

## Our 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.*

The bulletin today is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of **George & Winnie Norris & Sandra** by Barbara, Judy, Marion, Louise and Families.

Service Times for February 18 – February 25		
Sunday, February 18 <i>Lent 1</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Holy Eucharist (BAS) Evening Prayer (BAS)	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday <i>Midweek Lenten Service</i>	“Jesus’ Scandalous Association”	7:30 p.m.
Thursday, February 22	Holy Eucharist (BAS)	9:30 a.m.
Sunday, February 25 <i>Lent 2</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Morning Prayer (BAS) Annual Congregational Meeting	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 2:00 p.m.

**Readings:** **Genesis 9:8-17**  
Garry Hayley

**1 Peter 3:18-22**  
Marilyn Hillyard

**Mark 1:9-15**  
David Wells

**Welcome.** A warm welcome to everyone who is worshipping with us this morning. If this is your first time at Holy Trinity, please introduce yourself to our Greeters and Clergy, and sign our guest book located in the foyer.

**Evening Service Today.** Freeman Piercey will be providing the music.

**Order of St. Luke (OSL).** The regular monthly meeting/study will take place this Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Vestry Room. There will be no Healing Service at Hollett’s Retirement Centre on Wednesday.

**Mid-week Lenten Journey.** Please join with us for a special series of services called *Christ on Trial*. In the service on Wednesday night, Matthew speaks of Jesus' scandalous association with the seedier side of society. Examine evidence in this service that demands a verdict: Who is this Jesus ... for you?

**Annual Congregational General Meeting.** The meeting will be held next **Sunday, February 25** at 2 p.m. in the E.M. Bishop Hall. Rev. Terry Caines will be conducting the 10:30 service that morning and will chair the Annual Congregational General Meeting in the afternoon. All committee and financial parish reports should be made available to be presented at that meeting. Please make an effort to attend.

**World Day of Prayer Service.** The Service will be held at Holy Trinity Anglican Church on Friday, March 2 at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served after the Service.

**Thank You.** A sincere thank you from Holy Trinity to George Thorne and family for this gift of the new Lenten Vestments in memory of Margaret Thorne. Bishop Don will do a service of dedication this morning at the 10:30 service.

**The Daily Bread.** The booklet for March, April & May is now available at the back of the church. If you wish to contribute financially, please put it in an envelope marked Daily Bread.

**Friendly Reminder.** Our church is a scent free area. Please do not wear strong perfume/cologne on Sundays or to church events. Thank you for helping others who have strong allergies to these scents.

**Help Required.** The ACW Social Concern, with a membership of 12 senior church members, is seeking the help of a Chairperson. The Chairperson would be responsible for coordinating the member visits to the sick and shut-in church members, and to call a meeting at the Chairperson’s pleasure. If this is a service you feel able to help with, please contact Carol Anstey (489 6581) or Martha Beson (489 7816).

**New Members of Vestry Are Needed.** If you would like to offer your time to serve on Vestry (the governing body of the parish), please let one of the following know: Ena Dacosta (489-4914) or Wayne Ricks (489-2525) or Dolly Hart (489-9364). The names for new members will be put forth and accepted at the annual meeting on February 25.

**Diocesan Synod 2018.** Synod will be held here at Holy Trinity from September 28 – 30. Accommodations will be needed for some delegates. The actual number of billets will not be known until June. If you are able to help, please phone Terry Brown at 489-3898.

**Sidesmen Association Meeting.** There will be a meeting on Wednesday, March 7, in the Vestry Room after the Midweek Lenten Service

**Church Calendars.** If you want a calendar, contact Karen Brown (489-6490). The cost is \$5 each.

**Greeters.** David Wells, Ron Antle, Bob Hiscock, Martha Beson, Audrey Bishop, Sonia Cull

## Queen's College Appeal

We get no money from government. Our main sources of revenue are tuition, diocesan grants, and the Queen's College Appeal. We set our tuition rate to match MUN. MUN has had frozen tuition for nearly a decade, this year they established some new fees. We get occasional contributions from *In Memoriam* and similar donations, sometimes with a designated purpose such as a scholarship fund. The Appeal is essential to support our attempts to adjust to current needs within the church and explore ways of preparing people for leadership roles in the Church.

You may support Queen's College by using the envelopes provided or give a gift online at <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/16498>.

Thank you for your financial support this morning. Your giving is a way to contribute to the future of the Church and the spread of the Gospel.

### Prayers for Queen College's Appeal

#### For Theological Education

God of all truth, whose Son sat among scholars, asking them questions: bless all theological colleges, and especially Queen's College, that they may be lively centres for sound learning, new discovery and the pursuit of wisdom. May all who teach and all who learn seek and love the truth, and in humility look to you, the source of all wisdom and understanding, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### For Ordination Candidates

God our Father, the Shepherd of Israel, you entrust to your Church the care of your people: watch over your servants now preparing for your sacred ministry of word and sacrament. Fill them with faith, hope and love and make them steadfast in prayer; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### For those Contemplating Ordained Ministry

Almighty God, you have entrusted to your Church a share in the ministry of your Son, our great High Priest. Inspire by your Holy Spirit the hearts and minds of many to offer themselves for your sacred ministry of word and sacrament, that as ministers of your Gospel they may draw all people to your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### For Ordination Candidates

God our Shepherd, in every generation you call ministers of your word and sacraments. Equip them to preach the gospel, to care for your people and to show forth the fruit of the Spirit in their lives; in the name of Jesus our Saviour. Amen.

**Notes for the Bulletin.** Articles for the Sunday Messenger must be submitted to Linda by Thursday. Please e-mail [linda.pafford@nl.rogers.com](mailto:linda.pafford@nl.rogers.com) or call (489-9801).

Priest: All things come of you, O Lord.

**People: And of your own have we given you.**

Priest: O Lord, prosper the work of our hands upon us;

**People: O Lord, prosper our handiwork.**

Priest: Show your servants your work;

**People: And their children your glory.**

Priest: Let us bless the Lord.

**People: It is meet and right so to do.**

THANKSGIVING and honour and glory be unto you, Almighty God, that from ancient times you have put it into the hearts of people to make offerings for your service, and have been pleased at all times to receive them at their hands. Mercifully accept these Lenten Vestments which we devoutly offer and set apart to your glory and in memory of Margaret Thorne. Grant that this gift may be found worthy through your blessing to magnify your Name, to benefit your Church, and to minister grace and joy to those who rightfully use them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all praise and dominion for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**IN THE FAITH** of Jesus Christ, we dedicate these Lenten Vestments to the glory of God and in memory of Margaret Thorne, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

**BLESSED** be your Name, O Lord, that it has pleased you to put into the hearts of your servants to offer this gift for your worship. Remember them, O Lord, for good, and grant that all who shall enjoy the benefit of this pious work may show forth their thankfulness to you by making a right use of the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**ALMIGHTY GOD**, we remember this day before you your faithful servant Margaret, and we pray that, having opened to her the gates of larger life, you will receive her more and more into your joyful service; that she may win, with you and your servants everywhere the eternal victory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**REST ETERNAL GRANT UNTO HER O LORD  
AND MAY LIGHT PERPETUAL SHINE UPON HER. AMEN.**