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St. John's, Peggy's Cove (1883)
St. Peter's, Hackett's Cove (1870)

"A Part of the Whole People of God. Serving Christ. Providing Hospitality, Outreach and Celebrating God's Blessings."

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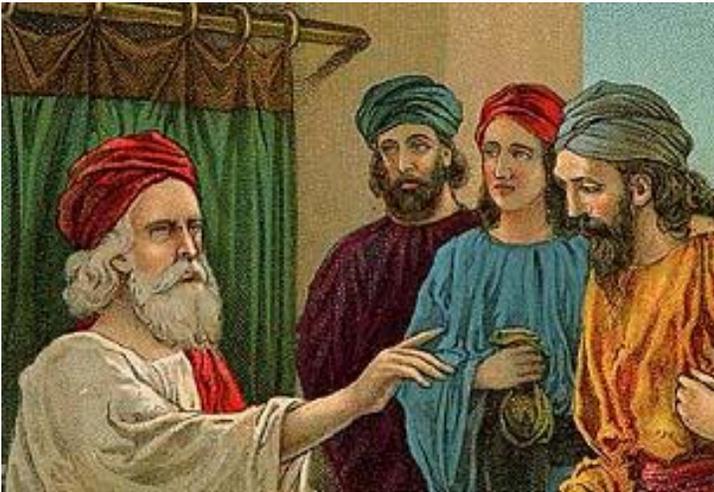
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November 15th, 2020
24th Sunday after Pentecost

Service of Holy Communion
9am St. Andrew's and 10:30 am at St. Peter's

Opening Hymn: CP # 601 God, Whose Giving

God, whose giving knows no ending, from your rich and endless store—
nature's wonder, Jesus' wisdom, costly cross, grave's shattered door—
gifted by you, we turn to you, offering up ourselves in praise;
thankful song shall rise forever, gracious Donor of our days.

Skills and time are ours for pressing toward the goals of Christ, your Son:
all at peace in health and freedom, races joined, the Church made one.
Now direct our daily labor, lest we strive for self alone.
Born with talents, make us servants fit to answer at your throne.

Treasure, too, you have entrusted, gain through powers your grace
conferred,
ours to use for home and kindred, and to spread the gospel word.
Open wide our hands in sharing, as we heed Christ's ageless call,
healing, teaching, and reclaiming, serving you by loving all.

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The Collect of the Day

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading—Zephaniah 1:7,12-18

Be silent before the Lord GOD! For the day of the LORD is at hand;
the LORD has prepared a sacrifice, he has consecrated his guests. At that
time I will search Jerusalem with lamps, and I will punish the people who
rest complacently on their dregs, those who say in their hearts,
"The LORD will not do good, nor will he do harm." Their wealth shall be

plundered, and their houses laid waste. Though they build houses, they shall not inhabit them; though they plant vineyards, they shall not drink wine from them. The great day of the LORD is near, near and hastening fast; the sound of the day of the LORD is bitter, the warrior cries aloud there. That day will be a day of wrath, a day of distress and anguish, a day of ruin and devastation, a day of darkness and gloom, a day of clouds and thick darkness, a day of trumpet blast and battle cry against the fortified cities and against the lofty battlements. I will bring such distress upon people that they shall walk like the blind; because they have sinned against the LORD, their blood shall be poured out like dust, and their flesh like dung. Neither their silver nor their gold will be able to save them on the day of the LORD's wrath; in the fire of his passion the whole earth shall be consumed; for a full, a terrible end he will make of all the inhabitants of the earth. The Word of the Lord; **Thanks be to God! Amen**

Psalm 90:1-8, (9-11), 12 **Domine, refugium**

- 1 Lord, you have been our refuge ***from one generation to another.**
- 2 Before the mountains were brought forth, or the land and the earth were born, ***from age to age you are God.**
- 3 You turn us back to the dust and say, ***"Go back, O child of earth."**
- 4 For a thousand years in your sight are like yesterday when it is past
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and like a watch in the night.
- 5 You sweep us away like a dream; ***we fade away suddenly like the grass.**
- 6 In the morning it is green and flourishes; ***in the evening it is dried up and withered.**
- 7 For we consume away in your displeasure; ***we are afraid because of your wrathful indignation.**
- 8 Our iniquities you have set before you, ***and our secret sins in the light of your countenance.**
- 9 [When you are angry, all our days are gone; ***we bring our years to an end like a sigh.**
- 10 The span of our life is seventy years, perhaps in strength even eighty; ***yet the sum of them is but labor and sorrow, for they pass away quickly and we are gone.**
- 11 Who regards the power of your wrath? ***who rightly fears your indignation?]**
- 12 So teach us to number our days ***that we may apply our hearts to wisdom.**

