

**Welcome to St. Paul's Church  
The Anglican Parish of Rothesay**



*Consecrated May 31, 1876*



May 29, 2016  
Trinity 1

***Sunday School Service***

**May 29, 2016**  
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**140<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Consecration of St. Paul's**

**8 a.m. Holy Eucharist**

***The Book of Common Prayer***

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The Collect, Epistle & Gospel, page 217

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**10 a.m. Sunday School Closing Service with Holy Eucharist**

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Organ Prelude: "*All Nature Sings*"...Alfred V. Fedak  
Tune: Terra Beata, English Melody

**Opening Hymn *This is My Father's World***

1. This is my Father's world, and to my listening ears  
All nature sings, and round me rings the music of the  
spheres.  
This is my Father's world, I rest me in the thought  
Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas, His hand the wonders  
wrought.
2. This is my Father's world; the birds their carols raise;  
The morning light, the lily white, declare their maker's praise.  
This is my Father's world; He shines in all that's fair;  
In the rustling grass I hear him pass, He speaks to me  
everywhere.
3. This is my Father's world, O let me ne'er forget  
That though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the ruler  
yet.  
This is my Father's world, The battle is not done,  
Jesus, who died, shall be satisfied, and earth and heaven be  
one.

**Greeting**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
and the love of God,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,  
be with you all.

**And also with you.**

## The Collect of the Day – For the Anniversary of a Parish

Almighty God, watchful and caring, our source and our end, all that we are and all that we have are yours. Accept us now, as we give thanks to you for this place where we have come to praise your name, to ask your forgiveness, to know your healing power, to hear your word, and to be nourished by the body and blood of your Son. Be present always to guide and to judge, to illumine and to bless your people. This we pray in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### The First Reading

1 Kings 18: 20 – 21, 30 - 39, page 325 of the Pew Bible.

### Psalm 96

Cantor: Barry Budge

Pro - claim the won - ders of the Lord

a - mong all the peo - ples,

O sing a new song to the Lord,  
sing to the Lord all the earth.  
O sing to the Lord, bless his name.  
Proclaim his help day by day,  
tell among the nations his glory  
and his wonders among all the peoples.

**Refrain**

The Lord is great and worthy of praise,  
to be feared above all gods.  
Give the Lord, you families of peoples,  
give the Lord glory and power;  
give the Lord the glory of his name.  
Bring an offering and enter his courts.

**Refrain**

Worship the Lord in his temple.  
O earth, tremble before him.  
Proclaim to the nations: "God is King!"  
He will judge the peoples in fairness.

**Refrain**

**Alleluia. Alleluia.** *"But only speak the word, and let my servant be healed"* **Alleluia.**

**The Gospel Reading – Luke 7: 1 - 10**, page 65 of the Pew Bible.

**The Sermon –  
by Canon Jim Golding**

**The Prayers of the People for a Parish Anniversary**

For the Church universal, of which St. Paul's church is a visible symbol

**We thank you, Lord**

For your presence whenever two or three have gathered in your name,

**We thank you, Lord**

For this place where we may be still and know that you are God,

**We thank you, Lord**

For our past and a vision of the future that lies ahead

**We thank you, Lord**

For the gift of the Holy Spirit to lead and strengthen us

**We thank you, Lord**

For the pardon of our sins when we have fallen short of your glory,

**We thank you, Lord**

For the holy eucharist in which we have a foretaste of your eternal kingdom

**We thank you, Lord**

For the blessing of our vows and the crowning of our years with your goodness

**We thank you, Lord**

For the faith of those who have gone before us

**We thank you, Lord**

For the benefactors of this place who have died in the peace of Christ and are at rest

**We thank you, Lord**

For the fellowship of all your saints, and especially for St. Paul, our patron

**We thank you, Lord**

O God, from living and chosen stones you prepare an everlasting dwelling place for your majesty. Grant that in the power of the Holy Spirit those who serve you here may always be kept within your presence. This we pray through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and ever. **Amen.**

The peace of the Lord, be always with you.

