

# ST. MARY'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

## *St. Mary's Mission Statement*

*To Love God and make the love of God known*

### Sunday Services:

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (BCP)

10:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist & Children's Ministry

### Wednesday Services:

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Apr. 5 & 6		Rev. Pam off for Stat. holidays
Apr. 7, 14, 21, 28	10:00 am 10:45 am	Wednesday Holy Communion Friendship Coffee Time
Apr. 8, 15, 22, 29	7:15 pm	Choir Practices
Apr 18	7:00 pm	Home Group - TBA
Apr. 25	10:00 am 11:30 am	Rev. Pam's last Sunday Service Pot luck luncheon & retirement party
Apr 28 (Wed.)	10:00 am	Rev. Pam's Last Service
Apr 30	10:00 am	Guild Meeting

**TO NOTE:** May 15      The Spring Fling

### OFFICE HOURS

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

**THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD  
EASTER SUNDAY – APRIL 4, 2009  
ST. MARY’S ANGLICAN CHURCH**

**A WARM WELCOME** to all who worship with us this Easter morning. We pray that God will bless you and your family today. Come and join us in a time of fellowship after both Services. Refreshments are served in the Parish Hall.

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

CHRIST our passover is sacrificed for us: therefore let us keep the feast; Not with the old leaven, nor with the leaven of malice and wickedness; / but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth. *1 Corinthians 5. 7.*

Christ being raised from the dead dieth no more; / death hath no more dominion over him. For in that he died, he died unto sin once: but in that he liveth, he liveth unto God. Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead indeed unto sin, / but alive unto God, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*Romans 6. 9.*

Christ is risen from the dead, / and become the first-fruits of them that slept. For since by man came death, / by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, / even so in Christ shall all be made alive.

*1 Corinthians 15. 20.*

GLORY be to the Father, and to the Son, / and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, / world without end. **Amen.**

The Service begins – page 67

The Collect for Easter Day: Lord of life and power, through the mighty resurrection of your Son, you have overcome the old order of sin and death and have made all things new in him. May we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, reign with him in glory, who with you and the Holy Spirit is alive, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Epistle Acts 10:34-43

The Gospel Luke 24:1-12

Blessing & Dismissal

*Please join us for coffee in the Parish Hall as we bid farewell to our friend,  
Joan Scovell.*

**CHRIST  
IS RISEN!** 



**Anglican Cycle of Prayer:**

REJOICE and be glad now, Mother church, and let your holy courts, in radiant light, resound with the praises of your people. (BCP p. 286) So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. (*Colossians 3:1*) Give thanks this day for the witness of Christians around the world.

Pray for the Most Rev. Fred Hiltz, Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada; and Metropolitan, The Most Rev. John Privett.

**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:**

Pray for James, our Bishop; the people of the Parish of Christ Church, Alert Bay and St. Olaf, Quatsino and the Rev. Lincoln Mckoen; our Canadian Forces serving around the world, especially Chaplain Nigel Tully; and the Companion Diocese of Mitkyina and Bishop David Than Lwin.

**Our Parish Clergy:**

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

**Our Parish Ministries:**

Pray for our Home Group Coordinator, John Smith.

**For those ill or in need of prayer:**

Bill, Andrea and her parents Len and Lynn, Paul, Rev. Bill, Betty, Molly, Bob, Erica, Linda

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

Olive, Lucinda, Paul, Janet, Ray, Stephen, Lyn, Kerry, Robert, Sister Doreen

**For those with long-term need:**

Cynthia, May, David, Wilf & Shirley

**For those who are traveling:**

David & Maureen

**READINGS FOR APRIL 11, 2009**

**Easter 2 (White)**

Acts 5:27-32; Psalm 150;

Revelation 1:4-8; John 20:19-31

*PLEASE NOTE: Coffee hosts are needed for the remainder of April.*

**THANKS TO ALL WHO ARE ASSISTING THIS MORNING**

	<b>at 8:00am</b>	<b>at 10:00am</b>
<b>Greeters:</b>		Susan Rumball
<b>Sidespeople:</b>	Carl Schwazer	Irene Feir & Ralph Caldwell
<b>Old Testament:</b>		Linda Richardson
<b>Epistle:</b>		Janet Billinghamurst
<b>Lay Reader:</b>		Janet Billinghamurst
<b>Chalice:</b>	Carol Watkins	Janet Billinghamurst & John Orman
<b>Coffee Hosts:</b>	Carol Watkins <i>Farewell to Joan Scovell</i>	Rick and Terry Parent
<b>Altar Guild:</b>	Shirley Schwazer & Grace Frampton	
<b>Flower Guild:</b>	Heather Geddes, Barb Hale, Rita Lott, Sue Rumball, Nancy Choat, Jean Perry, Sue Smith	

**THANKS TO ALL WHO ARE ASSISTING APRIL 11<sup>h</sup>**

	<b>at 8:00am</b>	<b>at 10:00am</b>
<b>Greeters:</b>		Len & Lynn Fallan
<b>Sidespeople:</b>	Neville Winters	Audrey Quackenbush & Jenny Jenner
<b>Old Testament:</b>		Leslie Pedlow
<b>Epistle:</b>		Ken Pedlow
<b>Lay Reader:</b>		Ken Pedlow
<b>Chalice:</b>		Ken Pedlow &
<b>Coffee Hosts:</b>	No Coffee today	<i>Volunteers Needed</i>
<b>Altar Guild:</b>	Carol Hanson & Terry Parent	
<b>Flower Guild:</b>	Susan Rumball	

