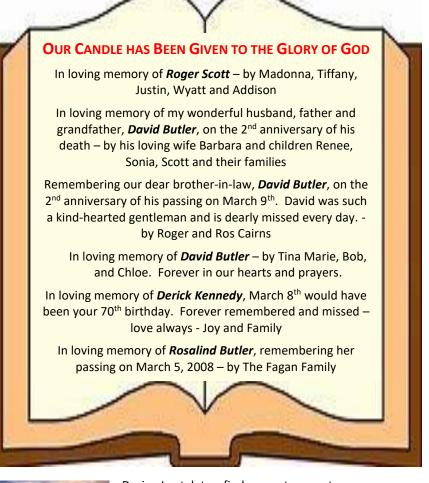


ALL SAINTS CANDLE - MARCH 10, 2024

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Shining a Light on What is Happening in Our Parish

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





During Lent, let us find concrete ways to overcome our indifferences.

Pope Francis



Our AGM is set for Sunday, March 24th, starting with coffee, tea, and sandwiches at 5:30pm, followed by the Congregational Meeting at 6:30pm. In order to permit adequate time to compile our *Parish Annual Report Booklet*, <u>all Committees have their</u> reports submitted to the Parish Office by now. There are several Vestry positions open for appointment or election. Anyone interested in becoming a member of this great ministry group should reach out to any

current Vestry member to have their name brought forward. This is YOUR meeting, and we encourage all Parishioners to please attend as we review our past successes, and plan for our future growth during the upcoming year.

EASTER MEMORIAL BOOKLET – We invite you to proudly pay tribute to a loved one during the upcoming Easter season by placing a memoriam in our *Easter Memorial Booklet*. Please email your requests to office@allsaintsparish.ca or call our Parish Office at 709-834-4501. The cutoff date is Sunday, March 24th





WEEKLY 7:00 PM WEDNESDAY EVENING LENTEN SERVICES are being held each week until the beginning of Holy Week, which starts with Palm Sunday. All welcome and invited!!

2023 OFFERTORY INCOME TAX RECEIPTS – Your 2023 Income Tax Receipts are now available for pickup at the Church each Sunday morning, or at the Parish Office throughout the week. If you would like your receipt emailed or sent via Canada Post, please let us know at <u>finance@allsaintsparish.ca</u> as soon as possible. **You must include your full name** in your email.





Do you, or a friend, or someone you know require personal and confidential prayer for any reason? If so, we invite you to please reach out in confidence to our Prayer Chain Coordinator, **Linda McDonald**, at **709**-**834-1720**, or call our **Parish Office at 709-834-4501**.

Our **All Saints Prayer Chain Group** is a very active ministry which has a large number of prayerful members ready to reach out in thoughtful prayer.



CLASS SCHEDULE - UPPER LEVEL OF OUR PARISH HALL March 10th at 2:00pm – Session 6 March 17th at 10:00am - Instructed Eucharist, followed by lunch and sessions 7 and 8 March 24th at 2:00pm – Session 9 April 21st at 2:00pm – Session10

PADDY'S DAY LUNCHEON - The ACW ladies of All Saints Parish CBS are hosting a "Paddy's Day Brunch" on Saturday, March 16th from 11:00am to 1:00pm. Join us for a feed of Beans, Saugages, Bologna, Pancakes, Hash Browns, Toast, Tea and Coffee, and juice for the children.

Only \$6 for children under 12, and adults are just \$12. Please call Barb Tilley at 834-4795, or Enid at 682-9367. And please be sure to share this with family, friends, and co-workers.



PLEASE CONTINUE TO CONTRIBUTE – Our Parish Hall has its new metal roofing



installed, however, we must continue to ask Parishioners and friends of the Parish to please help us raise the remaining \$13,770, and to please continue to contribute to our 'Parish Hall **Roofing Fund**'. We are so happy for the progress we have made to date, and we sincerely appreciate all the support you have provided with this effort.

THE CBS/PARADISE FOOD BANK relies heavily on your continued generous support. The following items are in great demand: juice (1 & 2 litre), pancake mix, cream of soup, hot cereal, syrup, cake mix, chef boyardee, cookies, cookies, dry soup mix and teabags or you may make a monetary donation.



