

ANGLICAN PARISH OF WOODSTOCK
SAINT LUKE'S **CHRIST CHURCH**



3rd Sunday after Pentecost
National Indigenous Day of Prayer
Father's Day - June 21, 2020



Service of Morning Prayer
Will be recorded Sunday morning
and available on
Facebook & YouTube in the evening.



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We acknowledge that the land on which we gather is the traditional unceded territory of the Wolastoqiyik (Maliseet) and Mi'kmaq Peoples.

Welcome!

The service begins on page 4 of the Book of Common Prayer.

Scripture Sentences:

The heavens are telling the glory of God; and the firmament proclaims his handiwork. Psalm 19:1

Of Penitence. I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before thee, and am no more worthy to be called thy son. Luke 15:18,19.

If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us: but if we confess our sins, God is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. John 1:8,9.

Wherefore, I pray and beseech you, to accompany me with a pure heart and humble voice unto the throne of the heavenly grace.

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2nd Lesson: Philippians 4:4-9 – *Paul's final Exhortations*

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Parish Mission Statement

Gospel: John 1:1-18 – *The Word Became Flesh*

Sermon The Rev. Harold Boomer

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Collect of the Day

Creator God, from you every family in heaven and earth takes its name. You have rooted and grounded us in your covenant love and empowered us by your Spirit to speak the truth in love, and to walk in your way towards justice and wholeness. Mercifully grant that your people, journeying together in partnership, may be strengthened, and guided to help one another to grow into the full stature of Christ, who is our light and our life. Amen.

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Prayer Over the Gifts (*offering plate remains at back of church*)

Great Creator, you bless us with many good gifts returned to you from your creation. Receive all we offer you this day and renew us in the risen life of Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Leader: Let us pray.

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Dismissal

Officiant: Alleluia! Let us bless the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

Our Special Prayers are requested for: Janet, Kim, Ernest, Mavis, Gordon, Ellen, Karla, Amanda, Jennifer, Randy, Colin, Liam, Sadie, Emma, Scottie, Kate, Gail, Tanya, Terry, Brad, Billy, Lorne, Kent, Doreen, Dick, Susanne, Wesley, Jim, Trevor, Lindsay, Lois, David, Carrie, Barry, Freda, Barbara, Gary, Bishop David's mother, Doreen, and his father John.

Caring for One Another during Covid-19 Recovery

We are here for you during this challenging time. If you would like to speak with someone or need help, please contact Nancy English (328-2295) or Mary-Beth Rideout (325-3476) on our Pastoral Care Team, or Rev. Shirley Noseworthy (328-9913). Jesus said, "By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another." John 13:35

Celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Happy birthday to: Roger Melanson, Ross Belyea, Jennifer Acott, and anyone else celebrating a special day!

Best wishes to anyone celebrating a **wedding anniversary!**

May God bless you with boundless love, calming peace, and heavenly joy through the coming year!

Upcoming Vestry Meeting

We have a Zoom vestry meeting scheduled for June 28, 2 pm. If we do not have a quorum, we will reschedule. Will be in touch by email to follow up.

National Indigenous Day of Prayer

In 2010 the General Synod added this day which ranks as a Feast with Precedence over a Sunday. As the 21st of June is a Sunday in 2020, this should be the primary observation of all parishes and worshipping communities.

The logo for the Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples was designed by The Rev. Mervin Wolfleg of the Siksika Nation in southern Alberta, inspired by words and images of The Rev. Arthur Anderson, a Plains Cree from Punnichy, Saskatchewan. Mervin explains its many symbolisms.



The **fish** at the center of the logo is formed by the overlap of two circles—or two traditions—coming together, the Aboriginal tradition and the European tradition.

The point where they come together is where Christ is to be found, represented by both the **cross** and the fish (which also contains the form of the Greek letters, Alpha and Omega).

The cross is surrounded by the **four colours** of the four peoples of the world. Our vision is of all races coming together.

The fish and the cross also contain within them the initials of the Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples.

The **eagle** has always been a strong image for Aboriginal peoples. The eagle feather attached to the cross comes from Isaiah 40:31 — “But those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles.” If people can come together, they will fly.

The **green** in the logo represents our Mother Earth, and the **blue** the waters of the oceans that surround the continents.

Blue is also the colour of hope for Aboriginal people. When we are watching for good weather to come, we look for the first signs of blue in the sky.

Green is also the symbol of new growth.

Red is the colour of the Aboriginal peoples.

During the Covid-19 Yellow Recovery Phase

Our Operational Plan is still in place. Expect things to be different when you come to worship, including screening, your temperature will be taken, hand sanitizing, physical distancing, and no singing, following provincial guidelines.

For everyone's safety, it is important to note:

Anyone who is high risk, including elderly and people with underlying health issues, are asked to remain at home for your safety and protection.

If you have cold or flu symptoms, please remain at home and come when you are feeling well.

Families Helping Families

Thank you to those who continue to help Wes Corey & the fine staff at the River deliver meals to seniors and shut-ins who are challenged by the Covid-19 lockdown: Nancy & Bobby English, Zoe Frame, and Royce Brown. The program will continue through the summer for those in need. God bless you all!

Bulletin Board

Recorded Worship

Since the services are recorded live Sunday morning, they will be available for viewing later Sunday evening on Facebook & YouTube.

St. Luke's, June 21 - 10:30 am Morning Prayer (BCP)

Next Sunday, June 28 - 10:30 am Spiritual Communion

On-Line Children's Talks!

Rev. Harold will continue to pre-record children's talks, which will be posted on our Parish Facebook and the Anglican Parish of Woodstock NB YouTube Channel.

During July

While we are in this recovery phase and following the Operational Plan for worship at St. Luke's, services will be held at St. Luke's in July. Rev. Harold Boomer will be looking after Sunday services in Florenceville for the month of July, covering for Rev. Bob LeBlanc who will be on vacation.

Getting Ready to Launch our Webpage!



This is a portion of the main page of our new parish website! (It will be much larger and easier to view on your computer screen!) Coming soon in June!

We are excited about a new way of reaching beyond our walls to the wider community – all around the world!

Once we launch the site, a link to our Parish Web Page will be sent to everyone on our parish mailout list, so you may check it out! We look forward to your feedback. There will be a place on the website to sign up to receive our newsletter, as well as a place to send comments or ask questions!

