

Feeling Under the Weather?

It's flu season! Yes, the flu does still exist.

We ask that if you are feeling unwell in any manner that you please join us for worship from home and not attend in-person gatherings at the Church. This can be a difficult choice, but sometimes the most loving thing you can do is to keep your germs at home. Thank you for prioritizing the health of our congregation.

This Week at St. John's

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

Monday	6:15pm	Cubs and Scouts in Gym
Tuesday	10:00am	Preschool Centre in Gym
	1:00pm	Ladies' Bible Study
Wednesday	9:00am	Prayer Meeting
	10:00am	Bible Study
	11:00am	Student Hunger Program
	1:00pm	Preschool Centre in Gym
	8:00pm	'Remember When' Group
Thursday	6:15pm	Beavers in Gym

Contact Information

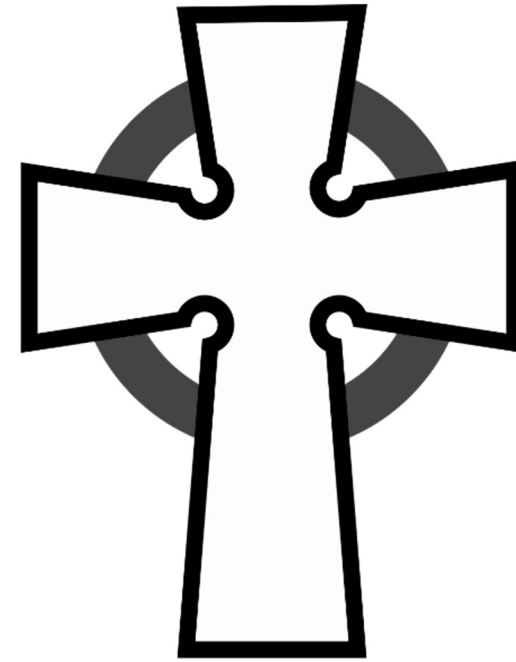
Rector:	Rev. Paul Ranson (506-471-6707)
Honorary Assistants:	Rev. Canon Bruce McKenna Rev. David Peer
Wardens:	Bill MacKenzie and Donna Price
Treasurer:	Ben Mersereau
Parish Administrator:	Josh McDorman (506-458-9411)
Custodian:	Darrell Jones (506-472-8773)

2023 Annual General Meeting

Our Annual General Meeting will be held after Church services on February 19th. You are encouraged to attend if possible – you may be surprised by everything that is going on in our Church!

St. John the Evangelist Church

www.75mainstreet.org
(January 29th, 2023)



Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

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

Officiant: Rev. Paul Ranson

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven.

Matthew 5.12

Collect

Living God, in Christ you make all things new. Transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

This Week's Service

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany; January 29th, 2023

Lay Reader 8:30am: Kimberly Ranson
Lay Reader 10:30am: Michael Clark
Worship Leader: Judy Jones
Audio/Video: Minna Harjupanula
Counters/Greeters: Jeanne Sayre and Kimberly Ranson

Opening Hymn: *All the Way My Saviour Leads Me*
First Reading: *Micah 6:1-8*
Psalm: *Psalm 15 (p. 344 BCP)*
Second Reading: *1 Corinthians 1:18-31*
Gospel: *Matthew 5:1-12*
Offertory Hymn: *Trust and Obey*
Song During Communion: *Take My Life*
Closing Hymn: *Crown Him with Many Crowns*

Next Week's Services

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany; February 5th, 2023

Lay Reader 8:30am: Gerry Russon
Lay Reader 10:30am: Cliff Humble
Worship Leader: Joan Pain
Audio/Video: Jeannie Donald
Counters/Greeters: Laurel Lawrence and Nancy Stephens

Isaiah 58:1-12
Psalm 112
(p. 478 BCP)



1 Corinthians 2:1-16
Matthew 5:13-20

Martha's Pantry – 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the Month

Word is getting out about Martha's Pantry! The number of families finding and making use of this resource is increasing. Thank you for providing a safety net to families who need a helping hand. If you know anyone who could make use of this resource please spread the word. No one deserves to go hungry, and no one will be turned away.

