

Church of the Ascension

Sudbury, Ontario

January 14, 2017

"As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience...Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony." (Colossians 3:12, 14)

Bishop Anne's Motto for 2018



Holy Eucharist

Sunday 9:00am & 11:00am Wednesday 9:30am

Morning and Evening Prayer

Wednesday 9:00am and 8:00pm

Friday 9:00am Sunday 8:00pm

Messy Church

1st Wednesday of the month at 4:30pm

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Parish Office

705-566-2790

Welcome to our worship! It is good to have you here with us today. If you are visiting the Church of the Ascension for the first time, please know that the Anglican Church teaches that all who are baptised in any Christian tradition are welcome to receive the sacrament at the time of communion.



Vestry

The annual vestry meeting will take place Sunday January 21st. We will have one service that day at 10am and the meeting will follow. Please try to attend this important yearly meeting in the life of the Church.

The current positions that are open for nomination are: People's Warden , Deputy Warden and Vestry Clerk. We are also looking for people who would like to serve as members at large on the board. If you know of anyone who would be ideal for either of these positions please contact the Nominations Committee through Gary Bate, Chantal Rozon or Cindy Caines at gary.a.r.bate@gmail.com , crozon.@ameresco.com , cindycaines@hotmail.com.

The names of the current nominees are below. However, on the day of the meeting names are welcome come forward from the floor.

Peoples Warden Nominees to date: Jen Ames, Marie Vitone

Deputy Warden Nominee's to date : Brent Leigh, Thelma Smith

Vestry Clerk Nominee's to date: Cathy Jewell

Members at large Nominee's to date: Gary Bate, Kath Greenidge and Rob Caines

Bulletin and Announcements

Please send Father Aidan and Joanie any announcements and bulletin information by Wednesday evening. armstrong.aidan@gmail.com , joanser-vent@gmail.com or call the church at 705 566-2790.

Flowers

Please let Anne Trimmer (705 566-8127)know if you wish to donate flowers on the altar.

**Second Sunday after the Epiphany
9 & 11 am Holy Eucharist**

*We have found the Messiah,
who brings us truth and grace.*

Year B

Processional	# 5
Collect of the day	page 349
First Lesson	1 Samuel 3:1-10, (11-20) <i>The Lord calls Samuel</i>
Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18	<i>How weighty to me are your thoughts, O God!</i>
Second Lesson	1 Corinthians 6:12-20 <i>Live righteously, bound to the Lord</i>
Gradual	# 508
Holy Gospel	John 1:43-51 <i>Jesus calls Philip and Nathaniel</i>
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Prayer over the Gifts	page 350
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The flowers today are given to the glory of God by Aidan and Sarah Armstrong in thanksgiving for the birth of their son William Alfred Armstrong.

Lectioary

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3rd Sunday after Epiphany

Jonah 3:1-5, 10

The people hear Jonah and repent

Psalms 62:5-12

My hope is from God

1 Corinthians 7:29-31

The end of the world as we know it is near

Mark 1:14-20

Jesus calls Simon, Andrew, James, and John

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4th Sunday after Epiphany

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

The fate of false prophets

Psalms 111

Great are the works of the Lord

1 Corinthians 8:1-13

Living your faith as an example for others

Mark 1:21-28

Jesus teaches in the synagogue

Parish Directory

Rector

The Rev. Aidan Armstrong
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Hon. Associate

The Rev Dr. Robert Derrenbacher

Hon. Associate

The Rev. Jeff Hooper

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People's Warden

Jen Ames 705-618-2319

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In our prayers . . .

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for The Anglican Church of Australia, The Most Revd Philip Leslie Freier Archbishop of Melbourne & Primate of Australia

In the Anglican Church of Canada, we pray our Primate, Archbishop Fred Hiltz, for our Metropolitan, Archbishop Colin Johnson, for our Diocesan Bishop, Anne; for our Archdeacon, Glen, and for our parish clergy Fr Aidan, Fr. Bob, & Fr. Jeff.

In the Diocese of Algoma, we pray for St. John the Evangelist, Thunder Bay, St. Luke's, Thunder Bay, The Rev. Dr. George Porter, The Rev. David Knudson (Hon. – St. John's), The Rev. Gail Clifton (Hon. – St. John's)

We pray for the members of the ARK Refugee Steering Committee as they prepare to bring a family to Sudbury.

We pray for the following people for God's continued healing and strength during the coming week, especially Nancy Turner, Diane, Linda, Richard, George, Derald Balson, Dan Turner, Barbara Blanchard, Inge, Priscilla Allurut, Canon Michael & Muriel Hankinson, Theresa Kuehl (Megan's grandma), Brandon, Heather Kennedy, Roz Jones, Donna Barnes, Daryl Keen, Donna, and Carol, Viren, Lil Bowman, Irene Ginson-Fiss, Julie, Karrie, Joyce and Gary Costello, George Hunt, Karen, Spruce, Tamara, Jim Hunter, Peter, Sally Coker, Eddy, Lucette, Dwight Teeple, Caleb, Nancy, Elaine, Marshall McCulloch

We pray for the repose of the sould of Dwight Teeple. May Dwight rest in peace and rise in glory.

We pray for these families, recently bereaved, the Lewis family, the McNaughton family, the Teeple family.

We pray for those who are living in retirement residences or nursing homes, or who find it difficult to join us for church on Sundays; Milt Fleming, Margaret Villeneuve,

Velma Tansley, Karin Hoffman, Laurent Constantineau, Bessie Morgan. May they always feel God's presence in their lives.

In our parish we pray for our wardens and leaders and in our parish family, we pray for Cathy Dionne, Stephanie Doveton, Fraser & Wendy Dunlop, and their families.

We pray for those who are caregivers to sick and frail loved ones. We pray that the God of love will surround them with people to look after them, and grant them rest.

In the Parish this Week

Today 8pm – Evening Prayer

Monday, January 15th—6pm Dance Committee Meeting

Wednesday, January 17th –9am – Morning Prayer

9:30am – Holy Eucharist and Bible Study

8pm – Evening Prayer

Thursday, January 18th –7pm – Alpha Training

Friday, January 19th –9am – Morning Prayer

2pm – Christian Unity Service – Holy Redeemer

2-4pm & 6-8pm – Ascension Games Night

3-6pm Epiphany Gigantic Book Sale

Saturday, January 20 - 9-2 Epiphany Gigantic Book Sale

Announcements

Confirmation

Father Aidan is planning on running a confirmation class in the new year. If you, a member or your family or someone you know is interested in the sacrament of confirmation please contact Father Aidan at armstrong.aidan@gmail.com or 705- 566-2790.

Dance Committee

There will be dance committee meeting on Monday January 15th in the board room from 6-7pm. Please come out and join us! We'd love to hear your ideas to help make this a fabulous fundraiser for the church. If you have any questions please contact Jennifer Ames (705)618-2319 or jenjillames@gmail.com

Request for Barrydowne College Donations

There is a desperate need for protein items and pasta sauce for the students. This year there are several homeless students attending so Kristina has requested gift cards from Superstore or Walmart to help them out. Kristina will use the gift cards to purchase toiletries, clothes, and other necessary items as they are needed.
