

CALENDAR

Week of February 2nd to February 9th
All services unless noted are in All Souls' Chapel

Tuesday: 5:00 Evensong

Wednesday: 9:45 a.m. Matins
10:00 a.m. Mass
5:00 p.m. Evensong
7:30 p.m. Choir Practice

Thursday: 5:00 p.m. Evensong

Friday: 5:00 p.m. Evensong

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Evensong

Sunday: **Fifth Sunday after Epiphany**
7:30 a.m. Matins *Cathedral*
8:00 a.m. Eucharist *Cathedral*
10:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist *Cathedral*
5:00 p.m. Evensong *Chapel*

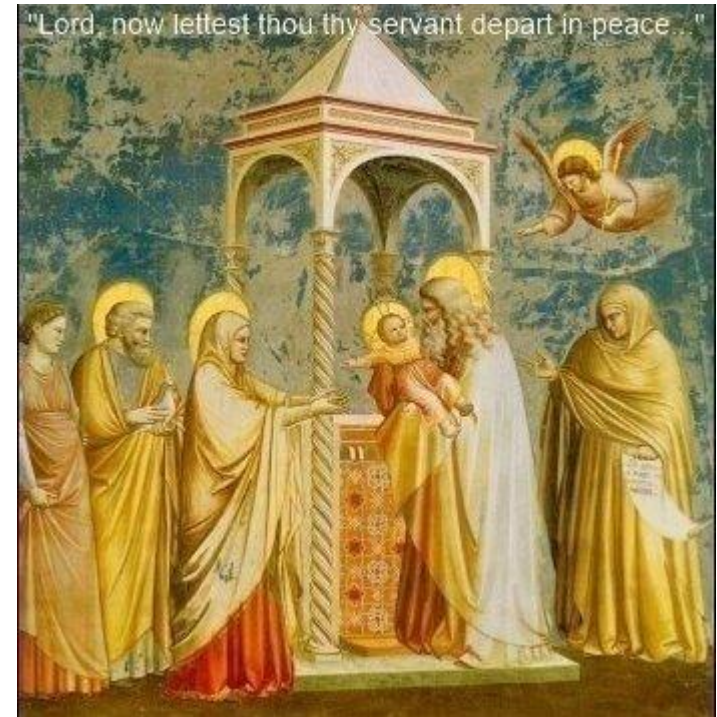
Please note that the Chapel is open daily for prayer and reflection

WELCOME!

Please let us know if you have any questions or if we can assist you in any way.
A visit from a priest? Interest in Baptism? Interest in Confirmation?
Interest in Marriage? To add a name to the list of those for whom we pray each day.
Or any other question _____
Please offer contact information: e.g. address, name(name) email/phone

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THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST. PETER
ROCHFORD SQUARE, CHARLOTTETOWN



Feast of the Presentation of Christ
in the Temple
(Candlemas)

Sunday, February 2nd, 2025

*The order of service is found in the red Book of Common Prayer
and the Service Guide in your pew.
The Hymns are found in the green Hymn Book*

7:30 a.m. MATINS page 6

8:00 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST page 67

Minor Propers Please read bold type printed below
The Collect, Lesson, and Gospel page 266-267

10:30 a.m. BLESSING OF CANDLES, PROCESSION,
AND SUNG EUCHARIST

Mass Setting Missa Brevis No. 4 (Corde Natus) Healey Willan

Priest The Lord be with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

Priest Let us pray.

Almighty everlasting God, who didst present thine only-begotten Son in thy holy temple, to be received into the arms of holy Simeon: we humbly entreat thy mercy; that thou wouldst vouchsafe to ✠ bless, ✠ sanctify, and kindle with the light of thy heavenly benediction these candles, which we thy servants, who receive them, desire to kindle and bear forth: so that we, enkindled with the holy fire of thy most sweet charity, may also be presented in the holy temple of thy glory, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

Incense is blessed.

Candles are blessed with water and incense.

Organ **In Peace and Joy I Now Depart** Marcel Dupré

(Candles are distributed to the choir and lit)

Candles are distributed to the congregation, while the following is sung:

The Nunc Dimittis, Nunc Dimittis in G – C. V. Stranford

Antiphon To be a light to lighten the Gentiles;

and to be the glory of thy people Israel.

