

Upcoming Service January 14th

8:30 am Holy Eucharist
11:00 am Holy Eucharist

On-Duty for January 14th

Greeters: Laura Ellsworth & Val Tilley
Altar Care: Team 2
Sidespeople: Team 2
Counting Team: Team 3

Welcome to our Parish. We are very pleased to have you worshipping with us today. If you are a visitor, or you have recently made Church of the Good Shepherd your parish home, we welcome you warmly and trust you will be comfortable here. Please feel free to ask one of the greeters or sidespeople about our parish. For more information, you are also invited to sign up for our weekly parish email; check-in, follow and “like” us on Facebook, or use our Parish Webpage at <http://www.goodshepherdnl.com>.

Mission Statement



“As Good Shepherds, we love God with all our hearts and we love our neighbours as ourselves as we reach out into our world in the name of Jesus Christ.”

Rector: The Venerable Charlene Taylor, BA, M.Div 237-1877

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Honorary Assistants

The Reverend Nathan Cutler, BA, BA(Ed), M Dip Ed, M.Div. (Retired)

The Reverend Edward Samson, CD ATh, BTh

The Reverend James Eveleigh, B.Th.

Music Director:

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Hearing Assist is available for those with hearing difficulties. Pick up the hearing assist apparatus, plug the earphone connector to the box and insert the earphone in your ear. If you have your own earphones that you use with a phone or any other electronic device, feel free to use it with our hearing assist.

The Crozier

The Parish of the Good Shepherd

Anglican Church of Canada

Diocese of Eastern Newfoundland & Labrador

January 7th, 2018

The Baptism of Our Lord



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Thank you to all who sent cards and gifts during Christmas, your love and kindness was greatly appreciated.

Archdeacon Charlene+

Gifts and Cards brought in over the holidays are still on the table by the kitchen. Please check the table for items with your name.

We are pleased to welcome this morning our new music director Andrew Coffin. We look forward to his gift of music and his leadership with our choirs.

On behalf of the whole parish, we extend our heartfelt thanks to Caryll Rossiter who gave her time and talent to providing us with her gift of music over the past few months.

Weekly Reminders

Choir Practice resumes after Christmas break Wednesday, January 17th. Children’s Choir 6:30 pm and Adult Choir at 7 pm.

Cornerstone’s will resume Monday, January 15th at 7:30 pm

Men’s Group will resume Thursday, January 18th at 7:30 pm

Parish News

Youth Group Friday, January 12 at 7 pm at the Church of the Ascension.

The Annual Char Dinner Silent Auction is to be held January 27th and you can help us with this event. You may want to contribute an item yourself or ask friends, business associates or any others to support the ministry and outreach of our parish. Letters are available from the office to verify our event. Items collected can be brought to the Church office before the event so organizers can prepare the auction.

30th Annual Char Dinner & Silent Auction Tickets are now available. The dinner will be held at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Mount Pearl on Saturday, January 27th at 6:00 pm. Tickets can be purchased by calling the office 747-1022. Cost \$25.00
LIMITED TICKETS AVAILABLE

“Peaceful Morning” framed print by Gary Dyke tickets available from the church office, or members of the Arctic Char Dinner Committee. Tickets are \$1.00 each! Draw date January 27th at the Arctic Char Dinner.

Ladies Night will be Monday, January 29th 7:30 pm All Ladies of the parish are welcome.

Char Dinner Committee Meeting Sunday, January 7th at 12:30pm

Ladies of Parish of the Good Shepherd: Baby Shower Invitation
Our friends from Syria, The Abedalhalem Family, are expecting a baby boy! The Parish is having a Baby Shower for Kholoud Alzamel and you are invited! Saturday, January 13, 2018 2:00-4:00 pm at the Parish of the Good Shepherd Church Hall

* Food items to share would be appreciated, but please avoid bringing pork products (ham, bacon, etc.)

* If you have any prize items that could be used for this event, please contact Kathy Walsh-Hewitt at: k.hewitt@nl.rogers.com

* Gift Suggestions: Gift cards; diapers size 2 and up; if you plan to purchase clothing, a variety of sizes and seasonable wear would be most beneficial (ex: summer clothing for 6mths and 1 year clothing for winter months) sizes 3mths plus and up.

Vestry Meeting January 18th at 7:00 pm.

Archdeaconry Council Meeting January 13th 10:00 am – 12:00pm, hosted by the Church of the Good Shepherd.
Moring coffee items needed.

Recycling Can Help Our Youth Members of our Youth Group are attending a youth conference in Thunder Bay, ON 2018. We are asking parishioners to keep their recyclable bottles and cans for them. They can be brought to any recycling depot using our phone number at the express kiosk (747-1022), or drop them off at the church any Sunday.

Confirmation Registration Sunday January 14th following the 11:00 am service.

Confirmation Prayer Partners are people who prayerfully support confirmation candidates during their confirmation journey. If you would like to be a partner or need more information please contact Natasha Nicolle.

Parish E-mail List Each Friday a parish e-mail is sent out listing the services for Sunday, parish news and upcoming events. If you would like to be added to this list, please email Paula at the office at cotgs@nf.aibn.com

Prayers of the People 2018 schedule is ready and can be picked up on the table by the church office. Please check for your name.

Community News

Services for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Monday January 15th, 10:00am, at Solid Rock Wesleyan

Tuesday January 16th, 10:00am, at First United

Wednesday January 17th, 7:30pm, at Church of the Ascension

Thursday January 18th, 10:00am, at Park Avenue Pentecostal

Friday January 19th, 10:00am, at Salvation Army

Home Again Furniture Bank is currently low in stock of certain items: beds, kitchen tables and chairs, dressers, lamps, pots and pans, and double and twin sheet sets/comforters. If anyone is able to donate some of these over the next few weeks, it will greatly help families in need. Call 325-4040