**And also with you.**

### **Offertory Hymn “*This Little Light of Mine*”**

1. This little light of mine, I’m gonna let it shine. *(3 times)*  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.
2. Everywhere I go, I’m gonna let it shine. *(3 times)*  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.
3. Jesus gave it to me, I’m gonna let it shine. *(3 times)*  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

### **Prayer over the Gifts**

Father, hear the prayers of your faithful people. Grant that all who celebrate this eucharist may please you by the offering of themselves and the fulfilling of your will. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

### **Eucharistic Prayer**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

We give you thanks and praise, almighty God, for the gift of a world full of wonder, and for our life which comes from you. By your power you sustain the universe. You created us to love you with all our heart, and to love each other as ourselves, but we rebel against you by the evil that we do. In Jesus, your Son, you bring healing to our world and gather us into one great family. Therefore, with all who serve you on earth and in heaven, we praise your wonderful name, as we sing (say),

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

We give you thanks and praise, loving Father, because in sending Jesus, your Son, to us you showed us how much you love us. He cares for the poor and the hungry. He suffers with the sick and the rejected. Betrayed and forsaken, he did not strike back but overcame hatred with love. On the cross he defeated the power of sin and death. By raising him from the dead you show us the power of your love to bring new life to all your people. On the night before he gave up his life for us, Jesus, at supper with his friends, took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, saying, "Take this, all of you, and eat it: this is my body which is given for you." After supper, Jesus took the cup of wine, said the blessing, gave it to his friends, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is the cup of my blood, the blood of the new and eternal covenant, which is shed for you and for many, so that sins may be forgiven. Do this in memory of me." Gracious God, with this bread and wine we celebrate the death and resurrection of Jesus, and we offer ourselves to you in him. Send your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts, that we may know the presence of Jesus in the breaking of bread, and share in the life of the family of your children. Father, you call us to be your servants; fill us with the courage and love of Jesus, that all the world may gather in joy at the table of your kingdom. We sing your praise, almighty Father, through Jesus, our Lord, in the power of the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen**

**The Lord's Prayer**

**The Breaking of the Bread**

"I am the bread of life," says the Lord.

"Whoever comes to me will never be hungry;  
whoever believes in me will never thirst".

**Taste and see that the Lord is good;  
happy are they who trust in him.**

The gifts of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Hymns During Communion**

458 "*Seek Ye First*"

304 "*All Things Are Thine*"

**Choir Anthem**

*"Look At the World"...*John Rutter

## **Prayer after Communion**

Father, you have given us this time of joy and nourished us in heavenly things. Grant that we may show in our lives the love of Christ who is our God and Saviour. **Amen.**

Glory to God,

**whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.**

## **The Blessing**

### **Closing Hymn: “I Danced in the Morning”**

I danced in the morning when the world was begun,  
And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun;  
And I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth –  
At Bethlehem I had my birth.

#### **Chorus**

*Dance, then wherever you may be;  
I am the Lord of the dance, said he,  
I'll lead you all wherever you may be,  
I will lead you all in the dance, said he.*

I danced for the scribe and the Pharisee,  
But they would not dance and they wouldn't follow me;  
I danced for the fishermen, for James and John;  
They came with me and the dance went on

#### **Chorus**

I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame;  
The holy people said it was a shame;  
They whipped and they stripped and they hung me high,  
And they left me there on a cross to die.

#### **Chorus**

I danced on a Friday when the sky turned black –  
It's hard to dance with the devil on your back;  
They buried my body and they thought I'd gone –  
But I am the dance and I still go on.

#### **Chorus**

They cut me down and I leap up high;  
I am the life that'll never, never die;  
I'll live in you if you'll live in me –  
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he

#### **Chorus**



*The flowers on the Altar are given today  
to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of  
**The Rev Kenneth Brown**  
by Pam Brown.*

Organ Postlude: "Celebration in D"...Stephen L. Aberdeen

***All ages are invited to the Parish Picnic & Barbecue – hot dogs, hamburgers, salads and anniversary cake!***

## I N S E R T

### NEWS FROM THE PEWS

... we are saddened by the passing of **Betty Miller**, a well-known member of our community and friend to many, on Thursday, May 26 at the SJRH. Betty had been living at Shannex for the past five years. Her funeral will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Wed, Jun 1 at the Kennebecasis Community Funeral Home. 152 Pettingill Rd. ... **Fr. Stan Paulin** and **Canon Albert** were invited to offer prayer at the swearing-in ceremony for the new Mayor and Council at the Rothesay Town Hall on Wednesday ... **the Rev. Michael O'Hara**, the new Rector of St. Augustine's, Quispamsis and Holy Trinity, Hammond River, will be moving to our community this coming week ... **Rory Grant** was acknowledged at the Symphony Ball on May 21, for his many years of encouragement and support of the NB Symphony. (We could certainly say the same at St. Paul's Church!) ... you may recall the story of **Rev. Wandlyn's** mother (Pat) and her confusion over Matthew's participation in the co-op program at UNBSJ, which she referred to as a "grow-op" program. It seems that daughter is like mother. As one of the newer clergy, Wandlyn is involved in a clergy education/support program known as 12-12-12. One of their goals is to have social time together. It was suggested that they might play "laser tag". Wandlyn offered her objections to this, saying it was dangerous. "*Wasn't there a man who was killed in the Vancouver airport?*", she remarked. Wandlyn. That was a "tazer". Not a "laser"! No one plays tazer tag! Not even the clergy! ... *that's a bit of news, from our pews. ALS.*

