

Warden on Duty for January:

Herb Reid

Wednesday, January 11th

12:00 pm - Meals on Wheels

8:00 pm - ACW

Thursday, January 12th

6:30 p.m. - Choir practice

January 15th

8:30 a.m. - Holy Eucharist

10:00 a.m. - Holy Eucharist

7:00 p.m. - Prayer and Praise

Sidespersons, January 15th

Team # 1, Gerry Fagan

Eucharistic Assistants, January 15th

8:30 a.m. - Amanda

10:00 a.m. - Barb C, Alvin, Amanda,

Madonna L

Greeters, January 15th

10:00 a.m. - Neil & Judy Pardy

7:00 p.m. - George & Clarissa Hiscock

Readers, January 15th

Kathleen Woodland

Heber Best

Jessica Davis

Servers, January 1, 2012

Shannon Mercer, Kassandra Hibbs

Sobeys Gift Certificates

are here

Are you a Sobeys shopper? If so how about supporting our parish by giving us your money in exchange for a Certificate of equal value to shop at Sobeys: for example a \$100.00 gift certificate will cost you \$100.00, Sobeys will give us a percentage of all certificates purchased from All Saints. Your church could benefit from your grocery shopping. Certificates are available in a variety of denominations to meet your needs. Team captains will be in place to take orders — if you are interested. Please contact Barb Porter at 834-3662 for further information.

Men's Service Club will be holding their meeting 7:00 pm on Thursday, December 12th . Pot luck will be at 6:30 pm. All men welcome.

Just Ten Bible Study
Starting up again Thursday, January 12th at 7:30 pm in the parish hall.



THE CANDLE

January 8, 2011

We observed his
star at its rising
and have come
to pay him homage.

Matthew 2.2



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Mission Statement

The purpose of All Saints is to be a family of worshipping Christians dedicated to Christian Education, Spiritual Growth, Pastoral Care, Outreach and Fellowship.

Marriage Course

The clergy of the Deaneries of Avalon East and West have agreed that all couples planning to get married must complete a marriage course. We feel that as a Church we must provide an opportunity for adequate education in preparation for a Christian Marriage.

The Anglican Church of Canada's Canon 'On Marriage in the Church' states:

It shall...be the duty of the minister to provide or secure appropriate means of education so that all who seek marriage in the Church may come to it with a Christian understanding of its purpose and may be encouraged to give effect with God's help to the vows which they are preparing to make. CanonXII.1.2

Envelopes for 2012 are available at the back of the church. Please disregard any old boxes you have at home.

Preparation for Confirmation: A Two-Year Process

Confirmation isn't a requirement – it is a choice. As a parish our goal is to provide our candidates with the foundational teachings they will need to confirm their faith at their Confirmation.

We currently have twelve candidates going through Step One: Faith Café, they will move to Step Two: in Sept and will be confirmed in Jan 2013.

Our forty-eight candidates completing Step two will be confirmed in January 2012.

ONLY THOSE WHO HAVE COMPLETED STEP ONE (FAITH CAFÉ) WILL ENTER STEP TWO IN SEPTEMBER AND BE CONFIRMED IN JANUARY 2013. New candidates entering the process in Sept, 2012 will begin with Step 1: Faith Café and they must be a minimum of 11 years of age by December 31st, 2012.

This fall we were blessed with the opportunity to begin an ongoing partnership with the Anglican Church in Cartwright. In 2012 we hope to welcome a group from their Church to All Saints. If you would like to make contributions to this outreach initiative over the coming weeks / months, you are welcome to place your donation in an envelope with your name/ envelope number marked *All Saints - Labrador Partnership Initiative*.

On Wednesday night the steps to the parish hall near Dunn's Hill blew down. Thank you to the men of our parish who fixed the step in such a timely manner.

God Bless!

God's Story Your Story: When His Becomes Yours.

Begins tonight at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall, Together we will look at how our life story is part of a grand, overarching narrative. Our journey of faith will come alive as we explore the divine story and discover God's divine plan for us. This is a six week church experience that will continue on February 12th, March 11th, April 15th, May 13th and June 10th.

Vestry:

Our next annual meeting is fast approaching and it's time to consider who might fill positions at our vestry table. If you are a baptized member of this congregation, at least 16 years of age, and for three months prior to the date of our AGM, has been involved in regular worship, fellowship, and financial support to our congregation you are eligible to become a member of our Vestry. Vestry shall advise and assist the rector and church wardens in the management of the affairs of our congregation. Regularly scheduled meetings occur on the last Tuesday of the month. Over the coming weeks a Nominating committee will be put in place to propose names for the various elective positions for our AGM. Why not give some consideration to putting your name forward to serve on Vestry ?

Memorials

Memorials have been given to All Saints Parish Renovation Fund in Loving Memory of

- ◆ **Lorraine (Arnott) Coates** (remembering her death January 14th) by Clayton.