

## This Week at St. John's

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

Monday	All Day	Easter Monday – Office Closed
Tuesday	All Day	Sewing Group in Gym
	1:00pm	Ladies' Bible Study
	7:00pm	Choir Practice
Wednesday	9:00am	Prayer Meeting
	10:00am	Morning Prayer and Bible Study
	2:00pm	Under the Tent Ministry
	7:00pm	"Remember When" Group
Thursday	8:00am	Community Food Smart
	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.

## Community Food Smart Program

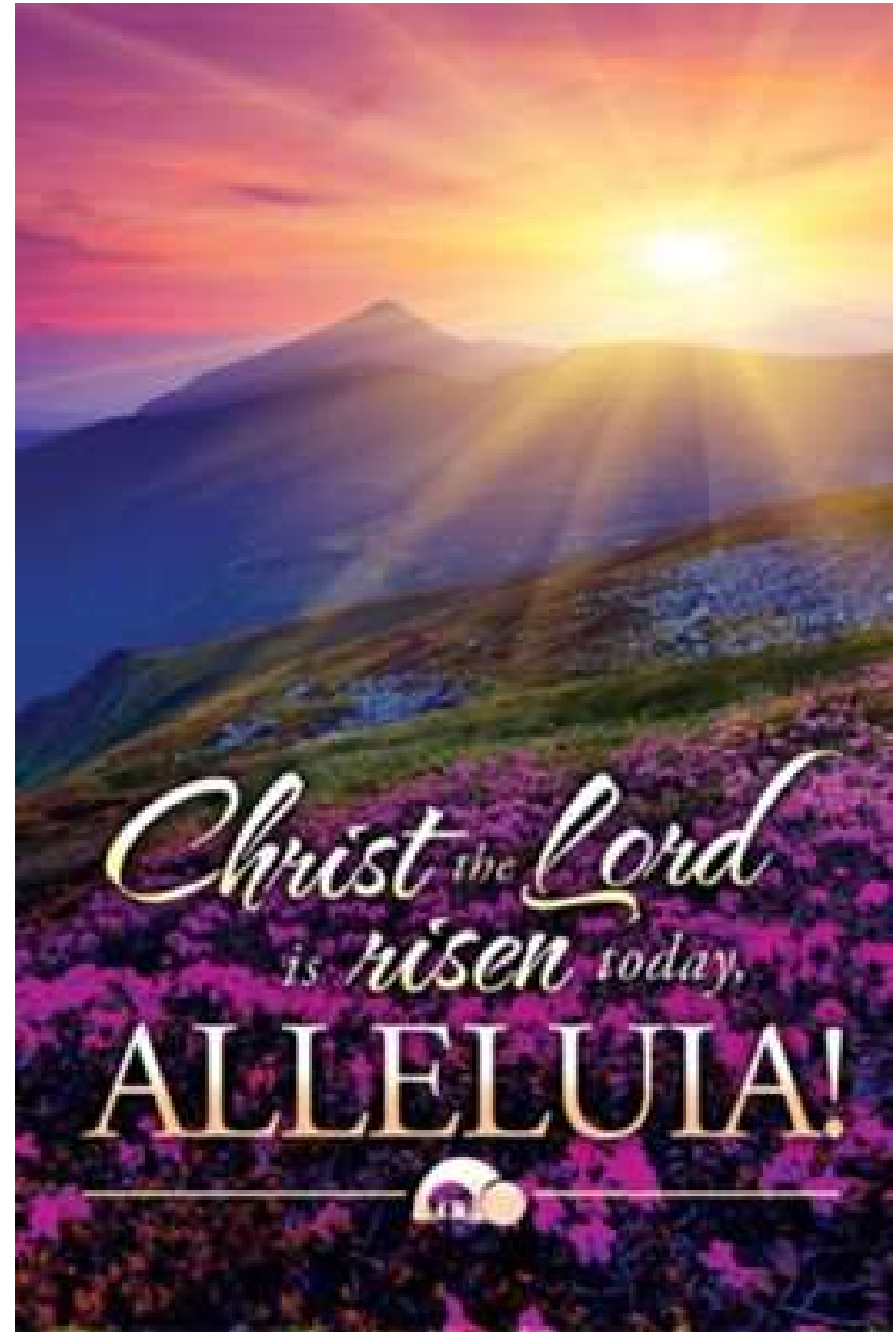
Order Date for May: May 7<sup>th</sup> (by noon)

Pick-up Date for April: April 9<sup>th</sup>

**(this week!)**



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  
(April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2026)

## Easter Sunday

Holy Eucharist: 8:30am

Holy Baptism: 10:30am

Officiant: Rev. Canon Keith Osborne

Worship Leader: Joan Pain

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us;  
therefore let us keep the feast.

*1 Corinthians 5:7-8*

### Collect

Lord of life and power,

through the mighty resurrection of your Son, you have overcome the  
old order of sin and death and have made all things new in him.

