

and guidance, that our church may continue to serve You our God in the years ahead. Amen

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The Peace

Offertory Hymn:
CP #180 Giver of Perfect Gift

Giver of the perfect gift, only hope of human race,
hear the prayer our hearts uplift trembling at thy throne of grace.

Though the accusing voice within speaks of many a wrong to thee,
thou canst cleanse from every sin, thou canst set the conscience free.

Who can save us, Lord, but thou? Let thy mercy show thy power;
lo, we plead thy promise now, now, in this accepted hour.

Oh! may these our Lenten days, blessed by thee, with thee be passed,
that with purer, nobler praise we may keep thy feast at last.

God the Holy Trinity, grant the mercy we implore;
God the One, all praise to thee through the ages evermore.

The Celebration of Holy Communion

Prayer over the Gifts

God of mercy and compassion, your Word calls us home to faith and love. Accept all we offer you this day, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen

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Communion Hymn:
CP #74 For the Bread which you have broken

For the bread which you have broken,
for the wine which you have poured,
for the words which you have spoken,
now we give you thanks, O Lord.

By this pledge that you do love us,
by your gift of peace restored,

by your call to heaven above us,
hallow all our lives, O Lord.

In your service, Lord, defend us,
help us to obey your word;
in the world to which you send us,
let your kingdom come, O Lord!

Prayer after Communion

Giver of life, you enlighten all who come into the world. Fill our hearts with the splendour of your grace, that we may perfectly love you and worthily praise your holy name, through Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen

Closing Prayers **Page 214**

Announcements **Rev'd Taunya Dawson**

Closing Hymn:
CP #486 Love Divine, all loves excelling

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of Heave 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.

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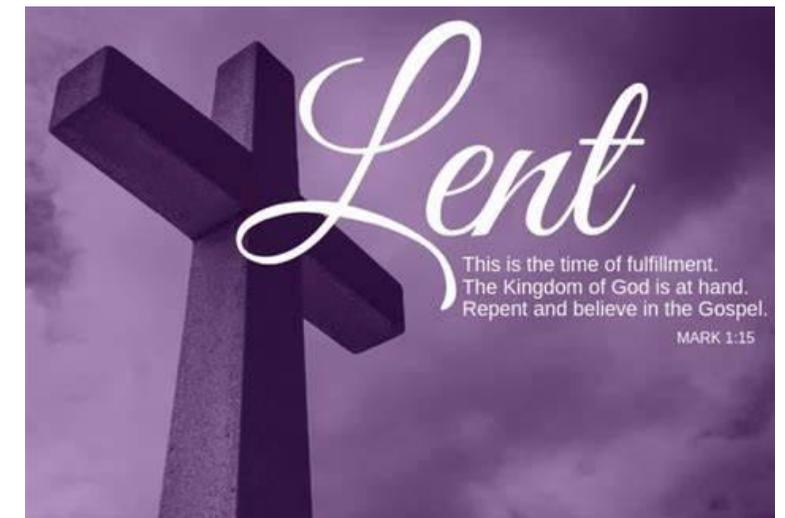
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14 MARCH 2021

FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

9:00 am St. Peter's Church, Hackett's Cove
10:30 am St. Andrew's, Indian Harbour

Service of Holy Communion, according to the Rite of the Book of Alternate Services (BAS)

Opening Hymn:

CP #306 O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

O for a thousand tongues to sing my dear Redeemer's praise,
The glories of my God and King, the triumphs of his grace!

Jesus! the name that charms our fears, that bids our sorrows cease,
'tis music in the sinner's ears, 'tis life and health and peace.

He speaks, and, listening to his voice, new life the dead receive,
The mournful broken hearts rejoice, the humble poor believe.

Hear him, ye deaf, ye voiceless ones, your loosened tongues employ;
ye blind, behold your Saviour come, and leap, ye lame, for joy!

My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim,
to spread through all the earth abroad the honours of thy name.

