

Nov. 24
2019

The Martyr's Crown

The Feast of Christ the King

St. Stephen
the Martyr
ANGELICAN CHURCH
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

- The Most Reverend
(Archbishop) Foley
Beach, *Primate of the
Anglican Church in North
America*
- The Right Reverend
(Bishop) Charles Masters,
Diocesan
- The Reverend Howard
Hynes, *Rector (On leave)*
- The Venerable (Father)
Darrell Critch,
*Archdeacon for Eastern
Canada & Priest-In-Charge*
- Mr. Hayward Keats,
People's Warden
- Mr. Herman Russell,
Rector's Warden



*Welcome to any visitors with
us this afternoon!*

*Please make time for silent prayer
and reflection in preparation for
the worship of Almighty God.*

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Inner Healing



Inner Healing Ministry **Christmas Dinner**

Roger Maunder's
Inner Healing Ministry
will be holding their
Annual Christmas Dinner
on Friday, December 6th. @
7.00 p.m. at Wesley Church
Auditorium, Patrick Street,
St. John's. Turkey dinner
tickets cost \$25.00 each.
The deadline for tickets is
Friday, Nov. 29th.
Maurice and Marion will be
performing Christmas mu-
sic. If you require a ticket
please let Tolson know and
he will get the tickets.

Readings Sunday

December 1st

Isaiah 2:1-5

Psalm 122

Romans 13:8-14

Matthew 24:29-44

Readings Sunday

December 8th

Isaiah 11:1-10

Psalm 72

Romans 15:1-13

Matthew 3:1-12



Christmas Pageant

St Stephen the Martyr and Good Samaritan Joint Christmas Pageant

Will be Sunday, December 22nd.

Advent Quiet Day

There will be an Advent Quiet Day,
Dec 14th. 10am to 3pm.
The theme for the day will be Prayer.
The disciples asked Jesus to teach
them to pray, so if they needed
help...we certainly do!

There will be addresses by
Father Darrell, Mother Marilyn,
and Bishop Harvey, and there
will be time for silent, liturgical,
and extemporaneous prayer.
Please sign up at the welcome table.
A place will be determined based on
the number of people signed up.

Family Advent Wreathes

After Church December 1st we will
stay on to make Advent Wreathes. If
you would like to make a wreath
(or would like
one made for
you) the cost is
\$10. Please sign
up at the Wel-
come
Table.



Weekly ACTIVITIES

Tuesday 12:10PM
Bible Study @ Work
ZOOM Online

Tuesday 2PM
Bible Study
10 Cadiz Close

Tuesday 7:30PM
Prayer Group
Suite #2, 131 McNamara Drive

Thursday 1PM
BCP 2019 Study
10 Cadiz Close

Friday 6PM
Teen's Mission
10 Cadiz Close

Catechetical
Lecture Discussion Series
Thank you, thank you, thank
you to

Colton Carrick,
Eleanor Muise,
Bruce Noseworthy,
Tracy King,
Ann Benson and
Berkley Reynolds
for speaking at our
Christian Education sessions!
Your teaching has
been a great blessing!!



Within the Parish for:

- ◆ For unity in Spirit and unity in purpose
- ◆ Father Howard, Gloria & their families
- ◆ Father Darrell, Sarah & Chase
- ◆ The Wardens, Hayward and Herman

Within ANiC/ACNA for:

- ◆ Good Samaritan (Rev'd. Flower & Bishop Harvey)
- ◆ All Saints (Rev'd. O'Connor & Rev'd. Lockhart)
- ◆ St Matthew's, Gander
- ◆ Archbishop Beach, Primate
- ◆ Bishop Masters, Diocesan
- ◆ Assisting Bishops Leung and Walters

For the sick and suffering:

- ◆ Jessie Barnes
- ◆ Don Nippard
- ◆ Renee Noseworthy

Canada and the World for:

- ◆ Persecuted Christians
- ◆ GAFCON Bishops

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Parish Council Highlights

- ◆ Father Darrell lead a study of 1 Peter 2:15-16 at the beginning of the meeting. He focused especially on our needing to be able to give a reason for the hope that is in us.
- ◆ The amended By-Laws will be brought to our next meeting for approval before they are brought to a congregational meeting for ratification.
- ◆ Council discussed the parish office at length because the lease is up for renewal Jan 31, 2020. Though Bishop Masters had asked that the council make a recommendation to him about how best to proceed with the office lease, the council was clearly divided, therefore no recommendation could be made.
- ◆ Council has made the necessary arrangements to fulfil the Plan to Protect Program required by the insurers.
- ◆ Council discussed worship and music in the Advent season. Father Darrell is working with our musicians to include some new and old Advent music.
- ◆ Council passed a motion unanimously, that the joint Christmas Pageant between SSTM and GS be held at SSTM, Dec 22 at 3pm.

Parish Council Financial Highlights

- ◆ Outstanding salary debt will be paid off by the end of the month, however, we have yet to pay any tithe to ANiC.

Nov 20, 2019	Actual	Budget	Difference
Income	\$83,185.39	\$105,668.38	-\$22,482.99
Expenses	\$80,637.63	\$105,322.19	-\$24,684.56
Net Income	\$2,547.76	\$346.19	2,201.57