



## Happy Father's Day!!!

Today, after the 10 a.m. service, we will all head to **St. Martin's In The Woods Church** (3394 Route 134 Shediac Cape NB E4P 3J2) for the **Church Picnic**. Please join us for food, fellowship and fun!

There have been **two recent and significant developments** impacting services in the downtown area: **shower facilities have been discontinued at the Peace Center** as has been the daily **breakfast at the Salvation Army**. To that end, we are seeking **volunteers on weekday mornings from 8:00 am to 9:30 am** to assist with the added requests. This would involve offering breakfast; as well as accessing towels, soap, razors, and socks for those who need them. If you are interested in helping, please contact the Office. Thank you!

**Summer book reading will begin on June 24th:** If you are interested in reading **'The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe'** by C.S. Lewis in-person or by Zoom, if you need the Zoom link, please contact the office.

Something to do! Last summer while we were in the throes of the pandemic, a **weekly Sunday School Lesson** was emailed. It went to parents and to grandparents, and to anyone who wanted to use it or pass it on. If you **are interested in receiving this again** – or if you would be willing to help with it – please contact the Rector.

The documentary, **'Doctrine of Discovery'** will be shown in the Church Hall at **7:00pm on Monday, June 28<sup>th</sup>**. It is approximately one hour long. Everyone is welcome.

You may have noticed the **beautiful flowers** in the shape and pattern of the Shield of St. George. Many thanks to our Beavers, Cubs and scouts and their leaders for this, and for planting the garden boxes. If you would like to **help out with the watering** of these boxes, please let Esther know in the Church Office.



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

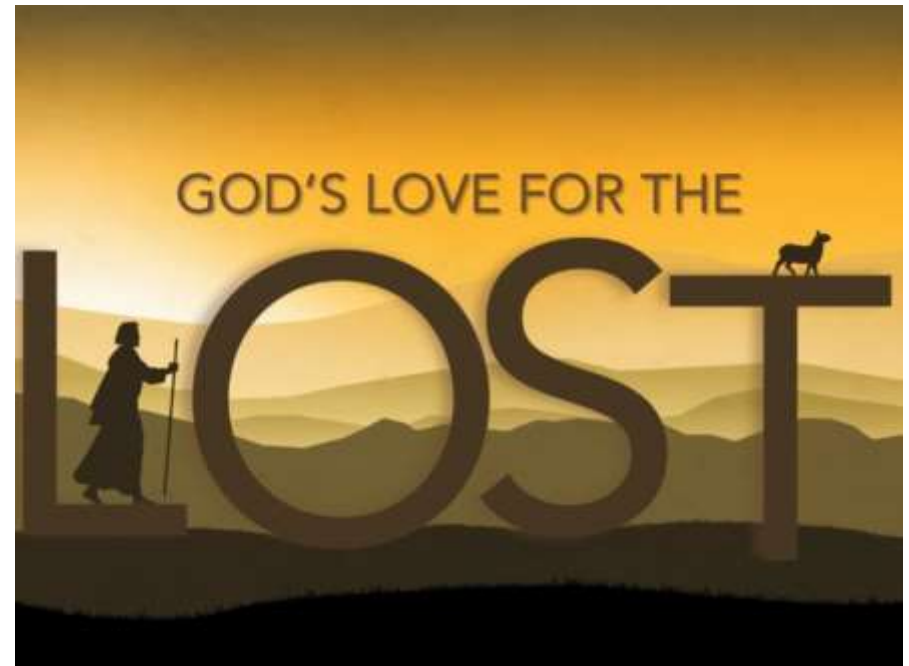


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*Jesus Christ the Same, Yesterday, Today and Forever*

### Third Sunday After Trinity June 20, 2021



**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](mailto:cdingwell@gmail.com)

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### Third Sunday After Trinity – June 20, 2021

#### 8:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST

Introit Psalm: 25. 16-22	p. 359
Collect for Purity:	p. 67
The Collect	p. 221
The Epistle	p. 221
Gradual Psalm: 7. 9-12	p. 336
The Holy Gospel	p. 222

