

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Today	11:15 am 11:30 am	Finger Food Light Lunch AGM Comes to Order
Feb. 2	10:30 am	Deanery Clericus at St. Mary's
Feb. 3, 10, 17	10:00 am 10:45 am	Wednesday Holy Communions Friendship Coffee Time
Feb. 4, 11, 18, 25	7:00 pm	Choir Practices
Feb. 5	9:00 am	Set up for Thrift Sale
Feb. 6	9:30 – Noon	Thrift Sale
Feb. 9	6:00 pm	Parish Council Dinner & Meeting
Feb. 14	10:00 am	Guest Speaker: John Moran, Stewardship of our Faith
Feb. 16	5:00 – 6:30 pm	Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper
Feb. 23	2:00 pm	Holy Communion at Legion Manor
Feb. 24	10:00 am 10:45 am 11:00 am	Wednesday Holy Communion Friendship Coffee Time Followed by Lenten Study Series & lunch
Feb. 27	10:00 am – 12:30 pm	Lenten Quiet Time – facilitated by Janet Billingham
Mar. 3, 10, 17, 24	10:00 am 10:45 am 11:00 am	Wednesday Holy Communion Friendship Coffee Time Followed by Lenten Study Series & lunch
Mar. 4, 11, 18, 25	7:00 pm	Choir Practices
Mar. 26	10:00 am	Guild Mtg. – Shoebox Assembly
Mar. 28	8:00 & 10:00am	Palm Sunday Services
	2:30 pm	Victoria Children's Choir Concert
Mar. 30	2:00 pm	Legion Manor Easter Service
Apr. 1	5:30 pm 7:00 pm	Maundy Thurs. Pot Luck Supper Service & Stripping of the Altar
Apr. 2	10:00 am	Good Friday Stations of the Cross & Meditations at St. Mary's
Apr. 4	8:00 & 10:00am	Easter Sunday Services

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday – 8:30am – 12:30pm

ST. MARY'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

A Church for the Saanichton Community



The Great Commission
(Matthew 28:16-20)

WELCOME

Epiphany 4 – January 31, 2010

St. Mary's Mission Statement

To Love God and make the love of God known

Sunday Services:

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (BCP)
9:45 a.m. Sunday School (*September - Mid-June*)
10:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist

Wednesday Services:

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

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**EPIPHANY 4 – JANUARY 31, 2010
A DAY OF PRAYER FOR THIS DIOCESE**

A WARM WELCOME to all who worship with us this morning. We invite you to gather with us after the 10:00 a.m. Service in the hall for a luncheon and the Annual General Meeting. We pray that God will bless you and your family today.

8:00 a.m. - HOLY EUCHARIST (BCP)

The Service begins - page 67
The Collect for Epiphany 4 is written below
The Epistle 1 Corinthians 13:1-13
The Gospel St. Matthew 28:16-20
Blessing & Dismissal

10:00 a.m. – CHORAL HOLY EUCHARIST (BCP)

Processional Hymn *Fairest Lord Jesus* - 619

Welcome and Announcements
The Order of Service begins - page 67
Collect: Living God, in Christ you make all things new. Transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Day of Prayer Collect for the Diocese: Faithful and gracious God, you create us for yourself, you redeem us for yourself; you call us to your service; mercifully grant that as we respond to your call in this, our generation, we may do so rejoicing in your ever-creative and nurturing power, in the salvation offered in Jesus, your Son, and in the gifts and fruits of the Holy Spirit.

We pray that that same Spirit may be among us, upholding, guiding, and filling us with spiritual gifts so that your name may be proclaimed and glorified in these Islands. That your Church may be pruned and strengthened for service. That we might receive and show forth the fruit of the Spirit in our lives for extension of your reign of justice and peace; and for the building up and strengthening of your Church in this place and beyond. All this we ask in Jesus' name. **Amen**

Old Testament Jeremiah 1:4-10
Psalms 71:1-6 - page 416
Epistle 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

INTERCESSIONS

Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

For the Bishop and people of Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand & Polynesia Aotearoa. Pray for the Most Rev. Fred Hiltz, Primate & The Most Rev. John Privett, Metropolitan.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:

Pray for James, our Bishop; the Parish of St. Philip, Oak Bay and the Ven. Christopher Page; and for the parishes and people affected by the recommendations of the Diocesan Transformation Team Report; our Canadian Forces serving around the world, especially Chaplain Nigel Tully, recently deployed to Afghanistan; and the Companion Diocese of Yangon and Archbishop Stephen Than Myint Oo & Bishop John Samuel Htang Oak.

Our Parish Clergy:

Pam, our Rector; and our Honorary Assistants, Lorry, John & Bill.

Our Parish Ministries:

Pray for our Flower Guild as they look forward to a well-deserved break during Lent.

For those ill or in need of prayer:

Bill, Andrea and parents Len and Lynn

For friends beyond the parish who are ill or in need of prayer:

Olive, Lucinda, Paul, Janet, Ray, Grace

For those with long-term need:

Cynthia, May, David, Wilf, Iris

For those who are traveling:

Shirley & Carl



READINGS FOR FEBRUARY 7, 2010

Epiphany 5 (Green)

Isaiah 6:1-8; Psalm 138;
1 Corinthians 15:1-11; St. Luke 5:1-11

ST. MARY'S THRIFT SALE

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6th, 9:30 a.m. - Noon

St. Mary's Guild is in serious need of assistance from the congregation. If you are able, please set aside Friday, (February 5) from 9:30 – Noon for set up and for the sale on Saturday. You may drop off items in the Narthex on Thursday, February 5, from 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. while the office is open or at 9:30 a.m. Friday morning. If you need items picked up, please call Marjorie at 656-6177.

HOLY TRINITY will be hosting a presentation Tuesday, February 9th at 2:30, by Dr. Ambrose Marsh regarding his work in Africa. He and his wife, with their two children, spent six months there working with people of all ages suffering from Aids and other health issues. It will be a visual presentation showing the need for financial support to keep the program running. Admission is by donation and tea will follow. There is a sign-up sheet on the Narthex table.

DON'T FORGET THE PANCAKE SUPPER



SHROVE TUESDAY FEBRUARY 16

SERVING FROM:

5:00p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Please sign up on the sheet in the narthex

Volunteers Needed:

Set Up at 3:00 p.m.

Cooks required at 3:00 p.m.

Cleaners, following dinner



ASH WEDNESDAY IMPOSITION OF ASHES WITH HOLY COMMUNION: February 17 at 10:00 a.m. followed by Friendship Coffee at 10:45 a.m.

LENTEN STUDY SERIES – THE HEART OF PASSION



Each Session begins with Holy Eucharist at 10:00 a.m. and Friendship Coffee.

Feb. 24	Indescribable
March 3	How Great is our God
March 10	The Anchor of Hope–Hope when life hurts most
March 17	The Megaphone of Hope–Hope when life hurts most
March 24	Fruit cake and Ice Cream

A light soup lunch will be served after each session. Volunteers to make soup are needed. Please speak to Pam or Sue.

YOU ARE INVITED TO A LENTEN QUIET DAY



FOR EVERYTHING THERE IS A SEASON

Facilitator: Janet Billinghamurst

Saturday, February 27th

10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

To Register: Sign up in the Narthex