

**A WARM WELCOME**  
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Meets downstairs during the 11 a.m. service most weeks. The children will process downstairs during the Gradual Hymn.



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# *The Cathedral* **MESSENGER**

**Welcome to the Anglican Cathedral of  
St. John the Baptist  
10 May 2026  
The Sixth Sunday of Easter**

### **Coming up this week...**

Wednesday 7:30pm Cathedral Choir Crypt

**Parish Dinner – 6pm on June 6<sup>th</sup> at the C.L.B Armoury** (82 Harvey Road). Tickets are \$40 for Adults and \$20 for Children. Menu includes Turkey Dinner or Lentil Stir Fry or Chicken Strips & Fries, Gluten Free option available and Tuxedo Cake for dessert. Reserve your seat now and pay by Friday, May 29<sup>th</sup>. Call the office or see Janet after the Service.

**Summer Tour Guides.** We are accepting applications from people aged 15-30 for an 8-week position as tour guide at the Anglican Cathedral this summer. Duties include greeting visitors, providing information about the architecture, stained glass windows, other fixtures and our history. Ability to speak French is an asset, but not a requirement. Application deadline is May 22<sup>nd</sup>. Please send your resume to [office@ourcathedral.ca](mailto:office@ourcathedral.ca).

**Annual Pride Worship** – You are invited to join us for our Annual Pride Worship on Monday, June 29 at 7:30 p.m. at St. Mark's Anglican Church, 203 Logy Bay Rd. Celebrant: Bishop Samuel Rose; Preacher: Canon Tom Mugford. Reception to follow. Live streamed: [www.facebook.com/stmarksnl](http://www.facebook.com/stmarksnl).

**Upcoming Sunday Services:**

**May 17<sup>th</sup>: Ascension Sunday**

– 11 a.m. BAS Choral Eucharist & Baptism

**May 24<sup>th</sup>: Pentecost**

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

**May 31<sup>st</sup>: Trinity Sunday**

– 9 a.m. BCP Holy Eucharist (said)

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Mattins

**June 7<sup>th</sup>: Pentecost II**

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

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

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

**We gratefully acknowledge** donations to:

**The Altar Guild Flower Fund** † *In memory of Gwendy Noseworthy, thinking of you always,* from Helen, Peter & Their Families.

**The Altar Guild Flower Fund** † *in loving memory of George and Doreen Nightingale* from Jim and Linda Nightingale and Family.

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**Monthly Labyrinth Walk: 2 – 3:30 pm, Sunday, 17 May**

This month at our regularly scheduled Labyrinth Walk, we will walk with the intention to care for Bees in recognition of **World Bee Day** (May 20). We are reminded that even the smallest creatures play an important role in God’s creation. Through their quiet, tireless work of pollination, bees sustain ecosystems and support our food systems. Caring for pollinators is one way we practice faithful stewardship — protecting biodiversity, nurturing habitats, and honoring the balance of creation.

**The Cemetery Committee** is pleased to advise that a **new 80 niche columbarium has recently been installed at Forest Road**. Ten of these niches are larger niches designed to hold 3 urns. Anyone interested in purchasing a niche at Forest Road can visit the office or phone 709-728-7111 during regular working hours.

**The Philharmonic Choir of the Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra presents: The Seafarer’s Requiem at 3:30pm on May 10.**

The Seafarer's Requiem is a Celtic and classical fusion that combines the Requiem Mass and seafarer songs with tales of true stories taken from archives and documentaries about mariners and the people they leave behind. Composed by Mary Knickle, *The Seafarer's Requiem* is a profoundly haunting piece. It was written to honour those who have lost their lives at sea, be they: fishermen, solo sailors or naval personnel, and those left on land. Join us for an afternoon concert at St. Andrew’s Church (the Kirk). Doors open at 3pm for a 3:30pm start time. Purchasing tickets in advance is recommended, online at [hollyhearttheatre.com/](http://hollyhearttheatre.com/) or by phone: 709-579-4424.

**Coastal Sounds Community Choir** presents **Movie Magic** on Saturday May 23<sup>rd</sup> from 2:00 – 3:00 pm at St. John the Evangelist Church, Topsail. \$20 at the Door, Kids 12 and under are free.