#### 9:15 A.M. MORNING PRAYER

Psalm 26	p. 359
First Lesson: Joshua 3.	(Pew Bible page 198)
Second Lesson : Mark 3. 20-end	(Pew Bible page 803)

#### 10:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST

Introit Psalm (sung) *Turn thee unto me, and have mercy upon me. O lord; for I am desolate, and in tribulation: look thou on mine affliction, and my travail; and forgive me all mine iniquities, O my God. Unto thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul: my God, in thee have I trusted; let me never be confounded. Glory be...*

Hymn: **401** (St. Denio)

Children's Talk

Collect for Purity	p. 67
The Ten Commandments	p. 68
Kyrie	p. 70
The Collect	p. 221
The Epistle	p. 221
Gradual Psalm: 7. 9-12	p. 336
The Holy Gospel	p. 222
The Nicene Creed	p. 71

Hymn before Homily: **568** (Slane)

The Homily

Offertory Hymn: **229** (Picardy)

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

Hymns during Communion: "Trouver Dans Ma Vie Ta Presence"

**792** (I Need Thee); **127** (Batty);

**236** (Dolomite Chant)

Gloria In Excelsis	p. 86
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Recessional Hymn: **424** (Knecht)

#### 5:00 P.M. EVENING PRAYER

Psalms 19, 20	pgs. 351, 352)
First Lesson: 1 Samuel 17. 1-11, 32-51	(Pew Bible page 261)
Second Lesson: Acts 2. 22-42 (43-end)	(Pew Bible page 878)

*"Let us remember before God the faithful departed."*

*Rachelle Leger, Clara Richard Daigle, Raul Campos, Mary Colbert*

*The Sanctuary Candle burns this week to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Bill Hodgson*

*The flowers on the Altar are given to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Allan and Carol Whatley by their son James Whatley*

*Amongst the faithful departed, we remember Pilot Officer Thomas Willard Percy Price of this parish who died June 24<sup>th</sup>, 1944. He is buried in France and awaits 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 in the Chapel at **8:30 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. Monday – Saturday**, respectively. In addition:

<b>Monday</b>	Bible Study	7:00 p.m.
<b>Tuesday</b>	Scouts	7:00 p.m.
<b>Wednesday</b>	Bible Study	10:00 a.m.
	Cubs & Beavers	6:30 p.m.
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>	10:00 am
	Book Reading	7:00 p.m.
<b>Saturday</b>	Community Breakfast	9:00 am

*Please join us at for the Picnic after the 10am Service*



*Happy 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary to Robert and Sheila Searle!*

*"Lord, my heart is not haughty, nor mine eyes lofty; neither do I exercise myself in great matters, or in things too high for me." Psalm 131.1*

## **The Rector's Corner**

So far in our little series on the First Nations leaders in the Church, we have heard of The Rev. Henry Budd, the first Indigenous person to be ordained in the Church of England in North America; and Kateri Tekakwetha, the “Lily of the Mohawks”. This week, with St. John the Baptist Day (June 24<sup>th</sup>) on the immediate horizon, let’s remember Secoudon (or Chkoudun), the sagamore of the whole St. John River.

In April, 1604, King Henry IV of France made a massive land grant to the Sieur de Monts, who had “rendered him essential service”. This territory included the Maritime Provinces, the greater part of Quebec; and more than half of New England. De Monts set out to view his gift with 120 emigrants – a group that included artisans of all trades, labourers and soldiers. After a month of sailing, they reached the southern coast of Nova Scotia and proceeded to explore the coast. Eventually they came to the Bay of Fundy, and on June 24<sup>th</sup> they entered the Harbor of Saint John. Of this harbor, Champlain wrote in his memoir “Voyages”:

“(It lays) at the mouth of the largest and deepest river we had yet seen which we named the River Saint John, because it was on this saint’s day that we arrived there.”

