

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).



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The Cathedral **MESSENGER**

**Welcome to the Anglican Cathedral of
St. John the Baptist
8 June 2025
The Day of Pentecost**

Coming up this week...

Wednesday 7:30 pm Cathedral Choir Crypt



Patronal Festival Heritage Fair Celebration – It's On! 
Saturday, June 21, 2025, 10 AM – 4 PM Cathedral of St. John the Baptist. Join us for a joyful day of fun, food, and fellowship as we celebrate our parish history and community spirit! Enjoy morning craft and bake sales, vintage car display, afternoon entertainment, Mug & Muffin, and a lunch of Chili or Fish & Brewis. Whether you're volunteering, performing, or just coming to enjoy, everyone is welcome! If you would like to contribute goods to the Bake Sale, the Craft Table, or Mug & Muffin, please connect with one of the Wardens.

Spring Clean-up – Outside! Now that we have completed some work on the inside of the Cathedral, we are going to spend some time working on the grounds. Join us Tuesday June 10th at 6 pm as we clean up around the outside of our Cathedral. Alternate date in case of inclement weather is Thursday, June 12th, any change will be posted on our Facebook page. Bring along your gardening gloves, and rakes. There are several branches down that may need to be cut, bring along a saw if you have one. Let us join together in fellowship as we work to beautify the Cathedral grounds.

You are Invited: Labyrinth Walk for Ocean Health Sunday, this afternoon, June 8, at 2:30 p.m. – This World Oceans Day, join us at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist for a reflective Labyrinth Walk honoring the ocean's beauty, mystery, and vital role in sustaining life. In the face of global challenges, this is a time to pause, reconnect, and renew our commitment to the health of our oceans and all creation. All are welcome! New to the labyrinth? Friendly guides will be on hand to help you experience this simple, meaningful practice. Come slow down, reflect, and connect with the ocean's wonder and wisdom.

We gratefully acknowledge donations to:

The Endowment fund † *In memory of Wilfred, Olive, Edison & Derek Thomas* from the Family.

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† *In memory of John Hewson* from Janet, Valerie and David.

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Tour Guides/Greeters: Cruise ship season has now started, and we are once again looking for volunteers to help with greeting and guiding. If you have some time to spare, please see one of the wardens or contact Janet Hewson at 709-730-0550 or jhewson555@gmail.

Monthly Special Offering Intentions: Our special intention for this month is **"Patronal Festival"**. Please write **"Patronal"** on your envelope or in the memo of your electronic donation.

 **STEP Concert – June 14 at 2:00 p.m. @ The Cathedral** 
Donations appreciated! Join us for an inspiring afternoon of music as the talented students of the Suzuki Talent Education Program (STEP) take the stage. STEP provides comprehensive string music education for children in violin, viola, and cello, and has been the cornerstone of our community's string playing for over 40 years. As the only Suzuki program in the province, STEP continues to nurture the next generation of young virtuosi. Come celebrate their hard work and talent — we'd love to see you there!

AFTERNOON TEA: If you have plans to come to one of the **Afternoon Teas at the Basilica**, this is reminder that there are ONLY 3 Teas remaining: June 19th, July 3rd and July 17th [these all fall on a Thursday]. Tea is served from 2-3:30. Seating capacity is limited each week. There are no pre-bookings. Tickets go on sale ½ before event. This is a *wonderful opportunity* to have a leisurely look around the historic Basilica Cathedral in the company of your family and friends. *It really is a 'brew-tea-full' experience.*

Topsail United Church will be Holding a Takeout Lobster Dinner on Thursday June 19, Pick up time will be from 4:30 Until 6 P.M. Meal will consist of Lobster (1.5- 2.0 lb.) 3 different Salads, Lettuce, Tomato, Cheese, Roll, Dessert. Cost \$35, To Reserve please call the Church Office at 709-834-4567 or Brad 709-682-2804. The cut off to Purchase tickets is June 16.

St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation is thrilled to be hosting the renowned Canadian Celtic Choir for a one-night-only concert on Wednesday, June 26 at 7:00 p.m. at St Teresa's church 120 Mundy Pond Road. **Tickets:** Available through St Teresa's Church office Monday to Friday, 9:00a.m. to 4 p.m., Fred's Records and O'Briens Music Store.

Upcoming Sunday Services:

June 15th: Trinity

– 11 a.m. BAS Confirmation & Baptism

June 22nd: Patronal Festival

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

June 29th: St. Peter & St. Paul

– 9 a.m. BCP said Holy Eucharist

– 11 a.m. BCP Sung Mattins

July 6th: 4th Sunday after Pentecost

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

Weekday Morning Prayer:

9:30 am Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday.