**Topsail United Church Annual Flipper Dinner** will be held on Saturday May 23. Take Out available from 5 until 5:30 P.M., Eat in at 6 P.M. Tickets are \$25 and are available at the Office by Calling 709-834-4567

**11:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist (BCP)**  
Setting: **Missa Brevis #3** *Sheppard*

Opening Hymn: <b>164 The Day of resurrection</b>	<i>Ellacombe</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	
<b><u>The Proclamation of the Word</u></b>	
<b>Acts 17:22-31</b>	<b>William Pryse-Phillips</b>
<b>Psalms 66:7-8</b>	p. 409
<b>1 Peter 3:13-22</b>	<b>Rohan Dawkins</b>
Gradual Hymn: <b>457 Jesu, where'er thy people meet</b>	<i>Warrington</i>
<b>The Holy Gospel: John 14:15-21</b>	
The Nicene Creed	p. 71
Sermon	<b>The Very Reverend Roger Whalen</b>
Offertory Sentence	
Offertory Hymn: <b>487 Come down, O Love divine</b>	<i>Down Ampney</i>
The Intercessions	
<b><u>The Holy Communion</u></b>	
Invitation, Confession, Absolution, & Comfortable Words	p. 76
<i>Sursum corda</i>	
Thanksgiving and Consecration	p. 78
<i>Sanctus &amp; Benedictus</i>	
The Peace, Prayer of Humble Access, <i>Agnus dei</i>	p. 83
THE COMMUNION	
Anthem: <b>If ye love me</b>	<i>Tallis</i>
The Lord's Prayer, Thanksgiving	p. 85
The Gloria	p. 86
The Blessing	
Closing Hymn: <b>357 At the name of Jesus</b>	<i>King's weston</i>

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**Emmaus House needs a New Home:** Emmaus House is being evicted from the Basilica Precincts, and needs to find a new location. Please help by praying for a solution and discussing it with people in the community. If you have any suggestions or possibilities, please contact the Dean.

**Youth Climate Change Corps Project – Come join with Youth for a free Dinner to Address our Future, on Thursday, May 14, at 6 PM at Foran Room, St. John's City Hall, New Gower St.** Dinner Discussion prompt is: "What are your hopes for the future of your community?" This is a family friendly young people dinner event. **To register please** email: [rsmtee@gmail.com](mailto:rsmtee@gmail.com) or [lea@goodgreenjobsforall.ca](mailto:lea@goodgreenjobsforall.ca), or phone Sr Mary Tee at 709-725-4680. This is a friendly family youth event.

**Looking to make a meaningful difference in your community? March of Dimes Canada, After Stroke, is currently seeking compassionate volunteers.** Volunteer roles are open to those with lived experience of stroke, either as a survivor or caregiver, bringing valuable understanding and connection to the role. Opportunities include assisting with programs, providing peer support, and helping create inclusive, supportive environments. In addition, the Stroke Community Conversations Group in St. John's offers a welcoming space for stroke survivors and their caregivers to connect, share experiences, and build support networks. The group meets on the last Tuesday of each month at the Miller Center from 6pm - 7pm. If you're interested in volunteering or joining the conversation group, reach out to Mackenzie today and help make a positive impact in someone's recovery journey. You can reach Mackenzie at (709) 853-3753 or [mkirby@marchofdimes.ca](mailto:mkirby@marchofdimes.ca).

**The Canadian Red Cross, Meals on Wheels Program** offers nutritious, balanced meals delivered straight to your door! Meals are \$8.50 (no delivery fee or taxes) and include an entree, to be heated in your microwave, with a side green salad. Delivery days are Monday, Tuesday and Friday and multiple meals can be ordered to cover weekends and holidays. For more information, please contact Angelique at 709-758-8419 or [angelique.bartlett@redcross.ca](mailto:angelique.bartlett@redcross.ca).

**Italian Dinner at Church of the Good Shepherd** – Italian Night Dinner, **Saturday, May 30, 6:30pm**, \$25, Lasagna, Caesar salad, garlic bread and carrot cake for dessert. Gluten free option will be available if pre-ordered. Tickets are available at the Church office 747-1022 or you can email [transfer cotgs@nf.aibn.com](mailto:cotgs@nf.aibn.com).