



Prayer Chain

Anthea will be away until October 1. Please send all requests during office hours to Pam (634-1474 or stjstone@nb.aibn.com). After hours to Frances Morrisey (693-7054 or f.morrisey@rogers.com).

Anglican & Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Sept. 23: The Anglican Church of Tanzania. Archbishop Fred Hiltz, Anglican Church of Canada. National Indigenous Bishop and the Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, Bishop Mark McDonald. Diocese of Ho, Bishop Matthias Medadues-Badohu. Diocese of Yukon, Atlin: St. Martin, the Rev. Vera Kirkwood, the Rev. Dorothy Odian and Dennis Odian, licensed lay ministers George Holman and Cheri Malo; Bishop Larry Robertson, Sheila & family. Harold Boomer, being ordained deacon today. David, our Bishop, Claude, William and George, retired Bishops, and their families.

Prayers for the Churches in the Uptown Saint John area

St. Nicholas, Tabernacle Baptist, Trinity Church

Prayers for our Political Leaders

Elizabeth our Queen, Prime Minister, Justin Trudeau; Premier, Brian Gallant; MP, Wayne Long; MLA, Ed Doherty; Mayor Don Darling and all those who work with them for the public good. Pray for all offering themselves for election in Monday's provincial election and for godly wisdom and discernment for the voting people of our province.

Prayers for the Sick & Shut-in

Rod Daley, Pat Loring.

Pray for our new Canadian Family

Pray for our Damascus Group and their work with our new family, Lubna Ramadan and her children Bebars, Lama, Anas and Youssef. And for protection and release from imprisonment for Asia Bibi and safety for her family.

Our Envelope Offerings - September 16

	Regular	Missions
Budgeted	\$3,065.00	\$ 827.00
Actual	<u>2,990.00</u>	<u>1,112.00</u>
Shortfall/Surplus	\$ 75.00	\$ 285.00

St. John's (Stone) Church

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23 September 2018

John Paul Westin, Rector

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10:00 am – Morning Prayer - Pentecost 18

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP SET *Come Into the Holy of Holies; Adoration; For Thou O Lord*

PRAYER FOR THE CHILDREN & SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

PENITENTIAL RITE - page 45

JUBILATE - page 49

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

THE FIRST LESSON 2 Peter 1:3-11 - Jeanne Dykeman
- page 1276

PSALM 27:1-9 - page 581

HOLY GOSPEL Luke 13:6-9 - page 1091

SERMON *Fruit of the Spirit: Patience* - Rev. Terence Chandra

SONG AFTER SERMON *O Let the Son of God Enfold You*

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *Hear, O Israel* - page 53

OFFERINGS HYMN The God of Abraham Praise

INTERCESSIONS & THANKSGIVINGS

Reader: You, Lord, are light and salvation.

Response: You are the stronghold of our lives.

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth, and ourselves in your image. Teach us to discern your hand in all your works and to serve you with reverence and thanksgiving; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

THE LORD'S PRAYER - page 54

CLOSING HYMN *I Want to Walk With Jesus Christ*

BLESSING & DISMISSAL

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Healing Prayer To Be Offered Weekly At Stone Services

If you would like prayer for healing of any kind, we invite you to come up to the left side of the communion rail at the conclusion of the final hymn and we will have people there to pray for you.



Damascus Group Silent Auction

The Damascus Group is holding a silent auction with desserts on October 27 at 7:00 pm. The group is looking for new items or lovingly cared for used items. If you are willing to part with anything, please contact Marje Harrison menunnharrison@gmail.com or call Stone Church at 634-1474. All funds raised will assist the Ramadan family. Thank you.

International Anglican-Roman Catholic Accord Moves Forward in Saint John

On Mon., October 1 at 10:30 am at Stone Church there will be an historic signing of an agreed project between the Rt. Rev. Robert Harris, Bishop of Saint John and the Rt. Rev. David Edwards, Bishop of Fredericton to move forward together in mission. This is a direct response to the expressed desires of Pope Francis and Archbishop Justin Welby to have joint ventures in mission, addressing great needs in areas where Anglican and Roman Catholic dioceses overlap across the world. A joint committee was formed last year and has been meeting to present a proposal in Mission which will be adopted at the signing. Church members and other interested persons are invited to be present for the signing.

IARCCUM Project Saint John: Dads & Tots Play Group

The International Anglican Roman Catholic Commission United in Mission (IARCCUM SJ) are beginning their first six week joint project. They will be offering a supported time and space for fathers to gather and play with their 3-5 year old child. It is free, involves a healthy snack, and will run for 6 weeks every Saturday beginning October 13 from 10:00-11:30 am at Stone Church. Please spread the word to fathers who might benefit from this special time with their children. For more information or to register call 653-6820 or email dadsandtots@gmail.com.

Steve Bell Returning to Stone Church

We are delighted to announce that Steve Bell will be returning to St. John's (Stone) Church for the third time. He will be playing in concert on Wed., October 10 at 7:00 pm. Keep posted for more details but don't wait to spread the word!

