

Mission Statement

Guided by Holy Scripture and the Holy Spirit, we the congregation of Holy Trinity pledge our lives to Christ. Through worship, love, and service to one another, we will bring witness and encouragement to the community.

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SERVICE TIMES FOR July 10 – July 24

<i>Today, July 10</i> <i>Trinity 7</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Baptism/Holy Eucharist (BAS)	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	
<i>Thursday, July 14</i>	Holy Communion (BAS)	9:30 a.m.	
<i>Next Sunday, July 17</i> <i>Trinity 8</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Morning Prayer (BCP)	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	
<i>Thursday, July 21</i>	Baptism/Holy Eucharist (BAS)	9:30 a.m.	
<i>Sunday, July 24</i> <i>Trinity 9</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Holy Eucharist (BAS)	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	
Readings July 10:	Amos 7:7-17	Colossians 1:1-14	Luke 10:25-37
Readings July 17:	Amos 8:1-12	Colossians 1:15-28	Luke 10:38-42

Welcome. A special welcome to anyone who is visiting with us. Please introduce yourself to our Greeters and Clergy, and sign our guest book in the foyer.

Baptism at the 10:30 a.m. Service. Today we have three children to be baptised. As parents continue to bring their children for baptism, we have hope for the future of the church. Baptism is all about us, the family of God, welcoming others into our family. It is the beginning of a new life following in the way of Jesus. It is a journey we all share in together. So we welcome these little ones today, and we support both them and their families in this life-long journey of faith. Please keep them in your prayers.

Help Wanted. All women in our congregation are invited to knit 8-inch squares (red heart yarn) or cut 8-inch squares from material. These squares will be joined together to make quilts next winter to donate to various groups. For further information, contact Dale Butler or Sandra Knight.

The Grand Falls-Windsor Refugee Outreach Committee. The Committee is about to welcome its first sponsored family to our town. A few days ago, the Committee was contacted by the ANC (Association for New Canadians) to say that a family is ready to be paired with our local committee. The Committee has agreed to the sponsorship and now preparations will begin to ensure that we are ready for their arrival. Because of the process that the family must now undergo, it may yet take up to 8 or 10 weeks before they actually arrive in Grand Falls-Windsor. It is a family of 4--the dad is 33, mom is 30, the son is 8 and the daughter is 6. They are a Syrian family. At the moment they are in a refugee camp in Turkey and cannot return to their home for fear of their safety. As the Committee prepares for the family, the first thing we must do is ensure there is adequate housing. Once this is done, we must make sure the home is furnished and ready. If you know of a home that can be rented at a reasonable rate, please let Rev. Randy know and he will pass it along to the committee members. We are very pleased with the support received from our congregation and from our Diocese. More information on our family of 4 will be shared as it becomes available in the coming weeks.

Exterior of the Church Building. Work on the exterior of the building is almost completed. We are very pleased with what is being done and the building looks great. In addition, the floors both upstairs and downstairs are being professionally cleaned and waxed. Please take note to how much brighter our church floor is looking. Considering that the flooring is 56 years old, it turned out very well. In the next few years, we will perhaps need to look at replacing the flooring; but for now, it is looking rather good.

Readers. Readers are not scheduled for worship services during the summer months. If you are available to read, please let the officiant/celebrant know the Sunday you are available.

Holidays. Rev. Randy will be on holidays until July 31. In case of emergency, please call the church wardens, Ena DaCosta or Margaret Pomeroy. Worship services will be led by Associate Clergy, assisted by Lay Ministers and Eucharistic Assistants. Rev. Joan is able to respond to any urgent calls and can be contacted at 489-2813.

Diocesan ACW Conference. Don't forget the Diocesan ACW Conference that our ACW will be hosting September 30 – October 2. If you can help the ladies in any way, please let our two co-presidents, Sandra Knight & Dale Butler know. They will require help to provide meals and billets.

Eucharist Assistants. If you are available to serve on a Sunday during the summer, please let the clergy know.

Interment. The interment of ashes for the late Ethel Bennett will be held on August 7 at 2 p.m.

Mint Brook Summer Activities/Camp Applications. Applications are now available for the boys' and girls' camps this summer. Please encourage children to attend, as it is a fantastic week of fun and fellowship. Financial assistance is available to any family that may find it difficult to send their child or children to camp. Please let Rev. Randy know as funds can be accessed through the Anglican Charitable Foundation for Children (ACFC). Applications for other Mint Brook activities are also available.

Parish Finances. Summer is a time when many people are away on vacation or involved in other summer activities. It is a slow time for the church financially. It will be a great help to the parish if our parishioners can maintain their offerings to the church over that time. If you plan to be away, please consider using post-dated cheques or going to our website to use the instant link canadahelps.org that enables you to give online. All tax receipts are issued by canadahelps.org. This will make things a lot easier for Robert, our parish treasurer, in meeting our financial commitments.

Annual Flower Service. A service of Holy Eucharist will be held on Sunday, August 14 at 2:30 p.m. at the Anglican section of the Interdenominational Cemetery. A brief visit for prayers will follow at the old cemetery on Valley Road.

Quiet Day to Be Sponsored by the Order of St. Luke (OSL). The Quiet Day will be on Saturday, October 8 from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. The guest speaker will be Pastor Jonathan Gascoyne of the Seventh Day Adventist Church.

Greeters

July 17: Fred & Linda Pafford, Hubert Griffin, Margaret Pomeroy, Heather Howse

July 24: George & Margaret Thorne, Roy Earle, Vic Whitten, Bill Reid, Phyllis Woolfrey

Messenger Notices. The next Messenger will be printed for **July 24**. Please have your submissions to Linda by Thursday, July 21. Contact Linda at 489-9801 or linda.pafford@nl.rogers.com.