

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
	7:00pm	Choir Practice
Wednesday	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
	Noon	Layreader Training
	6:00pm	Beavers and Scouts in Gym
	7:00pm	Vestry Meeting
Saturday	All Day	Private Baby Shower 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 October: **September 29th**

Please note that October's order date is earlier than usual.

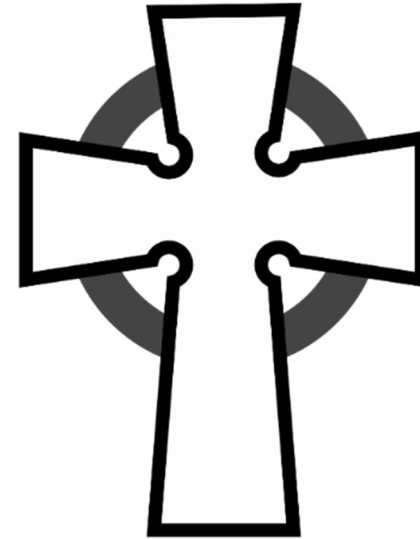
Pick-up Date for October: October 8th



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

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(September 13th, 2026)



Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

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

Officiant: Rev. Canon Keith Osborne

Worship Leader: Pat Wilcox

A new commandment I give to you,
that you love one another as I have loved you.

John 13.34

Collect

Almighty God,
you call your Church to witness that in Christ we are reconciled
to you. Help us so to proclaim the good news of your love,
that all who hear it may turn to you; through 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

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost; September 13th, 2026

Service of Holy Eucharist

Officiant:	Rev. Canon Keith Osborne
Worship Leader:	Pat Wilcox
Lay Reader 8:30am:	RuthAnn LeBarron
Lay Reader 10:30am:	Michael Clark
8:30am Streaming:	Josh McDorman
10:30am Audio/Video:	Carol Jones
Prayer Corner:	Jeannie Donald and Bruce McKenna
Counters/Greeters:	Donna Price and Laurel Lawrence
Chancel Guild:	Marjorie Boone and MaryBeth Rideout

Opening Hymn:	<i>All Over the World</i>
	<i>Our God is an Awesome God</i>
First Reading:	<i>Exodus 14:19-31</i>
Psalms:	<i>Psalms 114 (p. 479 BCP)</i>
Second Reading:	<i>Romans 14:1-12</i>
Gradual Hymn:	<i>The Servant King</i>
Gospel Reading:	<i>Matthew 18:21-35</i>
Sermon	
Offertory Hymn:	<i>Shout To The Lord</i>
Communion Hymns:	<i>All Heaven Declares</i>
	<i>His Name is Wonderful</i>
Closing Hymn:	<i>The Spirit Lives</i>

Next Week's Services

Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost; September 20th, 2026

Service of Holy Eucharist

Officiant:	Rev. Canon Bruce McKenna
Worship Leader:	Alexa Trusiak
Lay Reader 8:30am:	Ben Mersereau
Lay Reader 10:30am:	Minna Harjupanula
8:30am Streaming:	Bill MacKenzie
10:30am Audio/Video:	Austin Crouse
Prayer Corner:	Keith Osborne and Steve Hart
Counters/Greeters:	Nancy Stephens and Rachel Lewis
Chancel Guild:	Marjorie Boone and MaryBeth Rideout

Exodus 16:2-15

Psalms 105:1-6, 37-45

(p. 464 BCP)

Philippians 1:21-30

Matthew 20:1-16

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, Gerry Stone, Susan, Harold Rice, Adam Reid, Dianna 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 and Doug, Ellen Matthews, Carol Mercer.

Intercessions for the Church

The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia, Primates Don Tamihere, Justin Duckworth and Sione Uluilakepa. Anglican Church of Canada, Archbishop Shane Parker. Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, Archbishop Anne Germond and the Provincial Council. Diocese of Ho, Bishop Matthias, Coadjutor Bishop Selorm Mereku. Diocese of Yukon, Bishop Vincent Fenga, Old Crow: St. Luke's, the Rev Jeffrey Mackie-Deernsted and the Rev Marion Schafer. 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.

Choir Practice

Our Church Choir practices every Tuesday at 7PM.
All are welcome to make a joyful noise unto the Lord!

Shared Meal

Our next Shared Meal will be Friday, September 25th, starting at 5:30pm. All are welcome to join us in this time of fellowship.

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)
- Children's Church
- Choir
- Willing Wonders

Training is provided and you will be part of a team of people who can assist when things don't quite work out as intended.
Thank you for supporting the ministry of St. John's Church!

Ladies' Bible Study

Resuming Tuesday, September 15th

A message from Barb Hughes:

"When granted many years of life – growing old in age is natural, but growing old with grace is a choice – one that is possible for all who set their hearts and minds on the Giver of grace, our Lord Jesus Christ."

St. John's Ladies' Bible Study has chosen to focus this fall on the process of Aging with Grace in Body, Mind and Spirit. From Tuesday, September 15th to the beginning of Advent (Nov 29) various topics that reflect on the challenging realities of our own lived experiences as aging seniors will be explored.

Inspiring stories from Old and New Testaments of the Bible, wisdom and guidance from various Christian authors, as well as special guest speakers, will provide material for conversations, questions, and opportunities to discover what God has planned and provided for us in order to finish well. Through the prophet Isaiah, God has promised "Even to your old age and gray hairs, , , I am he who will sustain you."

The group meets every Tuesday from 1-2:30 pm. For further information speak to Barb Hughes after service or telephone her (506)472-7506

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:

- Peanut Butter
- Jam
- Cans of Coffee
- Sugar
- Mayonnaise

Thank you for supporting this ministry!