

The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

Jan. 24, 2016

9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
Services

Book of Alternative

Proclamation Hymn: # 419

The gathering of the community

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Glory to God (spoken)

Collect of the Day (stand) P. 351

Nehemiah 8: 1 - 3, 5 - 6, 8 - 10

Psalm 19

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1 Corinthians 12: 12 - 31a

Gospel Acclamation # 712

Holy Gospel: Luke 4: 14 - 21

Sermon:

The Creed P. 188

Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution (Stand or Kneel)

Offertory Hymn: # 413

Prayer over the Gifts

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Eucharistic Prayer

Sanctus: # 735

The Lord's Prayer (spoken) P. 211

The Breaking of the Bread P. 212

Agnus Dei: # 701

All baptized Christians may receive the Holy Eucharist.

Communion Hymn # 73

Prayer after Communion (Stand) P. 351

Doxology (spoken) P. 214

Benediction

Recessional Hymn: # 627

Announcements

Next Sunday - Third Sunday after Epiphany

Scripture Readings:

Jeremiah 1: 4 - 10

Psalm 71: 1 - 6

1 Corinthians 13: 1 - 13

Luke 4: 21 - 30

Our Ministers for today:

Host: Elizabeth Whalley

Greeter: Jim Green

Readers: Elizabeth Whalley, Laurie Hardman

Prayers of the People: Garth O'Neill

Servers: Bruce Adderley

Eucharistic Assistant: Brenda Coopman, David Reid

Chancel Guild: Cyndi Roy, Marg Boone

Coffee hosts: Bonnie McQueen, Mary Ripley, Grace Dawson

Food Cupboard: Linda Rintamaki, Bonnie McQueen, Sharon & Dale Sparkes, Shirley, Jim Bolt, Wayne Edmunds.

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Your prayers are asked Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil and The Most Rev. Francisco De Assis Da Silva, Primate of Brazil & Bishop of South-Western Brazil.

Anglican Lutheran Cycle of Prayer: We are asked to pray for Archbishop Percy Coffin, the people and clergy of the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada, and the Dean, Council, and congregations of the Ottawa, Ottawa Valley, and Seaway Areas of the Eastern Synod.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Pray for the Parish of Powassan, Callander, Restoule and St. Mary's, Powassan, St. Peter's, Callander, St Alban's, Restoule, and the Rev. Joan Locke.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: Eula Botley, Henri & Esther Brochu, Alan & Marilyn Chisholm, and the Rev. Gail Clifton & Gail Pell.

Receiving Holy Communion: Our altar is the table not merely of the church but of Christ. It is made ready for those who love him and for those who want to love him more. So come, whether you have much faith or little, have tried to follow or are afraid you have failed. Come because it is Christ's will that those who want to meet him, might meet him here. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please indicate this by placing your arms across your chest. We ask that you not dip the bread into the chalice. If you are not comfortable with the common cup, please receive only the bread. Our tradition says that to receive any part of the Eucharist is to receive the full grace of the Sacrament. Gluten-free bread is available upon request.

Thunder Bay - North Shore Anglicans

is hosting their 13th Annual Silent Lenten Retreat

“Opening the Shutters of our Souls: A Spiritual Spa for the Soul”

Sat. Feb. 27 from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at St. John’s Church.

Retreat leader - Sr. Elizabeth Ann

of the Anglican Sisters of St. John the Divine.

Cost - \$30 per person and includes lunch and snacks.

Wear comfy clothing and

bring your pillow & blanket. To register please contact:

Levina Collins at 1-807-887-2708 or
levinacollins@nipigon.net or
Eleanor Gardiner at 622-0752 or
eleanortgardiner@gmail.com .

Everyone welcome!

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Thurs. Jan. 28
7:45 p.m.

Choir Rehearsal

Parish Statistics (last week):

9:30: 54

Parochial: EOP: \$1336.43 Givings: \$255.00 Total: \$1591.43

Required to meet our budget: \$3070.00 per week.

