

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.

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The bulletin today is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of **Eldon Penny** by Nora & Family.

Service Times for March 18 – March 25		
Sunday, March 18 <i>Lent 5</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Holy Eucharist (BAS) Annual Congregational General Meeting	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m.
Mid-week Lent Service	Reflection: <i>John</i>	7:30 p.m.
Thursday, March 22	Holy Eucharist (BAS)	9:30 a.m.
Sunday, March 25 <i>Palm Sunday</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Liturgy of the Palms/Holy Eucharist (BAS)	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.

Readings: **Jeremiah 31:31-34** **Hebrews 5:5-10** **John 12:20-33**
 Ann Shears Patricia Hammond 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. There will be no service tonight.

Annual Congregational General Meeting Tonight. The meeting will be held tonight at **7 p.m.** in the E.M. Bishop Hall. Please make an effort to attend.

Vestry Meeting. There will be a meeting this Wednesday, March 21, at 6 p.m. in the Vestry Room.

Mid-week Lenten Journey. Join us with us this Wednesday for our special service called *Christ on Trial*. We will listen as the court is in session to determine who Christ is. In this service for Week 5, a young man named **John** is called to the stand to answer the question: “Are charges of cannibalism true?” Examine evidence in this service that demands a verdict: Who is this Jesus ... for you?

Altar Guild Meeting. There will be a meeting on Monday, March 19, at 6:45 p.m. in the Vestry Room. New members are welcome.

Making Palm Crosses. The ACW and Altar Guild will be making the Palm Crosses for Palm Sunday on Wednesday night after the Lenten service. Anyone who would like to come along and share in the fellowship is welcome. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

Easter Flowers. Anyone wishing to put flowers in Church for Easter in memory of loved ones is asked to put the information in an envelope marked *Easter Flowers* and your Envelope No. and place it in the offertory plate.

Order of St. Luke (OSL). There will be a meeting this Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Vestry Room. There will also be a healing service at Twin Town on Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend these events.

March Ultreya. There will be an Ultreya this **Saturday, March 24** at Holy Trinity Church, Gander Bay. We will meet around 10:30 a.m. Remember to bring your “brown bag” lunch.

Are You Interested in Being Actively Involved in the Ministry of Your Church? Everyone has gifts and talents from God to serve Him. Being involved in your church activities is one way of giving thanks to God for all His blessings. Some immediate opportunities for service you might consider are:

Reader: You may like to do a scripture reading at our 10:30 a.m. Sunday Service. The readings are written in everyday language.

Greeter: If you can strike up a conversation with others, you can become a church greeter.

Sound Operator: Volunteers are needed to help with the sound system. Even if you don’t have much experience with an audio system, you could probably learn all you need to know.

If you would like to be a Reader, Greeter or Sound Operator, please contact Linda Pafford at 489-9801. We are in the process of preparing a new schedule from April 1 to June 30. It should be available April 1.

Diocesan Synod 2018. Synod will be held in our Parish from September 28 – 30. Accommodations will be needed for some delegates. The actual number of billets will not be known until June, but the Accommodations Committee would like to prepare a list of willing host/hostess beforehand. If you are able to help, please phone Terry Brown at 489-3898.

Greeters. Jim Mercer, Brad Hulan, Rendell Hulan, Clyde Hunter, Joe Richards

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

Glory Thy Name

**Father we love You,
We worship and adore You.
Glorify Thy name in all the earth.
Glorify Thy name, Glorify Thy name,
Glorify Thy name in all the earth.**

**Jesus we love You,
We worship and adore You.
Glorify Thy name in all the earth.
Glorify Thy name, Glorify Thy name,
Glorify Thy name in all the earth.**

**Spirit we love You,
We worship and adore You.
Glorify Thy name in all the earth.
Glorify Thy name, Glorify Thy name,
Glorify Thy name in all the earth.**

Repeat the 3 verses

Offertory Hymn

O Jesus, I have promised
to serve you to the end
Remain forever near me.
my Saviour and my friend.
I shall not fear the battle
if you are by my side,
nor wander from the pathway
if you will be my guide.

O let me feel you near me!
The world is ever near;
I see the sights that dazzle,
the tempting sounds I hear;
my foes are ever near me,
around me and within;
but Jesus, then draw nearer,
and shield my soul from sin.

O let me hear you speaking
in accents clear and still,
above the storms of passion,
the murmurs of self-will.
O speak to reassure me,
to hasten or control;
Now speak, and make me listen,
O guardian of my soul.

O Jesus, I have promised
to all who follow you.
that where you are in glory
Your servant shall be too.
And Jesus, I have promised
to serve you to the end;
O give me grace to follow,
my Master and my Friend.