

3rd Sunday after Epiphany
January 21, 2007

Anglican Church of Canada - Diocese of Eastern Newfoundland &
Labrador

Parish of Bay Roberts - Coley s Point

St. Matthew, Bay Roberts St. John the Evangelist, Coley s Point

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The Lord has anointed me to preach and to baptize, to bring release to the captives. St. Luke 4. 18

Please remember St. Matthew/St. John in your will. Thank you

Welcome. We are most happy to welcome any visitors and newcomers among us. We pray that your experience of worshipping with us today will enrich you spiritually.

Holy Baptism. Today we welcome BENJAMIN JEFFREY EDDY who will receive the sacrament of Holy Baptism at St. John the Evangelist this morning.

ST. MATTHEW DUTY LIST

Reader: Ches Lake

Servers: Courtney Mercer, Douglas Akerman

Elements Bearers:

Sidespersons: Eric & Lillian Crane, Don Dawe

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST DUTY LIST

Readers: Gus & Heather French

Servers: Bradley Reid, Melissa Saunders

Elements Bearers: Roy & Edith Dawe

Sidespersons: Eric Dawe, Fred Snow

Services for January 28 (4th Sunday after Epiphany) (Green)

11:00 a.m. Holy Communion, St. Matthew

7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. John the Evangelist

Confirmation. The date for Confirmation is tentatively scheduled for March 18, 2007. Classes will begin this coming Tuesday, January 23rd at Amalgamated Academy beginning at 3.15 p.m.

St. Matthew's Vestry Meeting has been rescheduled and will take place this coming Tuesday, January 23rd, 7:30 p.m. at the Rectory.

Bible Study Class will meet this Thursday, January 25th at the Rectory beginning at 10.00 a.m. We are currently studying the *Gospel of Mark*. We hope you can join us.

Report for the Challenge. In preparation for the Annual Meetings ALL Church organizations should forward their reports and audited financial statements for the *Challenge* to the Rectory on or before February 9th.

Prayer Intentions for this week:

Anglican Cycle of Prayer. Pray for Madhya Kerala - (South India)
The Rt. Rev d Thomas Samuel.

Tri-Diocesan Intercessions. We pray for Parish of St. Augustine, St. John s , Rector - The Rev d David Pilling, Hon. Assistant - The Rev d Canon James Coffin; Parish of Gambo, Rector - The Rev d Betty Harbin.

Those who are ill. Doris Morgan, Nadine Newhook, Ralph Levitt, John and Gwen Russell, Sandra Stone, George Burford, Launcel Hale, Eric May.

Year s Mind. We pray for the souls of Victor Cave, Marjory D. Bishop. May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

St. John the Evangelist Altar Guild are looking for new members (male or female). You will be required to be on duty approximately twice a year. If you are interested please contact Sandra Roach (786-3025).

St. Matthew's Special Events Committee presents one of Christian Music's most acclaimed vocalists, Grammy Award Winner *David Phelps* on May 15th, 2007. Tickets are now available at a cost of \$39.00 and can be obtained from members of the Committee. For more information about David Phelps please visit his web-site: www.davidphelps.com.

Church Humour. A man fell off a cliff and was hanging precariously from a tree branch. He cried out "God, please help me!" God answered, "Have faith and I will protect you. Let go of the branch." The man, stunned, cried out, "Is there anyone else up there?"

Our Congregational Offerings for:

	<i>St. Matthew</i>	<i>St. John</i>
January 14, 2007	\$1,116.50	\$1,135.50