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.

Learn more about the Cathedral by visiting OurCathedral.ca

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The Cathedral MESSENGER

Welcome to the Anglican Cathedral of St. John the Baptist
8 November 2026
Remembrance Sunday

Coming up this week…

Wednesday	12 noon	Labyrinth Walk	Cathedral
Wednesday	7:30 pm	Cathedral Choir	Crypt

Take a Moment of Peace on Remembrance Day – On **Wednesday, November 11th, the Cathedral Labyrinth** will be open from **12 noon to 2 p.m.** for anyone looking for a quiet, reflective moment in the middle of the day. You are invited to come and walk the Labyrinth, sit in silence, or simply pause and breathe. It is a gentle way to honour those who have served and to hold hope for peace in our world. Enter through the stone porch doors on Gower Street.

Confirmation: We plan to offer Confirmation Classes this year, in preparation for a 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.

ANGLICAN
FOUNDATION OF CANADA

We are delighted to acknowledge that **we have been awarded a grant of $50,000 from the Anglican Foundation** to assist with our Cathedral Heating Project. We extend our deepest gratitude and appreciation to the Anglican Foundation and all who support it!

For more than 65 years, the **Anglican Foundation of Canada** (AFC) has been a trusted guardian of the generous legacies of hundreds of Canadian Anglicans. The Foundation's endowment, faithfully stewarded by clergy and lay leaders from across Canada, has resulted in disbursements totaling $40 million.

AFC has become the philanthropic partner of choice for a visionary family of donors, now larger than ever and more than 1,100 active members strong. In 2013, AFC issued a challenge to the Anglican Church of Canada to imagine more, and those two simple words have changed our conversation with grant recipients.

The Foundation's role in the life of the church has gradually moved away from funding a sense of place to funding a sense of purpose. Our church's character, while as steadfast as ever, has become increasingly innovative in responding to the challenges facing communities from coast to coast to coast.

We invite you to visit **www.anglicanfoundation.org** to find out more about the Foundation and its role in funding ministry across Canada, and how you can be part of this exciting journey filled with hope and possibility.

Our Heating Project is now essentially complete! Our contractors just have a couple of minor things to clue up, but everything is in place and operational in the Cathedral. Many thanks to **Newfoundland HVAC** which has completed this work. Huge thanks to **Rick Noel** who spent many hours here overseeing the project on our behalf. And a warm thanks to the **Anglican Foundation** for their financial support of this essential heating project!

Upcoming Sunday Services:

November 15th: Pentecost 25
– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

November 22nd: The Reign of Christ
– 11 a.m. BAS Choral Eucharist & Baptism

November 29th: Advent I
– 9 a.m. BCP said Holy Eucharist
– 11 a.m. Advent Lessons & Carols

December 6th: Advent II
– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist
with the Great Litany in Procession

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

NSO Presents Masterworks 2: Flights of Fancy Join us for an extraordinary night of music for Masterworks 2: Flights of Fancy, taking place at **7:30 PM on Friday, November 13** at the St. John's Arts & Culture Centre. The concert will be conducted by incredible guest conductor Tania Miller. Andrea Tarrodi's *Birds of Paradise* opens with shifting textures and rhythmic detail that suggest movement and natural imagery. Violinist Julia Mirzoev then leads Édouard Lalo's *Symphonie espagnole*, a work shaped by expressive solo writing, dance influence, and strong melodic lines. After intermission, Antonín Dvořák's *Symphony No. 6* closes the concert with a rollercoaster of emotions, completing a perfect masterworks experience, a satisfying conclusion that highlights the orchestra's full sound. We would love for you to join us for this wonderful concert! Tickets are available at the ACC Box Office (709-729-3900), www.artsandculturecentre.com, and at the door.

The Cathedral Angel Tree of Memories

Again this Advent & Christmas, the beautiful tree by the lectern will become our **Angel Tree of Memories** — a display of love and remembrance. You can honor someone special by adding a lovely **angel ornament** to the tree for a **$20 donation**. Each angel will represent a loved one we're remembering this season, with their name displayed under the tree in a framed list.

