

SUNDAY WORSHIP BY ZOOM

Sunday, January 16, 2022 | Second Sunday after Epiphany

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

OPENING SONG – When Christ's Appearing Was Made Known

When Christ's appearing was made known,
King Herod trembled for his throne;
but he who offers heavenly birth
sought not the kingdom of this earth.

The eastern sages saw from far
and followed on his guiding star;
by light their way to Light they trod,
and by their gifts confessed their God.

Within the Jordan's sacred flood
the heavenly Lamb in meekness stood,
that he, to whom no sin was known,
might cleanse his people from their own.

And O what a miracle divine,
when water reddened into wine!
He spake the word, and forth it flowed
in streams that nature ne'er bestowed.

All glory, Jesus, be to thee
for this thy glad Epiphany:
whom with the Father we adore
and Holy Ghost forevermore.

OPENING SENTENCES

Lord, open our lips,
And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.
O God, make speed to save us.
O Lord, make haste to help us.

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the
Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now,
and will be for ever. Amen.**

INVITATORY

Jesus Christ is the light of the world: O come, let us worship

Be joyful in the Lord, all you lands;
serve the Lord with gladness
and come before his presence with a song.
Know this: The Lord himself is God;
he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.
Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise;
give thanks to him and call upon his name.
For the Lord is good;
his mercy is everlasting;
and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

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THE PSALMS

PSALM 36:5-10

Your love, Lord, reaches to the heavens,
your faithfulness to the skies.
**Your righteousness is like the highest mountains,
your justice like the great deep.**
You, Lord, preserve both people and animals.
How priceless is your unfailing love, O God!
People take refuge in the shadow of your wings.
They feast on the abundance of your house;
you give them drink from your river of delights.
**For with you is the fountain of life;
in your light we see light.**
Continue your love to those who know you,
your righteousness to the upright in heart.

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now and will be for ever.**

Amen.

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

A reading from Isaiah, chapter 62, beginning at verse 1.

- ¹ For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,
for Jerusalem's sake I will not remain quiet,
till her vindication shines out like the dawn,
her salvation like a blazing torch.
- ² The nations will see your vindication,
and all kings your glory;
you will be called by a new name
that the mouth of the Lord will bestow.
- ³ You will be a crown of splendor in the Lord's hand,
a royal diadem in the hand of your God.
- ⁴ No longer will they call you Deserted,
or name your land Desolate.
But you will be called Hephzibah,
and your land Beulah;
for the Lord will take delight in you,
and your land will be married.
- ⁵ As a young man marries a young woman,
so will your Builder marry you;
as a bridegroom rejoices over his bride,
so will your God rejoice over you.

The word of the Lord. / **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING

A reading from 1 Corinthians, chapter 12, beginning at verse 1.

- ¹ Now about the gifts of the Spirit, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. ² You know that when you were pagans, somehow or other you were influenced and led astray to mute idols. ³ Therefore I want you to know that no one who is speaking by the Spirit of God says, "Jesus be cursed," and no one can say, "Jesus is Lord," except by the Holy Spirit.
- ⁴ There are different kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit distributes them. ⁵ There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord. ⁶ There are different kinds of working, but in all of them and in everyone it is the same God at work.
- ⁷ Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good. ⁸ To one there is given through the Spirit a message of wisdom, to another a message of knowledge by means of the same Spirit, ⁹ to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by that one Spirit, ¹⁰ to another miraculous powers, to another

prophecy, to another distinguishing between spirits, to another speaking in different kinds of tongues, and to still another the interpretation of tongues. ¹¹ All these are the work of one and the same Spirit, and he distributes them to each one, just as he determines.

The word of the Lord. / **Thanks be to God.**

GRADUAL SONG – Your Love O Lord

Your love O Lord
Reaches to the heavens
Your faithfulness
Stretches to the sky
Your righteousness
Is like the mighty mountains
Your justice flows
Like the ocean's tide

I will lift my voice
To worship You my King
I will find my strength
In the shadow of Your wings

Your love O Lord
Reaches to the heavens
Your faithfulness
Stretches to the sky

GOSPEL READING

The Lord be with you
And also with you.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John, chapter 2, beginning at verse 1. /
Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

¹ On the third day a wedding took place at Cana in Galilee. Jesus' mother was there, ² and Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. ³ When the wine was gone, Jesus' mother said to him, "They have no more wine."

⁴ "Woman, why do you involve me?" Jesus replied. "My hour has not yet come."

⁵ His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."

⁶ Nearby stood six stone water jars, the kind used by the Jews for ceremonial washing, each holding from twenty to thirty gallons.

⁷ Jesus said to the servants, "Fill the jars with water"; so they filled them to the brim.

⁸ Then he told them, “Now draw some out and take it to the master of the banquet.”

They did so, ⁹ and the master of the banquet tasted the water that had been turned into wine. He did not realize where it had come from, though the servants who had drawn the water knew. Then he called the bridegroom aside ¹⁰ and said, “Everyone brings out the choice wine first and then the cheaper wine after the guests have had too much to drink; but you have saved the best till now.”