## PARISH NOTES

### **HOT DOG Sunday - Sunday School Closing**

A word of thanks to our children and parents involved with the Sunday School this past year. For most of the year, this was led by Daniella Haggerty, until she moved to Saskatchewan in April. Since then, we are most grateful that Linda McEvoy and her daughters, Hanna and Emma, have been leading the SS. Our thanks today to Ann Bishop for organizing the Parish Picnic to mark the end of the Sunday School year. We hope everyone will join us for the barbecue after church.

### **St. Paul's 140<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

First of all, you might be asking yourself, I thought we celebrated the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of St. Paul's several years ago? We did. St. Paul's was built in 1860 – the same year that the 19 year old Prince of Wales, Albert Edward toured North America, making a stop in our community and giving our community the name Rothesay. In 1860 St. Paul's was a Presbyterian Church. In the spirit of Christian charity, they permitted the local Anglicans to have a service in the afternoons. This was first led by a Rev. Kellogg, who travelled from Hampton. By 1870's the Anglicans came to outnumber the Presbyterians, and eventually came into legal possession of the church. The local Presbyterians would eventually re-group and build St. David's. Our church would have looked differently in past years. Clear glass windows. A balcony. No wood panelling. Did the original church have a sanctuary? The records only tell us that the Anglicans made some renovations when they took possession. In any event, the church was suitable for consecration by Bishop John Medley, the first Bishop of Fredericton, on May 31<sup>st</sup>, 1876, 140 years ago this week. We are all blessed to have such a fine church to worship God. We pray that St. Paul's will continue to be a light of God's goodness, hope and love in our community.

### **Support for Hestia House**

Hestia House is an emergency safe shelter for women and their children who need to leave a violent or abusive domestic environment. Sometimes families need to leave their home on very short notice. Every year St. Paul's collects (new) towel sets and personal care items (toothpaste, tooth brushes, shampoo, deodorant etc.) to give to those who arrive at the shelter without. If you would like to donate an item or two, there is a bin in the St. Peter's lobby to receive items. We shall be collecting items until **Sun, Jun 19**. The Mission Beyond the Parish Committee thanks you for your support.

## **Servers Training**

Servers play an important role in worship. They carry the cross. They light the candles and carry the torches. They assist with the setting of the table for the eucharist. We need more servers. We invite not only young people but also adults to join us on **Sat, Jun 4** at 10 a.m. to learn more about this wonderful opportunity to serve God and His church. Young and old, boys and girls, men and women are invited to come along. Lunch will be provided.

## **ACW Meeting**

The ACW will hold its final meeting before the summer break on **Thu, Jun 2** at 2:00 p.m. at the home of Ann King.

## **St. Paul's Endowment Fund - Application Closing Date May 31, 2016**

The St. Paul's Endowment Committee is accepting applications for funding to the following four categories:

1. In support of spiritual enhancement of the members of the Parish family.
2. In support of building renovations, restoration or repairs at St. Paul's, Rothesay.
3. In support of assistance or aid to families in need or to support worthy undertakings and projects in the Rothesay area.
4. In support of national or international relief efforts.

The Committee will distribute approximately \$2,000 to each category. We encourage members of the Parish and others to submit applications for funding within the guidelines. Applications are available at the Church office and will be accepted **until May 31, 2016**.

## **BEYOND THE PARISH**

### **2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Bishop's Walk**

The second annual walking pilgrimage around the Diocese, will begin on May 29, in the Archdeaconry of Chatham. Everyone is invited to join Bishop David for part of a day, a whole day or several days.

Details on the route can be found at:

<http://anglican.nb.ca/wp/pilgrimage/> The site is still a work in progress, so if anyone wants specific details for a particular day or section, please contact Cheryl Jacobs at the Bishop's office, 459-1801. Bishop David will be providing daily reflections on the web site. Why not fill a car, come to the north shore and walk with the Bishop?

### **Fredericton Open House**

On **Sat, Jun 18**, 2 – 4 p.m. Diocesan council members invite you to an open house in Fredericton. Visit the synod office, tour the cathedral, view displays in the Cathedral Memorial Hall that will celebrate ministries in our diocese. Visit Bishop's Court and learn more about Discipleship House. This is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about the life of our Diocese. The event is for all ages.