Your gift helps support our church while creating a lasting tradition we can enjoy for years to come!

We will start taking dedications and donations at the Christmas Market.

Let's fill our Tree of Memories with angels, love, and the spirit of Christmas!

Music in the Hall" Concert Series at St. David's Church, 98 Elizabeth Avenue: The next performance in the Concert Series will be held in our beautiful Sanctuary on Sunday, November 22nd at 2pm. This afternoon of inspirational gospel music will feature vocalists extraordinaire Darrin Martin and Jonathan Parsons with Music Director, Brian Way**.** All tickets must be reserved before making payment either by email or phone, thank you! Tickets are $25/pp and our two methods of payment are cash at the office, Tuesday thru Friday from 9am to 1pm. Or by e-transfer to: musicinthehall250@gmail.com. If purchasing by e-transfer, you may pick up your tickets at the door. (You are always welcome to email us or call the St. David's office at 709-722-2382 with any questions regarding the payment options.)

Annual Christmas Market – November 21, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Help make our Christmas Market a wonderful success! There are many ways to contribute:

- Morning Coffee: Donations of muffins are welcome, especially blueberry (or partridgeberry or other berries), chocolate chip banana, and poppyseed.
- Bake Sale: All kinds of homemade baked goods, jams, and preserves are greatly appreciated.
- Basket of Cheer: We are collecting items such as chocolates, wine, gift cards, and other treats for a special raffle basket.
- Angel Tree of Memories: We are delighted to launch our 2026 Angel Tree of Memories at this year's Market.

Most of all, bring your friends and family to the Cathedral on November 21! Enjoy a lovely day of fellowship, festive spirit, and a warm, welcoming atmosphere.

Thank you for your generosity and support. We look forward to seeing you there!

Advent Season Giving – As we prepare for the coming Advent Season, let's share the love of God by showing care and compassion for others. In the spirit of Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love, we invite you to offer donations that will bring comfort and happiness to those in need.

Children's Gifts (ages 0–17) – toys, games, puzzles.
Winter Warmth – coats, hats, gloves/mittens, scarves, blankets.
Baby Essentials – diapers, wipes, baby shampoo, baby soap.
Adult Hygiene Items – shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste, soap, toothbrushes, sanitary supplies.

Every contribution, big or small, helps brighten someone's season and reminds them they are loved and cared for. Donations can be brought to the Cathedral Office during office hours or upstairs during service times. Delivery of all donations will take place around the 15th of December.

9:00 a.m. **Holy Eucharist** (said)
BCP p. 67, Propers p. 256

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

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Hymn: **379 O God, our help in ages past**	*St. Anne*
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Wisdom 3:1-9	**Joseph Ayris**
Canticle: **Te deum**	*Stanford*
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Closing Hymn: **CP 529 God, my hope on you is founded**	*Michael*

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We gratefully acknowledge donations to:
The Discretionary Fund *In memory of The Rev'd Cecil Fifield & Marian* from Jessie Abraham.

God, my hope on you is founded;
You my faith and trust renew:
Through all change and chance you guide me,
Only good and only true.
God unknown, you alone
Call my heart to be your own.

2. Human pride and earthly glory,
Sword and crown, betray our trust;
Though with care and toil we build them,
Tower and temple fall to dust.
But your power, hour by hour,
Is my temple and my tower.

3. Daily does the_almighty Giver
Bounteous gifts on us bestow;
God's desire for us delights us,
Pleasure leads us where we go.
Here at hand, love takes stand,
Joy awaits God's sure command.

4. God's great goodness lasts forever,
Deepest wisdom, passing thought:
Splendour, light, and life attending,
Beauty springing out of naught.
Evermore from God's store
New-born worlds rise and adore.

5. Still from earth to God eternal
Sacrifice of praise be done,
High above all praises praising
For the gift of Christ the Son.
Christ, you call one and all;
Those who follow shall not fall.