecration of our church, we would like to have a booklet printed that would include the service and hymns. If you would like to donate in memory of a loved one, you may do so now. Their names will be included in a memorial list in the booklet. Deadline for submissions is March 30<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.

**Florist containers:** If anyone has florist vases or containers suitable for recycling, please drop them off at the office. The plain, green or brown plastic pots are not accepted for this purpose. Thank you to everyone who have brought in vases and containers for recycling.

**Bracelets Found:** Two bracelets were found in the church many months ago and have not been claimed. One is gold and silver and the other a silver charm bracelet. Please drop by the office to identify and claim them.

Financial Report to March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2013

<b>Weekly Envelope</b>	<b>2883.00</b>	<b>Maintenance Fund</b>	<b>901.00</b>
<b>Loose Offering</b>	<b>149.92</b>	<b>Sunday School</b>	<b>12.45</b>
<b>PWRDF</b>	<b>90.00</b>	<b>Bulletin</b>	<b>30.00</b>
<b>Initial Offering</b>	<b>20.00</b>	<b>Ash Wednesday</b>	<b>10.00</b>
<b>Lenten Self Denial</b>	<b>120.00</b>	<b>Lenten</b>	<b>460.50</b>
<b>Consecration Booklet</b>	<b>135.00</b>	<b>Consecration Banquet</b>	<b>450.00</b>
<b>Hall Rental</b>	<b>75.00</b>	<b>ACM Contribution</b>	<b>1500.00</b>
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 6836.87</b>

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

**Parish Hall Rental:** Any person wishing to rent the Parish Hall is asked to call Linda Roberts, at 895-1077 or 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 9 AM to 1:30PM.  
Fridays: 9 AM – 12noon.**