

THE READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY
Third Sunday after Epiphany (Proper 3)
ISAIAH 9:1–4; PSALM 27:1, 5–13;
1 CORINTHIANS 1:10–18; MATTHEW 4:12–23

The
Church
of
St. Martin
-in-the-
Fields

Second Sunday
after Epiphany
January 19, 2020



8:30 a.m. SAID EUCHARIST

Celebrant: Fr. Philip

Greeting and Collect for Purity, page 185 (Green Book)

Gloria, page 186

The Collect (*see leaflet inside*)

First Reading: Isaiah 49.1-7

Psalms 40.1-12 (*see leaflet inside*)

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1.1-9

The Holy Gospel: John 1.29-42

Homily: Fr. Jeff Nowers

The Nicene Creed, page 188

Prayers of the People 6, page 115

Confession and Absolution, page 191

Prayer over the Gifts (*see leaflet inside*)

Eucharistic Prayer 1, page 193

The Lord's Prayer, page 211

The Breaking of the Bread 1, page 212

Communion

Prayer after Communion (*see leaflet inside*)

The Doxology, page 214

Blessing and Dismissal.



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11:00 A.M. SUNG EUCHARIST

Celebrant: the Rev'd Alison Hari-Singh

Kid's Church is available downstairs

Introit Hymn 484 (Blue Book)

McKee

Greeting and Collect for Purity, page 185 (Green Book)

Glory to God, page 186

Ives

The Collect *see leaflet (standing)*

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading: Isaiah 49.1-7

Psalms 40.1-12 (*see leaflet*)

Tone 1.1

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1.1-9

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. *The Word of God became flesh and dwelt among us. To all who receive him, he gave power to become children of God.* **Alleluia**

The Holy Gospel: John 1.29-42

Sermon: Fr. Jeff Nowers

The Nicene Creed, page 188

Merbecke

Prayers of the People 6, page 115

Confession and Absolution, page 191 (*please kneel*)

The Peace, page 192

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn 385

Uttingen

Prayer over the Gifts (*see leaflet*)

Eucharistic Prayer 1, page 193

The Lord's Prayer, page 211 (music - page 918)

The Breaking of the Bread 1, page 212

The Communion, page 213

Communion Hymn In Christ Alone

Motet

Prayer after Communion (*see leaflet*)

Doxology, page 214

The Blessing of the People

Hymn 441

Surrey

Dismissal.

Please join us for refreshments in the Parish Hall after the service.

Come and play Pickleball

Did you make a New Year's resolution to exercise more in 2020? Why not come out on Thursdays to enjoy an afternoon of Pickleball in the Parish Hall from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.? No experience is necessary. All are welcome.

Parking

This is a reminder that the parking spaces in the area at the top of the lane way beside the church are reserved on Sundays for those with mobility challenges. Also, please do not park in the areas with the yellow painted cross-hatching as this prevents others from backing out of the parking area and also restricts the access of emergency vehicles such as ambulances and fire trucks which may be called on a Sunday morning.

Toronto Area Unity Service

The Toronto area service to celebrate the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity will take place at Yorkminster Park Baptist Church (Yonge & Heath) next Sunday, January 26 at 7 p.m. Our diocesan bishop, Bishop Andrew Asbil, will take part. Thomas Cardinal Collins will be the preacher.

Altar Flowers for 2020

A new flower chart has been posted on the narthex bulletin board. Please put your name by the Sunday(s) that you would like to sponsor the flowers in the church in 2020.

Nominations for Vestry

Our annual Vestry meeting will be held on Sunday, February 23 following the 11 a.m. service. A Nominations Committee has been formed by Parish Council and Management Board to bring forward a slate of candidates. If you would be interested in finding out about various positions in the parish, please speak to Cindy Paget or Philip Savage.

Vestry Reports

The chairs of the various parish committees and groups are reminded that their written reports for Vestry should be in the Parish Office by Sunday, February 2. It would be helpful if the reports were sent by e-mail to phobson@stmartininthefields.ca Thank you.

Forward Day by Day

Copies of this daily guide to prayer and scripture reading for February– April are available at the back of the church. Please place an extra toonie on the collection plate to cover the cost. Thank you.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR		
Sunday	1:00 p.m.	Coffee Cohorts gathering
	1:00 p.m.	Nominating Committee
	2:00 p.m.	Eucharist at Grenadier
Monday-Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Mattins
Monday	7:30 p.m.	Management Board
Tuesday	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Thursday	1:00 p.m.	Pickleball
	8:00 p.m.	Choir Practice

Prayer over the Gifts

Living God, you have revealed your Son as the Messiah. May we hear his word and follow it, and live as children of light. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

Prayer after Communion

God of Glory, you nourish us with bread from heaven. Fill us with your Holy Spirit, that through us your light may shine in all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

Announcements

Welcome

We welcome as our preacher at both services today the Revd Jeff Nowers, the Associate Priest at St. Aidan's and the husband of our Assistant Curate, the Revd Alison Hari-Singh, who will be celebrating the Eucharist for the first time at the 11 a.m. service today. We also welcome Derrick Hemple from Runnymede United Church who is reading the first reading at the 11 a.m. service as part of our neighbourhood Week of Prayer for Christian Unity exchange.

Beat the winter blahs!

