

This Week at St. John's

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

Monday	All Day	Pickleball in Gym
	6:00pm	Cubs in Gym
Tuesday	All Day	Sewing Group in Gym
	1:00pm	Ladies' Bible Study
	1:00pm	Women's Bible Study
	7:00pm	Choir Practice
Wednesday	7:00pm	Ski Patrol in Gym
	9:00am	Prayer Meeting
	10:00am	Morning Prayer and Bible Study
	2:00pm	Under the Tent Ministry
	2:00pm	Fall Book Study
	7:00pm	"Remember When" Group
	7:00pm	Fall Book Study
Thursday	10:00am	Coffee Club
	6:00pm	Beavers and Scouts in Gym

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

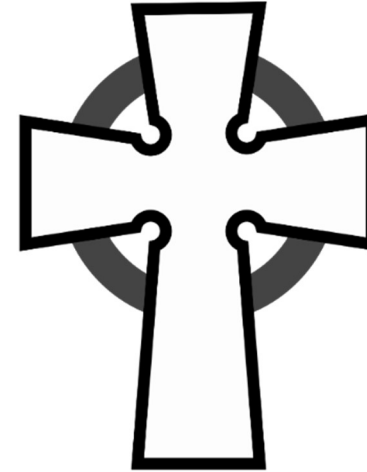
Please contact Josh at the Church Office if you need to connect with someone.



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 1st, 2026)



All Saints Sunday

International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church

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

Officiant: Rev. Canon David Peer

Worship Leader: Pat Wilcox

They are before the throne of God, and he who sits upon the throne will shelter them with his presence.

Revelation 7.15

Collect

Almighty God,

whose people are knit together in one holy Church, the mystical Body of your Son, grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you; through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

This Week's Service

All Saints Sunday; November 1st, 2026
International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church
Service of Holy Eucharist

Officiant:	Rev. Canon David Peer
Worship Leader:	Pat Wilcox
Lay Reader 8:30am:	Minna Harjupanula
Lay Reader 10:30am:	Michael Clark
8:30am Streaming:	Josh McDorman
10:30am Audio/Video:	Austin Crouse
Prayer Corner:	Jeannie Donald and Steve Hart
Counters/Greeters:	Nancy Stephens and Rachel Lewis
Chancel Guild:	Susan Baldwin
Opening Hymn:	<i>Praise The Lord, You Heavens Adore Him</i>
First Reading:	<i>Revelation 7:9-17</i>
Psalms:	<i>Psalms 34:1-10, 22 (p. 369 BCP)</i>
Gradual Hymn:	<i>Shine, Jesus, Shine</i>
Second Reading:	<i>1 John 3:1-3</i>
Gospel Reading:	<i>Matthew 5:1-12</i>
Sermon	
Offertory Hymn:	<i>For All The Saints</i>
Communion Hymns:	<i>Make Me A Channel of Your Peace</i> <i>Let Us Break Bread Together</i>
Closing Hymn:	<i>You Shall Go Out With Joy</i>

Next Week's Services

Remembrance Sunday; November 8th, 2026
Service of Holy Eucharist

Officiant:	Rev. Canon Keith Osborne
Worship Leader:	Joan Pain
Lay Reader 8:30am:	RuthAnn LeBarron
Lay Reader 10:30am:	Minna Harjupanula
8:30am Streaming:	Bill MacKenzie
10:30am Audio/Video:	Louisa Rice
Prayer Corner:	Betsy O'Donnell and Nancy Stephens
Counters/Greeters:	Connie Ballard and Laurel Lawrence
Chancel Guild:	Susan Baldwin
<i>Wisdom 3:1-9</i>	<i>1 Peter 1:3-9</i>
<i>Psalms 116:1-8</i> <i>(p. 481 BCP)</i>	<i>John 6:37-40</i>

Parish Intercessions

Joe and Lynda Wood, 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, Clark and Pat Wilcox, Leona O'Donnell, Donna Bartley, Betty Clowater, Carolyn Scott, Miriam Laskey, Cynthia, Elijah, Roger Stephens, Arthur and Michael, Colton Burns, Daphne Curtis, Kitty Donelan, Brian Jones, Susan, Harold Rice, Diana Lyons, Shelley Clowater Estey, Sheila Christensen, Heather Smith, Fran Purdue, Rachel Lewis, Philip Pain, Lillian Greenlaw, Barb Hawkins, Olive Harris, Dennis Williams, Nolan and Jo, Jenny, Doug, Rosalee, Ellen Matthews, Carol Mercer, David Zickwolf, Jean Stewart, Betty Anne McDorman, Kathryn, Mark, Rob, Kaylyn.

