

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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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
11 October 2026
Harvest Thanksgiving**

Coming up this week...

Wednesday	7:30 pm	Cathedral Choir	Crypt
Thursday	7:30 pm	Cathedral Vestry	Zoom
Friday & Saturday	The 2028 General Synod Planning Committee		
Saturday	2:00 pm	Wedding	Cathedral

Our **Quilts, Hooked Rugs, and Stitching Show** will be open 12 noon to 5 pm on **Friday, October 23rd**; and 10 am to 5 pm on **Saturday, October 24th**. For more information, or to register your submission, visit: www.ourcathedral.ca/quilts.

The Annual All Souls' Remembrance will be held at 9 a.m. on Sunday, November 2nd – All Souls' Day. If you would like to have someone remembered during that service, please add their names to the List by the Stone Porch or contact the Office: Office@ourcathedral.ca or call 709-726-5677.

Confirmation: We will be offering Confirmation Classes this year, in preparation for the Confirmation service in the Spring. If you, or someone you know, is interested in attending Confirmation Class, please contact the Office with your information, and we will let you know when Classes are scheduled. For more information, please contact the Dean.

Congratulations to Jessica Skinner-Hollett & Ryan Gibbons; Jessica Hunt & Dysson DeFoort; and Megan Van Wijk & Aaron Small who were married here in our Cathedral on Friday. May God bless you on your journey together!

Birthday Blessings and Best Wishes to Gary Sooley who celebrates his 80th Birthday today!

The Cathedral Choir rehearses on Wednesdays at 7:30 pm. New Members are welcome! Choral Scholarships are available for students. If you are interested, please speak with Sharon Whalen, our Organist and Choir Director, or contact her by email: music@ourcathedral.ca.

There are many ways to be involved in the Liturgies, Ministries, and Outreach of the Cathedral community: **Servers, Eucharistic Assistants, Element Bearers, Ushers, Emmaus House Food Bank, Youth Ministry, volunteers for Concerts and Events, Stewards (counters), Camera operators, Social Media & Web site techs, and volunteer Tour Guides.** If you are interested in any of our ministries, please contact the Office or speak to the Dean.

Bishop's College 1971 Grads 55 Year Reunion: If you graduated from Bishop's College in 1971, we hope you will attend a 55-Year Reunion on **Friday, October 23rd at 7 PM** at the St. John's Retired Citizens Association, 10 Bennett Ave. St. John's. Join us for an evening of renewing friendships, reminiscing, listening to the best music ever and a few snacks. Tickets: \$10 person. Bring your own refreshments. Please indicate your interest by getting in touch with any of the following 'students': Linda Dicks 709-693-9921; Sandy Tibbs 709-693-3556; or Fred Marshall 709-727-4346.

We gratefully acknowledge donations to:

The Dr. Donald F. Cook Memorial Cathedral Organ Restoration Fund in memory of Helen Wamboldt from Sharon and Nigel and family.

The Endowment Fund *In memory of Helen Wamboldt* from Anthea and Michael Donnan

Upcoming Sunday Services:

October 18th: Pentecost 21

- 9 a.m. BCP said Holy Eucharist
- 11 a.m. BCP Choral Mattins
- 3 p.m. CLB Anniversary Parade & Service

October 25th: Reformation Sunday

- 11 a.m. Lutheran Liturgy Choral Eucharist

November 1st: All Saints' Day

- 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

November 8th: Remembrance Sunday

- 9 a.m. BCP said Holy Eucharist
- 11 a.m. BCP Choral Mattins

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

"Forget Us Not" is a two-act play written and performed by Lloyd White. It tells the story of how one family was deeply impacted by the Battle of Beaumont Hamel, and it poignantly portrays how this tragedy had a lasting effect on a small Newfoundland outport and its people. While it is a fictional story, it is based on historical facts. On Friday, October 30, at 7:30 p.m., Lloyd will perform this play at St. Mark's Church (203 Logy Bay Road, St. John's). Admission is a freewill offering, and all proceeds will go to support the Community Connector diocesan project – a mobile place of welcome and belonging. All are welcome!

Ecumenical Service Honouring Faith, Service, & Sacrifice – Marking the 110th Anniversary of Beaumont-Hamel; the 100th Anniversary of the Royal Canadian Legion; and the Legacy of Padre Thomas Nangle. **2 pm Sunday, 8 November 2026 at the RC Basilica of St. John the Baptist.** *All are welcome.*

Emmaus House Change of Location and Hours of Operation

Emmaus House Food Bank is now open in their new location on the ground floor of Canon Wood Hall, at St. Thomas' Church. We will be open from 1 pm to 3 pm Monday to Friday.

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

Setting: Darke in F

Processional Hymns:

307 Come, ye thankful people, come

St. George

The Collect of the Day

308 We plough the fields and gather

Wir Pflügen

The Proclamation of the Word

Deuteronomy 8:7-18

Anthony Donnan

Psalm 65

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2 Corinthians 9:6-15

Sharon Stuckey

Gradual Hymn: **CP 403 Let all things now living**

The Ash Grove

The Holy Gospel: **Luke 17:11-19**

The Nicene Creed

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The Sermon

The Dean

Offertory Sentence

Offertory Hymn: **312 Praise to God, immortal praise**

Monkland

The Intercessions

David Morgan

The Holy Communion

Invitation, Confession, Absolution, Comfortable Words

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Thanksgiving and Consecration

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The Peace, Prayer of Humble Access, *Agnus Dei*

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THE COMMUNION

Anthem: ***Sing a song of thanks***

Vivaldi

The Lord's Prayer, Thanksgiving

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The Gloria

The Blessing

The Prayer of St. Francis

Dismissal Hymn: **305 Now thank we all our God**

Nun danket

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Sowing Seeds Harvesting – Thank you to the parishioners and C.L.B. members who came out to harvest the potato crop. We harvested over 3,000 pounds of potatoes which will be distributed to various food banks.

Let all things now living a song of thanksgiving

To God the creator triumphantly raise,
Who fashioned and made us, protected and stayed us,
Who still guides us on to the end of our days.
Love's banners are o'er us; God's light goes before us,
A pillar of fire shining forth in the night,
Till shadows have vanished and darkness is banished,
As forward we travel from light into Light.

2. God's law still enforces the stars in their courses
And causes the sun in its splendour to shine;
The hills and the mountains, the rivers and fountains,
The deeps of the ocean in praises combine.
We too should be voicing our love and rejoicing;
With glad adoration a song let us raise
Till all things now living unite in thanksgiving:
"To God in the highest, hosanna and praise!"

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Join the NSO for a Night at the Cabaret!

The NSO invites you to Sinfonia 1: A Night at the Cabaret, featuring incredible guest soprano soloist Danika Lorén together with the NSO Sinfonia under the direction of Simon Rivard. The evening opens with music from John Kander and Fred Ebb's *Cabaret*, bringing the sound of the theatre straight into the hall. Songs by William Bolcom follow, continuing that cabaret tradition. Additional works by Kurt Weill, Dmitri Shostakovich, and Jacques Ibert bring variety to the second half of the program, from the well-known waltz by Dimitri Shostakovich to theatrical song and lighter orchestral pieces, creating an evening shaped by stage music, memorable tunes, and strong character(s). Sinfonia 1 takes place on October 17 beginning at 7:30pm at the DF Cook Recital Hall at Memorial University's School of Music. Tickets are available at the ACC Box Office (709-729-3900), online at www.artsandculturecentre.com, and at the door.