Epistle 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

Now concerning the times and the seasons, brothers and sisters, you do not need to have anything written to you. For you yourselves know very well that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night. When they say, "There is peace and security," then sudden destruction will come upon them, as labor pains come upon a pregnant woman, and there will be no escape! But you, beloved, are not in darkness, for that day to surprise you like a thief; for you are all children of light and children of the day; we are not of the night or of darkness. So then let us not fall asleep as others do, but let us keep awake and be sober; for those who sleep sleep at night, and those who are drunk get drunk at night. But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, and put on the breastplate of faith and love, and for a helmet the hope of salvation. For God has destined us not for wrath but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us, so that whether we are awake or asleep we may live with him. Therefore encourage one another and build up each other, as indeed you are doing. *The Word of the Lord; **Thanks be to God! Amen***

Gradual Hymn:

CP # 543 Unto the Hills

Unto the hills around do I lift up My longing eyes;
O whence for me shall my salvation come, From whence arise?
From God the Lord doth come my certain aid,
From God the Lord, who heaven and earth hath made.

He will not suffer that thy foot be moved: safe shalt thou be.
No careless slumber shall His eyelids close, who keepeth thee.
Behold, our God, the Lord, He slumbereth ne'er,
Who keepeth Israel in His holy care.

Jehovah is Himself thy keeper true, thy changeless shade;
Jehovah thy defense on thy right hand Himself hath made.
And thee no sun by day shall ever smite;
No moon shall harm thee in the silent night.

From every evil shall He keep thy soul, from every sin;
Jehovah shall preserve thy going out, thy coming in.
Above thee, watching, He whom we adore
Shall keep thee henceforth, yea, for evermore.

Gospel

Matthew 25: 14-30

*The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew; **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ*** Jesus said, "It is as if a man, going on a journey, summoned his slaves and entrusted his property to them; to one he gave five talents, to another two, to another one, to each according to his ability.

Then he went away. The one who had received the five talents went off at once and traded with them, and made five more talents. In the same way, the one who had the two talents made two more talents. But the one who had received the one talent went off and dug a hole in the ground and hid his master's money. After a long time the master of those slaves came and settled accounts with them. Then the one who had received the five talents came forward, bringing five more talents, saying, 'Master, you handed over to me five talents; see, I have made five more talents.' His master said to him, 'Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.' And the one with the two talents also came forward, saying, 'Master, you handed over to me two talents; see, I have made two more talents.' His master said to him, 'Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.' Then the one who had received the one talent also came forward, saying, 'Master, I knew that you were a harsh man, reaping where you did not sow, and gathering where you did not scatter seed; so I was afraid, and I went and hid your talent in the ground. Here you have what is yours.' But his master replied, 'You wicked and lazy slave! You knew, did you, that I reap where I did not sow, and gather where I did not scatter? Then you ought to have invested my money with the bankers, and on my return I would have received what was my own with interest. So take the talent from him, and give it to the one with the ten talents. For to all those who have, more will be given, and they will have an abundance; but from those who have nothing, even what they have will be taken away. As for this worthless slave, throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.'" *The Gospel of Christ; Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.*

Sermon: Rev'd Taunya Dawson

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Prayer for Our Parish

Bless guide and direct O Lord, each one of us, that we may be equipped and ready to do Your will for us.

Bless guide and direct our Parish, that as a body of believers, we may together reflect the light of God in our community.

We give thanks to You Lord, for the gift of Your Son, Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit that He sent to live within us. Help us to rely and trust always in Your Word Lord, to speak afresh to us, equipping us daily to be Your people. Amen

Prayer for St. Peter's Church

Lord we give thanks for the 150 years this Church has been a visible reminder to the community of the presence of God. As we move forward together, we ask for Your continuous blessing and guidance, that our church may continue to serve You, our God, in the years ahead. Amen

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The Celebration of Holy Communion

Prayer over the Gifts

God of constant love, in this eucharist you renew the covenant made once with us in baptism. As you are faithful in all things may we, in our offering, be faithful to our calling. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Communion Hymn: Fill My House

Fill my house unto the fullest. Eat my bread and drink my wine,
The love I bear is held from no one. All I have and all I do I give to you.

Take my time unto the fullest. Find in me the trust you seek,
Take my hands to you outreaching. All I have and all I do I give to you

Christ our Lord with love enormous, From the cross this lesson taught
Love all men as I have loved you. All I have and all I do I give to you

Join with me as one in Christ love, may our hearts all beat as one.
May we give ourselves completely. All I have and all I do I give to you

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Closing Hymn: CP #456 Love Divine

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of Heaven to earth come down;
Fix in us thy humble dwelling; all thy faithful mercies crown!

