

Upcoming Service March 11th

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

On-Duty for March 11th

Greeters: Rhonda & Harold Noseworthy
Altar Care: Team 2
Sidespeople: Team 2
Counting Team: Team 2

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.”

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

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The Reverend James Eveleigh, B.Th.

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The Crozier

The Parish of the Good Shepherd

Anglican Church of Canada

Diocese of Eastern Newfoundland & Labrador

March 4th, 2018

3rd Sunday in Lent



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Weekly Reminders

Cornerstone’s Monday, March 5th at 7:30 pm

Choir Practice: will move to a bi-weekly schedule. The next practise is March 14th. Children’s Choir 6:00 pm and Adult Choir will be following the Ash Wednesday Service.

**Note the time change during Lent.*

Men’s Group Thursday, March 8th at 7:30 pm

Shepherd’s Cafe will resume Wednesday, March 7. Holy Eucharist at 11:00 am, lunch at noon. **Menu: Shepherd’s Pie**

Parish News

Annual Reports will be available for pick up on Sunday, March 4th. There will be a limited number of printed copies, the report will also be posted to our webpage. If you take a paper copy, please remember to bring it along to the **Annual General Meeting** Sunday, March 11th following the 11:00 am service & potluck lunch. Any questions, please submit in writing no later than Friday March 9th. **Questions must be submitted to cotgs@nf.aibn.com or dropped off at the office.**

Shepherd’s Café. There are various ways to contribute to Shepherd’s café, here a few ways you can be involved: Tuesday’s, morning meal preparation 9:00 am and table set up at 1:00 pm, Wednesday’s serving meals/coffee/tea and cleanup. Or, you can financially contribute by using a Shepherd’s Café envelope. Donations over \$10 will receive a receipt for income tax purposes. If you are able to assist in any way, please join us!

St. Patrick's Stew Supper Thursday, March 15th supper served at 6:00 pm take outs available 5:00pm. Tickets \$15.00 available at the church office 747-1022

Lenten Bible Study Wednesday mornings 10:15 am at the Church of the Ascension.

Seat with a Heartbeat: A Lenten Project. Envelopes are available at the display or table by entranceway. Each donation will place another furniture cut out in our 'house' – the visual display at the back of the church.

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.

Wednesday Lenten Service 7:00 pm

March 7th Facing the Cross: Facing Our Worldliness

March 14th Facing the Cross: Facing One Another

March 21st Facing the Cross: Facing Suffering

Bulletin and Candle Memorials/Commemorations – Weekly bulletin memorials or monthly candle donations are a lovely way to remember a loved one, or to celebrate a special life event. Bulletin Memorials help cover the cost of the printing of our orders of service and bulletin inserts. (Suggested Donation: \$25). Candle Memorials help cover the cost of altar candles. (Suggested donation: \$30). Complete the forms on our office door, if you would like to donate a bulletin or candle memorial. Please note that more than one memorial or commemorative event can be added for a particular date.

Youth Group will meet March 9th at the Church of the Good Shepherd

Community News

“Solidarity Visitor Development and Peace”: Our solidarity Visitor is from Lebanon this year. Her name is Nagham Tarhini. She is a

Community Outreach Coordinator with an NGO named Adyan, which promotes dialogue between Christians and Moslems in the Middle East. Come and meet her and hear her speak at the Lantern on Saturday Morning 10 March 2018 at 9:30 am. She will explain her work and enjoy meeting us as well.” Dialogue and interaction is an important element in peace building between members of differing religious communities in the Lebanon and Syria.

The Ascension Men's Service Club extends an invitation to all men of the Parish of the Good Shepherd to join them for their Annual Bishop's Fish and Brewis Men's Fellowship Dinner and Eucharist which will be held on **Monday, March 12th, 2018**. Dinner will be served at 6:00 pm with Eucharist to follow. Tickets cost \$10.00 each and can be purchased/booked by contacting Ray Hewitt (368-6536 or rayhewitt@nl.rogers.com). Deadline to purchase or book tickets is Friday March 9th (sorry, no unbooked tickets sold at the door).

The Atlantic String Quartet will present a special evening of music to commemorate the Easter season on Sunday March 11, beginning at 8PM at the Anglican Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, 16 Church Hill, St. John's. The program will feature Haydn's "The Seven Last of Words of Christ, Op. 51" with oration by special guest Chuck Herriott. The concert also includes Fratres by Part. Come soak up the amazing sounds of the Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra's resident string quartet in the beautiful surroundings of the Cathedral. Tickets are \$23 for adults / \$20 for students and seniors and are available at the Arts & Culture Centre box office in person, by phone at 729-3900, online at www.artsandculturecentre.com or at the door.

Training in the administration of Naloxone: The possibility of witnessing a drug overdose is an increasing reality in our society. As a concerned and proactive parish that welcomes everyone, we are pleased to offer training on the administration of Naloxone so that we are always prepared. The training takes approximately one hour and will be held on **Saturday, March 10 at 10am**. All are welcome but Registration is required through the parish office. Many thanks to Tree Walsh from the Tommy Sexton Centre for making this training possible.