

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.



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The Cathedral **MESSENGER**

**Welcome to the Anglican Cathedral of
St. John the Baptist
4 January 2026
The Epiphany**

Coming up this week...

Wednesday 7:30pm Cathedral Choir Crypt

Year-end Receipts and Donations: If you have any outstanding receipts to claim for 2025, or if you wish to make a donation to be credited for 2025, please submit them to the Office by 4 p.m. on Monday, January 5th. **Thanks to all** who have generously supported ministry here at the Cathedral this year!

Upcoming Sunday Services:

January 11th: Baptism of the Lord

– 11 a.m. BAS Choral Eucharist

January 18th: Second Sunday after Epiphany

– 9 a.m. BCP Holy Eucharist (said)

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Mattins

January 25th: Third Sunday after Epiphany

– 11 a.m. BCP Sung Eucharist

February 1st: The Presentation of the Lord/Candlemas

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

Weekday Morning Prayer: 9:30 am Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday.

2025 Annual Reports due January 30th: Please arrange to have your 2025 Annual Reports sent to Jill Kenny by Friday, January 30th. If your report needs to be typed, please deliver it to the Parish Office to the attention of Jill. Otherwise, you can send it electronically to office@ourcathedral.ca. Thank you for your timely attention. Please note: If you are not sure if you should prepare a report, please contact the Cathedral office @ 726-5677.

Congratulations to our own Dave Morgan, who has been appointed as a Lay Canon of our Cathedral! Canon Dr. David Morgan will be the new Canon for Creation Care and Stewardship. As announced in a Pastoral Letter from our Bishop on Monday, the other members of the Chapter will be the Rev'd Canon Deborah Pantin, Canon for Evangelism and Witness; the Rev'd Canon Amber Tremblett, Canon for Discipleship and Christian Formation; the Rev'd Canon Byron Barter, Canon for Mercy and Loving Service; the Rev'd Canon Amanda Taylor, Canon for Justice and Peace; and Canon Thomas Mugford, the Canon for Truth, Reconciliation, and Right Relationships. They join the Very Rev'd Roger Whalen, Dean of the Diocese of Eastern Newfoundland and Labrador & Commissary; the Venerable Charlene Taylor, Diocesan Executive Officer, Registrar & Secretary-Treasurer of Synod; The Venerable Julie Brace, Archdeacon of Labrador; The Venerable Christine Lynch, Archdeacon of Trinity-Conception-Placentia; and The Venerable Nancy March, Archdeacon of Avalon, to form the new Cathedral Chapter. The Chapter will be Installed at a service in February.

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

We gratefully acknowledge donations to:
The Discretionary Fund † In Thanks and Appreciation to our Cathedral Family this year from Ellen Beth Reid.

11:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist (BCP)
Setting: **Merbecke**

Opening Hymn: 97 As with gladness men of old	<i>Dix</i>
The Lord’s Prayer & Collect for Purity	BCP, p. 67
The Summary of the Law, <i>Kyrie eleison</i>	p. 69
The Collect of the Day	
<u>The Proclamation of the Word</u>	
Isaiah 60:1-6	Heather Andres
Psalms 72:1-7, 10-14	p. 418
Ephesians 3:1-12	Joseph Ayris
Gradual Hymn: 356 Brightest and Best	<i>Stella orientis</i>
The Holy Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12	
The Nicene Creed	p. 71
The Sermon	The Right Reverend Samuel Rose
Offertory Sentence	
Offertory Hymn: 750 The First Noel	<i>The First noel</i>
The Intercessions	
<u>The Holy Communion</u>	
Invitation, Confession, Absolution, Comfortable Words	p. 76
Thanksgiving and Consecration	p. 78
The Peace, Prayer of Humble Access, <i>Agnus Dei</i>	p. 83
THE COMMUNION	
The Lord’s Prayer, Thanksgiving	p. 85
The Gloria	p. 86
The Blessing	
Closing Hymn: We three kings	<i>We three kings</i>

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The Angel over the Crib Scene is given in memory of Doreen and Gerald Facey and Elinor and George Donnan, by Anthea and Michael Donnan.