

St. Aidan
Anglican Church

Holy Eucharist
Transfiguration Sunday



February 19, 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.

A supervised nursery for children ages 1 to 4 is available in the parish hall.

Children ages 4 to grade 5 are invited to Godly Play in the basement.

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Welcome

Processional Hymn “Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty” #1 CP

Greeting and Collect for Purity p. 185 BAS

Praise Song “Praise the Lord, Ye Heavens Adore Him”(tune 388) .#420 CP

Collect..... p. 418 BAS

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading (*Ian O’Brien*) Exodus 24:12-18

Psalm 2 p. 705 BAS

Second Reading (*Felix Aghamelu*) 2 Peter 1:16-21

Gradual Hymn “Transform Us As You Transfigured”

Transform us as you, transfigured, stood apart on Tabor’s height.

Lead us up our sacred mountains, search us with revealing light.

Lift us from where we have fallen, full of questions, filled with fright.

Transform us as you, transfigured, once spoke with those holy ones.

We, surrounded by the witness of those saints whose work is done,

Live in this world as your Body, chosen daughters, chosen sons.

Transform us as you, transfigured, would not stay within a shrine.

Keep us from our great temptation—time and truth we quickly bind.

Lead us down those daily pathways where our love is not confined.

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Gospel Reading Matthew 17:1-9

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*)

Nicene Creedp. 188 BAS

Prayers of the People (*Ian O’Brien*)

Confession and Absolution.....	p. 191 BAS
The Peace	p. 192 BAS

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

The Preparation of the Gifts

Offertory Song “Come to God’s Table”

Come to God’s table, for all is prepared,
the bread that we offer is broken and shared,
Christ's presence among us is food for the soul,
reviving, renewing, and making us whole.

Come to God’s table, and drink of the wine,
the blood of the Saviour, in mystery divine,
the cup of salvation both priceless and free,
transforming God's people to all we can be.

Come to God’s table, we come as we are,
we bring all the burdens we've carried so far,
in body, in spirit, in soul, mind and heart,
to feed on the grace only God can impart.

Come to God’s table! then go in God’s grace
to hold all the earth in a heav'nly embrace,
sent out in the Spirit to tend and to care
in thought, word and action, our life is our prayer.

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Prayer over the Gifts	p. 418 BAS
Eucharistic Prayer #5.....	p. 204 BAS
The Lord’s Prayer (<i>sung acapella</i>)	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: “Agnus Dei”
“Trisagion”
“Come, Sinners, Come”
“What Wondrous Love Is This” #400 CP

Prayer After Communion p. 419 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 “Jesus Shall Reign Where’er the Sun”#383 CP

The Sending

As disciples eager to share with all the blessedness of God's kingdom, go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

WORSHIP AND COMMUNITY LIFE

Sun, Feb 19 at 7:00 p.m.—**Evensong Bells**

Mon, Feb 20 at 1:15 p.m.—**Stitch and Chatter in the hall**

Tues, Feb 21 at 8:30 a.m.—**Morning Prayer in the chapel**

Tues, Feb 21 at 9:00 a.m.—**Morning Prayer on Zoom** ([join using this link](#))

Wed, Feb 22 at 8:30 a.m.—**Morning Prayer in the chapel**

Wed, Feb 22 at 7:00 p.m.—**Ash Wednesday Holy Eucharist service**

Thurs, Feb 23 at 7:15 a.m.—**Morning Prayer in the chapel**

Sun, Feb 26 at 10:30 a.m.—**Holy Eucharist in the nave**



Diocesan Prayer Requests

Please include the following in your prayers

February 19 - 25

- ✦ **Retired clergy** in our Diocese
- ✦ The Most Rev. David Edwards, Archbishop, and the clergy and people of the **Diocese of Fredericton**, ACC
- ✦ The dean, council, and congregations of the **Grand River and Thames Area of the Eastern Synod**, ELCIC
- ✦ An **end to human trafficking and slavery** (ACC/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, 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



LENTEN REMINDERS

Ash Wednesday Holy Eucharist at 7 PM

Lenten Retreat—March 17 (evening) and 18 (to midday)

Mark your calendars—details to follow

BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION

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



LITTLE BOOKS, BIG IDEAS—GROWING TOGETHER

Find the books and read along—even if you can't attend the gathering!



March 2: Tish Harrison-Warren, *Prayer in the Night* at Gemma and Bryan's (455 Vaughan)

Note: no April book, we'll resume in May with the novel *Remembering* by Wendell Berry

UPDATED PARISH PRAYER CYCLE

You are invited to take a copy of the Parish Prayer Cycle from the back of the nave and pray for one another. If enough of us pick up this practice (see instructions on page 2 of the booklet), every person will be prayed every day.

If someone has been omitted or the spelling of a name is wrong, please contact Michelle in the office.



PRAYER MINISTRY UPDATE



As a team we have been praying, thinking and discussing with our clergy about what the prayer ministry should look like in the upcoming season.

For now, we have settled on Fr. Dean teaching on prayer with an opportunity for prayer ministry during services a few times this year (Lent 5, Ascension Thursday, Pentecost 6, St. Luke's Day). We also will have some resources and helps for prayer in the bulletin from time to time.

If at any time you desire to pray with someone about a concern, please do not hesitate to speak to Fr. Dean or Deacon Arleen. They and members of the prayer team are willing and available to pray with you before, after, or even during the service on Sunday mornings.

And of course it is not just the clergy or those who have been involved in the prayer ministry team who can pray for others - we are all called to encourage and help each other to come to our loving God in our times of need!

~Catherine Reichel on behalf of the prayer team

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 or at 306-561-8022.

Next Dates: Mar 3, 10, 24, 31, Apr 21, 28



STITCH AND CHATTER

First and Third Monday
of the month at 1:15 p.m.
in the parish hall

New members welcome!

Mission, Friendship, Stitching

LOCATION AWARENESS

Given our location and the items that have gone missing occasionally, please be mindful of your belongings at all times. Do not leave anything of value in the hall or otherwise unattended before, during or after services or at other times when the building is open to the public.

If you see concerning behaviour, please report it to a warden, clergy member, or other leader immediately.

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.

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