



Sunday April 2 Lent 5 Services

8:00am	HE BCP	Christ Church	Rev. Art
9:30am	HE BAS	St. Bees'	Rev. Darlene
11:00am	HE BAS	Christ Church	Rev. Darlene
11:00am	HE BAS	St. James'	Rev. Art

*Mid-Week Lenten ACPC Service Wednesday, April 5th 7pm
at Christ Church with Lay Readers*

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*The Anglican Churches of Pictou County
Lent 4 Sunday, March 26, 2017*

1st Reading: 1 Samuel 16:1-13

Psalm 23

2nd Reading: Ephesians 5:8-14

Gospel: John 9:1-41

*Almighty and everlasting God, you despise nothing you have made
and forgive the sins of all who are penitent. Create and make in us
new and contrite hearts, that we, worthily lamenting our sins and
acknowledging our brokenness, may obtain of you, the God of all
mercy, perfect remission and forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our
Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God,
for ever and ever. Amen*

**Collect: Almighty God, through the waters of baptism your
Son has made us children of light. May we ever walk in his
light and show forth your glory in the world; through Jesus
Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the
Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen**

**Prayers over the Gifts: God of light, your Word brings to us a
new vision of your glory. Accept our offering of praise and
thanksgiving, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

**Prayer after Communion: Father, through your goodness we
receive your Son in word and sacrament. May we always have
faith in him, Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen**



Prayer Requests

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Mexico, The Rt Revd Carlos Touche-Porter
Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: St. George's, New Glasgow, Strait- Chedabucto, and retired clergy of the Northumbria Region.
Provincial Cycle of Prayer: National Indigenous Bishop and the Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples and Bishop Mark McDonald
Pictou County Council of Churches: St. Paul's United, Westville
Parish Prayer Cycle: Christ Church and Judy & William White, Fern White, Rev. Bill & Martha White, Sherry Williams, Pat Wilson, Joyce Wright, Julie Wynands, George Zinck, Daryl Allard, Peter & Wilda Allard

Parish Prayer List

Bob Austin	Karen Jeffrey	Muriel Jackson	Debbie Haley
Tom Kays	Erma Chenell	Laura Kelly	Dianne Hardy
Brian Kelly	Bill Colbourne	Mary MacKeigan	Mary Patterson
Ruth Myles	Dagmar Hubley	Neil MacDonald	Bill MacKean
Carvell Riley	Gordon Clarke	Shannon Brundage	Nancy Marcott
Carla Bate	Evan Crowe	Veronica MacDonald	Rev. Bill White
Lisa	Doug	Bruce Heighton	Mike

Announcements

ACPC Meeting Tuesday March 28th 1:30pm at St. Alban's
With ACPC being such a large church family, Rev. Darlene is unable to be at every church every Sunday. If you know of anyone who is sick, or in need of pastoral care please let Rev. Darlene know. You can always call 902-921-1100 and leave a message.

Bible Study "Bad Girls of the Bible" Starting Thursday Evening 6:30pm at St. James' Hall. All are welcome Deborah Beck Hosting. Will Continue Thursday Evening at 6:30pm until completed.

St. Bees'

St. Bees' SOUP AND DESSERT LUNCHEON (Helping Hands) Thursday, March 30 11:30am-1pm **Price \$8.00** Take Out Available
St. Bees' Helping Hands will resume meeting every 2nd Tuesday of the month, all are welcome and encouraged to attend.
 Card Socials: Every Friday evening, beginning at 7:30pm
 Food Bank Donations are gratefully accepted every 3rd Sunday of the month.

Christ Church

Christ Church Needs to Re-shingle the Roof It has come to Council's attention that the church roof needs to be re-shingled. Council is asking for a few enthusiastic Christ Church members to step forward and organize a "Fundraising Committee" to spearhead fundraising events to cover the cost of the project. Please give prayerful consideration to this request and contact Jason Ferguson v2jafer@gmail.com or 902-759-4708
Food Bank Donations are accepted every 1st Sunday of the month

St. James'

Food Bank Donations collected the 1st Sunday of every month.
Coffee Hour will take place after the 11am Service on the 1st Sunday of the month.

Weekly Reflections

"Not as man sees does God see, because man sees the appearance but the Lord looks into the heart." **1Samuel 16:7**

How often do we invest our time, talent and treasure in creating an appearance that does not matter at all to God? We strive to impress with our clothing, home, career, possessions, car and other marks of distinction. But none of these illusions of greatness will impress God. Instead, He will look into our hearts to see how much we loved Him, how much we loved others and how we showed that love by the way we used our time, talents and treasure here on earth.

That we may have the zeal, dedication and love of the first Christians who shared generously and worked diligently to spread the Gospel message.

20 Minutes at the Foot of the Cross

12:15pm - 12:35pm

Monday, April 10th: Rev. Dr. Moses Adekola
Tuesday, April 11th: Rev. Dr. Joon Ki Kim
Wednesday, April 12th: Rev. Darlene Jewers
Thursday, April 13th: Rev. John Dunnett
4 noontime devotions at the First Baptist Church, East River Rd. New Glasgow