May we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, reign with  
him in glory, who with you and the Holy Spirit is alive,  
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

### This Week's Service

Easter Sunday; April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Service of Holy Baptism

Officiant:	Rev. Canon Keith Osborne
Worship Leader:	Joan Pain
Lay Reader 8:30am:	Ben Mersereau
Lay Reader 10:30am:	Eva Morton
8:30am Streaming:	Bill MacKenzie
10:30am Audio/Video:	Austin Crouse
Prayer Corner:	Nancy Stephens and Steve Hart
Counters/Greeters:	Sharyn Nicholls and Steve Hart
Chancel Guild:	Marjorie Boone and Kitty Donelan

Opening Hymn:	<i>Easter Jubilation</i>
First Reading:	<i>Jeremiah 31:1-6</i>
Psalm:	<i>Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 (p. 483 BCP)</i>
Second Reading:	<i>Colossians 3:1-4</i>
Gradual Hymn:	<i>Come, People of The Risen King</i>
Gospel:	<i>John 20:1-18</i>

Holy Baptism

Sermon

Offertory Hymn:

Communion Hymn:

Closing Hymn:

*Purify My Heart*

*Easter Hallelujah*

*Jesus Christ is Risen Today*

### Next Week's Services

Second Sunday of Easter; April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Service of Holy Eucharist

Officiant:	Rev. Canon David Peer
Worship Leader:	Pat Wilcox
Lay Reader 8:30am:	Bill MacKenzie
Lay Reader 10:30am:	Michael Clark
8:30am Streaming:	Nancy Stephens
10:30am Audio/Video:	Carol Jones
Prayer Corner:	Keith Osborne and Steve Hart
Counters/Greeters:	Carol Jones and Ruth Lawrence
Chancel Guild:	Marjorie Boone and Kitty Donelan

*Acts 2:14a, 22-32*

*Psalm 16*

*(p. 345 BCP)*

*1 Peter 1:3-9*

*John 20:19-31*

## General Information

### Shared Meal

Our next Shared Meal will be Friday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, starting at  
5:30pm. All are welcome to join us in this time of fellowship.

### Wednesday Prayer/Bible Study

Join us on Wednesdays at 9AM for a Prayer Meeting.

At 10AM we gather for a Service of Morning Prayer,

followed by a lectionary-based Bible Study.

All are welcome!

### Martha's Pantry

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

Thank you for supporting this ministry!

## 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, Arthur and Michael, 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, Philip Pain, Kim and Kelly Dobson, Lillian Greenlaw.

## Intercessions for the Church

La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico, Primate Sally Sue Hernández García. Council of the North, Diocese of Brandon, Bishop Rachael Parker, the Henry Budd College for Ministry in The Pas and coordinators, indigenous parishes of the Diocese. Anglican Church of Canada, Archbishop Shane Parker. Ecclesiastical Province of Canada, Archbishop David Edwards and the Provincial Council. Diocese of Ho, Bishop Matthias. Diocese of Yukon, Bishop-elect Vincent Fenga, Whitehorse: Church of the Northern Apostles and Christ Church Cathedral, the Very Rev Dr Vincent Fenga, the Rev Elsa Kolm Cheeseman, the Rev Dr Deb Bartlette, lay ministers David Robertson and Monica Dempster.  
**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 praise and thank You for Your many blessings on our church. We continue to pray and wait on You for a new rector. Please guide Archbishop David and the Parish Advisory Committee to the right person at the right time. Thank you again for our honourary assistants, David, Bruce and Keith. Grant them Your sustaining grace and anointing as they minister to us. These things we ask in the name of Your Son, our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

## Opportunity for Parish Leadership Development (Huron LTh Certificate)

Huron University's LTh Program is offering a series of online courses this spring focused specifically on parish administration and leadership and designed with wardens, treasurers, administrators, and lay readers in mind. Participants can take individual courses or work toward a certificate in Parish Administration and Leadership.

Because of our diocesan partnership with Huron, these courses are **free of charge**. When registering, simply select "Student in the Diocese of Fredericton" on the form.

Here's what's coming up (all times are Eastern Standard Time):

- April 11** (10:00AM – 3:30PM EST, Zoom) **Parish Administration 101** with The Ven. Tanya Phibbs. A helpful dive into the nuts and bolts of congregational life, ideal for anyone involved in parish leadership or operations.
- May 9** (10:00AM – 3:30PM EST, Zoom) **Congregational Growth and Evangelism** with The Rev. Canon Dr. Grayhame Bowcott. A thoughtful and practical look at how churches grow, build relationships, and engage missionally in their communities.
- June 13** (10:00AM – 3:30PM EST, Zoom) **Spiritual Leadership and Formation** with The Rev. Dr. Dawn Davis. An invitation to reflect on leadership as a spiritual practice, with tools to support both your own faith and the life of your parish.

For more information or to register, go to [huronu.ca/programs/theology/life-long-learning/](http://huronu.ca/programs/theology/life-long-learning/)

You can also contact Shawn Branch at the Diocese of Fredericton for more information:  
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