

Readings for Next Service February 02, 2020

4th. Sunday after Epiphany

Micah 6: 1-8

Psalm 15

1 Corinthians 1: 18-31

Matthew 5: 1-12

Service Time: Sunday February 02 at 11:00am

Clergy

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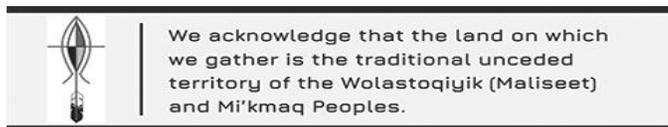
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Visits - If you know of someone in this Parish who is sick or shut-in and would like a visit, please let us know! Rev Wendy would love to visit.

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St. James Anglican Church

January 26, 2020

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

Service of Holy Eucharist

The Book of Alternative Services

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Processional Hymn: Jesus Shall Reign RB-164

The Holy Eucharist Pg 185

The Grace

The Gloria

The Collect for Purity

The Collect for the Day:

(Together): Almighty God, by grace alone you call us and accept us in your service. Strengthen us by your Spirit, and make us worthy of your call; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

First Reading: Isaiah 9: 1-4

Psalm 27: 1, 4-9 (Bulletin)

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1: 10-18

Gradual Hymn: Fairest Lord Jesus RB-46

Gospel: Matthew 4: 12-23

Sermon

The Nicene Creed Pg 188

The Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution Pg 191

The Peace Pg 192

Offertory Hymn: What A Friend We Have in Jesus RB - 114

Prayer Over the Gifts:

(Together) Loving God, before the world began you called us. Make holy all we offer you this day, and strengthen us in that calling. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen

Eucharistic Prayer #1 Pg 193

The Lord's Prayer Pg 211

The Breaking of the Bread Pg 212

The Communion

Communion Hymn Take My Life and Let it Be RB-294

Prayer after Communion:

(Together) Gracious God, our hands have taken holy things; our lives have been nourished by the body of your Son. May we who have eaten at this holy table be strengthened for service in your world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.. Amen

Doxology Pg 214

The Blessing

Announcements (Birthdays: Benjamin Lewis)
(Anniversary: ()

Recessional Hymn: Come, Let Us Sing of a Wonderful Love RB-126

The Dismissal

Church News

Pancake Supper Coming up Shrove Tues, Feb 25 More details to follow.

Lenten Study of the movie 'Chocolat' with Bible references – will begin on **Sunday Mar 1 – Lent 1** after the service for 1 hour approximately. More details to follow.

Food Bank Sunday – First Sunday of the Month so Next Sunday thanks so much for bringing in food items for the Food Bank. We continue to focus on this the first Sunday of the month.



Beads

Is there is anyone in our parish or do we know someone who could help us 'bead'? We have lots and lots of beads of all kinds. Speak to Rev.

Church News

A special Thank You to Rev. Lid for leading us in Worship this Morning

January at St James

January 29 Card Party Noon – 3:30 in the Church Hall

St. James Community Breakfast

As part of our outreach, on the third Saturday of each month, St James Church sponsors a Community Breakfast at St. George's Church from 8:00am to 10:30am. Volunteers are needed. If you can help or need more information, please talk to Rev. Wendy, or Donna. Many thanks to all who generously volunteer their time!

Donations of mitts, gloves, or socks would be greatly appreciated for ReConnect.

Annual Meeting

Sunday, February 16 – after the service.

Please submit your reports by Sunday, Feb 2.

Volunteers for Vestry and/or Synod Delegate - If you have an interest or feel called to serve on Vestry or as a Synod Delegate, please speak to Rev Wendy or Loretta or Steve. You may wish to nominate someone to sit on Vestry. If so, please speak to the person and with their permission, speak to Rev Wendy, Loretta or Steve.

PWRDF Group Fundraiser

The final totals for the project are in:

St. Andrew's \$1995.00

St. James \$1933.00

St. Philip's \$ 772.00

St. Mary's \$ 300.00

TOTAL \$5000.00 We made it!!!! We have enough for a business 'start-up' loan for a young Indigenous person.

