

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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Today's bulletin has been given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving by Robynn Toal for the blessing received during her Internship at Holy Trinity.

SERVICE TIMES FOR November 19 – November 26		
Sunday, November 19 <i>Trinity 23</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Holy Eucharist/Baptism (BAS) Memorial Hymn Sing	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m.
Thursday, November 23	Holy Communion (BCP)	9:30 a.m.
Sunday, November 26 <i>Reign of Christ/ Trinity 24</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Holy Eucharist (BAS)	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.

Readings: Judges 4: 1 – 7 1 Thessalonians 5: 1 - 11 Matthew 25: 14 – 30
Readers: Patricia Hammond David Mercer Martha Beson

Welcome to Our Worship. If you are visiting with us this morning, please introduce yourself to our Greeters and Clergy, and sign our guest book in the foyer.

Baptism Today. We welcome into the Church and into God's family *Addyson Autumn Joan Baker*, infant daughter of Mark & Christina Baker.

Queen's College Intern. This is Robynn's last Sunday with us. In honor of Robynn's time with us for the past 12 weeks, there will be refreshments served at the back of the church following the 10:30 a.m. worship service. All are welcome.

Annual Memorial Hymn Sing Tonight. Our Memorial Hymn-Sing will take place this evening at seven o'clock with our Choir and Singing Sidesmen leading the music. Please come and share in this worship with us.

Bible Study with Robynn. To prepare for this session, please read Psalm #66: A Prayer of Joy. The study begins at 2 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Help Required. The men of the congregation are asked to come to the E.M. Bishop Hall this Wednesday at 7 p.m. to set up tables for ACW Fall Sale.

ACW Annual Fall Sale. The sale will be held this Saturday, November 25 at 10 a.m. Doors open at 9:30 a.m. and the sale starts at 10 a.m. Admission is \$4. Donations can be dropped off at the church on Friday after 6:30 p.m.

The Carmelite House Bake Sale. There will be a sale this Saturday, November 25, between 10:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. at the Carmelite House (Main Lobby). Donations of baked goods or knitted articles would be greatly appreciated and can be dropped off at the Carmelite House by Friday, November 24. For more information, please contact Carl Ings at 292-2531. All proceeds will go towards the "Residents Christmas Fund" which is used to enhance our resident's quality of life. *Thank You for your Support!*

Grab Bags for the ACW Fall Sale. This is the last Sunday to donate items for this project. The container will be removed today. Items can be for any age and gender. Some examples are: household items, school items, toys, jewelry, clothes (socks, mitts, scarves, etc). The bags will be sold for \$1, but the value could be much more.

Dedication of the Altar Guild Room Next Sunday. The room was done from a donation from the Hall family and will be dedicated to the memory of James & Ethel Hall. Many in our congregation will remember the faithfulness of Mrs. Hall to the Altar Guild, a service she performed faithfully well into her eighties. The Rector, Wardens and Vestry, on behalf of the congregation, are very grateful to the family for their generous donation to honor their parents.

Next Sunday Will Be Rev. Randy's Last Sunday as Rector. This will be an opportunity for him to say goodbye to the parish as he leaves to take up his duties as Rector of the Parish of St. Philip's in the Diocese of Eastern Newfoundland.

A Big Thank You From the Lockyer Family. We were overwhelmed with your thoughtfulness in hosting a farewell dinner for us last Tuesday. Your love and generosity toward us was heartfelt and deeply appreciated. Thank you so much to the vestry, the planning committee, the Emcee, the ACW, the choir, the OSL, the Sidesmen Association, Freeman Piercey, all the speakers, and all those who gave us gifts. Thank you so much to everyone who came out to be a part of the evening. Your presence was very meaningful to us. Thank you as well to all those who wanted to attend but were not able to get a ticket. We will always remember your love and support and treasure the friendships we have made at Holy Trinity. You will always hold a special place in our hearts. Thank you so very much!

(Rev. Randy, Ada, Kirkland, Dylan & Adam)

Order of St. Luke Meeting. The annual meeting will be held this Tuesday at 8 p.m. We will be going to Twin Town on Wednesday at 1:30 for a healing service. Everyone is welcome.

Cancer Survivors Choir Christmas Service. The Choir will be performing at Holy Trinity on Sunday, December 3 at 3 p.m. This will be the first Sunday of Advent. We hope many people will come out to enjoy the performance as we start to get into the spirit of Christmas.

Holy Trinity Church Choir Christmas Service: *Joy to the World, A Celebration of Carols.* The service will be on Sunday, December 17 at the 10:30 a.m. service. Please mark that date on your calendar. We hope to see you there.

Annual Christmas Tree of Memories. The tree will be lit on Tuesday, December 19 at 7 p.m. If you would like to have a bulb on the tree lit in memory of a loved one, please place your donation and the name of your loved one in a plain envelope, write your envelope number on the envelope and place it in the collection plate before December 17. The names will be read out and then the tree will be lit in loving memory of all loved ones. Following the lighting of the tree, everyone is invited to the Olde Parish Hall for hot chocolate and Timbits.

The Rector's Christmas Discretionary Fund. The fund will not be active this Christmas, simply because Rev. Randy will not be here to administer the funds; and in all likelihood, the new Rector will not be settled into the Parish before Christmas. Rev. Randy is encouraging those who have supported the fund each Christmas to take the same amount and donate it to another worthy cause, such as the VOCM Happy Tree or the local Food Bank or place it in your PWRDF envelope and help support many needy projects around the world.

Greeters/Sidesmen Needed. If you like meeting people and making everyone feel welcome, then maybe you would enjoy being a greeter before Church services. Part of your responsibility would be to be at church 30 minutes before the service begins and wear a smile. You would be asked to serve every fifth or sixth week. *Romans 15:7 states: "Welcome one another, therefore, as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God" (RSV).* If you are interested in helping us in this important ministry, please call Terry Brown (489-3898).

Greeters: David Mercer, Gerry Dobbin, Ena DaCosta, Anne Hiscock, Winston Ellsworth, Amanda Constable

Messenger Notices. Please have your submissions to Linda by Thursday. You may contact her at 489-9801 or e-mail linda.pafford@nl.rogers.com.