



Sunday November 19 Services

8 am Christ Church	HE BCP	Rev. Darlene
11am Christ Church	Morning Prayer	Lay Readers
9:30am St. Bees'	HE BCP	Rev. Darlene
11am St. James'	Morning Prayer	Lay Readers

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The Rev. Arthur Bourré is on extended absence.

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Parable of the Bridesmaids



*The Anglican Churches of Pictou County
Sunday November 12 2017*

1st Reading: Joshua 24:1-3A
Psalm 78:1-7
2nd Reading: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
Gospel: Matthew 25:1-13

Collect: Eternal God, who caused all holy scriptures to be written for our learning, grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen

Prayers over the Gifts: Gracious God, your word to us is food indeed. Receive all we offer you this day, and let your loving-kindness be our comfort, for the sake of Jesus Christ, your living Word. Amen

Prayer after Communion: Living God, in the eucharist you fill us with new hope. May the power of your love, which we have known in word and sacrament, continue your saving work among us, and bring us to the joy you promise. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen



Prayer Requests

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Ughelli (Bendel, Nigeria) The Rt Revd Cyril Odutemu
Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Shelburne and South Queens, Nova Scotia
Provincial Cycle of Prayer: Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario Archbishop Colin Johnson and the Provincial Council

Pictou County Council of Churches: Lady of Perpetual Help, Pictou Landing

ACW Prayer Partner Ministry: We pray for St. Andrews', Cole Harbour

Parish Prayer Cycle: Pray for St. James' and Donald & Lucy Cyr, Art Dalton, Douglas Davidson, William & Carol Dawson, Clarence & Kim Dean, George Desjardins, Jill Demont, Lisa Devine, Colin & Lynda Dorrington, Julia Dorrington, Marion Dort, Gloria Dort, Agnes Doucette, Joan Doucette

Parish Prayer List

Bob Austin	Karen Jeffrey	Muriel Jackson	Debbie Haley
Kerstin	Erma Chenell	Laura Kelly	Dianne Hardy
Brian Kelly	Bill Colbourne	Mary MacKeigan	Mary Patterson
Ruth Myles	Dagmar Hubley	Neil MacDonald	Rev. Bill White
Carvell Riley	Gordon Clarke	Shannon Brundage	Nancy Marcott
Carla Bate	Evan Crowe	Bruce Heighton	Marion Dort
Lisa Davis,	Cheryl Lynds	Doug	Jan
Amanda,	Robyn		

St. Bees'

Card Socials: Every Friday evening, beginning at 7:30pm
Food Bank donations will be collected every 3rd Sunday of the month.
Soup and Dessert Luncheon St Bees' Helping Hands Westville Thursday Nov. 30th 11:15am - 1:00 pm **Price \$8.00** Take Out Available
Annual Christmas Tea & Sale St. Bees' Church Hall Saturday, Nov. 18th From 2-4 pm serving chicken a la king dessert, tea or coffee Price: \$8 per person. Bake and New-To-You Tables

St. James'

Food Bank Donations collected the 1st Sunday of every month.
Coffee Hour will take place after the 11am Service on the first Sunday of the month.
St. James' Christmas Tea & Sale Saturday Nov. 25th 2-4 pm \$7 adults \$3.50 children Pantry and New to You tables

St. Alban's

Baptism will be held today for **Jarett Paul Cholmondeley** son of Crystal and Chris Cholmondeley and for **Carson Maxwell MacKay** son of Kim Cholmondeley and Clint MacKay.

Christ Church

Food Bank Donations are accepted every 1st Sunday of the month.

Christ Church Christmas Tea & Sale November 25th, more information to follow

Christ Church ACW is holding a Cookie Sale that will run from Monday, October 16th through till Saturday, November 18th. Cookies must be pre-ordered and will be available for pick or delivery on Saturday, November 25th, during the Christ Church ACW Christmas Tea & Sale. The cost of cookies are ½ dozen \$2.50 or a dozen for \$5. There are 5 types of cookies to choose from Oatmeal Raisin; Oatcakes; Chocolate Chip; Haystacks and Drop Molasses. If you wish to place an order you can do so by contacting Stacey Ferguson at 902-755-1579 or any ACW member.

Christ Church Financials

	Income	Expenses	Difference
Oct. 2017	\$ 7507.73	\$2777.67	\$4730.06
Year to Date	\$65457.01	\$63497.78	\$1959.23

Announcements

"No Child Should Go Cold in Pictou County" As summer turns to fall, and the weather changes, our organization is once again preparing our campaign to assist those in need of fuel who cannot afford to purchase it. We appreciate the ongoing support from the Pictou County Council of Churches. Without the help of your congregations, we would not be able to serve the people who will be in desperate need of fuel this winter. Our service is administered by the Pictou County Crime Prevention organization. Information about how to access our service is available at <http://www.pictoucountyfuelfund.ca/> We are launching our annual giving campaign in the coming weeks and as in past years, I am writing to you to ask for the Council of Churches support at getting information out to member churches. As in the past, envelopes are available to the Council of Churches to distribute to the congregations. We ask that this be completed as soon as possible. Sincerely, Jim McKenna Chair, Pictou County Fuel Fund

Weekly Reflections

"Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour." - Matthew 25:13
Many of us have put off doing something because we think we are too busy. We've all said, "I'll do it later when I have time." Unfortunately, too many of us apply this attitude to our Faith. Jesus' call is urgent, in the here and now, in your current circumstances. Don't delay, how is God calling you to use your gifts today?

That we understand God's call is urgent, in the here and now, in our current circumstances.