LORD, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word. For mine eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before the face of all people; To be a light to lighten the Gentiles, and to be the glory of thy people Israel.

GLORY be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Antiphon To be a light to lighten the Gentiles;

and to be the glory of thy people Israel.

The congregation's candles are lit.

Antiphon O Lord, arise, help us, and deliver us,
for thy Name's Sake.

Psalm 44:

O God, we have heard with our ears; our fathers have declared unto us.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end. Amen.

Antiphon O Lord, arise, help us, and deliver us,
for thy Name's Sake.

The Collect

We beseech thee, O Lord, hearken unto thy people: and grant that by the light of thy grace we may inwardly attain to that glory, which in this yearly devotion, thou dost suffer us outwardly to venerate. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The Procession

Incense is blessed.

Priest The Lord be with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

Priest Let us go forth in peace.

People **In the name of the Lord. Amen.**

The Congregation is invited to join the Clergy and choir in the Procession.

Hymn 218 *Ye who own the faith of Jesus* Den es Vaters sinn geboren

Station at the Icon of the Theotokos:

Priest Hail, Virgin Mother of God, full of grace:

People **For from thee hath arisen the Sun of righteousness.**

O God, who hast presented thy Son in the Temple, and purified the Blessed Virgin Mary: Mercifully grant that we, who delight in her humble readiness to give birth to thy Only-begotten Son, may rejoice forever in our adoption as his brethren; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

✠ *The Icon is censed.*

Hymn 218 continues.

Station at the Font:

Priest Bring presents, and come into his courts:

People **O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.**

O Lord Jesus Christ, who as a child was presented in the Temple and was received with joy by Simeon and Anna, as the Redeemer of Israel: Mercifully grant that we, like them, may be guided by the Holy Spirit to love thee unto our lives' end; who with the Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, livest and reignest, one God, world without end. **Amen.**

✠ *The font is censed.*

Hymn 218 continues.

The celebration of the Holy Eucharist follows:

Introit *standing*

We have waited O God for thy loving kindness in the midst of thy temple; according to thy Name, O God, so is thy praise unto the world's end: **thy right hand is full of righteousness.** Great is the Lord and highly to be praised: **in the city of our God, even upon his holy hill.** Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; **As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.** We have waited O God for thy loving kindness in the midst of thy temple; according to thy Name, O God, so is thy praise unto the world's end: **thy right hand is full of righteousness.**

The Collect for Purity *kneeling* page 67

Kyrie Eleison ~ Christe Eleison ~ Kyrie Eleison

Gloria in Excelsis *standing* page 86

Collects page 266 & 128

The Lesson *sitting* Malachi 3. 1-5 Beth Dowbiggin

Gradual *sitting*

We have waited O God for thy loving kindness in the midst of thy temple; according to thy Name, O God, so is thy praise unto the world's end. Like as we have heard, so have we seen in the city of our God: **even upon his holy hill.**

Alleluia *standing*

Alleluia. **Alleluia.** I will worship toward thy holy temple, **and will sing praises unto thy name. Alleluia.**

Sequence Hymn 209 vs. 1-3 *Hail to the Lord who comes* Presentation

Holy Gospel *standing* St. Luke 2. 22-40

Sequence Hymn 209 vs. 4 & 5

The Nicene Creed page 71

The Sermon The Rev'd Clem Carelse

Offertory Sentence *standing*

Full of grace are thy lips: because God hath blessed thee forever.

Offertory Hymn 170 *Christ is made the sure foundation* Westminster Abbey

Intercession √ O Lord hear our prayer Abraham Roy

✠ And let our cry come unto Thee.

√ Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord

✠ And let light perpetual shine upon them.

The Invitation page 76

Confession & Absolution *kneeling* page 77

Sursum Corda *standing* page 78

Sanctus & Benedictus page 81

Prayer of Consecration *kneeling* page 82

Our Father page 85

Prayer of Humble Access page 83

Agnus Dei page 84

Communion Sentence

It was revealed unto Simeon by the Holy Spirit: **that he should not see death, before he had seen the Lord's Anointed.**

Holy Communion

The Sacrament is offered in both kinds, both bread and wine. If you choose not to receive the wine, please fold your arms X, and remain at the rail to hear the words of administration. If the rail is full to the middle, please go as far to the left as possible before you kneel so that others will not have to walk over your legs.

