

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS AT HOLY NATIVITY

### WEEKLY September 4 - 10

SUN.	8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	Sanctuary
	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	Sanctuary
MON.	8:00 p.m.	Fireside Group (AA)	Parish Hall
	8:00 p.m.	Simply Serenity Al-Anon	Friendship Room
THURS.	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	Chapel
	10:30 a.m.	Bible Study	Music Room
SAT.	9:00 a.m.	Servers Boot Camp	Sanctuary

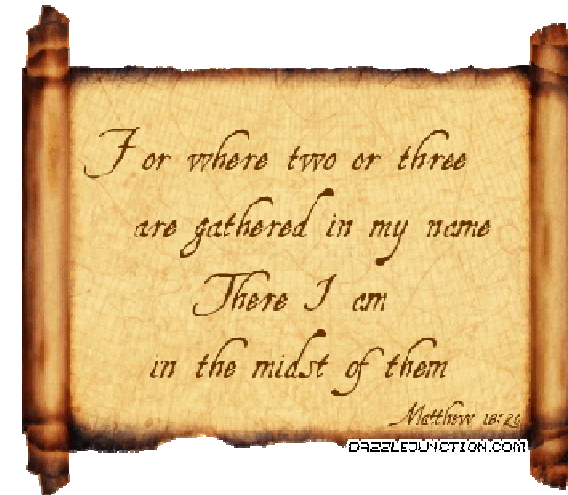
office to determine availability and to book space. It is very limited during the week.



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The Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday, September 4, 2011



Welcome to Holy Nativity Anglican Church, Calgary

Our Mission: "To be God's people, demonstrating God's love"

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

### Welcome to Newcomers and Guests

Your presence is a blessing to us. Do join us after the service for coffee in the Friendship Room at the back of the church. You also will find a "Welcome" brochure and a flyer describing Anglican worship in the pew rack and in the narthex (lobby). Getting to know you would be a privilege, so, please, fill out a blue welcome card and return it to the priest or one of the sidespersons (ushers). Children are welcome to remain in the service. During the summer, a children's area has been set up at the rear of the sanctuary.

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**8:00 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST**

Presider: The Rev. Jim Popham  
Lay Reader: Simpson Laing  
The Book of Alternave Ser vi ces

**The Community Gathers Before God**

Words of Welcome and Announcements  
Dominical Greeng p. 230  
The Collect for Purity p. 230  
The Commandments p. 231  
Kyrie Eleison p. 231  
Gloria in Excelsis p. 231  
The Prayer over the Community

**works, we may by you be richly rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**The Story of Faith is Proclaimed**

First Reading: Exodus 12:1-14  
Psalm 149 said by all

**Israel rejoice in his maker; le the children of Zion be joyful in their king. Let them the Lord takes pleasure in his people and adorns the poor with victory. Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; let them be joyful on their beds. Let the praises of God be in their throat and a two-edged sword in their hand; to wreak vengeance on the nobles with links of iron; to inflict on them the judgement decreed; this is glory for all his faithful people.**

Second Reading: Romans 13:8-14  
Holy Gospel: Mahew B: 15 -20  
Sermon

The Creed p. 234  
Prayers of the People p. 121  
Confession and Absoluon p. 238

**News and Views**

**SERVERS BOOT CAMP**

We will be holding a Servers Boot Camp on Saturday, September 10, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. We would like to invite all those who are interested in becoming a server, as well as all exisng servers, to aend. Lunch will be provided. Please R S V P to the church o c e at 403 -278-0001 or at holynat@shaw.ca.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL KICK-OFF**

As summer begins to draw to a close, our thoughts turn once again to school. Our Sunday School will start on Sunday, September 11, 2011 at the 10:00 a.m. service. We will have two classes this year - a children’s class and a youth class. Please pick up a registraon form in the Narthex and return it to the church o c e once it is complete. We look forward to another great year of learning and exploring the stories of the Bible!

**BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS**

We invite all those returning to school to bring their backpacks to church with them on Sunday, September 11, 2011 for a special blessing of the backpacks at the 10:00 a.m. service.

**SUNDAY BRUNCH FORUM**

Our next Sunday Brunch Forum will be held on Sunday, September 25, 2011 following the 10:00 a.m. service. Our speaker will be Kevin Stagg, Director Donor Ministry & Development at Samaritan’s Purse Canada & Billy Graham Evangelisc Association of Canada. We need many hands to help make this event a success. Please see the sign up sheets in the Narthex and volunteer to help us out!

**FALL FAIR**

Our annual Fall Fair will be held on Saturday, October 22, 2011 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. We are looking for many items for our Fair. There is a hand-out in the Narthex with the items we are looking for. Sign up sheets will be posted soon on the bullen board at the back dor .