Do We Have Your EMAIL ADDRESS? - If we do not already have your email address on file, and you would like to receive notices of our various events, and the digital version of *The Candle* sent directly to your computer, smartphone, or tablet, please email it to <u>communications@allsaintsparish.ca</u>

LITTLE PEOPLE'S CHURCH is held each Sunday during our 10:00am service, and



family members are welcome to join the younger children in The Chapel during this period. For any youth or adults who may be interested in helping with this growing ministry, please contact Wendy at wentaylor64@gmail.com or 709-330-1053.

THE FOXTRAP AND UPPER GULLIES CLB COMPANIES jointly meet in our All Saints CBS Parish Hall **every Monday evening** at the following times:

- LTC (age 5-6) and YTC (age 7-9) 6:30-7:30pm
- JTC (age 10-12) and Seniors (age 13-19) 7:30-9:30pm

For more information, contact a Company Commander: Foxtrap - Captain Wayne Young at 834-4684 Upper Gullies - Lt Vicki Reid at 746-6564



CHURCH OFFERTORY OPTIONS – As well as our *Sunday morning collection plate*:



- Our *secure drop-slot*, which is located to the left of the main door of our Parish Hall, is available 7/24, and is emptied several times daily.
- *e-Transferring* has become a popular offertory means via Interac to <u>donations@allsaintsparish.ca</u>
- Our *eGiving* program, which automatically deposits your gift at whatever interval you choose (weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly).is a growing which we continue to encourage. To register simply go to our website and follow the eGiving notes. If you need assistance, please email your Finance Team at <u>finance@allsaintsparish.ca</u>, or call our Office at 834-4501.

IN MEMORIAM - ROOFING FUND

- In loving memory of *Stella Batten*, remembering her passing March 2nd by Jim, Sandra and Family
- In loving memory of *Edward Breen* by Barbara & Robert Tilley
- In loving memory of *Edward Bussey*, remembering her passing on February 27, 2009 by Elizabeth Tilley and Family
- In loving memory of *Deborah Butler* by Eleanor Butler and Family
- In loving memory of Wallace Butler by Graham & Sandra Taylor
- In loving memory of *George Clarke* by Barbara & Robert Tilley
- In loving memory of *George Clarke* by George & Linda McDonald
- In loving memory of *George Clarke* by Graham & Sandra Taylor
- In loving memory of *George Clarke* by Eric & Amy Dodge
- In loving memory of *June Cluney*, remembering her passing on March 12, 2021 by Mary & Herb, Jackie & Lois and Families
- In loving memory of *Dave Fagan* by Graham & Sandra Taylor
- In loving memory of *David Fagan* by Gary & Annie Fagan
- In loving memory of *David Fagan* by Lily Rideout

- In loving memory of *David Fagan* by Mary & Frank Walsh
- In loving memory of *Maisie Fagan* by Gary & Annie Fagan
- In loving memory of *Edna Rideout*, remembering her passing on January 31, 2024 – by Rosalind & Ralph Fagan
- In loving memory of *Frances Rideout* by Ken Batten
- In loving memory of *Francis Rideout* by Graham & Sandra Taylor
- In loving memory of Frances D. Rideout by Peter & Judy Murphy
- In loving memory of Stella Rideout by Graham & Sandra Taylor

THANK OFFERING - ROOFING FUND

 Thank offering for my brother, James Weir, who celebrated his 82nd birthday on March 05, 2024 – by Barbara, Robert and Family

March 03, 2024	WEEKLY	YTD
Percent of Last Year	108.0%	87.3%
2024 ACTUAL	6,270	30,039
2023 ACTUAL	5,789	34,427
DIFFERENCE	482	-4,388

We accept donations via *eTransfers* to donations@allsaintsparish.ca Also, please consider joining our *e-Giving Program*, which is an easy way to ensure you automatically contribute on a regular basis, even during those times when you are unable to attend your church.

DIGITAL ROAD SIGN FUND \$32,935

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RENEWAL OF ORDINATION VOWS - On Maundy Thursday, we gather with our fellow clergy to renew our commitment to serve Christ and his people through our ordination vows. However, let us not forget that the ministry of Christ is not limited to the ordained, but it includes all of us through our baptism. This year we will celebrate our baptismal ministry by **including the ministry of Lay People with a License for ministry in our Diocese**. Our Licensed Lay Ministers

and Eucharistic Assistants will also have the opportunity to renew their commitment to their ministry in Christ's Church. Join us on Thursday, March 28, at 10:30 am at our Cathedral - everyone is invited to robe.



