

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
5 July 2026
6th Sunday after Pentecost**

The Parking Lot has been very congested lately, partly because of the Heating Project workers. However, from **July 6th to about the 17th** it is going to be worse. Some work will need to take place in the Lot during this time, closing several parking spaces. **Please Do Not plan to park in the Cathedral Lot** from Monday to Friday, between 8 am and 5 pm, until the work is completed. This applies to **all staff and volunteers – including tour guides, Altar Guild, and Clergy!** **Please do not park in the Lot.**

Vacation: The Dean will be on vacation for the next week, returning the middle of July. **Sharon, our Organist,** will be on vacation for at least the month of July (maybe more!). We welcome Jordan Kilfoy and Eric Steele, who will be filling in as organist during that time.

If anyone is interested in joining the **Cathedral's Sowing Seeds – Growing Community** team this year, please see our Vicar. The team will be preparing the drills and planting seeds in the Diocesan Community Garden in Goulds, in the near future.

Sowing Seeds - Growing Community Third Annual Blessing of the Garden by Bishop Sam Rose will take place on Monday, July 13th at 7 PM. Hopefully the weather will be fine. If not, we will meet at St. Paul's Anglican Church, directly across the road from the garden. There will be refreshments served at St. Paul's Parish Hall immediately following the service. We hope to see you there.

"Rejoice and Rise" Out in Faith Pride Gathering, July 9 at 6:30 pm, The Lantern: Each year "Out in Faith" hosts a prayerful celebration to mark Pride and make space for members of the LGBTQIA and 2S community to explore the intersection between sexuality/gender identity and spirituality/faith. The event includes speakers, singing and reflection. It is a wonderful time for LGBTQIA and 2S people to come together with allies to reflect together in a spirit of love and mutual support.

Upcoming Sunday Services:

July 12th: Pentecost VII

– 11 a.m. BCP Holy Eucharist

July 19th: Pentecost VIII

– 11 a.m. BAS Holy Eucharist & Baptism

July 26th: Pentecost VIII

– 9 a.m. BCP Holy Eucharist (said)

– 11 a.m. BCP Sung Mattins

August 2nd: Pentecost X

– 11 a.m. BCP Sung Eucharist

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

We gratefully acknowledge donations to:

The Deans Discretionary Fund † *In memory of Verna Mesh*, from Marilyn & Gary Sooley.

The Endowment Fund In celebration of the 50th wedding anniversary of Gail and Paul Hamilton on July 17th.

Emmaus House Announcement: The Cathedral Basilica Foundation has informed us that, because of mandated renovations to its present location, Emmaus House Food Bank will have to relocate. If anyone knows of a location that would be suitable, please contact the Dean.

Cemetery Memorial Services: **Kenmount Road Cemetery, led by St. Thomas': July 8th at 7 pm.** In the event of inclement weather, the service will be held **the same day** 7:30 pm at St. Thomas' church. **Forest Road Cemetery, led by the Cathedral: July 15th at 7 pm.** In the event of inclement weather, the service will be held **the same day** at 7:30 pm at the Cathedral. Updated information will be provided on VOCM, VOWR and to the parish emails on the day of the service. All are welcome. Hope to see many at each service. If anyone would like to assist in taking donations at either cemetery on the day of the service or the day before, please contact Ruby Kelly at 709-728-4455. This involves a 2-hour shift with another volunteer.

Applications are now being accepted for the **Gerald & Doreen Facey Memorial Scholarship** to be awarded for September 2026. This scholarship is valued at \$1,500 and will be awarded to a young person from the Anglican Cathedral Parish enrolled in his/her first year of post-secondary education. Post-Secondary education can be either Private College, College of the North Atlantic, Marine Institute, Memorial University of Newfoundland, etc. This scholarship will be awarded on the basis of academic achievement and involvement in the Cathedral Parish. Applications can be obtained from the Church Office and must be received back in the Church Office on or before 4 pm on 21 August 2026.

The Cathedral is open for tours Tuesday to Saturday, from 10 am to 4 pm, until the end of August.

Recycling Reminder: The Cathedral's account number with Evergreen Recycling is 726-5677 (our number!).

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

Introit Hymn: 1 Holy, Holy, Holy	<i>Nicaea</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>	
Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67	Gordon Noseworthy
Psalms 45:10-17	p. 387
Romans 7:15-25a	Hazel Pritchett Harris
Gradual Hymn: 403 Joyful, joyful, we adore thee	<i>Hymn to joy</i>
The Holy Gospel: Matthew 11:16-19	
The Nicene Creed	p. 71
The Sermon	The Reverend Gail Dick
Offertory Sentence	
Offertory Hymn: CP 585 Lord, whose love in humble service	
	<i>Beach Spring</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	
The Blessing	
Dismissal Hymn: 544 Dear Lord and Father of mankind	<i>Repton</i>

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

Lord , whose love in humble service bore the weight of human need, who upon the cross, forsaken, worked your mercy's perfect deed: we, your servants, bring the worship not of voice alone, but heart; consecrating to your purpose every gift which you impart.

2. Still your children wander homeless; still the hungry cry for bread; still the captives long for freedom; still in grief we mourn our dead. As you, Lord, in deep compassion healed the sick and freed the soul, by your Spirit send your power to our world to make it whole.

3. As we worship, grant us vision till your love's revealing light in its height and depth and greatness dawns upon our quickened sight, making known the needs and burdens your compassion bids us bear, stirring us to ardent service, your abundant life to share.

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Alongside Hope (PWRDF) – Light for St. Luke's: Every watt counts

We'd like to tell you about St. Luke's Hospital in Nablus (the West Bank). Unreliable and costly power sources make health care a challenge during the best of times, or a crisis during the worst of times. That's where solar power comes in. Solar energy helps keep the lights on, keeps medical equipment working, and helps doctors care for patients safely. **Alongside Hope** is partnering with the Diocese of Jerusalem to purchase and install solar panels for the roof of the hospital. Learn about the many ways to support and donate to this campaign at alongsidehope.org/light-for-st-lukes. You can also make a donation through the Cathedral: just note that it is for "Alongside Hope: Light for St. Luke's." **Together, we will keep the light shining.**

Wednesday Night Labyrinth Service at Church of the Good Shepherd

Starting Wednesday July 1 at 7pm, and throughout July, we will hold a special service in the Labyrinth, behind the Church. In case of inclement weather, the service will be held in the Church. Everyone welcome!