

# THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY

AFTER

# TRINITY

September 1, 2019

*God is Love!*

*O Come, let us Worship!*

## **8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer:**

✠ Psalm 65 | Hosea 6:1-6 | Romans 1:1-25

## **9:00 a.m. – The Holy Eucharist**

Introit: Psalm 111:	page 477
The Gloria:	page 86
The Collect:	page 234
The Old Testament Reading:	1 Kings 3.5-15
Psalm 67:	page 409
The Epistle:	page 235
Gradual Psalm 51:15-19:	page 395
The Holy Gospel:	page 234
The Creed:	page 71
The Homily	
The Prayers of the People:	L: Lord, in your mercy C: Hear our prayer
The Consecration:	page 82
Post-Communion Prayer:	page 85

## **9:45 a.m. – Time with Fr. Stockall**

## **10:30 a.m. – The Holy Eucharist**

♪ PROCESSIONAL HYMN:	384 (Richmond)
The Gloria:	page 86
The Collect:	page 234
The Old Testament Reading:	1 Kings 3.5-15
Psalm 51:15-19:	page 395
The Epistle:	page 234
♪ GRADUAL HYMN:	515 (Duke Street)
The Holy Gospel:	page 235
♪ GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:	Alleluia
The Creed:	page 71
The Homily	
♪ OFFERTORY HYMN:	246 (Song 1)
The Prayers of the People:	L: Lord, in your mercy C: Hear our prayer
The Consecration:	page 82
♪ HYMN DURING COMMUNION:	247 (Eisenach)
Post-Communion Prayer:	page 85
♪ RECESSIONAL HYMN:	454 (Gott Will's Machen)

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*Please join us the Parish Hall  
following the 10:30 Celebration for  
Coffee & Conversation.*

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## From the Rector

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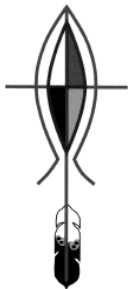
As we all know, years get measured in a number of different ways. There's the calendar year, which begins in January; there's the Church Year, which begins in late November or early December with the start of Advent; there's the government's fiscal year, which starts in April; and then there's the school year, which begins right now. And beginnings are always useful moments to stop and reflect before diving into whatever it is that we are about to start anew. As a Parish we need to spend time thinking about what God is calling us to do within the community which surrounds us and of which we are members. If you recall God's promise to Abram when He called him to leave home and family and place that he might be given a new family and a new home, you may remember that the point and purpose of God's call was that through Abram, later called Abraham, all the nations of the earth might be blessed. As those who count themselves as heirs of Abraham, through his descendent and our brother Jesus, how are we blessing the nations? How are we blessing the community in which we live and to which Christ has called us to be servants? What are the needs of those who live here and how has God gifted us to meet those needs. By its nature love is constantly moving outwards: it is self-giving. Here in the midst of the Season of Trinity we see that so clearly in the doctrine of the Trinity: God the Father perfectly and completely loving the Son; and God the Son perfectly and completely loving the Father; with that relationship of love, ever flowing from one to the other, existing eternally as God the Holy Spirit.

In Christ we are called to love not because we hope to receive something back but so that our love might be a reflection of the self-giving love that is at the heart of both God's life and our baptismal life in Him: our love constantly flowing outwards to bless a broken world. As our society transitions from one season to another; as the time of re-creation moves into the resumption of schedules and responsibilities, how is God calling you to be a blessing to the community in which you live?

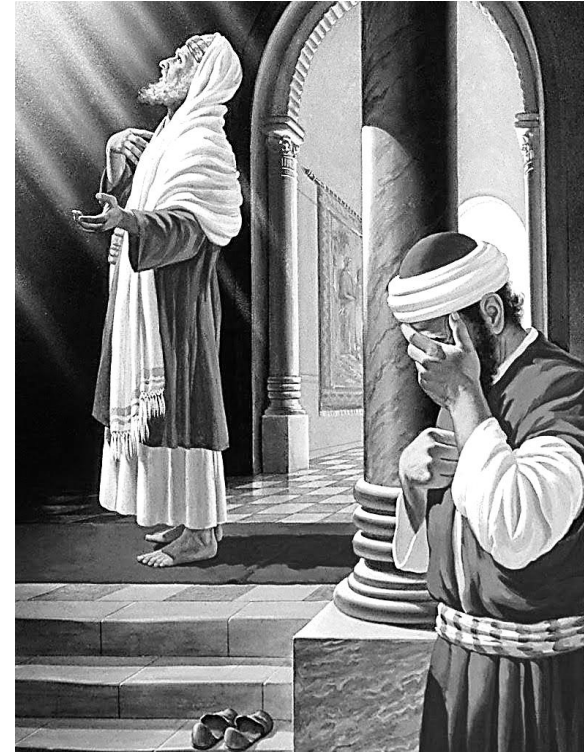
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We acknowledge that the land on which we gather is the traditional unceded territory of the Wəlastəkwiyyik (Wolastoqiyik) Peoples. This territory is covered by the "Treaties of Peace and Friendship" which Wəlastəkwiyyik (Wolastoqiyik), Mi'kmaq, and Passamaquoddy Peoples first signed with the British Crown in 1726. The treaties did not deal with surrender of lands and resources but in fact recognized Mi'kmaq and Wəlastəkwiyyik (Wolastoqiyik) title and established the rules for what was to be an ongoing relationship between nations.



