

April 9/10, 2016

**St. Mark's Anglican Church
"The Friendly Church"**



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Mission Statement

Living to the glory of God

Please remember that St. Mark's is a scent-free and peanut-free church to enable everyone to worship and enjoy fellowship comfortably.

Assisted Listening Devices available upon request

**St. Mark's Church – St. John's, Newfoundland
April 9/10, 2016**

SERVICES FOR THIS WEEKEND: April 9/10

**Saturday – 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist
Sunday – 8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
Sunday – 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist**

EUCCHARISTIC ASSISTANTS FOR THIS WEEKEND: April 9/10

**Saturday – 5:00 p.m. Charlotte Barrington
Sunday – 8:30 a.m. George Durnford
Sunday – 10:30 a.m. Rick Cullen, Effie Sheppard**

GIFT BEARERS FOR THIS SUNDAY: April 10

Stella Evans & Mary White

AUDIO TECHNICIAN FOR THIS SUNDAY: April 10

Tristan Paranavitana

USHERS FOR THIS SUNDAY: April 10

Team 8 – Captain: Daisy Petite

HOSPITALITY TEAM FOR THIS SUNDAY: April 10

Mae Squires Wallace, Eva Down, Daisy Petite

SERVICES FOR NEXT WEEKEND: April 16/17

**Saturday – 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist
Sunday – 8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
Sunday – 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist**

EUCCHARISTIC ASSISTANTS FOR NEXT WEEKEND: April 16/17

**Saturday – 5:00 p.m. Andrew Major
Sunday – 8:30 a.m. Kim Petley
Sunday – 10:30 a.m. Marilyn Beaton, Janice Dawe**

AUDIO TECHNICIAN FOR NEXT SUNDAY: April 17

John Tucker

USHERS FOR NEXT SUNDAY:

April 17

Team 1 – Captain: Gerry Bowers

HOSPITALITY TEAM FOR NEXT SUNDAY:

April 17

June Churchill, Shirley White, Lorie Cooke

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK:

Monday, April 11

7:00 p.m. C.L.B. (Torbay)

Tuesday, April 12

8:00 p.m. Senior Choir Practice

Wednesday, April 13

10:30 a.m. Clergy Meditation Group

7:30 p.m. Vestry Meeting

Thursday, April 14

9:00 a.m. Archdeaconry Meeting

11:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (BRC)

Friday, April 15

6:30 p.m. Setup for A.C.W. Spring Sale

Saturday, April 16

11:30 a.m. A.C.W. Spring Sale & Luncheon

5:00 p.m. Saturday Worship

Soup Saturday to follow

VESTRY MEETING

The next meeting of vestry will take place at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 13.

A.C.W. SPRING SALE AND LUNCHEON

St. Mark's A.C.W. will be holding a Spring Sale and Luncheon on Saturday, April 16. Stalls open at 11:30 a.m. Soup, sandwiches and cookies served from 12:00- 2:00 p.m. Cost: Adults - \$10.00, Children age 6-12 - \$5.00.

BOTTLE STALL

At the A.C.W. Spring Sale this year on Saturday, April 16, 2016, there will be a bottle stall with bottled sweet mustard pickles, homemade beets and carrot salad. We would love to receive other homemade bottles i.e. jam, marmalade, moose, chutney, etc. If you could donate a bottle or two it would be greatly appreciated. Wine, from the Liquor Store, is also a fast selling item and always welcomed. Please contact Betty Lewis at 576-2525 if you have any questions.

Donations for the bake sale, bottle stall and surprise table should be brought to the church on Friday evening, April 15, between 6:30 and 8:30 p.m. to allow for setting up the stalls for Saturday.

FATHER MARK ON STUDY LEAVE

Father Mark will be on study leave from Monday, April 4, to Monday, April 11 (inclusive). In the event of an emergency, please call Rev. Robert at 743-7804.

SOUP SATURDAY

The next Soup Saturday will take place following the 5:00 p.m. worship on April 16. Everyone is invited to stay for soup, rolls and fellowship.

