

CALENDAR

WEEKLY November 6 - November 13

SUN.	8:00AM	Holy Communion	Sanctuary
	9:00AM	Choir Practice	Music Room
MON.	10:00AM	Holy Communion	Sanctuary
	8:00PM	Fireside Group (AA)	Parish Hall
TUES.	8:00PM	Simply Serenity Al-Anon	Friendship Room
	10:00AM	Crafts & Chats	Friendship Room
WED.	6:30PM	Guides	Parish Hall
	6:30PM	Pathfinders	Music Room
THURS.	7:15PM	Bible Study	Friendship Room
	10:00AM	Worship	Chapel
SAT	10:30AM	Bible Study	Music Room
	9:00AM	Liturgical Ministries Retreat	Entire Church

If you wish to use the church for a meeting, gathering or any other use, please call the office to determine availability and to book space. It is very limited during the week.



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*"TO BE GOD'S PEOPLE
DEMONSTRATING GOD'S LOVE"*

Prayer of the Community

Eternal God, who caused all holy scriptures to be written for our learning, grant us so to hear them, read, mark, 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, now and for ever.
Amen.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2010

8:00 AM HOLY COMMUNION

BOOK OF ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

ALL ARE WELCOME IN THIS PLACE

ORDER OF WORSHIP 8 AM

8:00 AM HOLY EUCHARIST (1962) - Book of Alternative Services

THE COMMUNITY GATHERS BEFORE GOD

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THE STORY OF FAITH IS PROCLAIMED

First Reading	Haggai 1:15b-2:9
Psalms	Psalms 98
Second Reading	2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17
Gospel	Luke 6:20-31
Sermon	

(A time for silent reflection)

RESPONDING TO GOD

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THE SACRED MEAL IS SHARED

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WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD

The Blessing	
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NEWS AND VIEWS

ST. JUDE'S, IQUALUIT: IGLOO CATHEDRAL DONOR CHALLENGE

An anonymous donation of \$500,000 towards the construction of St. Jude's Cathedral in Iqaluit in the northern Diocese of The Arctic has been received. This donor would like to challenge both individuals and corporations to work toward matching that amount in order to reach a goal of \$1,000,000 – or more – by the year's end. For more information, see the pictures and notice on the bulletin board in the narthex.

FALL SUPPER - FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2010

Our turkey dinner will be held on Friday November 26th at 6:30pm. Tickets go on sale on Sunday October 31 after the 8am and 10am services. There will only be 96 tickets available so please buy or reserve yours early. \$15.00/ADULT * \$10.00/STUDENT * under 12 years/free * Following dinner we will be entertained with a historic fashion show presented by the Kerby Centre Seniors. As an event like this requires many extra hands, please see the sign up sheet in the lobby. Donations of pies would be appreciated. People to carve, cook and clean etc. are needed. Vegetables and instructions will be provided the week before. If you have any questions please call Jan Mummery 403 271-1315.

COPIES OF THE SERMON

If hearing is a concern, you may pick-up a copy of the Sunday sermon as you enter the church. Just ask one of the sidespeople.

ADOPT-A-ROOM PROGRAM

It is a big task to keep all of our rooms in the church neat and tidy. We would like to encourage people to "Adopt-a-Room" and help us keep our Church beautiful and clean! Please see the sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the lobby to sign up for a room.

SCRAPAWAY RETREATS

Scrapbooking Christmas Party! Come spend the day scrapbooking while celebrating with food, door prizes, make N takes and more! Being held on Saturday Dec 4th from 9:00am to 10:00pm. Cost is \$40 to attend the party. Spots filling up fast, register by calling Shauna at 403.700.5590

CARD-MAKING

On Saturday November 13, 1:30- 3:30 pm. Join me at the church for an afternoon of making and learning how to make home made cards. Supplies will be provided but if you have a basic card making kit, please bring your tools with you. For more information or to sign up please contact Tammy Hopkinson at 403-238-7330 so that I can arrange to have enough supplies for everyone. **Deadline for signing up is Tuesday November 9.** Maximum of 15 people. First come, first serve. (A basic card making kit consists of: scissors, ruler, pen, pencil, eraser, small note book, bone folder; No previous experience necessary. Cost is \$35 per person.

NEWS AND VIEWS

A WORD OF THANKS FROM EVERYONE AT HOLY NATIVITY

A very special thank you to Jan Mummery for all her hard work organizing the Fall Fair. She did a fantastic job organizing all the volunteers and ensuring that the day was a success! We are truly blessed to have Jan with us to share her talents. Thank you to everyone who participated in our annual Fall Fair. Maybe you set up, priced articles, sorted through boxes of donations, baked, created, donated, made sandwiches, poured tea, barbequed hotdogs, advertised, etc. etc.. All of your hard work created a wonderful sense of community and helped raise over \$5000.00 which has been designated towards Capital Improvements. Thank you so very much!

