

There will be a **Drive-in Service** tonight at **7pm** in the Old Moncton High Parking Lot.

Our Fall **evening Bible Study** will begin this **Wednesday** evening at 7:00 pm. You may attend in person, or watch it by live-stream; or join in by **ZOOM**. **If you wish to receive the ZOOM link**, please contact Esther in the Church Office. We will continue to study the Gospel according to St. Luke.

Next week, God willing, our preacher at **8:00 am** will be **Tyler McKenna**. Tyler has returned from his summer work on the farm in Judique, Cape Breton. He is to begin his seminary studies on-line at Wycliffe College this week.

We plan to make presentations to **Dianne Dallaire and Fr. Norm Dupuis next Sunday, September 13th**, in appreciation for their exceptional service to our Lord and this Congregation. This will be an opportunity for us to thank them and wish them well as they continue into their retirements.

The **Vestry** will meet on Monday, **September 14th** at 7pm.

On **September 20th**, after the 10am Holy Eucharist, there will be a **Shared Meal** with a presentation from members of the **Teen Challenge Atlantic Center**. TCAC is a 12-month in-residence alcohol and drug addiction rehabilitation program located near Memramcook.

Let's Get Together: A gathering time for parents and children in the Church Hall is being considered. There is form on a yellow piece of paper asking for your input. Please help us by answering the questions and placing your paper on the offering plate; or by giving it to one of the clergy.



St. George's Church is a downtown spiritual center where traditional Anglican liturgy, parishioners and the needs of our community are valued.

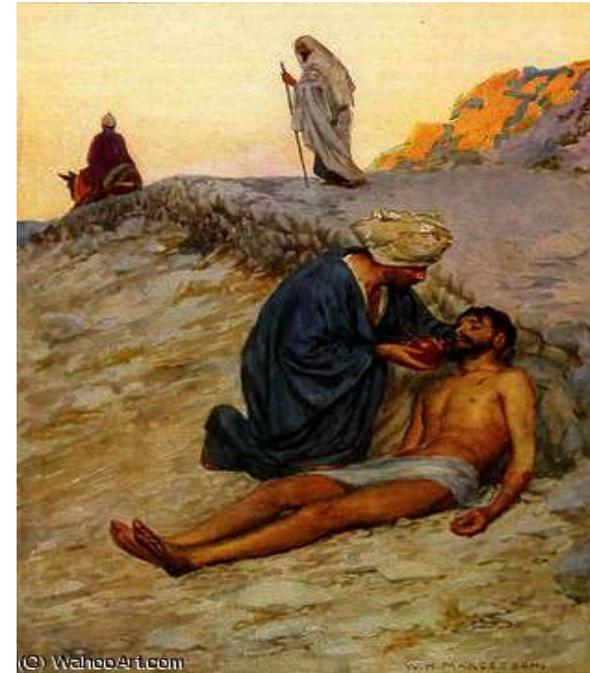


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Jesus Christ the same, Yesterday, Today and Forever

Thirteenth Sunday After Trinity September 6, 2020



Parish Prayer Chain: To pass a message on to the Parish Prayer Chain, from Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. please the Office. After Office Hours, please contact Cathie @ 855-7969 or cdingwell@gmail.com.

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8:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST

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| Introit Psalm: 90. 1-13 | p. 446 |
| Collect for Purity: | p. 67 |
| The Collect and Epistle | p. 237 |
| Gradual Psalm: 90. 14-18 | p. 447 |
| The Holy Gospel | p. 238 |

9:15 A.M. MORNING PRAYER

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| Psalm 72 | p. 418 |
| First Lesson: Jeremiah 30. 1-3, 10-22 | (Pew Bible page 637) |
| Second Lesson: Luke 6. 20-38 | (Pew Bible page 828) |

10:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST

Introit Psalm (sung): *Look, O Lord, graciously upon thy covenant, and forsake not the congregation of the poor for ever: arise, O Lord, maintain thine own cause; and be not unmindful of the voices of them that seek thee. O God, wherefore art thou absent from us so long: why is thy wrath so hot against the sheep of thy pasture? Glory be...*

“O Canada”

Hymn;

Children’s Talk

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| Collect for Purity | p. 67 |
| Kyrie | p. 70 |
| The Collect and Epistle | p. 237 |
| Gradual Psalm: 90. 14-18 | p. 447 |
| The Holy Gospel | p. 238 |
| The Nicene Creed | p. 71 |

Hymn before Homily: **593** “When I Survey ...” (Rockingham)

Homily

Offertory Hymn: **424** “O Happy Band of Pilgrims” (Knecht)

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| The Intercession | p. 75 |
| Confession, Absolution | p. 77 |
| Thanksgiving | p. 78 |
| Consecration | p. 82 |

Hymns during Communion: **245** (Trentham - 485)

247 (Eisenach); **249** (Eden)

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| The Lord’s Prayer | p. 85 |
| Gloria In Excelsis | p. 86 |

“God Save the Queen”

Recessional Hymn: **409** “On Our Way Rejoicing” (Hermas)

5:00 P.M. EVENING PRAYER

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| Psalm 74 | pg. 421 |
| First Lesson: Ezra 1. 1-8 | (Pew Bible page 418) |
| Second Lesson: 1 Corinthians 1. 1-25 | (Pew Bible page 921) |

The Sanctuary Candle burns this week to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Harold and Isabelle Beattie, Jean Estabrooks, Blair MacDonald, Edward Spinney

“Let us remember before God the faithful departed.”

