

 St. Aidan  
Anglican Church

Holy Eucharist  
Epiphany 3



January 25, 2026

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.

A nursery for children ages 1 to 3 is available in the parish hall.

Children ages 4 to grade 5 are invited downstairs for Godly Play.

Youth in grades 6 to 12 are invited to the Upper Room.

## THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

### Welcome

**Processional Hymn** “Jesus Shall Reign Where’er the Sun” ..... #383 CP

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

### Blessing of Children

**Praise Song** “Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee” ..... #425 CP

**Collect** ..... p. 351 BAS

## THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

**First Reading** (*Shelley*) ..... Isaiah 9:1-4

**Psalm 27:1, 5-13** ..... p. 735 BAS

**Second Reading** (*Grant*) ..... 1 Corinthians 1:10-18

**Gradual Hymn** “Jesus Calls Us! O’er the Tumult” ..... #432 CP

**Gospel Reading** ..... Matthew 4:12-23

**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. Cal*)

**The Nicene Creed** ..... p. 188 BAS

### Prayers of the People (*Catherine*)

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

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

# THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

## The Preparation of the Gifts

**Offertory Hymn** “Take My Life, and Let It Be” .....#435 CP

**Prayer over the Gifts** .....p. 351 BAS

**Eucharistic Prayer #3** ..... p. 198 BAS

**The Lord’s Prayer**..... p. 211 BAS; music p. 918 BAS

**The Breaking of the Bread #6** .....p. 212

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.*
- ✦ *If you prefer to receive a blessing, cross your arms over your chest.*

**Songs during Communion:** Agnus Dei

One Bread, One Body—#73 CP

God, Your Glorious Presence—#337 CP

The People That in Darkness Sat—#156 CP

**Prayer after Communion**.....p. 351 BAS

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

## **SENDING FORTH OF THE COMMUNITY**

**Announcements**

**Blessing**

**Recessional Hymn** “Will You Come and Follow Me” .....#430 CP

**The Sending**

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

**Thanks be to God.**

*You are most welcome to stay for coffee/tea and snacks in the parish hall.*

## WORSHIP AND COMMUNITY LIFE

Sun, Jan 25 at 7:00 p.m.—**Evensong Bells**

Tues, Jan 27 at 8:30 a.m.—**Holy Eucharist** (said BAS, p. 230)

Tues, Jan 27 at 9:00 a.m.—**Morning Prayer** on Zoom ([at this link](#))

Tues, Jan 27 at 7:00 p.m.—**Prayer Hour at Reichel's** (201 Coteau St E)

Wed, Jan 28 at 8:00 a.m.—**Morning Prayer** in the chapel

Thurs, Jan 29 at 11:00 a.m.—**Moms & Tots** in the parish hall

Fri, Jan 30 at 8:30 a.m.—**Holy Eucharist** (said BCP)

Sun, Feb 1 at 10:30 a.m.—**Holy Eucharist** in the nave

### Pray for those in need, especially:

Annie and Joel, Bob, Bret, Dani, Deb, Kira, Laura, Maddox, Margaret, Tom

*NOTE: To include someone in this list, please contact the Prayer Chain leaders  
Linda Aird 692-7221 and Gwen Currie 693-3470, Deacon Arleen, or the church office.*

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

Carol, Eva, Isabel, Marjorie, Sheila



### Diocesan Prayer Requests

Please include the following in your prayers

January 25 - 31

- ✦ **Bishop Helen** and those serving with her in our Diocese of Qu'Appelle
- ✦ The **Parish of St. Thomas, Vernon**—the congregation and all who lead worship in this community of faith.
- ✦ The Most Rev. David Edwards, Metropolitan, and the people and clergy of the **Ecclesiastical Province of Canada, ACC.**
- ✦ The Assistants to the Bishop and the staff of the **Eastern Synod.** The dean, council, and congregations of the Atlantic and Montreal Areas of the Eastern Synod, ELCIC.
- ✦ The Rev. Jason Andersen, president of the **Western District Executive Board** of the Moravian Church Northern Province
- ✦ Our **companion dioceses of Lichfield and Musinga**
- ✦ Our **ecumenical partners** in the Lutheran, Anglican, Ukrainian Catholic, Roman Catholic Covenant (LAURC)

## PARISH PRAYER CYCLE



We've updated our parish prayer cycle and invite you to take a copy to pray through. If several of us use it according to the instructions, all of us will be prayed for every day. What a beautiful gift! Thanks to Linda Aird for faithfully tending this ministry.

## BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION

If you or your children are interested in being baptized or confirmed, please contact Fr. Cal or Deacon Arleen to discuss timing and preparation.



# ANNUAL MEETING

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Please plan to join us in the parish hall for our annual meeting after the service. This is another great opportunity to celebrate where God is at work among us and look ahead to the year.

### Cover Image

*Calling Disciples*, painting by He Qi

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## WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

**Abide - A Study of 1, 2, and 3 John** by Jen Wilkin

**Day/Time:** Thursdays at 2:00 PM

**Start date:** February 5

**Location:** St. Aidan parish hall

**Facilitator:** Catherine Reichel (306-313-0180)

**Registration deadline:** January 25 ([staidan.ca/register](http://staidan.ca/register))

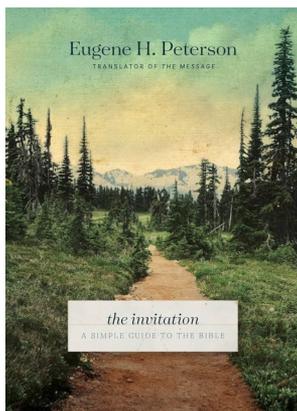
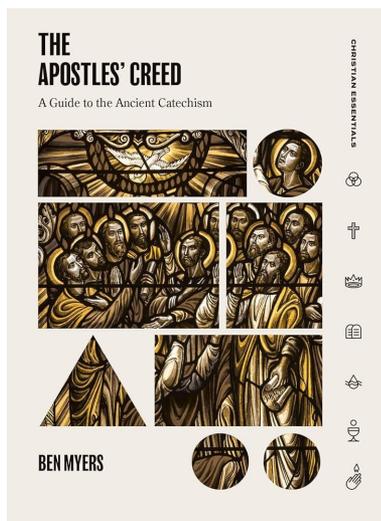


This Bible study is suitable for all women seeking to grow in their walk with God.

## LIBRARY HIGHLIGHTS

***The Apostles' Creed - A Guide to the Ancient Catechism*** by Ben Myers

This is the first in the Christian Essentials series put out by Lexham Press. (We also have the second one on the Lord's Prayer by Wesley Hill). It is a beautifully presented little book, and the content is accessible and inviting. Myers breaks the Creed down line by line, giving the historical context and enlarging our theological understanding and appreciation of these words we say Sunday by Sunday. Myers explains that we have all we need in Christ even if we cannot fully comprehend the mysteries, but his desire is that this book be a guide to help us joyfully understand more fully the vast riches that we have inherited.



***The Invitation - A Simple Guide to the Bible*** by Eugene Peterson (translator of *The Message*)

The Bible can be overwhelming in its vastness and scope. Peterson helpfully gives some instruction as to how to approach and read each book in the Bible, from Genesis to Revelation that feels like a gracious reassuring invitation to know God and his purposes in a deeper way. A note from the Editors at the beginning gives some helpful ideas as to how to best use the book.

## 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

### **Priest-in-Charge** (transitional)

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### **Altar Guild President**

Elaine Deans

### **Children's Ministry**

Ellen Redshaw (Godly Play)  
Sarah McLean (nursery)

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### **Church Wardens**

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Michelle Josefson  
Catherine Reichel

### **Treasurer**

Ellen Redshaw

### **Vestry**

Jason Antonio, Abigail Durkee  
Jeremy Dyck, Jacquie Gibney,  
Brad Thorpe

## MINISTERS TODAY

### **Presider/Preacher**

Rev. Dr. Cal Macfarlane

### **Deacon**

Rev. Arleen Champion

### **Postulant**

Michelle Josefson

### **Altar Guild**

Elaine Deans, Linda Hoye,  
Catherine Reichel

### **Bells**

Shania Sanville

### **Greeters**

Yvonne Mitchell (outside)  
Gerry Hoye, Abigail/Carla

### **Nursery**

Steve Mitchell, Sarah Wilkinson

### **Godly Play**

Abigail Durkee, Ellen Redshaw

### **Youth Class**

Jason Antonio, Rosalyn Poettcker

### **Lectors**

Grant Poettcker, Shelley Ruecker

### **Intercessor**

Catherine Reichel

### **Music**

Chris Kayler

### **Server**

Brad Thorpe

### **LCAs**

Kaleigh Dyck, John Langford,  
Sharleen Langford

### **Tech**

Liam McPaul

### **Parish Coffee**

Carla Hoffmann, Leona Shepherd

### **Counters**

Abigail Durkee, Carla Hoffmann

### **Lockup**

Carla/Michelle

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