

This Week at St. John's

Office Hours: Mon, Wed-Fri; 8:00am – 2:30pm

Monday	All Day	Gym Reserved for Pickleball
	6:00pm	Cubs in Gym
Tuesday	All Day	Office Closed – Remembrance Day
	8:30am	Martha's Pantry
	1:00pm	Ladies' Bible Study
	7:00pm	Choir Practice
	7:00pm	Ski Patrol in Gym
Wednesday	9:00am	Prayer Meeting
	10:00am	Holy Eucharist & Bible Study
	2:00pm	Under the Tent Ministry
	2:00pm	Discipleship and Vocation Teaching Series
	7:00pm	"Remember When" Group
	7:00pm	Discipleship and Vocation Teaching Series
Thursday	8:00am	Community Food Smart Program
	6:00pm	Beavers and Scouts in Gym
Friday	All Day	Christmas Bazaar Preparation
Saturday	9:00am – Noon	Christmas Bazaar

Note: The Church Office is open from 2:30pm to 4:30pm by appointment. Please call ahead if you plan to stop by the Church during this timeframe.

Contact Information

Honorary Assistants:	Rev. Canon Bruce McKenna Rev. David Peer Rev. Canon Keith Osborne
Wardens:	Bill MacKenzie and Nancy Stephens
Treasurer:	Ben Mersereau
Custodian:	Darrell Jones
Parish Administrator:	Josh McDorman (506-458-9411) (SJEChurch75@gmail.com)



We acknowledge that the land on which we gather is the traditional unceded territory of the Wolastoqiyik (Maliseet) and Mi'kmaq Peoples.

St. John the Evangelist Church

www.75mainstreet.org
(November 9th, 2025)



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Remembrance Sunday

Holy Eucharist: 8:30am and 10:30am

Officiant: Rev. Canon Bruce McKenna

Worship Leader: Pat Wilcox

Jesus Christ is the first-born of the dead;
to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

Revelation 1:5-6

Collect

Eternal God,

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 Saviour Jesus Christ,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

This Week's Service

Remembrance Sunday; November 9th, 2025

Service of Holy Eucharist

Officiant:	Rev. Canon Bruce McKenna
Worship Leader:	Pat Wilcox
Lay Reader 8:30am:	Ben Mersereau
Lay Reader 10:30am:	Michael Clark
8:30am Streaming:	Bill MacKenzie
10:30am Audio/Video:	Minna Harjupanula
Reading of the Honour Roll:	Dennis Williams
Prayer Corner:	Nancy Stephens and Keith Osborne
Counters/Greeters:	Wayne Knorr and Connie Ballard
Chancel Guild:	Susan Baldwin

Opening Hymn:	<i>O God Our Help in Ages Past</i>
First Reading:	<i>Lamentations 3:17-26, 31-33</i>
Psalm:	<i>Psalms 46 (p. 388 BCP)</i>
Children's Church	
Second Reading:	<i>Romans 8:18-28</i>
Gradual Hymn:	<i>For I'm Building a People of Power</i>
Gospel:	<i>John 11:21-27</i>
Sermon	
Offertory Hymn:	<i>Make Me A Channel Of Your Peace</i>
Hymns during Holy Communion:	<i>Love Divine</i>
	<i>Be Still and Know</i>
	<i>Give Thanks to The Lord</i>
Closing Hymn:	<i>Jesus Shall Reign</i>

Next Week's Services

Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost; November 16th, 2025

Service of Morning Prayer

Officiant:	Bill MacKenzie
Worship Leader:	Joan Pain
Lay Reader 8:30am:	RuthAnn LeBarron
Lay Reader 10:30am:	Minna Harjupanula
8:30am Streaming:	Nancy Stephens
10:30am Audio/Video:	Louisa Rice
Counters/Greeters:	Ruth Lawrence and Carol Jones

Isaiah 65:17-25

2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Isaiah 12 (canticle)

Luke 21:5-19

Parish Intercessions

Joe and Lynda Wood, Jack and Fran Demmons, Betsy and Jim O'Donnell, Kristell Unick, Llewellyn Brewer, Loretta Doak, Jackie Spencer, Trevor Price, Dylan and Sophia Barton, Robee Titus, Jeannie Donald, Carol Gourley, Clark and Pat Wilcox, Leona O'Donnell, Donna Bartley, Betty Clowater, Carolyn Scott, Miriam Laskey, Cynthia, Elijah, Roger Stephens, Colton Burns, Daphne Curtis, Kitty Donelan, Brian Jones, Gerry Stone, Susan, Harold Rice, Adam Reid, Dianna Lyons, Shelley Clowater Estey, Sheila Christensen, Heather Smith, Fran Purdue, Rachel Lewis.

