

A WARM WELCOME
to Visitors and Newcomers!



Our Children's Ministry Meets downstairs during the 11 a.m. service most weeks. The children will process downstairs during the Gradual Hymn.



Washroom Facilities are located through the tunnel on the right side of the chancel and down the stairs. There is also an accessible washroom in the South Transept (to the right of the Chancel).



Assisted Listening Devices are available at the entrance.



New to the Cathedral? Please fill out a welcome card/envelope found in the pews.



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The Cathedral Messenger

**Welcome to the Anglican Cathedral of
St. John the Baptist
21 April 2024
Fourth Sunday of Easter**

Coming up this week...

Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Cathedral Choir Crypt

World Labyrinth Day (WLD), May 4, comes just a month after our new labyrinth, dedicated to Ocean Health, has been laid in the South Transept of our Cathedral. We invite you to join us on May 4th, World Labyrinth Day (WLD), for our first public event. You'll have the opportunity to walk our new labyrinth in the South Transept. If the weather permits, we also hope to have our outdoor labyrinth open. This natural garden labyrinth, located just outside the crypt and east of the greenhouse, offers a unique experience and is visible from the parking lot. So whether you choose to explore the indoor or outdoor labyrinth, World Labyrinth Day at the Cathedral will be a memorable experience for all.

Time: 1:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Enter through the stone porch doors off Gower St.

Cathedral Archivist: In the not-too-distant future, we will need to appoint a new Archivist for the Cathedral. If this is something you would be interested in taking on, then please contact the Vicar or Angela Morgan. This is a great time to come on-board, so you can get some orientation from our current Archivist, Julia Mathieson, before she retires!

Restoration activities will resume at the Cathedral at the **end of April**. The focus for our contractor (RTM) will be priority areas in the south side of the nave. During this time, scaffolding will be erected in the parking lot. We will lose access to 10 parking spaces but will re-claim 3 spaces from where materials are currently being stored. Our parking patrons will have access to the Cathedral spots closest to the office door. Please consider alternate arrangements if parking while visiting the Cathedral during business hours on weekdays as options may be limited. We will continue our security spot checks throughout this period so keep your permit visible. Thank you for your patience and understanding during this time. If you have any concerns, please speak with a member of the leadership team.

Anointing for Healing is available during the 11 a.m. service, when we have Eucharist. If you wish to receive Anointing, one of our priests or deacons will be available in the South Transept to anoint and pray with you, after you receive communion. If you have any questions about Anointing for Healing, please speak with one of the clergy.

Come “Awaken the Energy Within” for more energy, wellness, peace and joy with T'ai Chi Chih and Wisdom Healing Qigong as Mindfulness practices. Daytime and evening sessions Tuesdays and Thursdays starting mid-April at The Lantern, 35 Barnes Road, St. John's. Saturday Retreat Days April 27th and May 5th at Virginia Water Contemplative Centre on Virginia Lake. All welcome! Easy to learn, seated or standing. For more, please contact Sheila 709-727-7863 or sheilaleonard67@gmail.com or visit the NEWS page on her website at www.sheilaleonard.ca.

Please ensure to send notices and announcements intended for the Messenger to Jill in the Cathedral Office by midday Thursday of any week to allow time for the Messenger to be printed and circulated on Friday.

Upcoming Sunday Services:

April 28th: Easter V

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

May 5th: Easter VI

– 9 a.m. BCP Holy Eucharist (said)

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Mattins

May 12th: Sunday after the Ascension

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

May 19th: Pentecost

– 11 a.m. BAS Choral Eucharist & Baptism

Weekday Morning Prayer:

9:30 a.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday

Lectionary Readings for next Sunday, April 28th: Acts 8: 26-40 Psalm 22:24-30; 1 John 4:7-21; John 15:1-8

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Your gift will support the ongoing ministry and outreach of the Cathedral Parish, which has been ministering to the people of St. John's since 1699!

Monthly Special Offering Intentions: our special intention for this month is “Easter.” Please write “Easter” on your envelope or in the memo of your electronic donation.

11:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist (BAS)
Setting: *Deutsche Messe F. Schubert*

Opening Hymn: **492 To the name of our salvation** *Oriel*
The Gathering of the Community p. 185
The Gloria *David Hurd*
The Collect of the Day
The Proclamation of the Word
Acts 4:5-12 *Darlene Steele*
Psalm 23 p. 356
1 John 3:16-24 *Beatrice Andres*
Gradual Hymn: **539 The King of love, my Shepherd is** *Dominus regit*
The Holy Gospel: **John 10:11-18**
Sermon **The Reverend Khaliah Kinkead Dawkins**
The Nicene Creed p. 188
The Prayers of the People
The Confession and Absolution p. 191
The Peace p. 192
The Celebration of the Eucharist
Offertory Hymn: **698 Loving Shepherd of thy sheep** *Buckland*

Prayer over the Gifts
Eucharistic Prayer #3 (*Proper preface p. 222*) p. 198
The Lord's Prayer p. 211
The Breaking of the Bread p. 213
THE COMMUNION
Anthem: Rise Up, My Love *H. Willan*
Prayer after Communion
The Blessing
Closing Hymn: **407 Lead us, Heavenly Father, lead us** *Mannheim*
Postlude: Toccata in B Minor *Eugène Gigout*

Scent Awareness: As stewards of a public building, the Cathedral leadership team wishes to provide a welcoming and inclusive environment to all who visit. Scented products such as hair spray, perfume, and cologne can trigger reactions in some people. To ensure a comfortable environment for everyone, **the Cathedral is a scent-aware facility.** *Please refrain from wearing scented products during your visit.* Thank you for your consideration of all members of our community.

Our New Washroom in the South Transept is now fully functional! When using the washroom, **please remember to push the button under the light switch to lock the door!** The light on the button will then turn red. If the light is green, you may get unexpected visitors!

The Gower Street United Church Service and Social Club will hold a **Flea Market** and Jumble Sale on Saturday, April 27, from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Lion's Chalet on Mayor Avenue. The Gower Street United Church Women will also hold a Bake Sale and used Jewelry Sale at this event. Admission is \$1.00. All are welcome!

Topsail United Church will be hosting an Afternoon Tea Party and Bake Sale, on Saturday May 4 from 2 until 4 P.M., with Special Musical Guests Avalonia. Tickets \$12 Adults, Children under 12-\$6, Please remember your Fascinator. To reserve your ticket please call the Church Office at 709-834-4567. No Tickets at the Door.

Note* Change to Wesley Flipper Dinner** - The Fall Fair Committee Flipper Dinner on Thursday, May 9th will **NOW BE AN EAT IN MEAL***** although takeouts will still be available. Tickets are \$30 and should be paid for and picked up before or on Friday May 3rd between 11 am and 1 pm. Eat in dinners will be served at 6:00 pm and takeouts should be picked up between 5:00 pm and 5:30 pm on May 9th. To order tickets call Marvin at 709-579-7900, Pheobe at 709-726-1689 or the church office at 709-579-3682.