**MONTHLY OUTREACH ENVELOPES**

*At the beginning of each month, within each set of offering envelopes, you will find a special envelope to allow designated giving for various outreach programs. The list of outreach projects is approved at the Annual General Meeting and this year we will endeavour to keep the parishioners up-to-date on the status of each month's designated giving.*

**APRIL OUTREACH ENVELOPE**

Goes to the General Outreach Fund for special requests

***March Outreach – Companion Diocese of Myanmar***  
***Received to date:     \$291.00***

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

Priest:	Alleluia. The Lord is risen indeed!	
<b>All:</b>	<b>Thanks be to God who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Alleluia!</b>	
Priest:	Let us go forth in peace, Alleluia.	
<b>All:</b>	<b>In the name of Christ. Amen. Alleluia!</b>	
<b>Processional Hymn</b>	<i>Jesus Christ is Risen Today</i>	<b>- 203</b>
Welcome & Announcements		
Easter Anthems		- page 182
The Order of Service begins with the Collect for Purity		- page 67
Summary of the Law		- page 68
Lord Have Mercy		- page 70
<b>Collect:</b>	Lord of life and power, through the mighty resurrection of your Son, you have overcome the old order of sin and death and have made all things new in him. May we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, reign with him in glory, who with you and the Holy Spirit is alive, one God, now and for ever. <b>Amen.</b>	
Old Testament	Isaiah 65:17-25	
<b>Psalm</b>	118:1-2, 14-24	<b>- page 483</b>
Epistle	Acts 10:34-43	
<b>Gospel Procession Hymn</b>	<i>Alleluia (Taizé)</i>	<b>- 714</b>
Gospel	Luke 24:1-12	
<b>Gospel Recession Hymn</b>	<i>Alleluia (Taizé)</i>	<b>- 714</b>
The Sermon – The Rev. Pam Orman		
Choir Anthem	<i>We Have Seen the Risen Lord</i>	(S. Pethel)
Nicene Creed		- page 71
<b>Offertory Hymn</b>	<i>Christ is Risen</i>	<b>- 220</b>
Service continues		- page 74
Administration of Holy Communion		
<b>Post Communion Hymn</b>	<i>Alleluia! The Strife is O'er</i>	<b>- 212</b>
Service continues		- page 85
<b>Gloria</b>		- page 86
Blessing ( <i>Those in Sanctuary &amp; the Choir do not process out</i> )		
<b>Closing Hymn</b>	<i>Christ the Lord is Risen Today</i>	<b>- 206</b>
Dismissal: Go forth in the name of the Risen Lord. Alleluia!		
<b>All:</b>	<b>Thanks be to God. Alleluia!</b>	
<i>Please gather in the Sanctuary following the closing hymn for our Easter photograph and join us for coffee in the Parish Hall.</i>		



**EASTER EGG HUNT** – following the 10:00 a.m. Service and Group photograph. For the young and not so young!!

**THE EASTER FLOWERS** are given to the Glory of God and in sure and certain hope of the Resurrection to eternal life through our Lord Jesus Christ by Lorette Hickling in loving memory of her father, Bob; Ron & Marie Heaps in memory of Geraldine and loved ones; and by Pat & Ruth Leach.

**SPECIAL THANKS** to the members of the Flower Guild and the members of the congregation who have decorated our church so beautifully for Easter, and to our Organist and Choir for enhancing our Holy Week and Easter Service with their gift of music.

**THANK YOU, ALSO** to the many people who came out yesterday for the churchyard clean up and to those who have tidied the various garden beds. Your efforts to tidy up the grounds for Spring are sincerely appreciated.

***Happy Easter:***

*On this day of Resurrection, my husband, John, joins me in wishing you all the blessings of joy, peace, love and hope this Easter.*

*Pam †*

**“I HAVE COME SO THAT THEY MAY HAVE LIFE AND HAVE IT TO THE FULL.”**

*John 10:10*



**CONGRATULATIONS** – On March 31<sup>st</sup>, Brian Richardson, our Organist and Choir Director, celebrated a ten year anniversary. He has not missed a Sunday of playing Church music in Ten Years! What a wonderful witness and contribution to the life of the Church. Thank you, Brian.

**JOIN US AS WE HONOUR & CELEBRATE THE MINISTRY OF THE REV. PAM ORMAN ON SUNDAY, APRIL 25th**, following the 10:00 a.m. service (approximately 11:30 a.m.), St. Mary’s will host a pot luck luncheon to recognize Pam’s service in our parish and our Diocese, and her retirement. Please join us as we celebrate Pam’s time with us and wish her well. To make this a memorable occasion for Pam, we are looking for offers of “entertainment”. Please speak to one of the Wardens if you have a proposal. An envelope was included with the last issue of the Messenger that you may use if you would like to contribute towards a gift for Pam. For those who receive the Messenger electronically, envelopes are available in the Narthex or from one of the Sidespeople. Cheques should be made payable to St. Mary’s with a notation in the Memo line – “Rector’s Gift”. You may hand the envelope in to the office or put it on the collection plate any time up to April 18th. If you have any questions, please speak to one of the Wardens.

**ST. MARY’S SPRING FLING**

**May 15<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 a.m.–12:00 Noon**

Just a few weeks to get ready for SPRING FLING! It’s a great time as you spring clean to pass on those items no longer needed which someone else will really appreciate! As you garden, see if there are things that need dividing and pot them up for the GARDEN sale section or maybe you have started seeds and there are too many popping up for just your use. The other very popular parts of this event are the BAKE section and the BOOK section! The JEWELLERY section would love contributions – even single earrings seem to disappear! So, you see, there are many areas where you can help make this a very successful parish event.