

The Anglican Parish of Mahone Bay



Third Sunday of Easter
April 19, 2026

You are most welcome here!

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9:15 am Christ Church – Holy Eucharist BAS

Opening Hymn – Ye Choirs of New Jerusalem

CP#216

Gathering of the Community

Collect for Purity

Glory to God

Collect of the Day

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Acts 2:14a, 36-41

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Psalms 116:1-3, 10-17

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1 Peter 1:17-23

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Luke 24:13-35

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Sermon

Patti

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution

The Peace

Offertory Hymn –

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Prayer over the Gifts

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Eucharistic Prayer #3

The Sanctus

The Lord's Prayer

The Breaking of the Bread

Prayer after Communion

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Doxology

Blessing

Announcements

Closing Hymn – Alleluia, Sing to Jesus

CP#374

Dismissal

Priest: Our worship has ended, but our service has just begun.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Prayers

For our Community & Surrounding Area:

Calvary Crossroads Church, Pastor Rod Bezanson

Trinity United Church in Mahone Bay, Rev'd Heather Ferrier

St. John's Lutheran Church, Mahone Bay

Mahone Bay United Baptist Church, Rev'd Sherrolyn Riley

The Municipality of Lunenburg

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:

The people and clergy of:

-Ecum Secum, Nova Scotia

St. Barnabas', Ecum Secum

St. Paul's, Ecum Secum West

-Parish of Musquodoboit/ Ship Harbour

St. Thomas, Musquodoboit Harbour

St. James, Head of Jeddore

St. Stephen's, Ship Harbour

St. Matthew's, Owl's Head

St. John's, Oyster Pond

St. James', Upper Lakeville

The Diocese of Nova Scotia & PEI

Regional Dean of the South Shore, Rev'd Dr. Patti Brace

Archdeacon of the South Shore, Rev'd Simon Davies

Dean of the Diocese, The Very Rev'd Paul Smith

Our Metropolitan, The Most Rev'd David Edwards

Our Bishop, The Rt. Rev'd Sandra Fyfe

The National Church

National Indigenous Archbishop, Chris Harper

Primate, The Most Rev'd Shane Parker

The Archbishop of Canterbury

The Most Rev'd Sarah Mullally

Events

Knitters: April 22, 1:00 pm ♦ Barb's Café: April 24, 10-12

♦ Prayer Beads: April 22, 7:00

♦ Patti will not be in her office on **Tuesday** but will be at The Barn on **Friday** from **1:00 – 3:00 pm**.

♦ The office will be open **Monday to Friday** from **9:00 am – 1:00 pm**.

◆ The **South Shore Chorale** will again be performing here at St. James' on **Saturday, May 2, at 2 pm**. The concert is called "A Garden Party." Come and celebrate Canadian artistry, indigenous roots, and global connection on a musical journey through growth, hope, and the inevitable beauty of change. This is a Garden party you won't want to miss! Come for the music, stay for the community, and leave with a heart full of hope. Tickets: online through Ticketpro or at the door. \$20 Students (13-18) \$10 Children: free <https://tproatlantic.ticketpro.ca/en/pages/1686265638>. The second performance will be at Bridgewater United Church on Sunday, May 3, at 2 pm.

◆ As part of the **diocesan strategic planning process**, "Therefore We Have Hope," an input session will be held on **Saturday, May 2, 9-12**, at **Holy Trinity, Bridgewater**. Everyone is invited to participate and the deadline to register is April 26. The registration link is <https://forms.gle/HJZuVwFZwwoxrMPY7>. To register by phone, please call 902-420-0717. For the Youth Focus group the link is. <https://forms.gle/ET1wEoSHyGLYQHKGA>.

Announcements

- ◆ We have a **prayer chain** in the parish. If you would like prayers for yourself or a friend, please contact the office. If you would like to participate in the prayer chain, please also call the office.
- ◆ Please consider **donating bottles and drink cans to the CBL**. This ongoing bottle drive funds CBL programming and charitable donations in the parish and community. Bottles and cans may be dropped off by the barn at any time.

Next Week's Readings

Acts 2:42-47; Psalm 23; 1 Peter 2:19-25; John 10:1-10