

Regular Events:**Rector Hours:** Rev. Nita will be in the Parish on Wednesday**Digby Office Hours:** Wed. and Fridays from 9am-noon**Contact Us:** Tel: 902-245-6744 / **Email:** ang-pdw@ns.aliantzinc.ca**Web:** anglicanpdw.ca / **Facebook:** Anglican Parish of Digby-Weymouth

Bulletin Board	Please remember to check the back of the church for information on all that is happening in our area
Food Bank	See list at back of church

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Tues., 7pm October 25	Parish Council @ Trinity Hall
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Tues., 7pm November 22	ACW @ Trinity Hall The Bible phrase for November is “Help”
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ACW-SEAFARERS: Evangeline has collected the shoeboxes for the ACW Seafarers project so now we have to fill them. If you want to donate there is a list at the back of the church to choose from and a basket to put your items. Thank you.

Digby Baptist Church Men's Choir Concert on November 13 at 7pm.
Digby Baptist Church, Digby

Trinity Church Painting. Arrangements to resume painting of Trinity Church have begun. At this time we are looking for donations of paint or primer. Monetary donations may also be made directly to Wilson's Home Hardware to the account of Trinity Anglican Church. Please see John Light if you would like to donate a can of paint/primer or if you have any questions.

***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 23-October-2016**Anglican Cycle of Prayer: PRAY for** Iglesia Episcopal de Cuba**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: PRAY for** New Germany, NS and St. Martin's, Western Shore, NS**October 23 – *Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost***

Joel 2:23-32; Ps 65; 2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14

9:30am	St. Peter & St. Thomas, Weymouth N – BAS Holy Eucharist
11:15am	Trinity, Digby – BAS Holy Eucharist

October 30 – *Twenty-Fourth Sunday after Pentecost*

Hab 1:1-4; 2:1-4; Ps 119:137-144; 2 Thess 1:1-4, 11-12; Lk 19:1-10

9:30am	St. Peter & St. Thomas, Weymouth N – BCP Holy Eucharist
11:15am	Trinity, Digby – BCP Holy Eucharist

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, Terry and Troy. And all those who need our prayers.

Parish Bible Study: From the Desk of Rev. Nita - Due to the limited time I can spend at parish duties I will be unable to lead a bible study as has been the tradition of the parish. I have been asked to invite interested persons who may consider leading a study to contact me with their suggestions and possibly a program will be up and running sometime soon.

First Reading: Joel 2:23-32

O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the LORD your God; for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before. The threshing floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil. I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you. You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the LORD your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the LORD, am your God and there is no other. And my people shall never again be put to shame. Then afterward I will pour out my spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions. Even on the male and female slaves, in those days, I will pour out my spirit. I will show portents in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke. The sun shall be turned to darkness, and the moon to blood, before the great and terrible day of the LORD comes. Then everyone who calls on the name of the LORD shall be saved; for in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the LORD has said, and among the survivors shall be those whom the LORD calls.

Second Reading: 2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Psalm 65

1 You are to be praised, O God, in Zion; *
to you shall vows be performed in Jerusalem.

**2 To you that hear prayer shall all flesh come, *
because of their transgressions.**

3 Our sins are stronger than we are, *
but you will blot them out.

**4 Happy are they whom you choose and draw to your courts
to dwell there! * they will be satisfied by the beauty of your
house, by the holiness of your temple.**

5 Awesome things will you show us in your righteousness,
O God of our salvation, * O Hope of all the ends of the earth
and of the seas that are far away.

**6 You make fast the mountains by your power; *
they are girded about with might.**

7 You still the roaring of the seas, *
the roaring of their waves, and the clamour of the peoples.

**8 Those who dwell at the ends of the earth will tremble at your
marvellous signs;**

you make the dawn and the dusk to sing for joy.

9 You visit the earth and water it abundantly;
you make it very plenteous; * the river of God is full of water.

**10 You prepare the grain, *
for so you provide for the earth.**

11 You drench the furrows and smooth out the ridges; *
with heavy rain you soften the ground and bless its increase.

**12 You crown the year with your goodness, *
and your paths overflow with plenty.**

13 May the fields of the wilderness be rich for grazing, *
and the hills be clothed with joy.

**14 May the meadows cover themselves with flocks,
and the valleys cloak themselves with grain; *
let them shout for joy and sing.**

Psalm Prayer (said together)

Lord God, joy marks your presence; beauty, abundance, and peace are the tokens of your work in all creation. Work also in our lives, that by these signs we may see the splendour of your love and praise you through Jesus Christ our Lord.