### **Concert at Our Lady of Perpetual Help**

*Spring Serenade*, featuring the Buckley Ensemble and special guests Felicità, Danielle Sametz and Adrienne Sayer, will take place at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church on **Wed, Jun 15 at 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.** These concerts will be a wonderful mix of music and ballet. Tickets \$20 adult and \$10 students are available at KV Drugs or call 849-1848.

### **Indoor Yard Sale**

The Catholic Bookstore, 48 Waterloo Street, Saint John – **Tue, Jun 7 to Sat Jun 11**. During regular store hours. Drop by and check out the fantastic bargains and great savings on selected items including “scratch & dent clearance” and “end of stock clear-out”. Store hours are Tue to Fri, 10am to 5pm and Sat, 10am to 1pm.



### **Notes from the Mission Beyond the Parish Meeting**

- \$1500 will be sent to the PWRDF appeal for Fort McMurray
- The Yard Sale was a wonderful success realizing \$4600 for the work of the committee. It was strongly noted that there is a need for more volunteers. The sale was blessed by the support of several parishioners who are not members of the committee, especially **Gayle Johnson, Sylvia Loomis and Jean MacDonald**, who were in the hall every day.
- The committee will make application to *St. Paul's Endowment Fund* in support of Sigowet School and ONE change in Saint John
- We expect to hear an announcement very soon about the re-opening of *Safe Harbour*
- An appeal to the parish for personal items for *Hestia House* will be made in June
- **Bruce & Cathy Dykeman** will host a June pot-luck lunch in their home on June 15 at 11:30

## Leading In Worship Today

### 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

**Celebrant:** Canon Albert Snelgrove  
**Layreader:** Mildred Urquhart  
**Sidesperson:** Robert Taylor

### 10:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist

**Celebrant:** Canon Albert Snelgrove  
**Preacher:** Canon James Golding  
**Layreader:** Robert Taylor

### Ministers of Communion:

Pam Iype  
Hadley Wood

**Lector:** Paul Taylor  
**Servers:** Logan Fowlie

Liam Fowlie

**Oblations:** Malcolm & Judith Burgess

**Sidespeople:** Harry Crossley  
Tim Place

### Altar Guild:

**May 27:** Amy McCracken, Jean MacDonald,  
Pam Iype, Marg Chiarella

**Jun 3:** Penny McConaghy, Sharon Long,  
Christian Turnbull, Judy Stiver

## Daily Bible Readings

### for the Week of May 30

**Monday** Luke 1:5-25  
**Tuesday** Luke 1:26-45  
**Wednesday** 1 Corinthians 15:1-11  
**Thursday** Psalm 30:1-12  
**Friday** Psalm 138:1-8  
**Saturday** Psalm 146:1-10

## Next Sunday – Jun 5

### Second after Trinity

1 Kings 17:8-16, (17-24)  
Psalm 146  
Galatians 1:11-24  
Luke 7:11-17

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## Parish Office Hours This Week

**Mon & Tue** 8:30 a.m - 4:30 p.m.  
**Wed** 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.  
**Thu & Fri** 8:30 a.m - 4:30 p.m.

## This Week at St. Paul's

### Sun, May 29 Trinity 1

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
10:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist  
11:30 a.m. Parish Picnic

### Tue, May 31

7:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist

### Wed, Jun 1

10:00 a.m. Bible Study  
10:00 a.m. Quilting

### Thu, Jun 2

9:30 a.m. Chiming Cherubim  
2:00 p.m. ACW Meeting  
At the home of Ann King  
Senior Choir

### Fri, Jun 3

10:00 a.m. Quilting

### Sat, Jun 4

10:00 a.m. Server's Training

### Sun, Jun 5 Trinity 2

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
10:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist  
11:45 a.m. Vestry

## Parish Directory

### Bishop

The Right Rev. David Edwards

### Rector

The Rev. Canon Albert Snelgrove

### Assistant Priests

The Rev. Canon George Akerley

The Rev. Robyn Cuming

The Rev. Canon James Golding

The Rev. Eileen Irish

### Organist & Choir Director

Mr. Charles Willett

### Secretary/Treasurer

June Bennett & Katherine Grant

### Lay Pastoral Assistant

Mrs. Elizabeth Reid

### Parish Visitor

Mrs. Judy Streeter

### Parish Wardens

Lea Lord & Pam Iype

**The Parish Prayer Chain** welcomes

people to call with specific prayer requests. This month's contact is

**Gillian Wallace @ 847-4033**