

ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 27, 2010



The Church of St. John the Evangelist

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Welcome to the Church of Saint John the Evangelist. It is a joy to worship together. Infants, children and youth are all invited to participate fully in today's services. The Infant and Child Playroom is also open before and during the service. It is fully equipped for parents with children under age 6.

If this is your first visit with us please sign our guest book and, if you wish, fill in a visitor registration card/envelope which you'll find in the pews and either place it in the offering plate or give it to a sidesman. After our 10AM worship service please join us for refreshments and fellowship in the Upper Parish Hall. Everyone is welcome.

Fifth Sunday After Pentecost

June 27, 2010

EARLY EUCHARIST AT EIGHT O'CLOCK

Book of Common Prayer, Page 67

Introit Psalm 27:1-7; 9:9-12 p. 360
Proper: Fourth Sunday After Trinity p. 223
Celebrant and Preacher The Reverend Grace Schaefer

HOLY EUCHARIST AT TEN O'CLOCK

Book of Alternative Services, Page 185

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Celebrant The Reverend George Strack
Organ Prelude Guest Organist: Barrie Cabena
*During the Prelude we quietly prepare our hearts and
minds for worship and refrain from unnecessary conversation*

Introit Hymn #316 New Songs of Celebration Render
Greeting
Children's Focus

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Collect for the Day p. 365
The Bible tells us that only two people were sufficiently worthy to be taken up to heaven without dying: Enoch and Elijah. The power and greatness of Elijah are expressed in terms of legend and miracle.
First Lection 2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14 Alice Croft
Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20 p. 804

Certain evangelists in Galatia expected Christians to adopt some (but not all) practices of Judaism. They seem to have argued: so long as you are circumcised and keep Jewish feasts, you are free to do anything you like. Paul denounces this theology vehemently: Christians must not abuse their liberty.

Second Lection Galatians 5:1, 13-25 Gerry King
Gradual Hymn #430 vs. 1, 2, 3 Will You Come and Follow Me

In telling us of the Transfiguration, Luke has told us that Peter, John and James have seen Moses and Elijah talking to Jesus "of his departure [for exodus], which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem". Now the time draws near.

Gospel Reading Luke 9:51-62

Gradual Hymn #430 vs. 4, 5 Will You Come and Follow Me
Sermon The Reverend Grace Schaefer
Apostles' Creed p. 189
The Prayers of the People Marilyn Malton
Intercessor: Hear us, O God
Response: Your mercy is great
Confession, Absolution and Exchange of The Peace p. 191

THE CELEBRATION OF HOLY EUCHARIST

Offertory Sentence "Speak Lord, for your servant is listening: you have the words of eternal life." See 1 Samuel 3:9; John 6:68
Offertory Hymn #587 Once to Every Man and Nation
Prayers over the Gifts p. 365
Eucharistic Prayer #1 p. 193
Lord's Prayer p. 211
Breaking of the Bread #1 p. 212
Communion Hymn for Congregation and Choir
#437 Take My Life, and Let It Be
Communion Anthem Almighty and Everlasting God
O. Gibbons

A special Chalice has been prepared for those who wish to share in the Sacrament of the Holy Communion by means of intinction. It is located beside the font.

After sharing the sacrament of Holy Communion those who have personal petitions or who wish to offer intercession for others are invited to pause and light a candle in St Aidan's Chapel and to proceed to the meditation area for the Ministry of the Laying on of Hands with Prayers for Healing.

Prayer after Communion p. 366
Blessing
Parish Notices
Hymn #565 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah
Dismissal
Postlude

The Postlude is the concluding offering of worship; please refrain from applause afterwards. Those who wish to leave during the Postlude are asked to do so quietly

Worship at St. John's

Sunday Services

8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Mid-week Eucharist

Wednesday 7:30 a.m.
(Followed by breakfast)

Rector

The Reverend Canon Christopher Pratt

Assistant Priests

The Reverend Canon Sonjie Pearson
The Reverend George Strack
The Reverend Paul Kett
The Reverend Grace Schaefer

Churchwardens

Douglas Woodley Maureen Lichti

Deputy Wardens

Frank Millerd

Director of Music

Marlin C. Nagtegaal, B.Mus., M. Mus., U.M.