GREAT EFFORT EVERYONE!!!

Psalm 27: 1, 4-9

1 The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom then shall I fear? *
the Lord is the strength of my life; of whom then shall I be afraid?

4 And though war should rise up against me, * yet will I put my trust in him.

5 One thing have I asked of the Lord; one thing I seek; * that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life;

6 To behold the fair beauty of the Lord * and to seek him in his temple.

7 For in the day of trouble he shall keep me safe in his shelter; *
he shall hide me in the secrecy of his dwelling and set me high upon a rock.

8 Even now he lifts up my head * above my enemies round about me.

9 Therefore I will offer in his dwelling an oblation with sounds of great gladness; * I will sing and make music to the Lord.

(Together): Faithful God, the shelter of all who hope in you, may those who seek your face be set free from fear and distress, and come to see your goodness in the land of the living; through Jesus Christ, our Light and our Salvation. Amen

Prayers of the People

Third Sunday after Epiphany

Layreader: Gracious and Loving God, from our occupations and the business of our lives you call us to follow Jesus in the way of reconciliation and unity: Give us boldness to repent immediately from all that may separate us from you, that we may teach and proclaim the Good News to all the earth, as we pray: You speak in our hearts and say, “Seek my face.” Your face, O God, will we seek.

Reader 1: Loving God, you have given your people the confidence to come before you through the new and living way that Jesus Christ has opened for us. Grant your church grace to provoke one another to love and good deeds, encouraging one another in Christ. In the church we pray for David our Bishop, Brent our Archdeacon, Wendy our priest and all in leadership roles. May they lead us to understand the love of Jesus and His message. Bless your Church and her members as we labour in your vineyard, that we may be fruitful, as we live our lives in a manner worthy of the gospel, and live faithfully in your loving presence. Holy One, let your Church proclaim the gospel with power and embrace the cross so completely that Christ may no longer be divided by the quarrels among us, but rather that your Church may be united with the same mind and the same purpose for the healing of the world. You speak in our hearts and say, “Seek my face.”
Your face, O God, will we seek.

Reader 2: Eternal One, may the leaders of the world answer readily the call to justice, that the yoke of burden and the bar of oppression across all shoulders may be broken, the lands which have lived with contempt may be made glorious, and the people who have walked in great darkness may see a great light. You speak in our hearts and say, “Seek my face.” **Your face, O God, will we seek.**

Reader 3. Compassionate One, bring your light to all who walk in darkness among the nations of the world: Cast out their gloom, banish their anguish, and increase their joy, that all may know the good news of your kingdom and live in the light of your love. You

speak in our hearts and say, “Seek my face.”
Your face, O God, will we seek.

Reader 4. Inspire our community to sing and make music to you, and hearken to your voice when you call, O Most High, that we may dwell in your house all the days of our life and offer in your dwelling an oblation with sounds of great gladness. You speak in our hearts and say, “Seek my face.” **Your face, O God, will we seek.**

Reader 5. God is our light and our salvation; whom then shall we fear? We bring to you, our God, the anguish and concern of our hearts, praying especially for those on our parish prayer list....(add prayer list) In the day of trouble keep your people safe in your shelter. Receive into your glorious presence those who have died, May your light shine upon them always. You speak in our hearts and say, “Seek my face.” **Your face, O God, will we seek.**

(Together): **The light of Christ shines upon us, filling the earth with the blessing of divine grace: Lead us, O Gracious One, to follow Jesus in every moment of our lives, that we may share in the daily labor of your mission to heal and reconcile all creation in the power of your Spirit, through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.**



Those we uphold in Prayer:

Immediate Prayers: Milton, Nancy, Mary, Kelly, Dawn

Long Term Prayers: Ron, George, Ivy, Colin, Susan Goguen, Trish Corner, Rev. Wendy