PARISH NEWS

Come to Breakfast and Welcome Rev. Dr. George Porter at 8:30a.m. on Jan. 31. Make plans for this unique “meet & greet welcome” for our new (shared) incumbent followed by a BCP Eucharist at our regular 9:30 service time.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper - will be held in Langworthy Hall on Tues. Feb 9 beginning at 5 p.m. Cost \$5 for adults, children under 10 - \$3. All proceeds will go to the St. John’s Food Cupboard.

Please Note - our **Annual Vestry Meeting will be on Feb. 21** following the 9:30 service with a soup and sandwich lunch to follow. In preparation for that and according to established procedures the wardens are inviting the submission of motions (if any) to be received by Feb. 14th at the post service coffee time. Submissions can be prepared in Times-Roman, 12 pt. font and emailed to the church office at church@stjohnsanglicantbay.ca or a hard copy can be given to one of the wardens or left in the office.

Music Committee - Anyone interested in the music program at St. John’s is invited to join the newly formed music committee. This is a short-term, ad hoc committee which is being established by the Advisory Board to review the job description of the music director, and discuss the role of music in the new service and we would appreciate input from choir members, board members, and parishioners. Please contact Brenda O’Neill - email brendaoneill@shaw.ca or call 345-9312.

The Lamplighter - submissions for our next parish newsletter are due in the office by Feb. 7th. They can be emailed to the office at church@stjohnsanglicantbay.ca or directly to Sharon at sjcorston@gmail.com.

Are you interested in the ongoing life of St. John’s parish? Please contact Marg Boone or Brenda Coopman of the recruitment committee if you would consider serving on the Advisory board.

The Anglican Journal, Algoma Anglican, St. John’s Lamplighter - there are copies of the most recent editions of these publications at the back of the church. If you have not received copies in the mail and would like one, please help yourself.

Craft Group: meetings are cancelled for the remainder of January and February. The next meeting will be on March 4 at 10 a.m.

The Food Cupboard Lunch on Jan. 10 raised a total of \$385.35.

NEIGHBOURHOOD NEWS

Please mark your calendars and join us at The Anglican - Evangelical Lutheran Group (AELG) Variety Showcase on Jan. 29 in support of the Bursary & Poverty Fund. Bring your friends and plan to attend. Tickets are \$10 and are available at the door or through AELG members. Featured are Inkeri Tuikka, King's Highway, Hildale Singers, St. Paul's Liturgical dancers, Silver Sounds Choir, Theresa Marie Thibert and Thunderbrass - and more... For more info contact Liisa @ 343-0190 or Sharon @ 355-1549.

All are invited to **St. Luke's Parish Hall** each **Monday at 7 p.m.** for **"Rewind"** where congregation members discuss Rev. Canon Dr. Porter's Sunday sermon.

PWRDF - Emergency Relief to Syrian Refugees: The Canadian Government has extended the date for matching funds to February 29, 2016.

The 105th Pathfinders are pleased to present a Valentine's Tea at St. John's with our help on Saturday, Feb. 13th with two sittings at 1 p.m. and 2:15 p.m. They have 25 eager young ladies to prepare sandwiches and goodies on Friday afternoon. There will be a white elephant table and baking as well as Girl Guide Cookies for sale. Tickets \$5 available from Grace Dawson, Mary Ripley, and David Reid. Proceeds to be split between the Pathfinders and St. John's.

Upcoming Concert - The Roy Coran Big Band plays the Music of Duke Ellington. Join them on Sun. Jan 31 at 2 p.m. at St. Agnes Church (corner of Brown & Mary St.) Tickets are \$15 and available at the church office, Music World Academy, Music Place and from all members of the band & St. Agnes choir. Wouldn't it make a lovely treat for someone special on a cold, winter's day?

Camp Gitchigomee is having a Two-Bit Auction fundraiser at the Elk's Lodge, 201 N. Syndicate Ave. On Thurs., Feb. 25th. They anticipate a wide variety of baskets available for bidding. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. bidding starting at 7 p.m. There will also be 50/50 draws throughout the evening. Admission \$2 each or 3 for \$5 available from Dave Reid or at the door.

St. Stephen's is hosting a Roast Beef Dinner @ the Current River Community Centre on Feb. 20. Cost is \$25.