

 **St. Aidan**  
Anglican Church

**Holy Eucharist**  
**Baptism of the Lord**



January 8, 2023

Order of Service is followed in the (green) **Book of Alternative Services** (BAS).

Hymns are found in the (blue) **Book of Common Praise** (CP).

A baby room is located next to the sound board for those with infants.

Parents are welcome to accompany children ages 0-4 in the nursery room (parish hall).

Children ages 4 to grade 5 are invited to remain in the service.

## **THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY**

### **Welcome**

**Processional Hymn** “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” (vv.1,2,3,6). #384 CP

**Greeting and Collect for Purity** ..... p. 185 BAS

**Praise Song** “All Praise to Thee” (vv. 1,2,5) .....#137 CP

**Collect**..... p. 348 BAS

## **THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

**First Reading** (*Alina*) ..... Isaiah 42:1-9

**Psalm 29** ..... p. 738 BAS

**Second Reading** (*Grace*) ..... Acts 10:34-43

**Gradual Hymn** “Seek Ye First” .....#458 CP

**Gospel Reading** ..... Matthew 3:13-17

**Acclamation:** Before—Gloria, Gloria, in excelsis Deo

Gloria, Gloria, alleluia, alleluia.

After— Glory to God, glory to God, glory in the highest,

Glory to God, glory to God, alleluia, alleluia.

**Sermon** (*Fr. Dean*)

**Baptismal Covenant**..... p. 158 BAS

**Prayers of the People** (*Camron*)

**Confession and Absolution** .....p. 191 BAS

**The Peace**..... p. 192 BAS

## **THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

**The Preparation of the Gifts**

**Offertory Song** “Spirit of the Living God” .....#647 CP

**Prayer over the Gifts** ..... p. 348 BAS

**Eucharistic Prayer #5** ..... p. 204 BAS

**The Lord’s Prayer** (*sung acapella*) .....p. 211 BAS; music p. 918 BAS

## **The Breaking of the Bread #6 .....p. 213 BAS**

We break the bread of life,  
and that life is the light of the world.

**God here among us,  
light in the midst of us,  
Bring us to light and life.**

### **The Communion**

*All who are baptized in any Christian church and seek to follow Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour may receive communion.*

- ✦ *To receive the bread, hold out your hands, crossed with palms up.*
- ✦ *The celebrant will place the bread in your hands.*
- ✦ *If you require gluten-free wafers, please indicate at the time of receiving.*
- ✦ *To receive the cup, guide it to your mouth using the base.*
- ✦ *If you prefer not to drink from the cup, bow slightly in reverence.*
- ✦ *To receive a blessing instead, cross your arms over your chest.*

**Songs during Communion: “Nearer, My God, to Thee” #538 CP**

#### **“Carried to the Table”**

Wounded and forsaken  
I was shattered by the fall  
Broken and forgotten  
Feeling lost and all alone  
Summoned by the King  
Into the Master's courts  
Lifted by the Savior  
And cradled in His arms

Fighting thoughts of fear  
Wondering why He called my name  
Am I good enough to share this cup  
This world has left me lame  
Even in my weakness  
The Savior called my name  
In His Holy presence  
I'm healed and unashamed (*Refrain*)

#### *Refrain:*

I was carried to the table  
Seated where I don't belong  
Carried to the table  
Swept away by His love  
And I don't see  
My brokenness anymore  
When I'm seated  
At the table of the Lord  
I'm carried to the table  
The table of the Lord

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**Prayer After Communion** ..... p. 349 BAS

**Doxology** ..... p. 214 BAS

Glory to God, whose power, working in us,  
can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine.  
Glory to God from generation to generation,  
in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.

**SENDING FORTH OF THE COMMUNITY**

**Announcements**

**Blessing**

**Recessional Hymn “His Eye is On the Sparrow”**

Why should I feel discouraged, why should the shadows come,  
Why should my heart be lonely, and long for heav’n and home,  
When Jesus is my portion? My constant Friend is He:  
His eye is on the sparrow, and I know He watches me;  
His eye is on the sparrow, and I know He watches me.  
I sing because I’m happy, I sing because I’m free,  
For His eye is on the sparrow, and I know He watches me.  
“Let not your heart be troubled,” His tender word I hear,  
And resting on His goodness, I lose my doubts and fears;  
Though by the path He leadeth, but one step I may see;  
His eye is on the sparrow, and I know He watches me;  
His eye is on the sparrow, and I know He watches me.  
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**The Sending**

Enlightened by Christ and anointed by the Spirit,  
go now in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

**Cover Image**

*Baptism of Christ. Jesus is baptized in the Jordan River by John.*  
painting by David Zalenka  
<https://www.liturgytools.net/2015/12/pictures-baptism-of-the-lord-year-c.html>  
[retrieved December 6, 2023]

## WORSHIP AND COMMUNITY LIFE

Sun, Jan 8 at 7:00 p.m.—**Evensong Bells**

Tues, Jan 10 at 8:30 a.m.—**Morning Prayer in the chapel**

Tues, Jan 10 at 9:00 a.m.—**Morning Prayer on Zoom** ([join using this link](#))

