<u>Collect for the Day:</u> (In Unison): Almighty God, on the holy mount you revealed to chosen witnesses your well-beloved Son, wonderfully transfigured: mercifully delivered us from the darkness of this world, and change us into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

<u>Prayer over the Gifts:</u> (In Unison): Holy God, receive all we offer you this day, and bring us to that radiant glory which we see in the transfigured face of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

<u>Prayer after Communion:</u> (In Unison): Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ. May we who are partakers of his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. We ask this in his name. Amen.

**Parish Cycle of Prayer:** We pray for our parish families. (Each week we remember several of our families in our Prayers of the People): Blair & Tracy Sharpe, Olive Sharpe, Howard Sheppard, Margaret Sheppard-Boone, Wayne & Tracy Simmons, Keith Skanes and their families.

<u>Anglican Cycle of Prayer:</u> The Anglican Church of Canada, The Most Revd Frederick Hiltz, Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada.

<u>Tri-Diocesan Cycle of Prayer</u>: We pray for the Parish of Bonavista (2 congregations) Rev. Shaun O'Connor, Rector and the Parish of Bonne Bay North (3 congregations) Rev. Kay Short, Priest-in-Charge.

**<u>Provincial Prayer Care:</u>** We pray for the Primate and the Council of General Synod, Archbishop Fred. Hiltz.

### ANGLICAN CHURCH OF CANADA.

Primate: The Most Rev. Fredrick Hiltz Metropolitan: Archbishop Ron Cutler Diocese of Eastern Newfoundland and Labrador Bishop: The Right Reverend Dr. Geoffrey Peddle

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## A WARM WELCOME IS EXTENDED TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS WHO ARE WITH US TODAY. WE HOPE THAT GOD WILL BLESS US AS WE WORSHIP HIM HERE TOGETHER AT ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH.

From the Rector's desk: We are now just three days from the start of Lent, and, a journey that we are embarking upon that will take us through Jesus' wilderness experience, his temptations at his weakest moments, the last supper with the disciples, his arrest, trial, crucifixion, and resurrection on Easter morning. There's a lot to do before the great celebration of Easter. You and I are in the unique situation of knowing how the story ended, but, for the family of Jesus, his disciples and followers, they were caught up in something that they were not sure how it would end. Just imagine when he hung upon the cross and breathed his last, it must have been hard for those around the cross, or watching from a distance, to find much cause for hope. The journey we re-enact through Lent and Holy Week was a lonely and difficult one for Jesus, in his humanity there was a sense of abandonment by those close to him and even by God his Father. Yet, at the same time there was a deep sense of trust that his Father was the divine author of a great plan to save humanity, and to restore hope to a world of despair. It was pure and unimaginable love that sustained Jesus in those darkest moments of his life and death. Because we are in the position of knowing how the story ended, we can be ever so thankful for his sacrifice, and feel the depth of God's great love for us. In the gospel we read today is that

beautiful story of a desperate leper falling down and begging Jesus to heal him, what a brave fellow, because in those days lepers were forbidden to approach anyone in society, they were outcasts in every sense of the word. Jesus did not recoil or find the man repulsive, he simply reached out and touched the man and healed him. This was Jesus' reaction to those who came to him. Now the man healed did not obey Jesus by keeping quiet about it, but went and told everyone, which made it difficult for Jesus to enter towns without being overwhelmed by people in need. I think the reaction of the man was a natural one, its hard to keep quiet about such a life changing miracle. During this Lent, think about the times in your life where something marvelous happened that turned your despair into hope, that turned your sickness into wholeness of health, and, be like that leper, go and spread the news. In this case I think Jesus would be pleased for us to tell it. We have such a marvelous story to tell the world, but, before we can tell it to others we must acknowledge it in our own lives, and be grateful to God for his goodness. May this Lent be a time for reflection and renewal, and a time to boldly declare God's love in our lives.

Rev. Randy

#### If you play a musical instrument or like to

**sing** don't forget to sign your name on the bulletin board. We are interested in finding out who would like to be part of a church band.

<u>Rental Rates</u> - The Vestry has approved the following rates for renting of the Parish Centre effective January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017: Baby Showers, Children's Birthday Parties, etc. -\$75.00

Adult Dinner/Dance, Birthday Parties with dance, etc. - \$150.00

If you would like to book the church hall for birthday parties, adult functions, dances, etc., please book through Janice or Donna Spurrell at 895-3581 or cells 725-1057 or 725-0163

## **Response after the Scripture Reading:**

### <u>Reader:</u>

For the Word of God in Scripture; For the Word of God among us; For the Word of God within us; **Response: We give you thanks, O God.** 

### **Dismissal Song:**

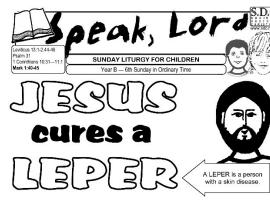
Go now in peace; never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every day.

Go now in faith, steadfast strong and true. Know he will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see.

God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith and in love.