Gathering of the Community

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Collect of the Day

Gracious Father, whose blessed Son Jesus Christ came from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world, evermore give us this bread, that he may live in us, and we in him, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

The Proclamation of the Word

Old Testament Reading Numbers 21: 4-9

From Mount Hor they set out by the way to the Red Sea, to go around the land of Edom; but the people became impatient on the way. The people spoke against God and against Moses, "Why have you brought us up out of Egypt to die in the wilderness? For there is no food and no water, and we detest this miserable food." Then the LORD sent poisonous serpents among the people, and they bit the people, so that many Israelites died. The people came to Moses and said, "We have sinned by speaking against the LORD and against you; pray to the LORD to take away the serpents from us." So, Moses prayed for the people. And the LORD said to Moses, "Make a poisonous serpent, and set it on a pole; and everyone who is bitten shall look at it and live."⁹ So Moses made a serpent of bronze, and put it upon a pole; and whenever a serpent bit someone, that person would look at the serpent of bronze and live. *The Word of the Lord; Thanks be to God! Amen*

Psalm 107: 1-3, 17-22

1 Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, ***and his mercy endures for ever.**

2 Let all those whom the Lord has redeemed proclaim ***that he redeemed them from the hand of the foe.**

3 He gathered them out of the lands; ***from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.**

17 Some were fools and took to rebellious ways; ***they were afflicted because of their sins.**

18 They abhorred all manner of food ***and drew near to death's door.**

19 Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble, ***and he delivered them from their distress.**

20 He sent forth his word and healed them ***and saved them from the grave.**

21 Let them give thanks to the Lord for his mercy ***and the wonders he does for his children.**

22 Let them offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving ***and tell of his acts with shouts of joy.**

Epistle Ephesians 2: 1-10

You were dead through the trespasses and sins in which you once lived, following the course of this world, following the ruler of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work among those who are disobedient. All of us once lived among them in the passions of our flesh, following the desires of flesh and senses, and we were by nature children of wrath, like everyone else. But God, who is rich in mercy, out of the great love with which he loved us even when we were dead through our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved—and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, so that in the ages to come he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God—not the result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are what he has made us, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand to be our way of life. *The Word of the Lord; Thanks be to God! Amen*

Gradual Hymn:

CP #522 Rock of Ages

Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in Thee;
Let the water and the blood, from Thy riven side which flowed,
Be of sin the double cure, save me from its guilt and power.

Not the labours of my hands can fulfill Thy law's demands;
Could my zeal no respite know, could my tears forever flow,
All for sin could not alone: Thou must save, and Thou alone.

Nothing in my hand I bring, simply to Thy cross I cling;
Naked, come to Thee for dress, helpless, look to Thee for grace:
Foul, I to the fountain fly, wash me, Saviour, or I die.

While I draw this fleeting breath, when mine eyelids shall close in death,
When I soar through tracts unknown, see Thee on Thy judgment throne,
Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in Thee.

Gospel John 3: 14-21**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. "Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him. Those who believe in him are not condemned; but those who do not believe are condemned already, because they have not believed in the name of the only Son of God. And this is the judgment, that the light has come into the world, and people loved darkness rather than light because their deeds were evil. For all who do evil hate the light and do not come to the light, so that their deeds may not be exposed. But those who do what is true come to the light, so that it may be clearly seen that their deeds have been done in God." *The Gospel of Christ. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.*

Sermon: The Rev'd Taunya Dawson

The Nicene Creed

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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

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.
Amen, Amen, Amen.*

Prayer Corner

✠ **We pray for:** Tara, Cathy, Tom, Hunter, Breayla, Judy, Carol, Laura, Lillian, Hannah, Harold, Rev'd. Anna, William, Gregg, Adeline, David, Cheryl, Betty Anne, Rodney, Faye, Barbara, Daisy, Alicia and Sofia. *If you want a name added, call Rev. Taunya (902-240-7588).*

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

✠ Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:

Canso, Nova Scotia The Reverend Susan Slater and Lief – All Saints by the Sea, Canso; Holy Trinity, Whitehead; Christ Church, Queensport; Good Shepherd, Tor Bay; St. James', Halfway Cove and Christ Church, Guysborough.