Parish Intercessions

Joe & Lynda Wood, Jack & Fran Demmons, Jackie Meikle, Paul Robinson, Betsy & Jim O'Donnell, Kristell Unick, Sheila Hanson, Llewelin Brewer, John & Susan Baldwin, Loretta Doak, Jackie Spencer, Don & Irene Adams, Trevor Price, Philip Pain, Dylan Barton, Sophia Barton, Robee Titus, Jeannie Donald, Galen Price, Carol Gourley, Clark & Pat Wilcox, Leona O'Donnell, Donna & Arnold Bartley, Betty Clowater, Natalie Carr, Dick Burgess, Carolyn Scott, Natalie, Miriam Laskey, Isaac Frame, Adam, Cynthia, Elijah, Harold Rice, Roger Stephens, Joan, Rayden, Angel and Aurora, Erma Price.

We give thanks for the life of Mary Lee McKenna.
I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die. John 11.25

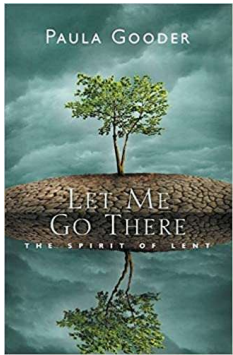
Intercessions for the Church

The Church of Nigeria, the Most Rev Henry Ndukuba, Metropolitan and Primate. Archbishop Linda Nicholls, Anglican Church of Canada. Diocese of Québec, Bishop Bruce Myers. Diocese of Ho, Bishop Matthias. Diocese of Yukon, Bishop Lesley Wheeler-Dame, Carcross: St. Saviour's; Tagish and Johnson's Crossing. Archbishop David, retired bishops Claude and William and their families.

For our Missionaries at home and abroad: Kara and Nelson Meija in Roatan, Honduras; Paul Jeffries in Uganda; Terence and Jasmine Chandra in Saint John; the Ministers of Outflow; Erin Rideout and the Inner City Youth Ministry.

Request from Vestry

Vestry is considering installing heat pumps in the gym and kitchen to provide air-conditioning in the summer and reduce the cost of heating in the winter months. Quotes indicate the cost would be from \$20k-\$28k, with the possibility that we may be eligible for a 25% reduction under the NB Power Energy Efficiency Program. Even with the reduction, the cost exceeds what we can add to our 2023 budget. Vestry is asking for members to prayerfully consider making a one-time pledge, above and beyond normal giving, to help offset the cost. To make a pledge, please contact the office or put a note in the offering with your name and amount, preferably before the annual meeting on February 19th. Your response will help vestry decide if this is something we are able to do this year.



Lenten Book Study

This year's Diocesan Lenten Book Study will be on "Let Me Go There – The Spirit of Lent" by Paula Gooder.

"Bestselling author Paula Gooder continues her popular series on the seasons of the Christian year with this daily companion for the six weeks of Lent, leading readers deeper into the spirit of the season and opening up the scriptures that are read in churches during this period."

Please contact the Church Office if you are interested in obtaining a copy, or if you would like to lead a Study Session.

Cost is approximately \$20.

If this is a limiting factor for you, let us know – we can help!

Attention Lay Readers! Lay Reader Workshop

March 18th, 10AM – 3PM @ Christ Church Cathedral Memorial Hall
Save the date! More information to follow as it is released.



Lunch included. No cost to licenced layreaders.

Layreaders' Day

PREACHING,
WITH ARCHBISHOP
DAVID EDWARDS

SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 10 A.M. - 3 P.M.
CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL &
CATHEDRAL MEMORIAL HALL

OVERLOADED

Baked Potato and Soup Fundraiser



February 16th at St. John the Evangelist Church

Our Loaded Baked Potato Fundraiser in November was so successful that we thought we would try and make it even better! We will be holding this new **Overloaded** Baked Potato Fundraiser on February 16th, with even more toppings and delicious chilli!

Also available will be Molly MacKenzie's famous Lentil Soup! This vegetarian friendly option will cut through the coldest of days like a nice warm hug.

Both options come with Gingerbread with Whipped Cream and have a cost of \$10.

There may even be a few other tasty treats available; just to keep you in anticipation.

Please call the Church Office at (506)-458-9411 to order.