

Parish of St. Lawrence Portugal Cove
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Parish Motto: Be disciples; make disciples.

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Amber Crane

Karen Dawe-Hale

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Glen Greeley

Christine Somerton

Theresa Moran

Dave Mercer

Recording Treasurer: Sandra Keough

Parish Archivist: Mac Miller

Duties Next Sunday, November 17, 2019 – Family Service

Vestry- Nov 17-23, 2019 – Elaine / Brenda

Counting Team- Nov 17-23, 2019 – Tanya / Paula

Servers –Anita (C) / Glen (S)

Eucharistic Assistants: Elaine / Doug

Sides Persons: Confirmation Candidates

Gift Bearers: Confirmation Candidates

Readings: Reading – Confirmation Candidates

Gospel – Rev. Bob

Altar Guild: - **November** – Daphne Miller & Doreen Stewart

Church Cleaning –Nov 11-23 – Jocelyn Miller & Theresa Moran

Praying with our Partners –Week of November 10th, 2019:

Anglican Cycle of Prayer- Pray for the Lusitanian Church (Extra-Provincial to the Archbishop of Canterbury)

Tri-Diocesan Intercessions- Pray for the Parish of St. Philip, St. Philip's; Parish of St. Thomas, S. John's

Parish Family: Hayward & Anglea Miller; Stephen Miller; Wayne Miller.; and their families

The Gridiron *St. Lawrence Anglican Parish*



Sunday. November 10rd, 2019
22nd Sunday After Pentecost
Remembrance Day

The Gridiron is given to the Glory of God and In Loving Memory of
All Veterans

Given by Sgt. Leslie Churchill, CD, Retired

Our Parish mission is to actively build a unified, loving Christian faith community by providing positive worship experiences; teaching biblical stewardship; delivering educational and spiritual growth opportunities; healing and changing lives through local ministry; and spreading Jesus' teachings and God's love.

WELCOME VISITORS! We extend a warm welcome to all who are visiting with us today. May your attendance at this worship service be a wonderful blessing to you. For your convenience, Visitor envelopes are available in your seat and at the back of the Church.

Week at a Glance:

Monday: 6:30pm - Sunbeans, JA & YGA
7:30pm – ACW Business Meeting

Tuesday:

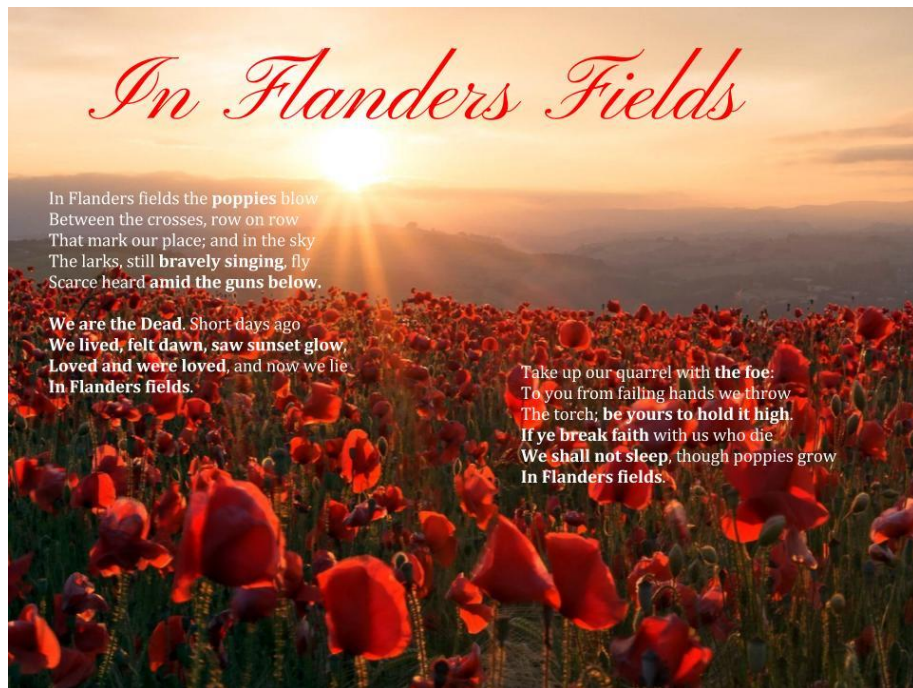
Wednesday: 2:00pm - Afternoon Cards & Fellowship
6:30pm – CLB

Thursday: 7:30pm – Senior Choir
8:00pm - GA

Friday:

Saturday: 11am – 1pm – ACW Fall Fair

Sunday: 8:30 am - Holy Communion (BCP)
10:30 am - Holy Eucharist (BAS)
10:30am – Godly Play (Ages Preschool to Grade 5)



Tomorrow, November 11 is Remembrance Day. As such there will be a service at the Cenotaph at 11am. Please come along as we remember all of those who fought for our freedom. *At the going down of the sun and in the morning, we will remember them.*

Ways and Means Committee will be holding Breakfast with Santa on Saturday, December 7th, 2019. Mark your calendars and there will be more details to follow next week.