**“SURPRISED BY HOPE” - WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY**

You are invited to aend the Wednesday evening inf or ma l B b e study whi ch will begin on September 21 from 7:15 p.m. each Wednesday, ending no later than 9 p.m. We will start with a video and discussion series from Bishop N.T. Wright called Surprised by Hope which will focus on the” breathtaking hope Jesus o ers the world and its implicaons for how you live.” We try to run the sessions as stand alone in recognion that many peopl e cannot aend every week. For more informaon , please cal l Alan or Barb Sco at 403-278-1643 or the Church o c e.

Prayer over Communion

said by all/all stand

**Father, your word and sacrament give us food and life. May we who have shared in holy things bear fruit to your honour and glory, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

Doxology

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### **We are Sent Out into the World**

Blessing

Closing Hymn: # 374 Alleluia Sing to Jesus (CCLI# 150313)

Dismissal

all stand

AGAPE: Please join us after the service for refreshments and fellowship

### **Flowers on the Altar Today**

The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God by the parish of Holy Nativity.

Assisting in the Leadership of Today's Liturgy

Chalice Bearers

Pat Hopkinson, Andre Visscher

Counters

Don Bradshaw, Bill Jones

Lay Reader

Wayne Power

Music

Jannice Moore

Scripture Reader

Pat Hopkinson

Sidespersons

Bob Cruikshank, Emmanuel Okpaoli

The Peace

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### **The Sacred Meal is Shared**

Prayer over the Gifts

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Communion

Prayer over Communion

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The Blessing

Dismissal

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10:00 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST

Presider: The Rev. Jim Popham  
Lay Reader: Wayne Power  
The Book of Alternave Ser vi æs/Commo n P r a i s e

### The Community Gather Before God

Words of Welcome & Announcements  
Opening Hymn: # 317 Praise the Lord, Sing Hallelujah (CCLI# 150313) all standing  
Dominical Greeng p. 230/all standing  
The Collect for Purity p. 230/all standing  
The Summary of the Law p. 231/all standing  
The Prayer of the Community said by all/standing

Sr up, O lord, the wlls of your faithful peopl e that richly bearing the frut of good works, we may by you be richly rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

### The Story of Faith is Proclaimed

First Reading: Exodus 12:1-14 all seated  
Psalm 149 said by all/seated

Sing to the Lord a new song; sing his praise in the congregaon of the faithful. Let Israel rejoice in his maker; le the children of Zion be joyful in their king. Let them praise his name in the dance; let them sing praise to him with mb r el and harp. For the Lord takes pleasure in his people and adorns the poor with victory. Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; let them be joyful on their beds. Let the praises of God be in their throat and a two-edged sword in their hand; to wreak vengeance on the naons and puni shme nt on the peopl es; to bind thei r ki ngs in chai rs and thei r nobles with links of iron; to inflict on them the judgement decreed; this is glory for all his faithful people.

Second Reading: Romans 13:8-14 all seated  
Gradual Hymn: # 312 Sing a New Song Unto The Lord (CCLI# 150313) all stand

Presider: The Lord be with you.  
People: And also with you.  
Presider: Hear the good news of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mahew  
People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Holy Gospel: Mahew B: 15 -20

Presider: The Gospel of Christ  
People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon all seated  
(Time for silent reflecon)  
Prayers of the People stand or kneel

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: In our Anglican cycle of Prayer we pray for Seoul, Korea and the Rt. Rev. Paul Keun-Sang Kim.

Companion Diocese of the Windward Islands: In our companion diocese of the Windward Islands, we pray for Grace Church, Riviere Doree, St. Paul and Christ-the-King and their priest, the Rev. Captain Frank Gill.

Diocese: In our diocesan cycle of prayer we remember the parish of Holy Cross Calgary, and their ministers, the Rev. Kyle Norman, the Rev. Larry Nicolay (Voc. Deacon), the Ven. Peter Millen, and the Rev. Brian Woodrow.

Parish: Here at Holy Navi ty w e p r a y for a l l o u r p a r i s h f a m i l i e s and i n d i v i d u a l s and for those desiring individual prayers. Today we especially pray for David, Sara, Derek, and any others on our hearts today.

Confession and Absoluon p. 238/stand or kneel  
Exchange of the Peace p. 240/all stand

### The Sacred Meal is Shared

O r t o r y H y m n : # 4 5 0 Y o u C a l l U s L o r d t o B e ( C C L I # 1 5 0 3 1 3 ) all stand  
Prayer over the Gis said by all /standing

Great and holy God, accept our o ering of labour and love. May we bring you true and spiritual worship and be one with you. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving - Eucharisc P r a y e r A p. 241/stand or kneel  
The Lord's Prayer p.245/stand or kneel  
The Breaking of the Bread p. 246/stand or kneel  
Communion

assist in direcng you to the Commu ni on rai l. If you w o u l d p r e f e r to r e c e i v e a blessing, please come to the Communion rails. Carrying a book, or crossing your arms across the chest will signal your intenon to the Commu ni on m i n i s t e r s. For sanitary reasons, communicants are asked to refrain from dipping the Eucharisc bread into the Cup. Gluten-free communion wafers are available. Let the communion minister know as you prepare to receive communion.