Communion Hymn 318 *Let all mortal flesh keep silence* Picardy

Motet *When to the Temple Mary Went* Eccard

When to the temple Mary went, And brought the Holy Child,
Him did the aged Simeon see, As it had been revealed.
He took up Jesus in his arms And blessing God he said:
In peace I now depart, my Saviour having seen
The Hope of Israel, the Light of men.

Prayer of Thanksgiving page 85

√. Depart in the peace of Christ.

✠. Thanks be to God.

The Blessing page 86

Closing Hymn 301 *Alleluia, sing to Jesus* Hyfrydol

Voluntary *Nunc Dimittis* Clement Carelse

We welcome all visitors with us today and invite you to join us for Coffee & Tea in the Cathedral Hall following the 10:30 a.m. service.

FOOD BANK

The next food bank Sunday is February 16th, and the requested item is chunky soups and stews, and for March, the item will be peanut butter.

HILLSBOROUGH HOSPITAL

Toiletries e.g. soap, toothpaste, are much appreciated. All donations are always gratefully received for both the Food Bank and the Hospital in the baskets under the table at the back of the Cathedral

Thank you for your generous support of the mission of Christ in and through St. Peter's.

GIVING

January 28th, 2024

General Revenue \$ 3,745
Building Fund \$ 215
Friends of St. Peter's \$20

January 26th, 2025

General Revenue \$885
Building Fund \$180
Friends of St. Peter's \$20

Automatic Debit Plan

Authorization Cards and Offering Cards are available at the back of the Cathedral. If you have any questions on the plan, please call Rory Francis 902-367-2850 or Kristina Chandler in the Cathedral Office 902-566-2102.

ATTENDANCE January 26th, 2025

8.00 a.m. 7

10.30 a.m. 58

Sunday Morning Child Care: At the 10:30 a.m. Eucharist, a qualified childcare provider is delighted to welcome any younger children in the nursery downstairs beside the Sunday School room.

Property Warden News:

Kitchen Light: Thanks to Binney a new light fixture has been installed in the Rectory kitchen. The old fixture provided poor quality ceiling light. The new fixture provides focused light on the key work areas of sink, stove, refrigerator, and counters. It is a significant and welcome improvement.

Memorial light: The memorial light standard in the rose bed by the Fitzroy entrances has been restored to proper functioning. It had not worked properly since hurricane Fiona.

ANNUAL REPORTS: Our Annual General Meeting is scheduled for Sunday, March 2nd following the 10:30 service. All reports are to be submitted to the church office by Friday February 14th.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

✘ **Peace in the world** The Holy Land, both Israel and Palestine; Lebanon and Syria; Armenia, Azerbaijan, Nagorno-Karabakh and Turkey; Ukraine and Russia; India, Iraq, and Iran; Sudan, Afghanistan, Korea; Taiwan and China; Haiti; the United States, and Yemen.

✘ **On this Island:** St. George's Church, Montague; St. Alban's Church, Souris;

✘ **In the Diocese of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island:**

Parish of Alberton & O'Leary, PEI; Parish of Christ Church, Cherry Valley, PEI
Let us pray for The Rt. Rev'd Sandra Fyfe, Diocesan Bishop.

✘ **In the Anglican Communion:** Let us pray for the Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia. Archbishops Don Tamihere (Aotearoa), Justin Duckworth (New Zealand), Sione Ulu'ilakepa (Polynesia)

✘ **Our fellow parishioners;** Jacalyn MacAulay; Cyril Armstrong; Carl Mathis; David Bell; Donna Bulman; Joseph Shama; Alana Arsenaault; Paula Kays; Julianne Kalem; Lynda Lockert; Father David Garrett; Stephanie Ross; Lillian Hennigar; William Hennigar and Billie Longaphee.

✘ **These others for whom our prayers are also desired:** Jeremy Soutiere; Dorothy Turner; Gordon Gillespie; Claude Ayube; Barbara Olejarz; Paul Gregory; Vera Morn; Mabel Morn; Audley Martin; Pam MacNeill; Deborah Roberts; Leela; Phyllis; Marion Sampson; Ray Rogers; Grace Willson; Jeff Acorn.

✘ **The Departed:** Jean Bennie; Timothy Goddard; Ralph Foy and all those whom we remember in our hearts.