On Wednesday, November 13 at 7:30 pm, as part of our study on the Creeds we will welcome guest speaker Dr. Sean McGrath. Dr. Sean J. McGrath is a Full Professor of Philosophy at Memorial University of Newfoundland and a Member of the Royal Society of Canada. McGrath is an internationally recognized specialist in the philosophy of religion and the history of theology and philosophy, with a great diversity of publications. As a theologian, McGrath is tracking a set of questions concerning the legacy of Christianity in today's secular society. In terms of Systematic Theology, McGrath teaches and researches in the areas of Trinity, Christology, and Eschatology. Even if you did not attend the other Bible study sessions, you are invited to come along to hear Dr. McGrath. This is a great opportunity to hear a theologian speak on the topic of the Holy Spirit. We hope to see you there!

As part of our Christmas Outreach this year, we will be collecting items for MacMorran Community Center on Mt. Scio Rd. The mission of this center is to provide access and equal opportunities for community members to participate in social, health, recreational, educational and employment programs and services. They reach out to underprivileged people of all ages. As such, we will be collecting various toiletries, hats, socks, mittens, for children and adults; and toys for children. Please bring your items in and lay them by the font. Your donations can be brought to the office during regular office hours or on Sunday mornings. Deadline for donations is Sunday, December 15. Please help us share the true meaning of Christmas, knowing in your hearts that it truly is more blessed to give than to receive.

All those involved in counting the weekly offerings are asked to note that there will be a meeting on Monday, November 18 at 7:30pm. Please make every effort to attend.

A reminder that our regularly scheduled monthly family service will take place next Sunday, November 17 at 10:30am. The theme will be peace and harmony and music will be led by Jacob's Passage. Please spread the word!

Old Tyme Christmas Concert at Holy Innocents' Anglican Church 297 Paradise Road, on Sunday, December 1st, 7:00 p.m. Featuring: Singing, Dancing, Skits, Poems and Stories. Admission: \$8 adults, Up to age 12: \$5 and Children under 5: Free. For tickets, please call 782-7723 and ask for Sylvia or contact the church office at 782-3071. You can also pick up your tickets at the door.

The Confirmation and Youth Alpha Leaders are thrilled to introduce a wonderful group of 13 Confirmation Candidates this year. We ask you to keep them in your prayers as they prepare for Confirmation in December 2019. Our Candidates are:

Sarah Bartlett	Riley Green	Lacey Mitchell
Reid Boutcher	Katie Higgins	Gideon Parsons
Michael Chambers	William Higgins	Logan Savory
Bryce Doyle	Jake Hussey	
Ethan Fardy	Kyle Manning	

St. Lawrence Parish ACW are taking orders for 2020 Calendars at a cost of \$ 5.00 each. **Deadline for orders has been extended to November 10, 2019.** If you would like to purchase a calendar (or two or three) there is a sign-up sheet on the back table of the Church.

Parishioners are asked to note the last baptism date until the New Year, will be December 8. If you know of anyone hoping to receive the Sacrament of Baptism, please have them contact Canon Amanda as soon as possible.

The Cemetery Gates are now being left open for the winter. Please, when you visit your loved ones, do not close the gates when you leave.

It has been brought to our attention that some parishioners have email addresses however they are not receiving the Church Bulletin and other church emails. If you or someone you know, would like to be added to our email list please email the church at stlawrence_church@hotmail.com or let Rev. Amanda or Tanya Holden know so we can make sure you/they are added.

While it's hard to believe, Christmas is just around the corner!

Once again this year our parish will be providing Christmas hampers (complete with turkey and vegetables!) to those who need them in our community. We will now begin collecting donations for our Christmas hampers. To contribute, please put your donation in an envelope with your name and envelope number and mark it Christmas Hampers. Thank you in advance as we help the less fortunate in our communities. This is truly what Christmas is about!