The hospital chaplaincy is funded by the Diocese of Eastern Newfoundland and Labrador through the parish assessment. There are two full–time Chaplains serving the hospitals in the St. John's area, with responsibility to Pleasant View Towers. Our weekend Chaplain

is only doing pager service from Thursday at 5:00 pm to Sunday at 7:00 am.

If patients are registered as an "ANGLICAN" the chaplains will be seeing them at least every second day while they are in the hospitals. Family members may not always see the chaplain because their visiting is done in the morning or early afternoon before the families are allowed to visit.

If you need to see the chaplains, please ask the nurse to page them on your behalf. Arrangements will be made to set up a time to meet with you.

If your loved is not seen while in the hospital, then they are on a list known as "No Pastoral Care". If the patient cannot do the changes from "No Pastoral Care" to "Anglican" then the next of kin is responsible to make that change. The Clergy cannot visit if the patient is on the "No Pastoral Care List" due the law of confidentiality.

No clergy can share any information with anyone unless it is the next of kin - including the Parish Priest.

The hospitals are really the parish for the two chaplains, and your priest is constantly in touch with us if a patient is admitted. After seeing the specific patient, we will contact him with any message regarding that patient's condition.

If you have any problem, please contact the LEAD CHAPLAIN, ARCHDEACON ED KEEPING AT 709-687-7109.

GREETINGS - WE NEED YOUR OPINION !

As a member of a Protestant community in Canada, **you are invited to complete an online questionnaire about your experience of the Covid-19 pandemic**. The information gathered will be important in understanding your experience and in informing your religious leaders and policy makers, as well as your communities.

You may **click on the link to the questionnaire below** now, or first read more about the research project below. Be sure to click the "**Done**" button at the end of the survey, even if you have not answered all the questions.

The questionnaire is anonymous and should take approximately 15-25 minutes to complete (you can add elements if you wish). Please pass it on to other members of your community!

LINK TO THE QUESTIONNAIRE: https://www.research.net/r/covidandreligion

ABOUT THE RESEARCH

The research team will also be conducting some individual interviews with members of the community like yourself, on the same themes. If you wish to take part, email your name and contact details to mathieu.colin@umontreal.ca

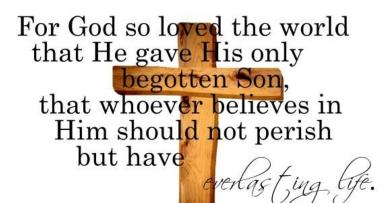
This research project brings together academics from Canada, Germany, Poland and Ireland. Its aim is to understand the transformations of religions during the Covid-19 pandemic. It has received the support of The Canadian Council of Churches, the Table de concertation interreligieuse du Québec, the Assembly of Quebec Catholic Bishops, and the Canadian Centre for Ecumenism, that are working in partnership with Professor Solange Lefebvre to distribute the questionnaire.

If you have any general questions about the questionnaire, please contact mathieu.colin@umontreal.ca or ring +1 514 946 5764. If you have any concerns about any aspects of the study, you can contact Solange Lefebvre at solange.lefebvre@umontreal.ca, or 514 343-5717. If you have any questions about your rights as a research participant, or about the responsibilities of researchers, you can contact the Research Ethics Committee - Society and Culture by e-mail at cersc@umontreal.ca_or the committee's advisor by telephone at 514 343-6111 ext. 5925, or consult the website https://crr.umontreal.ca/ethique-humaine/participants/. Any complaints regarding your participation in this research can be addressed to the Université de Montréal ombudsman by calling 514 343-2100 or by e-mail at ombudsman@umontreal.ca (the ombudsman accepts collect calls).

Thank you in advance for your support.

Best regards,

Solange Lefebvre, directrice Chaire en gestion de la diversité culturelle et religieuse (GDCR) Institut d'études religieuses - FAS Université de Montréal



March 10, 2024 – 4th Sunday of Lent BAS Holy Eucharist & Holy Baptism ALL SAINTS ANGLICAN PARISH CBS

The Fourth Sunday of Lent is traditionally called Laetare Sunday. Laetare is a Latin word that means "rejoice." Today's Gospel describes the reason for our joy: God's great love for us has been revealed in Jesus. Through his Passion, Death, and Resurrection, Christ has reconciled us with God and one another.