Intercessions for the Church

La Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America, Primate Ramón Ovalle. Council of the North, Diocese of Yukon, Bishop Vincent Fenga, people and clergy, synod office staff and members of the Diocesan Executive Committee, the vision of circle ministry and Ministers of Presence to fill vacant parishes and efforts to establish youth groups. Anglican Church of Canada, Archbishop Shane Parker. Diocese of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, Bishop Sandra Fyfe. Diocese of Ho, Bishop Matthias, Coadjutor Bishop Selorm Mereku. Archbishop David, retired bishop William, all clergy in this diocese 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, The Inner City Youth Ministry, and The Mission to Seafarers.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Heavenly Father, we rejoice and give You thanks for answering our prayers for a new rector. We are grateful for Your sustaining grace as we have waited on You to guide us to the right person at the right time. We welcome Rob as the one You have chosen. Fill him with your Holy Spirit and grant him wisdom to lead St. John's according to Your purposes and plans. May the Lord Jesus be glorified in and through his ministry. These things we pray in the name of Your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

New Rector Appointed for St. John's

The Archbishop has appointed the Reverend Rob Salloum as Rector in the Parish of Douglas and Nashwaaksis, effective Advent 1 (November 29), 2026. Rob, originally from Toronto, received an MDiv from Wycliff College in 2001 and has served in this Diocese since 2003, most recently in the Parish of Six Saints in Moncton. Rob also serves as a Chaplain in the Reserve Forces with the rank of Major. We look forward to welcoming Rob and his wife, Jennifer, to our parish. Please pray for them as they search to buy a house in Fredericton, that God would lead them to the right place at the right price.

Community Food Smart Program

Order Date for November: November 5th
(This week!)

Pick-up Date for November: November 12th

Shared Meal

Our next Shared Meal will be Friday, November 27th, starting at 5:30pm. All are welcome to join us in this time of fellowship.

Camp Medley Pool Project Fundraiser

Camp Medley is raising funds to build a new pool to replace the aging pool that is currently there. The new pool will be fully accessible, which will allow all children to benefit from it.

We are looking to raise \$5,000 as a parish in the next few months and are challenging other parishes in the Diocese to also raise that amount. Our hope is that enough money will be raised in the Diocese to unlock the money from the Clark Foundation.

When two of our kids were asked about the new pool, this is what they had to say:

Camp is really fun and the pool is part of that fun. Building a pool more people are able to use means they have a chance to have fun too.

Grace (age 8) and Clare (age 6)

Can you help our Parish raise \$5,000 by Christmas? Every little bit helps. A donation box will be placed on the table each Sunday for you to place donations in or you can include a donation towards the pool with your regular offering.

Donations in an envelope with a name will be tax receipted.

Martha's Pantry

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

If you are able to find the following items **on sale** they would be of great help to the pantry: Canned Milk and Cereal

Thank you for supporting this ministry!

Renewal of Layreader Vows

Sunday, November 29th at the 10:30am Service

Every year, our Layreaders reaffirm their commitment to their ministry at St. John's Church. We encourage all Layreaders to attend this important service.

Volunteer Request for Diocesan Synod November 7th at Christ Church Cathedral

The Synod Office has put out a request for volunteers to help with Diocesan Synod on November 7th at Christ Church Cathedral.

Please consider the following opportunities to assist with this important gathering:

- **Greeters:** Welcome attendees and assist with directions.
- **Parking Attendants:** Help direct vehicles with parking.
- **Kitchen Helpers:** Assist with general kitchen duties.
- **Coffee Stations:** Setup and replenish refreshments.
- **Catering Assistance:** Assist with setup and preparation for meal service.

Please note that volunteers may be asked to assist in other areas throughout the day as needs arise. Your flexibility and willingness to lend a hand wherever needed would be greatly appreciated.

Whether you can help for a couple of hours or all day, your time and support would be most welcome.

If you are able to help please contact the Synod Administrative Assistant, Susan Dickie, directly at sdickie@diofton.ca

Opportunities to help at St. John's Church

Services at St. John's Church involve a lot of volunteers who graciously offering their time and expertise in ensuring that everything runs smoothly. Please prayerfully consider assisting with the following duties if The Spirit calls you.

- Chancel Guild
- A/V (8:30am or 10:30am)
- Willing Wonders
- York Care Centre Anglican Service
- Children's Church
- Choir
- Greeters/Counters

Light in the Longing; Christ in the Waiting Advent Quiet Day with the Ven. Maria Shepherdson

Saturday, December 5th from 10:00am to 2:30pm
168 Church Street, Fredericton (Memorial Hall)
\$30 registration fee; lunch included

The Anglican Diocese of Fredericton invites you to an Advent Quiet Day, offering an opportunity to step away from the busyness of the season, rest, reflect, and prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ.

Throughout the day, the Ven. Maria Shepherdson will offer reflections to guide our time together, inviting us to slow down, listen for the quiet work of God, and make space for hope, peace, joy, and love.

As we enter this season of holy anticipation, we invite you to take time for prayer, reflection, and renewal.

To register, please go to:
nb.anglican.ca/events/light-in-the-longing-christ-in-the-waiting/2026-12-05

St. John's Church Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, November 21st from 9AM to Noon

Join us bright and early on Saturday, November 21st for our annual Christmas Bazaar! Fill in the gaps in your Christmas shopping list with treasures from all over, or take home a tasty treat to enjoy. Come early to ensure you get a chance to see all that there is to be seen!

Donations are welcome to be dropped off at the Church starting the week of November 15th. No clothing, please.