Intercessions for the Church

The Church in the Province of the West Indies, Acting Primate Philip Wright. Anglican Church of Canada, Archbishop Shane Parker. Diocese of Québec, Bishop Bruce Myers. Diocese of Ho, Bishop Matthias. Diocese of Yukon, Bishop Lesley Wheeler-Dame, Telegraph Creek (BC): St. Aidan. Archbishop David, diocesan clergy and their families.

For our Missionaries at home and abroad: Paul Jeffries in Uganda; Terrance and Jasmin Chandra in Saint John; Under the Tent Ministry, Martha's Pantry; Erin Rideout, Cpt. Bonnie Hunt, and the Inner City Youth Ministry.

Prayer for Discernment

Heavenly Father, we thank you for your steadfast love and faithfulness to us as a church. We humbly ask that you increase our faith, hope and patience as we continue to trust in you for the person of your choice to be our new rector. As we wait, we invite you to do your deeper work in our midst so we will be prepared to receive the one you are calling to serve here at St. John's. In the meantime, we give you thanks once again for our honorary assistants, David, Bruce and Keith. Grant them your strength as they faithfully minister to us during this time of transition. These things we ask in the Name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Today

Counter/Greeter Meeting

Sunday, November 9th – after the 10:30am Service

We are asking all Counters/Greeters to please gather after the 10:30am service **today** if you are able. We'll be having a quick meeting to go over the new process regarding locking the doors during Church Services.

Please attend if you are able!

Upcoming Events

St. John's Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, November 15th – 9AM to Noon

It's that time of year again! Save the date on **November 15th** and stop by the Church from **9AM to Noon** to browse a selection of baked goods, crafts, and our white elephant table. Donations are welcome any time this week.

Installation of Canons/Collation of Archdeacons Christ Church Cathedral – Sunday, November 16th

You are invited to the Service of Installation of Canons (including our very own Rev. David Peer!) and Collation of Archdeacons; taking place at Christ Church Cathedral on **Sunday, November 16th, starting at 4:00PM.**

Renewal of Layreaders' Covenant Sunday, November 30th – 10:30am Service

Every year, our Layreaders reaffirm their commitment to ministry at St. John's Church. This is an important part of Layreading ministry, and we hope you can attend!



In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place, and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders fields.

In Flanders Fields

*By: Lieutenant Colonel John McCrae, MD (1872-1918) Canadian Army
Published by Punch 8 December 1915*

Message from Vestry

In the interest of keeping the congregation safe, especially our children, we will be locking the doors after the service begins.

Latecomers will need to ring the doorbell to get in.

We hope this will eliminate the safety concerns that have arisen due to disruptive individuals entering the Church on Sunday mornings. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

General Information

Children's Church Update

We are looking for a few more volunteers to assist with this program. If you have a heart for this Ministry and are able to help, please connect with the Church Office during the week.

Valuables on the Coat Rack

Please avoid leaving valuables in jacket pockets or on the coat rack while you are in the Church.

If you are unable to keep your valuables with you, the Church Office can be used to store them securely – just make sure to remember to pick them up before you leave!

Community Food Smart Program

Pick-up Date for November: November 13th
(This week!)

Order Date for December: December 4th (by noon)

2026 Church Calendars Available!

2026 Church Calendars have arrived!

Pickup yours today – available while supplies last.

Anglican Church of Canada Calendar: \$7.00 each

St. Peter's Publication Calendar: \$12.00 each

General Information (continued)

Choir Practice

Our Church Choir practices every Tuesday at 7PM.

All are welcome!

Martha's Pantry

Open every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month,
from 8:30am to 10:00am.

Parish Communication Consent Forms

If you would like to be added to the Parish List to be contacted for volunteer opportunities, or would like other parishioners to be able to contact you, please fill out and submit a Parish Communication Consent Form – available on the display rack in the front entry.

Please make sure you fill out all areas of the form.

Act of Remembrance

They shall grow not old,
as we that are left grow old;
Age shall not weary them,
nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun
and in the morning.
We will remember them.

All: We will remember them.