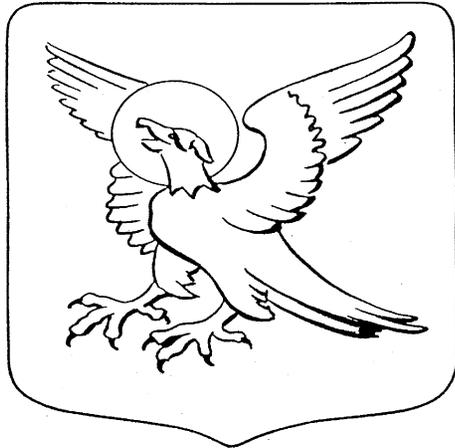


ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST ANGLICAN CHURCH

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THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

January 21, 2018

SUNG EUCHARIST ~ 10am
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Welcome to St. John's.

If you are unable to move to the Altar, arrangements can be made for you to receive Communion in your pew. Please speak with the Sidesperson at the entrance to the Church.

Sunday School is in the Parish Hall today.

SUNG EUCHARIST

Service begins on page 185 of the Book of Alternative Services
Hymns are from the blue Common Praise Hymn Book unless otherwise indicated.

Prelude

Hymn 328

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

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Gloria *Tune: Darwall*

**Glory to God on high, and peace to all on earth.
We worship you, we give you thanks, our heavenly King.
We give you praise,
almighty God and Father blessed in glory bright.**

**Our Saviour, Jesus Christ, the Father's only Son,
the sacrificial Lamb, who saves the world from sin,
have mercy Lord.
Beside the Father's hand enthroned, now hear our prayer.**

**You only are the Lord. You only are most high.
You only are the holy one, Lord Jesus Christ.
And now you reign
with Father and with Spirit one in glorious light.**

Collect of the Day

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading

Jonah 3:1-5, 10

The word of the Lord came to Jonah a second time, saying, "Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you." So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the Lord. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, "Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!" And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth. When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

Reader: The word of the Lord.
All: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 62:6-14 (seated)

Tune: Crimmond

**My soul in silence waits for God,
I hope in him alone;
my rock and health; I shall not be
shaken or overthrown.**

**God is my refuge and strong rock,
in him my safety lies;
trust him, pour out your hearts
to him, our refuge he supplies.**

**The great are but a fleeting breath,
trust in the lowly fails;
they all are lighter than a breath
when tested on the scales.**

**Trust not in wrong, in robbery
do not take empty pride;
although your riches may increase,
let them not be your guide.**

**God has once spoken, twice I heard
that power is God's alone,
and steadfast love is yours, O Lord,
to whom all deeds are known.**

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 7:29-31

I mean, brothers and sisters, the appointed time has grown short; from now on, let even those who have wives be as though they had none, and those who mourn as though they were not mourning, and those who rejoice as though they were not rejoicing, and those who buy as though they had no possessions, and those who deal with the world as though they had no dealings with it. For the present form of this world is passing away.

Reader: The word of the Lord.
All: **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Hymn 273 vv 1-2

Holy Gospel

Mark 1:14-20

Gospeller: *The Lord be with you*

All: **And also with you.**

Gospeller: *The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.*

All: **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news." As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea - for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people." And immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

Gospeller: *The Gospel of Christ.*

All: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Gradual Hymn vv 3-4

Sermon

Apostles' Creed

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Intercessions (please kneel / sit. Response: Lord graciously hear us.)

Confession & Absolution

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The Peace (please stand)

Offertory Hymn 430

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Prayer over the gifts
Eucharist Prayer #1 p. 193

Lord's Prayer (*sung*)

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Communion

All who are baptized are welcome to receive the bread and/or the wine of Holy Communion. If you do not wish to receive Communion, please feel welcome to come to the altar rail for a blessing, crossing your arms across your chest to signal this to the priest.

Hymns during Communion: insert
Hymn after Communion 570

Prayer after Communion
Doxology p. 214
Blessing

Recessional Hymn 431

Dismissal

Postlude

Presiding Celebrant The Rev'd Canon Catherine Ascah
 Preacher: The Rev'd Canon Brian Burrows
 Readers: Dawn Dunlop; Maxine Haining
 Intercessions: Kathy Porter
 Communion Assistants: Karen Bryan; Chris Elmsley
 Servers: Sue Norman; Laura Porter; Ron Watt
 Sidespeople: Hugh Bennett; Mark Ferguson
 Altar Guild: Sue Pigeon; Doreen Watt