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In a world ruled by law, grace stands as a sign of contradiction. We want fairness; the gospel gives us an innocent man nailed to a cross who cries out, "Father, forgive them." We want respectability; the gospel elevates tax collectors, prodigals, and Samaritans. We want success; the gospel revises the terms, moving the poor and downtrodden to the head of the line and the wealthy and famous to the rear.

Philip Yancey, *Soul Survivor*, New York: Doubleday, 2001

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## Parish Notices and Updates

**PLEASE NOTE THAT OUR NEXT MONTHLY SHARED MEAL**, which normally falls on the first Sunday of each month, is being moved one week later to avoid falling on the Labour Day weekend. So please plan to join next **Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup>** for our next Shared Meal.

**THE ANNUAL COUNTRY GOSPEL SHOW**, in support of the work of Canon Paul Jeffries at Bishop McAllister College in Uganda, will be held here at St. Mary's this coming **Saturday, September 7<sup>th</sup>**, at 7:00 p.m. The lineup of entertainers features John Jeffries, Gerald Fortin, Mark Fisher, Duane Drost, Sam & Charlene Johnston, Hazel-Marie Robertson, Irene Jewett, Debbie Roy, Bubs Brown, and Terry Ingraham. Admission is \$10.00 (at the door). Mark your calendars now and plan to join us on the 7<sup>th</sup>!

**STARTING NEXT SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8<sup>TH</sup>**, we invite all young people and their families to join us each Sunday morning, from approximately 9:45 and continuing until about 10:20, for an exciting, fun, and informative programme of Christian Education. Janice offers an interesting mix of crafts and instruction to help our young people to grow in their faith and to engage the Scriptures. Plan to join us as often as you can; and please invite your friends to come along as well. Everyone is welcome! **And anyone who would like to share in this wonderful and rewarding ministry is encouraged to speak to Janice or the Rector.**

✧ *And, while the children are learning in one part of the Parish Hall, all adults are invited to a conversation each Sunday with the Rector on matters of faith and life. Bring your thoughts and questions!*

**LIKE TO SING ALONG TO THE RADIO???** Enjoy singing to your heart's content in the shower??? Are hymns some of your favourite things to sing??? Then you just may be a prime candidate for the Parish Choir!!! **Weekly Choir Practices will be starting next Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup> at 12:15 p.m.** and we'd like to invite all enthusiastic choristers to come out. We gather each week to share the gifts that God has given us to praise Him in word and song; and we have a fun time too! Please speak to the Rector if you're interested!

**ST. MARY'S BRANCH OF ANGLICAN CHURCH WOMEN** will be meeting on **Monday, September 9<sup>th</sup>**, beginning with Lunch at 12:00 noon in the Parish Hall followed by a business meeting. They are very pleased that Leah Hamill will be speaking to them about her work as a nurse in northern Canada. The women of St. Mary's are warmly invited to join them. For more information please speak to Doreen Lawrence or the Rector.

**EVERYONE IS INVITED TO ST. MARY'S 3<sup>RD</sup> FALL FAIR** on **Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup>** immediately following the 10:30 a.m. Celebration of the Holy Eucharist. We've had a great time the past two years with lots of fun; and we're again planning to enjoy some delicious homemade chili together.

There will be games and crafts and prizes, and more! If you wish, bring along your favourite apple or pumpkin dessert; but, otherwise, lunch is on us. So plan to join us on the 29<sup>th</sup> for food and fun for all ages!

**A NEW LIST OF ITEMS** needed for this year's **Hot Lunch Programme** for elementary-aged children from the Boys and Girls Club, which runs each Wednesday at noon, has been posted in the Narthex. Please have a look and see if there is anything that you might be able to donate to help reduce the costs for this important outreach ministry.

**GREENER VILLAGE, FREDERICTON'S FOOD BANK**, has posted the following as their current wish list. If you can supply any of these items, please drop them in the basket in the Narthex and we'll see that they get to the Food Bank as soon as possible.

**Food Hamper:** Kraft Dinner; canned soup; pasta sauce; canned tomatoes, canned pasta/stew; pancake mix & syrup; cooking oil

**Baby:** Diapers – sizes 4, 5, and 6; pull-ups

**Hygiene:** toothpaste; toothbrushes; dish soap; soap; shampoo

And don't forget that at this time of year, donations of school supplies are much appreciated. For more information on the many programmes offered at Greener Village and how you might support their work, go to: <http://www.greenvillage.org/>



### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

**SEPTEMBER 4: TRINITY FERIA**

6:30 p.m. – Evening Prayer

7:00 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

**SEPTEMBER 5: TRINITY FERIA**

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer

*Followed by time for personal prayer in the Church*

11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, *Eden Retirement Villa*

**SEPTEMBER 7: THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**

4:30 p.m. – Evening Prayer

5:00 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

**SEPTEMBER 8: THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer

9:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist

10:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist

*Followed by a Shared Meal in the Parish Hall*