And that’s how the St. John River got its name. But onto the next part of the story. Not far up the river, the explorers came to Ouigoudy, the village and headquarters of Secoudon. Located on what is known as Navy Island, now attached to the shoreline, across from the present-day Reversing Falls Bridge, they met Secoudon. Surrounding his camp were a variety of trees. Within it were several cabins, large and small. One of these was actually a “long house” that served as both a council chamber and a residence. When the newcomers arrived, there were between 80 and 100 members of the village having a feast which they called, “Tabagie”.

As part of the greeting process, Chief Secoudon made his warriors pass before the guests. The thing is, the newcomers were welcomed by the Maliseet Chief and his people. In fact, Secoudon went a step farther: in good faith, he became an unofficial ambassador. He

attended the religious Services offered on Sundays, and listened attentively even though he didn’t understand a word. But that’s not

all. Marc Lescarbot, a poet and lawyer who was on the expedition, said this of the Chief:

“He wore the sign of the cross upon his bosom, which he also had his servants wear; and he had in imitation of us a great cross erected in the public place called Ouigoudi at the port of the River Saint John.”

The scope of Chief Secoudon’s influence is astonishing. For example, “In 1605 he guided Champlain to an outcropping of copper ore on La Baye des Mines (Minas Basin) and later assisted Champlain and his companions when their pinnace (small boat) was wrecked. He also acted as a guide to the French on two voyages along the New England coast.” (from The Dictionary of Canadian Biography) In yet another instance, he formed a company of warriors from members of other tribes as far away as Gaspé.

Although we do not know the exact date of his death, the great Chief Secoudon had died by 1616, according to French missionary Priest Pierre Biard. As I think how the Chief welcomed and assisted the French explorers, and his testimony to the Cross, I cannot help but remember what Jesus said to His disciples: “When He, the Spirit of truth, comes, He will guide you into all the truth.” (St. John 16.13) May we be as willing as Secoudon to follow the prompting of the Holy Spirit.

### **Daily Bible Readings**

*A modified schedule from the Prayer Book’s Table of Lessons*

Sunday	I Samuel 7	Mark 3:13-end
Monday	I Samuel 8	Mark 4:1-34
Tuesday	I Samuel 9:1-25	Mark 4:35-5:20
Wednesday	I Samuel 9:26-10:16	Mark 5:21-end
Thursday	I Samuel 10:17-end	Mark 6:1-29
Friday	I Samuel: 11	Mark 6:30-end
Saturday	I Samuel 12	Mark 7:1-23

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## Congratulations to our Graduates



### High School

Lukas Chapman - BMHS

Hannah Lipton Levyssohn - BMHS

### Post Secondary

Makhaila Urquhart - UNB

*God is writing the  
next chapter of your life!*



### June 2021 Vestry Meeting Briefs

- The Finance Committee reported that revenue from January 1 to May 31, 2021 was \$87,107 with expenses totalling \$92,594. Vestry is thankful to all parishioners who have continued with their weekly donations.
- The Group Committee reported that the Scouts, Cubs and Beavers have been involved in many outdoor activities, one of them being helping with the “Heavenly Greens” project.
- The Property Committee reported that the contracted projects are underway. Worthy of note is the painting of the church foundation. Unfortunately, the repairs to the other two sides of the Bell Tower have been delayed to Summer 2022.
- The Audio-Visual Upgrade was again discussed with the focus being on completing the necessary work on improving the sound by the fall. The Committee (The Rector, David Jessop, James Whatley and Bill Millett) is authorized to spend the money allotted to St. George’s by the Diocese.
- The Green Space Project “Heavenly Greens” is well underway. Many thanks to the Scouts, Beavers and Cubs for their participation and to all individuals who have donated items needed for the garden. (Soil, soil mix, pallets, wheelbarrow and rain collection barrel etc.)
- The daily breakfast program will be monitored over the summer as to viability and required needs. There are enough volunteers to facilitate the program.
- The need for showers will also be monitored over the summer. With the loss of showers at the Peace Centre, the City has agreed to fund the renovations that Vestry approved earlier (installation of a new shower). If the need warrants it, Vestry has agreed to investigate the installation of a second shower in the fall using funding from community organizations.
- The next Vestry Meeting will be held on Monday September 13, 2021.