Readings for next Sunday, January 28, Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany
 Deuteronomy 18:15-20; Psalm 111: 1 Corinthians 8:1-13; Mark 1:29-39

This Week in the Parish		
Monday	AA, Al-ATeen, Al-Anon	8pm
Tuesday	Guides Pint & a Passage (at Café Whim)	6:30pm 7pm
Wednesday	Holy Eucharist Holy Eucharist (Broadview) Holy Eucharist (Shardon Manor)	10am 11am 1:30pm
Thursday	Sparks/Brownies Choir Practice	6:30pm 7:30pm
Saturday	Holy Eucharist	5pm

In our Parish we pray for:

Anne Barber, Heather, Paul, Riley, Margaret, Dan Burns, Faye, Lorna, Katie, Steve, Bill Burns, Bonnie, Barb, Brenda, Ron, Ken, Bill D., Stan, Sheila, Bob, Joan, Cohan, Ann R. Bothwell; John Irvine, Joan D., Brenda F., Stuart Hannaford.

Friends of the Parish we pray for:

Zachary, Peggy, Marilyn, Jacqui, Dana Dean & family, Chloe McCue, Michelle, Robert Apro, Debbie Pilon, Bonnie Bothwell, Sandra, Neena, Jutanie, Maureen Halpenny, Norma Wynn, Sherry, Darcy, Brandon, Richard, Leah, Crystal, Barry, Bernard, Sarah Telford, Valerie Kerr, Donnie McConnell, Eileen C, Walter, Lionel, Kevin Rochon, Henry, Casey, Robyn, Jim Jarvis.

Parishioners residing in retirement/nursing homes:

Bev Lannin, Cora Besley Marjorie Brooks, Fran Robinson, Charlie Edwards, Thelma Doherty, Shirley Row, Doreen Murray, Audrey Bennett, Marie Banford, Nancy Langdon, Eileen Thompson, Irene Anderson, Mary Thompson, Joyce Wiltsie, Joan Hart, Betty Gault, Helen Cameron.

Prayer Calendar

In our Diocese we pray for:
 The Right Reverend John Chapman, Bishop of Ottawa;
 The Diocesan Ecumenical Officer, The Rev'd Canon John Wilker-Blakley;
 The Diocesan Communications Officer and Editor of *Crosstalk*, Stephanie Boyd.

In our Companion Diocese of Jerusalem, we pray for the clergy and congregation of St. Peter's Church, Birzeit in the West Bank.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

In the northern hemisphere, churches mark the week of prayer for Christian unity between 18-25 January, between the feasts of the Confession of Peter and the Conversion of Paul. It is a time for the diverse churches throughout the world to recall Christ's prayer that "*they may be one so that the world may believe.*" (John 17.21) In your prayers and devotions this week, please do pray for the unity of the church, and for the ongoing work of ecumenical bodies within the church such as the World Council of Churches, the Anglican Roman Catholic International Commission and others that dialogue and work towards unity and ecumenical cooperation.

Special Vestry Sunday January 28

Please note that there will be a **SPECIAL VESTRY** Sun Jan 28 following the 10am liturgy in the Parish Hall regarding painting and stained glass work in the church. Full information will be made available at the meeting.

Food Bank Collection

Non-perishable items for the Smiths Falls Food Bank can be left in the baskets at the front of the church today.

Pint & A Passage: Tuesday 8 7pm

Dig into the Gospel passage for the upcoming Sunday at the new weekly bible study to be held at Café Whim (on Russell St. W. in the Davidson Courtyard). Bring your bible, an inquiring mind and a willingness to wrestle with the text and what it may be saying to us today.

Community Dinner: Sunday – 4pm

All are welcome to join in the fellowship at this month's community dinner. If you are able to help with some of the clean-up, it would be greatly appreciated.

Vestry Reports

It is that time of year! Please submit your annual vestry reports to Louise in the office by **Mon Jan 29**. You can e-mail them to her at stjohns_smithsfalls@bellnet.ca or drop them off at the office.

Pancake-less Pancake Supper Fundraiser

St. John's will not be hosting a pancake supper this year, in the absence of someone to coordinate the event. But, as in previous years when construction etc. has prevented an actual pancake supper, donations towards outreach and ministry at St. John's will be gratefully received. Simply mark your donation "Pancake-less Supper". Next year will bring new opportunities to mark this day of feasting before the Lenten fast.

Tim Hortons Bowl for Kids' Sake Rock n' Bowl: Feb 24

Pledge forms are now available at the entrances to the church for this annual fundraising event in support of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Lanark.