LITURGICAL RETREAT - SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13

We will hold a mini-retreat at the church on Saturday, November 13, 2010 at 9:00 a.m. The day will include a Eucharist, time for prayer and reflection, and a bit of instruction - and of course, food appropriate to day part. We will be done no later than 3:00 p.m. All altar guild, chalice bearers, choir members, prayers of the people, servers, lay readers, sidespersons, and Sunday school teachers should attend. And anyone interested in serving in one of those ministries or would just like an opportunity for prayer and reflection may attend. Please, let Vanessa know if you will be attending by e-mail or calling the office at 403.278.0001.

ANGLICAN 1-0-FUN - SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2010

Every week we read excerpts from Scripture, but we rarely get to place these brief readings in full context of the Biblical narrative. To help us see where our Sunday readings fit in, we are offering the opportunity for 30-minute romps through the New Testament. Join Jim Popham Sunday, November 14, 2010 in the Parish Hall for a non-stop 30-minute review of the New Testament. This Anglican 1-0-Fun session will begin 10 minutes after the conclusion of the 8 and 10 a.m. services. So you will have time to pour a cup of coffee, grab a snack, and head for the parish hall. And we promise it will take only 30 minutes!

MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE

Christmas is just over the horizon, and who can imagine Christmas without music? Music takes us to the reverence and joy of our celebration of the birth of Christ. You can be part of our musical celebration of Christmas by singing with our special Christmas Choir. We are not short of great voices at Holy Nativity. We know you are out there, and you know who you are! Our choir is sounding great, but you can help them make a bigger joyful noise for Christmas. For more information, see our Choir Director, Johnson Philip.

WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY

The first study this fall will run for six weeks on Wednesday evenings through November 10th from 7:15 – 8:45 p.m. in the Friendship Room with a DVD and discussion session on *The Prayers of Jesus*. Each session is a stand-alone item that can be enjoyed without having to attend previous sessions. Newcomers are always welcome. For more information contact: Barb or Alan Scott at 403.278.1643.

PRAYERS AND FLOWERS

PRAYER 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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Worldwide: In the worldwide cycle of prayer, today we pray for Episcopal Church of Cuba.

Companion Diocese of the Windward Islands: In our companion diocese of the Windward Islands, we pray for St. John with St. Mark and St. Matthew and their priest, the Rev. Junior Ballantyne.

Diocese: In our diocesan cycle of prayer we remember Christ Church, Fort Mcleod and their deacon, the Rev. Pilar Gateman.

Parish: Here at Holy Nativity we pray for all our parish families and individuals, and for those desiring individual prayers. Today we especially pray for Joy, Vance & Pat, Frank, Eric, Joan, Mary, Sharon, Chase, and any others on our hearts today.

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR

The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God in thanksgiving for all His blessings by Elinor and Don Hudson.

READINGS

First Reading: Haggai 1:15b-2:9

In the second year of King Darius, in the seventh month, on the twenty-first day of the month, the word of the Lord came by the prophet Haggai, saying: Speak now to Zerubbabel son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah, and to Joshua son of Jehozadak, the high priest, and to the remnant of the people, and say, Who is left among you that saw this house in its former glory? How does it look to you now? Is it not in your sight as nothing? Yet now take courage, O Zerubbabel, says the Lord; take courage, O Joshua, son of Jehozadak, the high priest; take courage all you people of the land, says the Lord; work, for I am with you, says the Lord of hosts: once again, in a little while, I will shake the heavens and the earth and the sea and the dry land; and I will shake all the nations, so that the treasure of all nations shall come, and I will fill this house with splendour, says the Lord of hosts. The silver is mine, and the gold is mine, says the Lord of hosts. The latter splendour of this house shall be greater than the former, says the Lord of hosts; and in this place I will give prosperity, says the Lord of hosts.

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17

As to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we beg you, brothers and sisters, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as though from us, to the effect that day the day of the Lord is already here. Let no one deceive you in any way; for that day will not come unless the rebellion comes first and the lawless one is revealed, the one destined for destruction. He opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, declaring himself to be God. Do you not remember that I told you these things when I was still with you? But we must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the first fruits for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and through belief in the truth. For this purpose he called you through our proclamation of the good news, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word.

READINGS

Holy Gospel: Luke 20:27-38

Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to Jesus and asked him a question, "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; then the second and third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven married her." Jesus said to them, "Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, on the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive."

Proper 33, p. 392

Isaiah 65:17-25

2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Luke 21:15-19