We are inviting our local Community to join us for our second Family Games Night next Saturday, January 25 from 5:30 – 8:00. Bring your favourite games – and some nibbles – and prepare to have fun! Pizza and beverages will be provided. Oh – and feel free to invite your neighbours as well.

Thank you

Thank you to everyone who worked so hard to make last Sunday's Ordination and the reception that followed such a wonderful and joyous occasion.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

The Toronto chapter of the Fellowship of St. Alban & St. Sergius and St. John's Convent are hosting an evening this Thursday, January 23rd at the Convent to celebrate the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. The evening begins at 6 p.m. in the Convent chapel with the singing of Orthodox Vespers. After a sandwich supper, the evening continues with a talk by Stephanie Martin, noted Canadian composer on the influence of Orthodox music on the music of Healey Willan and Stephanie's own compositions. All are welcome.

2020 Offering Envelopes

Sets of 12 monthly offering envelopes for 2020 are available at the back of the church. To obtain a set of envelopes, please print your name on the list.

Toiletries for Out of the Cold

The Out of the Cold programme at St. Matthew's, Islington supported by our parish needs toiletries to give to those who come to the weekly dinner. Please place your donations of small toiletries (toothbrushes, small toothpastes, disposable razors, shaving soap, shampoos, soaps etc.) in the box provided.

Better Sight and Sound

Large print editions of the bulletin and hymn book are available from the sidespeople. They have ear pieces that provide enhanced hearing.

*The flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God
in loving memory of Eleanor Finlayson
and George Jackson by their families.*

*The flowers at the Madonna are given to the glory of God
by Glen & Lindsey Storey
in loving memory of their son, Patrick.*

The Collect

Almighty God, your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ is the light of the world. May your people, illumined 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.**

A Reading from the Book of Isaiah

Listen to me, O coastlands, pay attention, you peoples from far away! The Lord called me before I was born, while I was in my mother's womb he named me. He made my mouth like a sharp sword, in the shadow of his hand he hid me; he made me a polished arrow, in his quiver he hid me away. And he said to me, "You are my servant, Israel, in whom I will be glorified." But I said, "I have laboured in vain, I have spent my strength for nothing and vanity; yet surely my cause is with the Lord, and my reward with my God." And now the Lord says, who formed me in the womb to be his servant, to bring Jacob back to him, and that Israel might be gathered to him, for I am honoured in the sight of the Lord, and my God has become my strength—he says, "It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to restore the survivors of Israel; I will give you as a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth." Thus says the Lord, the Redeemer of Israel and his Holy One, to one deeply despised, abhorred by the nations, the slave of rulers, "Kings shall see and stand up, princes, and they shall prostrate themselves, because of the Lord, who is faithful, the Holy One of Israel, who has chosen you."

Isaiah 49:1-7



Psalm 40.1-12

- 1 I waited patiently upon the Lord; *
he stooped to me and heard my cry.
- 2 He lifted me out of the desolate pit, out of the mire and clay; *
he set my feet upon a high cliff and made my footing sure.
- 3 He put a new song in my mouth,
a song of praise to our God; *
many shall see, and stand in awe,
and put their trust in the Lord.
- 4 Happy are they who trust in the Lord! *
they do not resort to evil spirits or turn to false gods.
- 5 Great things are they that you have done, O Lord my God!
how great your wonders and your plans for us! *
there is none who can be compared with you.
- 6 Oh, that I could make them known and tell them! *
but they are more than I can count.
- 7 In sacrifice and offering you take no pleasure *
(you have given me ears to hear you);
- 8 Burnt-offering and sin-offering you have not required, *
and so I said, "Behold, I come.
- 9 In the roll of the book it is written concerning me: *
'I love to do your will, O my God;
your law is deep in my heart.'"
- 10 I proclaimed righteousness in the great congregation; *
behold, I did not restrain my lips;
and that, O Lord, you know.
- 11 Your righteousness have I not hidden in my heart;
I have spoken of your faithfulness and
your deliverance; *
I have not concealed your love and faithfulness from
the great congregation.
- 12 You are the Lord;
do not withhold your compassion from me; *
let your love and your faithfulness keep me safe for ever,

A Reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians

Paul, called to be an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and our brother Sosthenes, To the church of God that is in Corinth, to those who are sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints, together with all those who in every place call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that has been given you in Christ Jesus, for in every way you have been enriched in him, in speech and knowledge of every kind — just as the testimony of Christ has been strengthened among you — so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ. He will also strengthen you to the end, so that you may be blameless on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is faithful; by him you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. *1 Corinthians 1:1-9*

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

The next day John the Baptist saw Jesus coming toward him and declared, "Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world! This is he of whom I said, 'After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me.' I myself did not know him; but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel." And John testified, "I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.' And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Son of God." The next day John again was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he exclaimed, "Look, here is the Lamb of God!" The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. When Jesus turned and saw them following, he said to them, "What are you looking for?" They said to him, "Rabbi" (which translated means Teacher), "where are you staying?" He said to them, "Come and see." They came and saw where he was staying, and they remained with him that day. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon. One of the two who heard John speak and followed him was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. He first found his brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which is translated Anointed). He brought Simon to Jesus, who looked at him and said, "You are Simon son of John. You are to be called Cephas" (which is translated Peter).

John 1:29-42 5