As like past years, our Parish will be hosting an Advent Fun Day on Saturday November 30 from 10am-12pm. If any of you would like to help in planning this day, there will be a meeting on Tuesday, November 12 at 7pm. Just come along to the meeting!

Donations Acknowledged:
Given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of:

Agnes Collins

by: Bob & Emily Noseworthy
Donna & Derrick Churchill
Mrs. Gertie Sparkes
David & Meta Hibbs
Leonard & Ruby Earle
Clyde Collins

St. Lawrence Parish ACW Fall Fair will take place on Saturday, November 16th, 2019 from 11:00am – 1:00pm. There will be the usual tables, book, bake, craft/goods, and silent auction. We will be serving Brunch as well at a cost of \$10 for Adults and \$5.00 for children, ages 12 and under. We are looking for donations for all tables as well. As our parish continues to move forward with a more email type connection, as time spent on the phone trying to contact people is becoming more and more of a challenge and not everyone having land line phones, we are going to try an “email” approach this year. We will be sending out an email to try and reach people instead of spending hours on the phone trying to reach everyone. If you are on our parish email list and phone list you will only receive an email.

Back in the spring we distributed bottles for parishioners to fill with loose change. As you are all aware our finances took an unexpected hit with the rectory oil spill. With your offering, through these bottles we are hoping to recoup some of that revenue to assist us in our many Parish ministries. If you haven't yet received a bottle, they are available at the back of the church. For those of you who have already filled your bottle, we are now collecting them. Please note that you will be receipted at the end of the year for your donation. Thank you so much for your generosity and your willingness to help!

ACW ladies reminded of business meeting Monday night, Nov 11. This is the last business meeting of the year, everyone please make a special effort to attend.

Monthly Card Game Tuesday Nov 19 @ 8 PM, \$5.00 admission, bring your own cards and baskets.

Order deadline for Calendars is extended to Sunday Nov 10; if you wish to order, please be sure to include your name on the form on the table at the back of the Church.

Holy Eucharist
Book of Alternative Services

Welcome & Announcements

Processional Hymn: *#425 – Joyful, Joyful. We Adore Thee*

Children's Hymn: *When he cometh, when he cometh to make up his jewels. All his jewels, precious jewels, his loved and his own. Like the stars of the morning, his bright crown adorning; they shall shine in their beauty bright gems for his crown.*

The Gathering of the Community

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Proclamation of the Word

1st Reading – Haggai 1:15b – 2:9	
Psalm 98	Page 836
2 nd Reading – 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17	
Gradual Hymn:	<i>#373 – This is the Day the Lord Hath Made</i>

Gospel Acclamation: # 715 (verse 1, before; verse 3, after)

Holy Gospel – Luke 20:27-38

Sermon

The Creed	
Prayers of the People	(See bulletin)
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The Celebration of the Eucharist

Offertory Hymn: *#434 – The Love of Jesus Calls Us*

As the gifts are brought forward, we sing: All that I am. All that I do. All that I'll ever have I offer now to you. Take and sanctify these gifts for your honor Lord. Knowing that I love and serve you is enough reward. All that I am. All that I do. All that I'll ever have I offer now to you.

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Blessing
Recessional: *#330 – O Praise Ye the Lord*

Dismissal

In a posture that's comfortable for you, let us pray to the Lord saying ...”**Lord hear our prayer**”. Let us pray for the needs of the church, of this gathered community and for our world.

Let us pray for the Church Universal; in our Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for _____. And in our Tri-Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for _____. We pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord hear our prayer

Let us pray for our peace in our world. As we gather our prayers for this Remembrance Day, we recall with tenderness and respect all service men and women throughout this world who lost their lives while serving their country. Give peace to your Church, peace among all nations, peace in our homes and peace in our hearts. We pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord hear our prayer

Let us pray for ourselves, for the grace of the Holy Spirit to amend our lives. In our parish family, we pray especially for; _____. We pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord hear our prayer

We pray for those we know who are ill, in hospital, or in care homes and we remember to give thanks for those who are on the road to recovery. We pray especially _____. We continue to pray for those struggling with Mental Health and Addictions issues. We pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord hear our prayer

Let us pray for all who have died in the peace of Christ, and for those whose faith is known to God alone. Remembering especially; _____. In our years mind, we remember; _____. Rest eternal grant unto you O Lord, **and let light perpetual shine upon them.** We pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord hear our prayer

Let us pray for all those here present. Let us remember especially those whom we have forgotten. Lord, you know the need of all and have heard each prayer. Save us in your merciful loving kindness and eternal love, through Jesus Christ our Lord

ALL: Amen