Wed, Jan 11 at 8:30 a.m.—**Morning Prayer in the chapel**

Thurs, Jan 12 at 7:15 a.m.—**Morning Prayer in the chapel**

Fri, Jan 13 at 6:00 p.m.—**Youth Group in the hall**

Sun, Jan 15 at 10:30 a.m.—**Holy Eucharist in the nave**



### Diocesan Prayer Requests

Please include the following in your prayers

January 8-14

- ✦ The clergy, lay leaders, congregation and ministries of the parish of **St. Mary, Whitewood**
- ✦ Dr. Andrea Mann, Director, and the staff of **Global Relations**; Ryan Weston, Lean Animator, **Public Witness for Social and Ecological Justice**, ACC
- ✦ Bishop Michael Pryse, the people and rostered ministers of the **Eastern Synod**, ELCIC
- ✦ Our **ecumenical partners** in the Lutheran, Anglican, Ukrainian Catholic, Roman Catholic Covenant (LAURC)
- ✦ Our **companion dioceses** of Lichfield, England and Muyinga, Burundi

### Pray for those in need, especially:

Bob, Brenda, Chris, Dale, Dianne, Doug, Eliot, Erica, Ev, Jake, Laura, Marion, Sherril, Tom

*NOTE: To include someone in this list, please contact the Prayer Chain leaders*

*Linda Aird 692-7221 and Gwen Currie 693-3470, Fr. Dean, Deacon Arleen, or the church office.*

### In prayer we remember our parishioners in care homes:

Adalene, Bergedda, Bettie, Carol, Gladys, Isabel, Jean, Kay, Linda,  
Rev. Marilyn, Marion, Myrna, Sheila, Shirley

## PRAYER TEAM UPDATE

For now there will **not be prayer ministry** offered in the prayer room **during the Eucharist**. We are hoping to resume offering this ministry sometime after Epiphany. In the meantime, **if anyone would like prayer**, please feel welcome to **approach a member of the prayer team or any of the clergy after the service**. We would be glad to find a quiet space and pray with you.



~ Catherine on behalf of the prayer team

(Linda Aird, Kaleigh Pousett, Catherine Reichel, Jon and Joyce Walters)

## ANNUAL REPORTS DUE JANUARY 16

All ministry leaders are asked to submit a digital report (Word or email is great) for the annual meeting. If you are unsure whether you need to submit or you need more information, please contact Michelle (office@staidan.ca or 306-694-5445).

## VESTRY NOMINATIONS

If you or someone you know would like to be nominated for one of our limited number of Vestry member roles in 2023, please speak to a member of the nominating committee (Fr. Dean, Deacon Arleen, Stan Peters, Rosalyn Poettcker, Ellen Redshaw, Carla Hoffmann, Ian O'Brien or Michelle Josefson) to review the ministry profile and be considered.

Nominations close January 22, 2022.

## PASTORAL CARE—REQUEST HOSPITAL VISITS



We need your help to identify parishioners who are in the hospital—there is no other way for us to know. We can then check to see if that person would like a pastoral visit. Please discuss your desires with your family/loved ones when you are healthy so that they know to contact us should you need care in the hospital.

Please contact the Office (306-694-5445); Gwen Currie (306-693-3470); Lorraine Cushway (306-693-9725) or Deacon Arleen (306-631-1001)



There will be more to report as final deposits and expenses are processed, BUT...

Initial indications are very positive for our financial health at the end of 2022. It appears we surpassed our giving targets by a significant margin and that expenses were within our expected range. Confirmation will come in the next week or two, but it's highly unlikely we'll need to draw on any investments as we'd planned to.

Thanks be to God and his faithful followers (you!).

**YOUTH GROUP** — All youth (grades 6-12) are invited **6 to 9 p.m. on Friday evenings for food, liturgy, and Bible study.** (To participate in food prep, come at 5:30.) If you have questions, please contact Fr. Jesse at [jmiller@staidan.ca](mailto:jmiller@staidan.ca) or at 306-561-8022.  
Next Dates: Jan 13, 20, 27



Volunteer opportunities for groups or individuals.

If you are interested, contact John Paul Hickie at 306-691-6508

### CO-OP NUMBER

If you don't have a Co-op number and shop there occasionally, feel free to use St. Aidan's. It's easy to remember: **6061.**

## LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Welcome to this place of worship where we acknowledge that Jesus, the Lord of all, has called His Church to be a Church of all nations. With joy and in humility we gather on Treaty 4 Territory, the traditional lands of the Cree, Ojibwe, Saulteaux, Dakota, Lakota, Nakoda, and the homeland of the Métis Nation.

### ST. AIDAN CONTACTS

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Catherine Reichel

**Treasurer**

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**Vestry**

Jason Antonio, Abigail Durkee,  
Carla Hoffmann, Ian O'Brien

### MINISTERS TODAY

**Presider/Preacher**

Rev. Dr. Dean Pinter

**Deacon**

Rev. Arleen Champion

**Altar Guild**

Elaine Deans, Sandra Warnock,  
Jess Couture

**Bells**

Josiah

**Greeters****Lectors**

Alina, Grace

**Intercessor**

Camron

**Music**

Jeremy Dyck, Matt Froese, Tim  
Lenko, Chelsea Peters

**Servers**

Daniel McElroy, Elizabeth, Zeke

**LCAs**

Agwalonye Aghamelu,  
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**Tech**

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