

Today's Service

Liturgy

Holy Eucharist
Book of Common Prayer

Readings

Jeremiah 1.4-10
Psalm 71.1-6
1 Corinthians 13.1-13
Luke 4.21-30

Music

Joyful Noise

Greeters

Loretta & Harvey

Readers

Bruce Noseworthy
Loretta Harvey

Eucharistic Ministers

Tolson & Ruby

ABOUT PRAYER

True prayer is neither a mere mental exercise nor a vocal performance. It is far deeper than that - it is spiritual transaction with the Creator of Heaven and Earth.

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St. Barnabas Harvest Ministries

Altar Care / Eucharistic Assistant Coordinators

Rita & Herman Russell

Band "Joyful Noise"

*Robert Batten
Nina Brown O'Brien
Ruth Stanley
Selby Mesher*

Musicians

Maurice & Marion Victoria

THE MARTYR'S CROWN



Fourth Sunday After
The Epiphany

PARISH OF ST. STEPHEN THE MARTYR

The Anglican Network in Canada

03 February 2019



...Do This in
Remembrance of Me

1 Corinthians 11.24



Dear Friends,

Whether a regular member of St. Stephen the Martyr or a visitor, you are welcome here today! May the worship speak to your heart and encourage you as a follower of Christ. If you do not consider yourself a Christian but are seeking to find answers, you have come to the right place. We are available to speak with you, or to pray with you if that would be helpful. I encourage you to make your need known to me or another person of the congregation.

Today, we celebrate the Holy Eucharist using the Book of Common Prayer. All who are baptized with water and profess Jesus as Lord are welcomed to receive Communion at our table.

Howard+

Just a thought....

We should empty our passions
in the service of life,
not spend life in the service of
our passions.

Richard Steele
[Irish writer, playwright and politician
March 12, 1672 – September 1, 1729]



INNER HEALING MINISTRY Roger

Maunder hosts an Inner Healing Ministry every Tuesday at the Wesley United Church, 7:30 PM. All are invited!

TUESDAY NIGHT PRAYER GATHERING: We will meet this Tuesday, February 3rd, 7:30 PM, at the parish office. This is not a closed group but open to any member of the congregation. The focus of our prayer time is outreach.

ANNUAL MEETING: The tentative date for the Congregational Annual Meeting is March 3, 2019.

SEARCH COMMITTEE: Loretta Goodyear and Hayward Keats are the Search Committee established to prayerfully find new people to serve as members of Parish Council for 2019. If you feel called to serve on Parish Council, please let one of these individuals know.

RECEIPTS FOR 2019: The receipts for your financial contributions in 2018 are available today. Please see Lois to get yours. These are the official receipts for income tax purposes.

GIDEONS VALENTINE FUND RAISING BANQUET: Mon. Feb. 11th, 2018 6:30 pm - Bethesda Church, St. John's. Come and have a delicious meal (hot Turkey Dinner) and a fun/relaxing evening while supporting a great cause. Featuring The Samson Video Documentary and Musical Guests: Philip and Trudy Bailey! Tickets \$30 per person available by calling Myrna at **(709)726-9866** or Heather at **(709)240-4488**, or from any local Gideon. Proceeds will provide Scriptures to bless people all around the world.

DONATION BASKET

A basket has been placed at the entrance of the church in case you want to make a donation toward the weekly cost of renting this worship space. We pay Victory Christian Centre \$100.00 each time we meet here. We suggest a donation of \$5.00 from each individual. Envelopes are provided should you wish to receive a receipt for income tax purposes.



Our Parish: For our Rector and all who give leadership in the congregation, especially the Wardens and Parish Council.

Our Sister Congregation of the Good Samaritan: For Rector, The Venerable Darrell Critch; Honourary Assistants- The Right Rev'd Don Harvey and The Rev'd Marilyn Flower.

Our Ecclesiastical Province (Canada / USA): For our Archbishop- The Most Rev'd Dr. Foley Beach.

Our Diocese (ANiC): For our bishop, The Right Rev'd Charles Masters, the clergy and people across our vast diocese.

The Sick: For members of our parish- Jessie Barnes, Don Nippard and Renee Noseworthy. Pray continue to pray for *Linda*, the sister of Ruby Chapman, undergoing chemo therapy.

In Thanksgiving: We give thanks that Robin Nippard's sister received very good news after her cancer surgery. No chemo required and an 80 – 90 percent cure rate.

The World: Pray for nations where people are dying of hunger and disease. Pray for those who are fleeing the tyranny of their own countries seeking a better life. Pray that God will give us a vision of our shared humanity, that we are all God's children created in His image.

QUIET TIME BEFORE SERVICE

Out of respect for those who like to pray quietly in preparation for worship, let us make a concerted effort to quiet things down **TEN MINUTES** before worship begins. At 2:50 PM, everything for worship should be set up and our thoughts beginning to focus on God who is the object of all our worship.