Lectionary Readings for next Sunday, June 15th: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31;
Psalm 8; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15.

Tuckamore Prelude Concert

 **June 19 at 12:30 PM**

 **The Cathedral**

Join us for a captivating prelude concert as festival alumnus and longtime faculty member **Patrick Cashin** takes the stage with a stunning solo piano program featuring works by **Bach, Ravel,** and **Brahms.**

 **Free Admission – All Are Welcome!**

Don't miss this beautiful midday musical escape.

Next Week, Bishop Sam Rose will be with us as we celebrate the **Sacraments of Holy Baptism and Confirmation!** Please continue to pray for our Confirmation Candidates as they make final preparations for next week: Jorja Green, Beatrice Andres, Soleil Antle, and Cleo Antle. We look forward to celebrating with them!

Congratulations to all those who recently convoked from Memorial University, and especially to those from our Parish! We congratulate Parker Sullivan, Sam Hoddinott, and Ian Mhando! If there are any others, please let us know. Congratulations and Blessings to you all!

Sixty years a priest. June 13, 2025, marks the 60th anniversary of the **Reverend Doctor Hollis Hiscock** being ordained a Priest in the Church of God. The worship service took place here in our Cathedral. Among others, he served as Rector of St. Thomas' Parish in St. John's and St. John's York Mills, Toronto. Since retirement he has ministered as Interim in many parishes in Niagara Diocese. In addition he spent nearly 20 years as Editor of the diocesan church papers in Newfoundland & Labrador and Niagara Dioceses, as well as teaching at the high school and university levels. In 2023, he was awarded an honorary Doctorate of Divinity degree from Queen's College. Helen and Hollis reside in Burlington Ontario. *Let us give thanks for his and our ministries in our "worship to God and our care to all God's people everywhere".* **Congratulations Hollis!**

Website Rebuild: Over the past couple of months we have been working towards a rebuild/renewal of our Parish website: **www.OurCathedral.ca**. We hope that the new site will be live this coming week. Please have a look through the site and if you find any problems with links, spelling, or information, please email the Dean: Roger@ourcathedral.ca.

11:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist (BCP)

Setting: Ireland in C

Opening Hymn: **487 Come down, O love divine** *Down ampney*
The Lord's Prayer & Collect for Purity BCP p. 67
The Summary of the Law, *Kyrie eleison* p. 69
The Collect of the Day

The Proclamation of the Word

Acts 2:1-21 Rohan Dawkins
Psalm 104:25-36 p. 463
Romans 8:14-17 Heather Andres
Gradual Hymn: **485 Breathe on me, breath of God** *Trentham*

The Holy Gospel: John 14:8-17

The Nicene Creed p. 71
Sermon The Reverend Gail Dick

Offertory Sentence
Offertory Hymn: **CP 656 She comes sailing on the wind** *She flies on*
The Intercessions

The Holy Communion

Invitation, Confession, Absolution, & Comfortable Words p. 76
Sursum corda

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Sanctus & Benedictus

The Peace, Prayer of Humble Access, *Agnus dei* p. 83
THE COMMUNION

Anthem: **O sing unto the Lord** *Robert Evans*

The Lord's Prayer, Thanksgiving p. 85

The Gloria p. 86

The Blessing

Closing Hymn: **426 I feel the winds of God today** *Kingsfold*

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*Refrain: She comes sailing on the wind,
her wings flashing in the sun;
on a journey just begun, she flies on.
And in the passage of her flight,
her song rings out through the night,
full of laughter, full of light, she flies on.*

1. Silent waters rocking on the morning of our birth,
like an empty cradle waiting to be filled.
And from the heart of God the Spirit moved upon the earth,
like a mother breathing life into her child.
2. Many were the dreamers whose eyes were given sight
when the Spirit filled their dreams with life and form.
Deserts turned to gardens, broken hearts found new delight,
and then down the ages still she flew on. *Refrain...*
3. To a gentle girl in Galilee, a gentle breeze she came,
a whisper softly calling in the dark,
the promise of a child of peace whose reign would never
end,
Mary sang the Spirit song within her heart.
4. Flying to the river, she waited circling high
above the child now grown so full of grace.
As he rose up from the water, she swept down from the sky,
and she carried him away in her embrace. *Refrain...*
5. Long after the deep darkness that fell upon the world,
after dawn returned in flame of rising sun,
the Spirit touched the earth again, again her wings unfurled,
bringing life in wind and fire as she flew on. *Refrain...*