Jesus, Thou art all compassion, pure unbounded love Thou art;
Visit us with Thy salvation, enter every trembling heart.

Come, Almighty to deliver, let us all Thy grace receive;
Suddenly return, and never, nevermore Thy temples leave.

Thee we would be always blessing, serve Thee as Thy hosts above,
Pray and praise Thee without ceasing, glory in Thy perfect love.

Finish, then, Thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see Thy great salvation perfectly restored in Thee;

Changed from glory into glory, till in Heaven we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before Thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise.

The Dismissal

Lay Reader

Sung Blessing

*Go now in peace, never be afraid
God will go with you each hour of every day
Go now in faith, steadfast strong and true
Know He will guide you in all you do.
Go now in love and show you believe
Reach out to others, so all the world can see.
God will be there, watching from above,
Go Now in Peace, in faith and in love.*

PRAYER CORNER

✠ We pray for Cathy, Bill, Tom, Hunter, Breayla, Judy, Carol, Laura, Lillian, Hannah, Harold, Rev. Anna, William, Gregg, Kelli, Adeline, Marlene and David. (Want to add a name, call Rev. Taunya, 902-240-7588)

✠ **Parish Sponsor Child:** Maria Ramona Salinas Almada please pray for Maria & the Almada family.

✠ *Diocesan Cycle of Prayer*

Shelburne, Nova Scotia The Reverend Ed Trevors and Naniya Christ Church, Shelburne Union Church, Lower Ohio South Queens, Nova

Scotia The Reverend Cherry Workman The Reverend Judy Cross, Associate Parish Priest, and Glenn St. John's the Evangelist, Eagle Head Holy Redeemer, Port Medway St. Andrew's, Brooklyn Trinity, Liverpool St. James', Hunt's Point

✠ **Anglican-Lutheran Cycle of Prayer for Canada:**

ACC The members of the Council of General Synod
ELCIC The members of the National Church Council

Weekly Notices/Community Events

News from Parish Council Meeting:

The next Parish Council meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 16th, at 7 pm in St. Peter's Church – if you have COVID-19 concerns, this meeting can be attended/joined via Zoom meeting technology.

St. Peter's Parish, Wednesday Study/Fellowship Time: On November 18th, @ 1:00 pm, St. Peter's Parish Hall. The Office of Mid-day Prayers, BAS (with the assigned RCL Readings for Sunday) will be read at 12:30 pm prior to Study Group.

Holy Communion: If you don't feel you can return to church at this time, but you would like to receive Holy Communion please contact Rev'd Taunya, 902-240-7588 for more details

NEW – Mail slot:

Please note that there is now a "mail slot" in the door to the church by the parking lot. You can drop your church envelopes off in the slot if you wish, or any letters, etc. that you want to drop off.

A note from PWRDF: PWRDF's annual World of Gifts guide was to have been inserted in the October issue of the *Anglican Journal*. Due to circumstances beyond our control, the guide was not included in the mailing. *World of Gifts* will be coming soon to *Journal* subscribers. In the meantime, please let your Parish representatives know that people can still browse the gift guide online at <http://pwrdf.org/worldofgifts> and make their purchases 24/7.

Book Room: A reminder that whenever the church is open, St. Peter's Book Room is available for parishioners. Payment is on the honor system. Mike tells us that we just received a donation of a large number of jigsaw puzzles that will surely occupy those who "stay the blazes home".

Food Bank: NOVEMBER MONTHLY ITEMS – bars of soap, Kleenex, and dish detergent. They will, of course, accept all donations as there is sure to be a need during these difficult times.

Booking Blood Collection/X-rays on-line

This is the link for booking blood work or x-rays yourself (you don't have to wait on the telephone trying to get through). You can check all the clinics in the area to see what works best for you and your schedule.

<https://booking.nshealth.ca/qmaticwebbooking/index.html#/>

St. Margaret's Bay Senior Association is looking for donations of

costume or fashion jewellery: All that glitters is not gold, but it's often pretty and fun to wear and share. If you have pieces of costume or fashion jewellery in very good condition that you no longer wear, Bay Seniors would be grateful to have you donate them for a proposed upcoming activity. Jewellery donations can be dropped off at the Community Enterprise Centre, weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. or pushed through the mail slot to the left of the front door after hours. If you have any information on when and where the jewellery was purchased, please include it, but if you don't know or can't remember, we'll still appreciate having you donate it. And stay tuned for an announcement about some exciting plans we're working on!



Next week's Readings:

Ezekiel 34: 11-16, 20-24

Psalms 95: 1-7a

Ephesians 1: 15-23

Matthew 25: 31-46

Next Week's Services:

November 22, 2020 BAS

9:00 am St. Andrew's

10:30 am St. Peter's