The Annual Farraline Place
2026 Fundraising Gala
Fredericton Inn on Saturday, November 14

Doors and bar open at 5pm

A Gourmet Dinner is served at 6pm by wait staff attired in white shirts and black ties. If a guest has special food considerations, please contact the Gala Coordinator, listed below.

Live entertainment is featured for your dining pleasure.

The dinner is followed by a 'Your Choice Auction' featuring something for everyone, from babies to grandparents.

Tickets are sold and a draw is made for each item.

The much anticipated 'Live Auction' tops off the evening's festivities. Something for everyone and always a great value.

And for the sweet tooth, an assortment of fresh baked goods and condiments is available for sale, as well.

Tickets are \$100 per person with an offsetting charitable receipt of \$50. Tickets for the Gala can be purchased or donations made by contacting Lynda Wood, Board Vice-Chair, 506-449-2477, or Chelsie Ogden, 506-455-6443, Farraline Place Administrator, or any Board member.

Farraline Place is the only non-profit senior residence in the province and the Gala is the largest fundraising event of each year. The Gala, with the support of Fredericton area businesses who generously support this event every year, and the patronage of all the guests who attend the event, allows us to meet the financial requirements needed to provide the comfortable, homelike environment for its residents as intended by its benefactors.

It would be our privilege to welcome you to this
prestigious yearly event.

Farraline Place Fundraising Campaign

A message from Lynda Wood, Board Vice-Chair

The Board of Farraline Place is embarking on a fundraising campaign to improve our finances. We are contacting all denominations of churches in the Fredericton area catch basin.

Here is an example of how individuals
can contribute economically:

If a congregation of 50 worshippers each contributed:

- (1.) \$2.00 per week for 4 weeks the donation would be \$400.00.
If 10 churches participated, the total would be \$4,000.00.
- (2.) \$5.00 per week for 4 weeks the donation would be \$1,000.00.
If 10 churches participated, the total would be \$10,000.00

Enough money to refurbish 1 out of 4 suites.

This is an example only, we appreciate any and all donations
regardless of the amount.

**Please mark donations as for Farraline Place if donating through
St. John's Church. To receive a tax receipt, please donate
directly to Farraline Place.**



1 North Korea
2 Somalia
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11 Afghanistan
12 India
13 Saudi Arabia
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15 Mali
16 Burkina Faso
17 China

18 Iraq
19 Maldives
20 Algeria
21 Mauritania
22 Central African Republic
23 Morocco
24 Cuba
25 Uzbekistan
26 Niger
27 Tajikistan
28 Laos
29 Congo DR (DRC)
30 Mexico
31 Tunisia
32 Nicaragua
33 Bangladesh
34 Bhutan

35 Turkmenistan
36 Ethiopia
37 Cameroon
38 Oman
39 Mozambique
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41 Turkey
42 Egypt
43 Comoros
44 Qatar
45 Kazakhstan
46 Nepal
47 Colombia
48 Chad
49 Jordan
50 Brunei

PERSECUTION IS REAL. IT IS A DAILY REALITY FOR MORE THAN 380 MILLION CHRISTIANS WORLDWIDE.

Every year, the World Watch List is produced which ranks the top 50 most dangerous countries to live in as a Christian. The World Watch List is based on a comprehensive scoring system that measures the degree of freedom Christians have in five key areas of life – private, family, community,

national and church life. These are then added to the amount of violence they experience to provide a final ranking.

Receive a free copy of the guide to learn more about each country on the list, with country specific prayer points.

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Email: idop@odcan.org
Download online: www.idop.ca/resources

Pray for Christians being Persecuted for their Faith

“Continue to remember those in prison as if you were together with them in prison, and those who are mistreated as if you yourselves were suffering.” Hebrews 13:3

1. Pray for Christians from different faith backgrounds in Ethiopia, like Sultan and Sophia. They face violent opposition from their families and the wider community. Pray that God will protect them and sustain their faith.
2. Give thanks that despite the risks, Sultan has been emboldened to share the gospel and has seen many people come to faith. Pray for the growth and protection of churches being planted in towns and villages in this region of Ethiopia.
3. Pray for Somali believers like Alif in Kenya who face the double blow of rejection from the Somali community and exclusion from indigenous Kenyan churches. Pray that they will find fellowship and encouragement in their faith.
4. Give thanks for the power of God’s word to transform lives. Pray for Alif as she works together with others to translate the Bible into local languages in Kenya. Pray that the Bibles can be freely distributed and read by many people.
5. Pray for pastors like Rajendra in India who face violence from extremists and criminalisation under the unjust anti-conversion laws. Pray for all those who are currently in prison or awaiting trial.
6. Give thanks for Rajendra’s ability to forgive his enemies and his desire to continue sharing the gospel, even with those who hate him. Pray that he will not face a further prison sentence and that many people will come to know Jesus through his work.
7. Give thanks that the darkness cannot overcome the light, and praise God for the opportunities that persecuted Christians have to show the love of Jesus in some of the least reached parts of the world.

Source: <https://voiceofpersecutedchristians.org/international-day-of-prayer-idop/>