Three Harbours, Nova Scotia Archdeacon Sue Channen and Bob – St. Paul's, Antigonish; St. Mary's, Bayfield and Holy Trinity, Country Harbour

✠ Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

Iglesia Anglicana de Chile

✠ Anglican-Lutheran Cycle of Prayer for Canada:

ACC The Rt. Rev. Bruce Myers, Bishop, and the people and clergy of the Diocese of Quebec

ELCIC Bishop Jason Zinko, the people and rostered ministers of the Manitoba/Northwestern Ontario Synod

Worship Schedule

Online Worship. During the COVID-19 restrictions, online services are available on SoundCloud at "Taunya J. Dawson," and the Facebook Group "St. Peter's Parish, Hackett's Cove Virtual Anglican Church."

Next Week Service **21 March 2021 BAS HC**

Fifth Sunday in Lent

10:30 am St. Peter's Church, Hackett's Cove
Combined Service

Readings: Jeremiah 31: 31-34 Psalm 51: 11-18
 Hebrews 5: 7-10 John 12: 20-33

Parish Council Induction Service will be held at this combined service on March 21st, 2021 at St. Peter's Church.

Weekly Notices/Community Events

Weekly Study, Wednesdays 1pm - 2pm, "Back to the Basics Bible Study" begins with Prayers at Mid-day (BAS) with as short reflection from "Forward Day by Day" and continues with a study of readings for the coming Sunday. Occasionally the study is rescheduled for Thursday or Friday, please provide Rev'd Taunya with an e-mail address or telephone number if you plan to attend, so that we can notify you of a change in schedule. While the study is in session the church is open for private prayer. Enter through the parish hall door and sign the COVID-19 tracing sheet.

Lenten Study: "Pathways to Prayer" presentation will be posted Tuesday evenings (March 16th & 23rd) @ 7pm in the Facebook "Virtual Anglican Church" and on the SoundCloud "Taunya J. Dawson" account. Learn different ways to pray through art, liturgy, music, hands on activities, pilgrimage and so on. Evening Prayers will also be available.

Messy Church

2021 March 20th – St. Peter's Church Hackett's Cove announces **Messy Church – hold the date – Saturday March 20th:** We will be holding an in-person messy church on Saturday, March 20th from 11 am to 1:30 pm. This will be an event for children ages 3 years to 17 years. The event will be Easter themed and we require an RSVP to ensure that we have enough space to social distance (COVID-19 requirements) during the event. We will be offering a light pre-packaged lunch. Parents are welcome to participate but also have to register. Location 10030 Peggy's Cove Road – St. Peter's Church, Hackett's Cove. To reserve a spot please e-mail or call Kathleen Bugbee at kbugbee@eastlink.ca or 902-823-3001. Please note that if we have to cancel for COVID-19 reasons your Messy Church activities package will be dropped off at your home. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Kathleen.

Food Bank. March Monthly Items – during these COVID-19 times, the food bank is getting more clients with special dietary needs for March they are requesting sugar-free or no sugar added items be donated. Also, scent-free deodorants, laundry detergent, and dish

soap. Also, items can be dropped off at the Food Bank from Tuesday to Saturday between 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

News from Parish Council. Next meeting is scheduled for March 22nd, 2021 – Monday at 7:00 pm in St. Peter's Church.

Bay Rides. WANT TO GET OUT FOR A DRIVE? Thanks to the Covid-19 Emergency Community Support Fund and the United Way, Bayrides is able to offer transportation to people who are feeling isolated. This service is designed for people who don't have access to a car. If you are feeling cooped up and would like to go for a drive in the St. Margaret's Bay area please call Lynn at the Bayrides dispatcher at 902-820-6600. www.bayrides.ca

St. Peter's Book Room. A reminder that whenever the church is open, the Book Room is available for parishioners. Payment is on the honour system.