

**Regular Events:**

Digby: Rector's Office Hours: Wednesdays from 9am-noon  
 Weymouth: Fridays from 11am-3pm with morning prayer @ 11am  
 Rector's Day off: Monday  
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<b>Food Bank</b>	See the list at back of church
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**COUNCIL MEETINGS**

<b>Tues., 6:30pm September 13</b>	<b>Trinity Council @</b> Trinity Hall
<b>Tues., 7pm September 20</b>	<b>Parish Council @</b> Trinity Hall

**TEA DAYS IN WEYMOUTH:** See the list at the back of the church to find the sponsors of the weekly tea. The Tea on Thursday, August 18 is hosted by Weymouth Garden Society.

**TODAY:** Storyteller/Dramatist Hannah Shively presents “The Hat.” Also featuring “The Illustrated Word Christian Art Ministry” by Jack Shively. Sunday, August 14, Digby Baptist Church @ 7pm.

**Thurs., August 25** – Shredding Truck (in the afternoon)  
 Bring your shredding! *Free-will offering*  
*For your convenience, you may bring your shredding to the office.*

There is a **sign-up sheet** at the back of the church for the August 28 pot-luck.

**The Leaflet**

**Anglican Parish of Digby/Weymouth**  
 Church of the Nativity—Sandy Cove  
 St. Peter and St. Thomas—Weymouth North  
 St. Matthew—Weymouth Falls  
 Trinity—Digby

**Sunday 14-August-2016**

**Anglican Cycle of Prayer: PRAY for** The Anglican Church of Southern Africa  
**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: PRAY for** St. James’, Kentville, NS, Brooklyn, NS

<b>August 14 – Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost</b>	
Is 5:1-7; Ps 80:1-2, 8-18; Heb 11:29-12:2; Lk 12:49-56	
9:30am	St. Peter & St. Thomas, Weymouth N – BAS Holy Eucharist
11:15am	Trinity, Digby – BAS Holy Eucharist – <b>spoken service</b>
<b>August 21 – Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost</b>	
Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6; Heb 12:18-29; Lk 13:10-17	
9:30am	St. Peter & St. Thomas, Weymouth N – BAS Holy Eucharist
11:15am	Trinity, Digby – BAS Holy Eucharist and Holy Baptism
<b>August 28 – Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost</b>	
Jer 2:4-13; Ps 81:1, 10-16; Heb 13:1-8, 15-16; Lk 14:1, 7-14	
11:15am	<b>PARISH SERVICE &amp; POTLUCK @</b> Trinity

**Please pray for:** All those in sorrow, trouble, need, sickness or any other adversity. All those our parish who are housebound or in care facilities: Judy, Morris & Paul. Please pray for those who are sick, including Hugh, Ken, Andrea, Laurie, Lorna and Terry. And all those who need our prayers.

**First Reading: Is 5:1-7**

Let me sing for my beloved my love-song concerning his vineyard: My beloved had a vineyard on a very fertile hill. He dug it and cleared it of stones, and planted it with choice vines; he built a watchtower in the midst of it, and hewed out a wine vat in it; he expected it to yield grapes, but it yielded wild grapes. And now, inhabitants of Jerusalem and people of Judah, judge between me and my vineyard. What more was there to do for my vineyard that I have not done in it? When I expected it to yield grapes, why did it yield wild grapes? And now I will tell you what I will do to my vineyard. I will remove its hedge, and it shall be devoured; I will break down its wall, and it shall be trampled down. I will make it a waste; it shall not be pruned or hoed, and it shall be overgrown with briars and thorns; I will also command the clouds that they rain no rain upon it. For the vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of Israel, and the people of Judah are his pleasant planting; he expected justice, but saw bloodshed; righteousness, but heard a cry!

**Second Reading: Heb 11:29-12:2**

By faith the people passed through the Red Sea as if it were dry land, but when the Egyptians attempted to do so they were drowned. By faith the walls of Jericho fell after they had been encircled for seven days. By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had received the spies in peace. And what more should I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets— who through faith conquered kingdoms, administered justice, obtained promises, shut the mouths of lions, quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. Women received their dead by resurrection. Others were tortured, refusing to accept release, in order to obtain a better resurrection. Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned to death, they were sawn in two, they were killed by the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, persecuted, tormented — of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, and in caves and holes in the ground. Yet all these, though they were commended for their faith, did not receive what was promised, since God had provided something better so that they would not, apart from us, be made perfect.

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

**Psalm 80:1-2, 8-18**

*1* Hear, O Shepherd of Israel, leading Joseph like a flock; \*  
shine forth, you that are enthroned upon the cherubim.

**2 In the presence of Ephraim, Benjamin, and Manasseh, \*  
stir up your strength and come to help us.**

*8* You have brought a vine out of Egypt; \*  
you cast out the nations and planted it.

**9 You prepared the ground for it; \*  
it took root and filled the land.**

*10* The mountains were covered by its shadow \*  
and the towering cedar trees by its boughs.

**11 You stretched out its tendrils to the Sea \*  
and its branches to the River.**

*12* Why have you broken down its wall, \*  
so that all who pass by pluck off its grapes?

**13 The wild boar of the forest has ravaged it, \*  
and the beasts of the field have grazed upon it.**

*14* Turn now, O God of hosts, look down from heaven; \*  
behold and tend this vine; \*

preserve what your right hand has planted.

**15 They burn it with fire like rubbish; \*  
at the rebuke of your countenance let them perish.**

*16* Let your hand be upon the man of your right hand, \*  
the son of man you have made so strong for yourself.

**17 And so will we never turn away from you; \*  
give us life, that we may call upon your name.**

*18* Restore us, O Lord God of hosts; \*  
show the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.

**Psalm Prayer (said together)**

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ, our good shepherd; you have led us to the kingdom of your Father's love. Forgive our careless indifference to your loving care for all your creatures, and remake us in the likeness of your new and risen life. We ask this in your name.