Evelyn Black, Steve Horvath

A donation has been made to the Community Meals to the Glory of God and in memory of Steve Horvath.

Amongst the faithful departed, we remember from this parish Private Ralph Daniel McLean who died September 9, 1944 and Gunner Lynds Armstrong Piers who died September 12, 1943. They are buried in Italy and await with us the Lord’s return and the Resurrection at the Last Day.

This Week in the Parish

The Daily Offices of **Morning and Evening Prayer** will be prayed at **8:30 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. Monday – Saturday**, respectively.

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| Today | Drive-In Service | 4:00 p.m. |
| Monday | Office Closed for Labour Day | |
| | Confirmation Class | 5:00 p.m. |
| Tuesday | Bible Study | 7:00 p.m. |
| Wednesday | Bible Study | 10:00 a.m. |
| Thursday | Holy Communion | 10:00 a.m. |

If you have lost your iPhone - please contact the Office at 855-5209.

“Then took Mary a pound of ointment of spikenard, very costly, and anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped his feet with her hair: and the house was filled with the odour of the ointment. [Jhn 12:3] And there were some that had indignation within themselves, and said, Why was this waste of this ointment made? Verily I say unto you, wheresoever this gospel shall be preached throughout the whole world, this also which she hath done shall be spoken of as a memorial to her.” [Mrk 14:4,9]

The Rector's Corner

This morning we will sing the well-known hymn, 'To Be a Pilgrim' (also commonly known as 'He Who Would Valiant Be'). It is the only hymn John Bunyan is credited with writing. Bunyan was the son of a mechanic. Born at Elstow, England in 1628, he was a Baptist minister and wrote a number of books, including the famous Pilgrim's Progress. He died in London, Aug. 1688.

'To Be A Pilgrim' first appeared in the second part of the Pilgrim's Progress. Written in 1684, the hymn recalls the words of Hebrews 11:13: "...and confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth." These words were modified extensively by Percy Dearmer for the 1906 The English Hymnal. At the same time, it was given a new tune by British composer Ralph Vaughan Williams, who used a melody taken from the traditional song "Our Captain Cried All Hands" which he collected in the hamlet of Monk's Gate in West Sussex – hence the name of "Monks Gate" by which the melody is referred to in hymn books.

For a time, Bunyan's original version was not commonly sung in churches, perhaps because of the references to "hobgoblin" and "foul fiend." However, one commentator has said: "Bunyan's burly song strikes a new and welcome note in our Hymnal. The quaint sincerity of the words stirs us out of our easygoing dull Christianity to the thrill of great adventure." Recent hymn books, such as the Church of England's Common Praise, have tended to return to the original.

This hymn is featured today because it illustrates something author Alan Kreider identified as being key to the growth of the Church during its first 400 years. According to Kreider, the Church "embodied a patient hope, trusting in what God has said about the future".

1. Who would true valour see, let him come hither;
One here will constant be, come wind, come weather
There's no discouragement shall make him once relent
His first avowed intent to be a pilgrim.

2. Whoso beset him round with dismal stories,
Do but themselves confound; his strength the more is.
No lion can him fright, he'll with a giant fight,
But he will have a right to be a pilgrim.

3. Hobgoblin, nor foul fiend, can daunt his spirit;
He knows he at the end shall life inherit.
Then fancies fly away, he'll fear not what men say,
He'll labour night and day to be a pilgrim.

Daily Bible Readings

A modified schedule from the Prayer Book's Table of Lessons

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| Sunday | I Samuel 26 | John 4:27-end |
| Monday | I Samuel 28:3-end | John 5:1-23 |
| Tuesday | I Samuel 31 | John 5:24-end |
| Wednesday | 2 Samuel 1 | John 6:1-21 |
| Thursday | 2 Samuel 2:1-3:1 | John 6:22-40 |
| Friday | 2 Samuel 3:17-end | John 6:41-end |
| Saturday | 2 Samuel 5:1-12 | John 7:1-24 |

In **October**, a small group is planning to **read** *The Imitation of Christ* by Thomas à Kempis. Interested folks may attend in person or by ZOOM, or simply watch by live-stream. **If you would like to participate and need a copy of the book, please contact the Church Office** by Friday Noon this week, so that an order can be placed.

Given the number of **people living outdoors**, in the vicinity of St. George's, there is an opportunity for us to engage in a **hands-on ministry** of presence. This would involve walking around the neighbourhood and listening to and praying with people, as requested. **A meeting to discuss this possibility has been scheduled for Sunday, September 20th, at approximately 1:00 pm.**