¹¹ What Jesus did here in Cana of Galilee was the first of the signs through which he revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

The Gospel of Christ. / **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

SERMON

SONG – New Wine

In the crushing in the pressing
You are making new wine
In the soil I now surrender
You are breaking new ground
(You are breaking new ground)

So I yield to You and to Your careful hand
When I trust You I don't need to understand

(So) Make me Your vessel
Make me an offering
Make me whatever You want me to be
(God) I came here with nothing
But all You have given me
Jesus bring new wine out of me

Jesus bring new wine out of me
Jesus bring new wine out of me

'Cause where there is new wine
There is new power
There is new freedom
And the kingdom is here
I lay down my old flames
To carry Your new fire today

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Let us confess our faith as we say,

**I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again
to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

INTERCESSIONS AND THANKSGIVINGS

Good and gracious God, your love is never-failing,
Your heart is open to us, your presence never leaves us;
Strengthen our faith, deepen our love for you
and keep us in your ways;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God for ever. **Amen.**

In peace let us pray to the Lord.
Lord have mercy.

For peace from on high and for our salvation,
let us pray to the Lord.
Lord, have mercy.

For the peace of the whole world,
for the welfare of the holy Church of God,
and for the unity of all,
let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For bishop David,
and for all clergy and people,
let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For Elizabeth our Queen,
for the leaders of the nations,
and for all in authority,
let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For this place where we live,
for every city and community,
and for those who live in them in faith,

In our own parishes we pray especially for
Alison & Elizabeth Forsythe, Lorna Fowler

In our deanery, we pray for Waterford - St. Mark's
and the Rev. Sean Davidson & Rev. Canon Allen Tapley

let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For all who are affected by coronavirus,
through illness or isolation or anxiety,
that they may find relief and recovery,
let us pray to the Lord

Lord, have mercy.

For our own needs and the needs of others,
for the lonely, the sick and the suffering ... (silent prayer)

For Ashley & Justin, Beverly, Jackie, Fred, Eldon, Bill, Dot ...

Together we pray, **Lord have mercy**

Remembering all the saints,
we commit ourselves, one another,
and our whole life to Christ our God.
To thee, O Lord.

O Lord our God,
you call us in the depths of our being:
open our ears to your call,
open our hearts to your love,
open our minds to your will,
that we may know you and give ourselves
fully in your service,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

THE COLLECT

Almighty God,
your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ
is the light of the world.
May your people,
illuminated by your word and sacraments,
shine with the radiance of his glory,
that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed
to the ends of the earth;
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Gathering our prayers and praises into one, let us pray as our Saviour taught us,

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

CLOSING SONG – King of Kings

In the darkness we were waiting
Without hope without light
Till from Heaven You came running
There was mercy in Your eyes

To fulfil the law and prophets
To a virgin came the Word
From a throne of endless glory
To a cradle in the dirt

Praise the Father
Praise the Son
Praise the Spirit three in one
God of Glory
Majesty
Praise forever to the King of kings

To reveal the kingdom coming
And to reconcile the lost
To redeem the whole creation
You did not despise the cross

For even in Your suffering
You saw to the other side
Knowing this was our salvation
Jesus for our sake You died

And the morning that You rose
All of heaven held its breath
Till that stone was moved for good
For the Lamb had conquered death

And the dead rose from their tombs
And the angels stood in awe
For the souls of all who'd come
To the Father are restored

And the Church of Christ was born
Then the Spirit lit the flame
Now this Gospel truth of old
Shall not kneel shall not faint

By His blood and in His Name
In His freedom I am free
For the love of Jesus Christ
Who has resurrected me

BLESSING & DISMISSAL

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all, evermore. **Amen.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parish Website

Check out "The Latest" on our homepage to keep updated on COVID-19, parish life, and weekly worship: www.watermark-parishes.ca.

Sunday Worship thru January

January 16 Morning Prayer by Zoom (11:00am)
January 23 Morning Prayer by Zoom (11:00am)
January 30 Morning Prayer by Zoom (11:00am)

Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84656332115>

Order of service attached.

A service of Morning Prayer will be available on the website for those unable to join us for Zoom. Link for January 9: <https://watermark-parishes.ca/sunday-prayers-home-january-16-2022/>

COVID-19 Update

On Friday, January 13, we moved to Level 3 of the provincial winter plan which means that in-person church gatherings are not permitted until the end of January 30. As indicated above, we will gather for a live and interactive Morning Prayer service by Zoom at 11am on Sundays.

There will also be a service of Morning Prayer on the website under "Resources for Worship, Study and Prayer" for those unable to join us by Zoom.

If you have any questions, please contact one of our wardens (Nancy – 647-0144; Blair – 434-2475; Marshall – 433-4517) or pastor Sean (434-4684). As always, let's continue to find ways to reach out and encourage one another in the days and weeks ahead. Many blessings everyone.

Weekly Bible Study

Please join us for small group Bible study during the season of Epiphany. All are welcome and no experience required!

What: Exploring the Letter of 1 John

When: 7:00-8:00pm, Tuesdays, Jan. 11, 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22

Where: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84656332115>

Men's Bible Study

Men's Bible study resumes Saturday, January 8 at 9am by Zoom at

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84656332115>. Newcomers, welcome!

Potential Partnership with Trinity Sussex

Given that we are now in Level 3 of the winter plan until at least January 30, we will need to reschedule the congregational meetings that had been planned for January 18th and 19th (see below). Please stay tuned.