✘ **Those who in life and death have glorified God:** Especially commemorating this week St. Anskar. (Feb 3).

PARISH QUESTION BOX: The parish's question box is in the back of the Cathedral: You are invited to ask any question you might have about St. Peter's or our faith, with responses printed in the bulletin.

ROADMAP TO THE BIBLE: A big thank you to Dr. Philip Davis for his first, second, and third Roadmap To The Bible presentations which were well attended. We look forward to the final session this Tuesday February 4th, when the topic will be The New Testament. All are welcome to attend and light refreshments will be provided.

Rector returns: Father Garrett will resume his duties mid-week this week. He looks forward to his return to the Parish and thanks everyone for their prayers, kindness and support. Special thanks to Father Stephen for serving as Priest-in-Charge, and Father Ralph and Father Peter for their assistance at St. Peter's during his absence. His experience has renewed his commitment, and he asks for God's guidance, your prayers, assistance, and shared commitment to our parish family.

SOUPer BOWL CHILI AND SOUP TAKE OUT

Enjoy a bowl of Beef Chili or Curried Butternut Squash Bisque while you watch the Super Bowl and cheer for your favourite team, on Sunday, February 9, 2025

Tickets: Beef Chili, roll, dessert \$15.00

Curried Butternut Squash Bisque, roll, and dessert \$12.00

TAKEOUT: 12:00 to 2:00 pm

NOTE: TICKETS (AND CHOICE OF MEAL) MUST BE PURCHASED BY TUESDAY FEBRUARY 4, 2025

Thanks for supporting this Binney Group Fundraiser



Reading The Scriptures with The Church...

Daily Psalms and Lessons appointed for this week

Following The Fourth Sunday after Epiphany, 2025

	<i>Morning</i>			<i>Evening</i>		
	Psalm	Lesson I	Lesson II	Psalm	Lesson I	Lesson II
*Sun, Feb 2	45	1 Sam. 1. 21-end	Heb. 10. 1-10	84, 85	Hag. 2. 1-9	Rom. 12. 1-5
Mon, Feb 3	18, pt 1	Jer. 1. 11-end	2 Cor. 1. 1 – 2. 11	18, pt 2	Jer. 2. 1-13	2 Cor. 2. 12 – 3. end
Tues, Feb 4	22. 1-21	4. 1-18	4	22. 22-31; 23	5. 1-19	5
Wed, Feb 5	28, 29	5. 20-end	5. 20 – 7. 1	27	6. 1-21	7. 2-end
Thurs, Feb 6	33	7. 1-28	8	34	8	9
Fri, Feb 7	37, pt 1	9. 1-24	10	37, pt 2	10	11
Sat, Feb 8	40	14	12. 1-13	42, 43	15	12. 14 – 13. end

* The Presentation of Christ in the Temple – Candlemas

from The Crown of the Year by Austin Farrer, weekly paragraphs on the Holy Sacrament. We read that God's creation is completed by the making of man, and that looking upon all that he has made, God sees it to be very good. We turn a few pages and find something different: It repented God that he had made man, for the imagination of the thought of man's heart was evil continually. Nevertheless God's delight in the work of his hands prevails. He rejoices infinitely in having made you; what is more, he rejoices in the you that he has made, in spite of the pitiful imaginations of the thoughts of your evil heart. For his crown of satisfaction in what he has made is satisfaction in his beloved Son, and you are in his Son. God can look upon the man he has made, and find his work good, because he looks upon the man Jesus Christ, and sees the Son of his love, in whom he is well pleased. God's delight in you is immeasurable, because Christ is in you, and you are in Christ. You do not see it, but he sees it. Be at one with Christ, and fulfil the delight of God's heart.

Sometimes we need some road signs to help us see our way forward. That can be true of reading the Bible too. Have you ever wondered about the books of the Bible? What each one is about and how they came together?

Join Dr. Philip Davis
retired UPEI Professor of Religious Studies,
as he leads us in this series of talks:

ROADMAP TO THE BIBLE



January 14

The Old Testament Histories

January 21

Poetry, Wisdom, and Stories

January 28

The Prophets and the Canons

February 4

The New Testament

All talks take place in the church hall

St. Peter's Cathedral

Rochford Street

No admission fee

Light refreshments will be served

Talks begin at 7:00 pm

Come for one or come for them all!