HAM & BEAN SUPPER

We will be having a Ham and Bean Supper on Tuesday, April 26, at 6:00 p.m. The cost is "pay what you can". There are no tickets for this event, but to help us plan, please reserve your spot using the signup sheet in the hall or by contacting the church office.

PUB THEOLOGY

The next Pub Theology will take place at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, April 18, at The Local on Torbay Road. Our topic for April is "Spiritual but not Religious". We've all heard it at a dinner party or posted on Facebook: "I'm Spiritual but I'm not religious." What do people mean when they say this? Is it possible to be spiritual and not religious or vice versa? Maybe you count yourself in the spiritual-but-not-religious-camp, maybe it drives you crazy to hear people describe themselves this way. Whatever your opinion, join us for a pint and a conversation. But please remember to think responsibly!

OPERA ON THE AVALON

Opera on the Avalon is pleased to present our new Beaumont Hamel opera, *Ours*, which is based on the true story of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment in World War 1. The historical and captivating Canadian story of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment – specifically the Battle of Beaumont Hamel – is about to be brought to life through the extraordinary story of Chaplain Thomas Nangle, and showcased to the world. *Ours* charts the history of Nangle and Newfoundland through his attempts to sign up for the regiment at the start of the war, his posting, the time he spent on the front, his wounding at the hands of a sniper, the hard work of finding the lost regiment in the mud fields of France after the war, his establishment of the memorial parks, and his eventual departure from Newfoundland. *Ours*, by internationally acclaimed composer John Estacio, and award-winning writer Robert Chafe, receives its world premiere on July 1 to 2, 2016, at the St. John's Arts and Culture Centre. Tickets are on sale and available through the Arts and Culture Centre Box Office: (709) 729-3900. Ticket Prices (HST and service charge included): Adult \$75 - Student \$65 - Senior (60+) \$56 - Children under 12 \$45. Showtime: 8:00 p.m.

A NOTE FROM THE ANGLICAN HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY

If you are admitted to hospital you should be asked by admitting if you would like the services of Pastoral Care. If you say "Yes" you will sign a consent form and the chaplain will see you within 24 hours. If you decline pastoral care and later change your mind, have a nurse call the chaplain. You will be asked to sign a consent form and the chaplain will visit. Please note that due to confidentiality the chaplains can only contact your parish priest with your permission.

WESLEY CHURCH FISH LUNCHEON & CARD GAME

Wesley United Church will hold a fish luncheon on Friday, April 22, starting at 12:00 noon. Cod, salmon, dessert and coffee/tea will be served followed by Auction & Bridge. Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased by calling Phoebe at 726-1689, Marvin at 579-7900 or the Church office at 579-3682.

SPRING SALE – ST. MICHAEL’S

Saint Michael & All Angels Parish, 75 Kiwanis Street, is holding its Spring Sale on Saturday, April 30, at 9:30 a.m. Morning coffee (\$5), Pea Soup lunch and dessert at 12 noon (\$10), Turkey, ham and salads buffet with dessert (\$20) 4:30 & 6:30 p.m., with Bake and Craft stalls. For tickets or further information please contact Marie at 368-2844.

FOR THE BOYS – LADY COVE

Lady Cove with special guest Heather Bambrick and featuring a 1910s/20s Dixieland combo!

Saturday, April 23, 2016, at 8:00 p.m. at the Shrine Club, 530 Topsail Road.

Through song, dance, and story, Lady Cove will honour the young men of Newfoundland and Labrador who lost their lives during the battle of Beaumont Hamel. We will remember the 100th anniversary of the battle with “the concert that never was”. *For the Boys* mimics a variety show that might have taken place to support and entertain those men and boys of the Newfoundland Regiment circa 1916. Special guest soloist and host, Heather Bambrick, will entertain you with her incredible wit and powerful vocals. Lady Cove will treat you to musical hits from WWI, turn of the century Dixieland tunes, and Andrews Sisters’ wartime classics such as “Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy” ... dancing included! The night is sure to take you back in time.

Tickets: \$24/\$20 (student & senior) + box office surcharge

Available at the Holy Heart Theatre Box Office

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