Parish Nurse

Elsie Millerd, RN, BN, DipCS

Office Hours

Monday - Wednesday 9:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

Thursday, July 1 - Closed

Friday 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

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IN MEMORIAM: The flowers on the Altar today are given to the glory of God and in memory of loved ones, a gift of the Anglican Church Women of St. John the Evangelist.

CYCLE OF PRAYER, we pray for one another, that we may bear witness of our faith in our daily occupations and responsibilities. This week we pray for Stan Iwan & Millie Rider; Joan Snow; John House; Elizabeth Kerr; Barbara Leach and their families.

WELCOME! Today we welcome Barrie Cabena as our guest organist. Thank you Barrie for offering your gifts and talents as you guide us musically in worship this morning.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING: The parish nurse is available after the 8am and 10am services today to do blood pressure screening and to make appointments for consultations on health concerns.

THE FRIENDS OF THE MEMORIAL GARDEN enjoyed a delightful Tea in Brenda and Alan Holvey's garden last week, and raised funds for the upkeep of the Garden. We should be very pleased to hear from any other Friends who missed the Tea. - *the Trustees*

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY Once again we will be supporting the Habitat for Humanity Build by providing lunch. We have been asked for help this year in September with refreshments for 85 people. We will be asking for your support. A list for how you can help will be available in July. Many thanks for your past support.

BE A LEAF DONOR: Green Passion is growing a big **Stewardship Tree** in the Upper Parish Hall, designed by Peter Mansell and constructed by Alfred Durichen, Ray Cloutier and Al Coughlin. Over the coming months it will sprout numerous leaves (we'll explain how later...). But we **NEED** (mainly) **GREEN STUFF** to make leaves out of – stiff paper, felt, cardboard, plastic binder covers, etc. If it can be cut with scissors and written on with felt-tip marker and is at least 4" x 6", bring it to church over the Summer and drop it in our "leaf bin." Everyone can help by recycling unwanted green "stuff." For more information about this Green Passion project, contact group member Pauline Finch (paulinefinch@rogers.com).

SUMMER GARLANDS - a lunch hour recital here at St. Johns on Thursday, August 12, at 12:10 pm - featuring Erika Bailey, mezzo-soprano, Carol Missio-King, piano - with music by Gerald Finzi, Manuel da Falla, Reynaldo Hahn and others. Admission by donation. Proceeds to the St. John Refugee Sponsor Program.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE SUMMER BULLETINS need to be in the church office **by Tuesday at noon.**

FUNCTIONAL FITNESS FOR SENIORS: Functional fitness is a blend of yoga, pilates and physical therapy which focuses on teaching muscles to work together to accomplish movements for everyday tasks such as balancing, getting out of a chair and picking up dropped objects. An example is doing squats to make getting in and out of a chair easier. Peter Aivaliotis, BSc, CSCS, CPT. Human Performance Specialist, Physico Performance Conditioning, will present a talk on functional fitness and teach us how to take care of ourselves and remain active. This event will be held June 30, 2010 at 1:00 pm at St. Michael's Church in the Parish Hall. No charge. Please register @ 519-884-9311.

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EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

June 27 - July 4

Sunday, June 27

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Monday, June 28

1:00 p.m. Celebration of the Life of Ruth Riggins

7:00 p.m. KMSB Rehearsal - Upper Parish Hall

Tuesday, June 29

1:00 p.m. Prayer Group - Sanctuary

Wednesday, June 30

7:30 a.m. Holy Communion followed by breakfast

7:00 p.m. Meditation Group - FSR

Thursday, July 1

CANADA DAY - Church office closed

Sunday, July 4

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist - Preacher: Canon Sonjie Pearson

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Below is a schedule of Parish Members who will be ministering this morning as well as those assisting during next week's service.

	June 27	July 4
Wardens	F. Millerd	F. Millerd
Altar Guild	Group 2	Group 3
Chalice Bearers	A. Kelland, P. Mansell R. Cloutier, A. Cloutier J. Boulden*	J. Mighty, K. Kett F. Millerd, S. Woodley B. Paquette*
Counters	B. Lichti	P. Smith
Intercessor	L. Smith	S. Woodley
Lectors	A. Croft, G. King	R. Dugan, D. Woodley
Servers	A. Packiyathan, A. Westwood	P. Millerd
Sidespeople	D. Winter	J. Gibbs, J. Reynolds
Coffee Hour	J. & D. Boulden	A. & B. Holvey