## **Children's Corner**





The man was so FLAPPY that he went away, telling what happened to



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CLOTHES

LOVE

DOWN

in the sky

top to bottom

CLOUD

2. A white or gray mass of very

3. Having a great distance from

4. The color of snow or milk

5. To have a strong feeling of

7. Jewish leader who received the

affection for someone

Ten Commandments

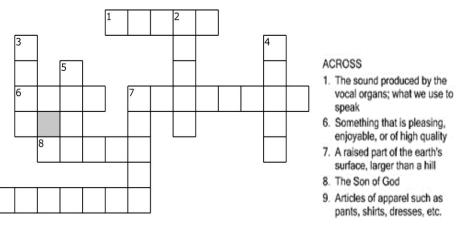
small drops of water that floats

# Crossword

JESUS

MOSES

before them. Mark 9:2



| CLOTHES | MOUNTAIN | WHITE | LOVE | VOICE |
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| MOSES   | CLOUD    | JESUS | HIGH | GOOD  |

**Prayer Group:** Would you like to join our Prayer Group? Each week someone from the group takes responsibility for leading the prayers on Sunday morning, which reflect what is happening in our world, nation, community and church. It is wonderful to have the lay people of the parish doing this part of our worship, because it truly becomes The Prayers Of The People. Rev. Russell gives leadership to the group, and, anyone interested will be welcomed and assisted in how to prepare the weekly prayers.

### 2017 official tax receipts are now available for pick-up. You will find them on the table in the foyer.

### **Church Chuckle**

Where is the first mention of insurance in the Bible? When Adam and Eve needed more

coverage



## **Stewardship thought For the Week**

Real charity doesn't care if it's tax deductible or Inot.

## **Stewardship Statement**

Our budget for weekly regular giving this year is set at \$95,000.00. Please see chart below. This is good...but just a little shy of our goal. Your continued support is needed.

## Prayerfully consider your Parish in your estate Planning

Maintenance Fund We continue to ask our parishioners to give monthly through the Maintenance Fund to help us lower our debt on the heating system. We have borrowed the amount of \$50,000.00 from the Bank of Montreal. This loan is out for seven years effective Dec. 31<sup>st,</sup> 2016, we are paying **\$653.93** per month.

| Yearly Budget for Envelope giving<br>for 2017 - \$95,000.00 |                |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Needed Monthly  | - \$7,916.67   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Needed Weekly   | - \$1,979.16   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rec'd .Feb. 4 <sup>th</sup> .                               |                |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Regular Giving  | \$ 1,185.00    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shortfall   | 794. <i>00</i> |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maintenance   | \$ 540.00      |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rec'd Year to Date  |                |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Regular Giving  | \$ 6,340.00    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maintenance   | \$ 1,495.00    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total brought in for  |                |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sunday, Feb. 4 <sup>th</sup> .                              | \$ 4,135.90    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

On the Mountain Top After six days Jesus took Peter, James and John with him and led them up a high mountain, where they were all alone. There he was transfigured Each number represents a letter of the alphabet. Substitute the correct letter for the numbers to reveal the coded words.

The Scriptural Sentence for our worship today as appointed in our BAS Lectionary Page 418

This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to Him.

Last Sunday after Epiphany – Feb. 11<sup>th</sup>. 8:30 am – Holy Communion (BCP) Eucharistic Assistant – Todd Martin

10:30 am – Holy Eucharist (BAS) & Sunday School Eucharistic Assistants – George Sharpe & Debbie Collis Counters: Lori Mercer & Linda Thomas Sidesperson: John Parrell

<u>Ash Wednesday – Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>.</u> 7:00 pm Eucharistic Assistant – Harv Hiscock

<u>Fifth Sunday after Epiphany – Feb.18<sup>th</sup>.</u> 8:30 am – Holy Communion (BCP) Eucharistic Assistant – Marianne Baker

10:30 am – Holy Eucharist (BAS), & Sunday School Eucharistic Assistants – Carol Bartlett & Lori Gosse Counters: Lori Mercer & Linda Thomas Sidesperson: Canon Don Morgan <u>The Collect, Epistle and Gospel for</u> <u>Today – Feb11<sup>th</sup>.</u> <u>Scripture Readings</u> 1<sup>st</sup> Reading – 2<sup>nd</sup>. Kings 2: 1-12 Psalm 50: 1-6 Page 768 (Todd Martin)

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading – 2<sup>nd</sup>. Corinth. 4: 3-6 (Kathy Parsons)

> Gospel: Mark 9: 2-9 (Deacon Bonnell)

The Bulletin today is given to the Glory of God And in Loving Memory of Errol Sharpe 1933-2005 Husband, Father & Grandfather Always remembered and forever loved BY Shirley & Family

Mother, Maud Squires Feb. 8, 1903 – March 30, 1987 Father, Ambrose Squires Feb. 7, 1888 – May 12, 1965 Ever remembered and loved BY Nina Martin-Sheppard

### **NOTICES**

### Pancake Supper – Feb, 13<sup>th</sup>

Doors open at 5:45 – Supper at 6:00pm Pancakes, Moose and/or Beef Sausages Cost \$8.00. Children six and under free. Sign up sheet in Foyer.

Queen's College Sunday will be held throughout the three dioceses on Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>. Special envelopes will be available for Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> to be placed in the offering plate on the 18<sup>th</sup>. Our Queen's student, Robynn Toal, will deliver the sermon on that morning.

Lavrock Renovations: Some minor renovations are needed at Laverock. If anyone would like to help financially with these renovations, please contact Rev. Randy at 895-0715.

Annual meeting of the congregation will be held on Sunday, February 25<sup>th</sup>. Annual reports should be submitted to the rector by Sunday February 18<sup>th</sup>, so that they can be made available to the congregation prior to the meeting. **Confirmaton:** The date for the next visit by our bishop for Confirmation will be on Sunday, *December 16<sup>th</sup>* at 10:30 am. Rev. Randy is working out the timeframe for preparation, but for now we are still accepting names. Once we know the exact number registered there will be a meeting for confirmands and their parents to get started. There will be some expectations of those preparing, such as attendance and participation in Sunday worship and classes.