

# Parish of Estevan

## January 17, 2021

### 2nd Sunday after the Epiphany



St. Giles'

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Estevan, Saskatchewan

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# ST. GILES ANGLICAN CHURCH

Morning Prayer

10:00 a.m.

Organist:	Margaret Duncan
Readings:	Joan Phair
Prayers of the People:	Jan Harris

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## Welcome:

We begin by acknowledging that the land on which we gather, is on in Treaty 4 Territory, the original lands of the Cree, Ojibwe, Saulteaux, Dakota, Nakota, Lakota, and the homeland of the Metis people.

## Hymn: Open My Eyes That I May See

1. Open my eyes that I may see  
glimpses of truth thou hast for me;  
place in my hands the wonderful key  
that shall unclasp and set me free. . . . . *Chorus*

*Silently now I wait for thee,  
ready, my God, thy will to see;  
open my eyes, illumine me,  
Spirit divine!*

2. Open my ears that I may hear  
voices of truth thou sendest clear,  
and while the wave notes fall on my ear,  
ev'ry thing false will disappear. . . . . *Chorus*

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3. Open my mouth and let me bear  
gladly the warm truth ev'rywhere;  
open my heart and let me prepare  
love with thy children thus to share. . . . . *Chorus*

## Sentence

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

See John 1

## **The Penitential Rite**

*The officiant says to the people,*

Dear friends in Christ,  
as we prepare to worship almighty God,  
let us with penitent and obedient hearts confess our sins,  
that we may obtain forgiveness by his infinite goodness and mercy.

*Silence is kept.*

*The officiant and people say together,*

**Most merciful God,  
we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done  
and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us,  
that we may delight in your will,  
and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your name. Amen.**

*The priest says,*

Almighty God have mercy upon you,  
pardon and deliver you from all your sins,  
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,  
and keep you in eternal life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*People* **Amen.**

## **The Invitatory**

The Lord is our refuge and strength:

**All: O come, let us worship.**

**Venite**                      *Sung*

1. Let us sing to the God of Salvation,  
Let us sing to the Lord our rock!  
Let us come to His house with thanksgiving!  
Let us come before the Lord and sing. . . . . *Chorus*

*Praise our Maker  
Praise our Saviour  
Praise the Lord, our everlasting King  
Every knee must bow before Him  
God is Lord of everything!*

2. In His hand are the earth's deep places,  
And the strength of the hills is His!  
All the sea is the Lord's, for He made it.  
By His hand the dry land was formed. . . . . *Chorus*

3. Let us worship the Lord, our Maker  
Let us kneel to the Lord our God.  
For we all are the sheep of His pasture,  
He will guide us by His powerful hand. . . . . *Chorus*

4. Let today be time when you hear Him!  
May our hearts not be hard or cold,  
Lest we stray from the Lord in rebellion,  
As His people did in time of old. . . . . *Chorus*

The Lord is our refuge and strength:  
**All: O come, let us worship.**

## **The Proclamation of the Word**

### **The Readings**

*The reading, or readings, as appointed are read, the reader first saying,*  
A reading from **First Samuel**

<sup>3</sup>Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the LORD under Eli. The word of the LORD was rare in those days; visions were not widespread.

<sup>2</sup> At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his room; <sup>3</sup>the lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the LORD, where the ark of God was. <sup>4</sup>Then the LORD called, 'Samuel! Samuel!' and he said, 'Here I am!' <sup>5</sup>and ran to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' But he said, 'I did not call; lie down again.' So he went and lay down. <sup>6</sup>The LORD called again, 'Samuel!' Samuel got up and went to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' But he said, 'I did not call, my son; lie down again.' <sup>7</sup>Now Samuel did not yet know the LORD, and the word of the LORD had not yet been revealed to him. <sup>8</sup>The LORD called Samuel again, a third time. And he got up and went to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' Then Eli perceived that the LORD was calling the boy. <sup>9</sup>Therefore Eli said to

Samuel, 'Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say, "Speak, LORD, for your servant is listening."' So Samuel went and lay down in his place.

<sup>10</sup> Now the LORD came and stood there, calling as before, 'Samuel! Samuel!' And Samuel said, 'Speak, for your servant is listening.' <sup>11</sup>Then the LORD said to Samuel, 'See, I am about to do something in Israel that will make both ears of anyone who hears of it tingle. <sup>12</sup>On that day I will fulfil against Eli all that I have spoken concerning his house, from beginning to end. <sup>13</sup>For I have told him that I am about to punish his house for ever, for the iniquity that he knew, because his sons were blaspheming God, and he did not restrain them. <sup>14</sup>Therefore I swear to the house of Eli that the iniquity of Eli's house shall not be expiated by sacrifice or offering for ever.'

<sup>15</sup> Samuel lay there until morning; then he opened the doors of the house of the LORD. Samuel was afraid to tell the vision to Eli. <sup>16</sup>But Eli called Samuel and said, 'Samuel, my son.' He said, 'Here I am.' <sup>17</sup>Eli said, 'What was it that he told you? Do not hide it from me. May God do so to you and more also, if you hide anything from me of all that he told you.' <sup>18</sup>So Samuel told him everything and hid nothing from him. Then he said, 'It is the LORD; let him do what seems good to him.'

<sup>19</sup> As Samuel grew up, the LORD was with him and let none of his words fall to the ground. <sup>20</sup>And all Israel from Dan to Beer-sheba knew that Samuel was a trustworthy prophet of the LORD.

The word of the Lord.

**People Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 139**

*sung*

1 Lord, you have searched me out and known me; \*  
you know my sitting down and my rising up; you discern my thoughts from afar.

2 You trace my journeys and my resting-places \*  
and are acquainted with all my ways.

3 Indeed, there is not a word on my lips, \*  
but you, O Lord, know it altogether.

4 You press upon me behind and before \*  
and lay your hand upon me.

5 Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; \*  
it is so high that I cannot attain to it.

12 For you yourself created my inmost parts; \*  
you knit me together in my mother's womb.

13 I will thank you because I am marvellously made; \*  
your works are wonderful, and I know it well.

14 My body was not hidden from you, \*  
while I was being made in secret and woven in the depths of the earth.

15 Your eyes beheld my limbs, yet unfinished in the womb;  
all of them were written in your book; \*  
they were fashioned day by day, when as yet there was none of them.

16 How deep I find your thoughts, O God! \*  
how great is the sum of them!

17 If I were to count them, they would be more in number than the sand; \*  
to count them all, my life span would need to be like yours.

### **A reading from 1 Corinthians**

6.12-20

<sup>12</sup> 'All things are lawful for me', but not all things are beneficial. 'All things are lawful for me', but I will not be dominated by anything. <sup>13</sup> 'Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for food', and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is meant not for fornication but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. <sup>14</sup> And God raised the Lord and will also raise us by his power. <sup>15</sup> Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Should I therefore take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never! <sup>16</sup> Do you not know that whoever is united to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For it is said, 'The two shall be one flesh.' <sup>17</sup> But anyone united to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. <sup>18</sup> Shun fornication! Every sin that a person commits is outside the body; but the fornicator sins against the body itself. <sup>19</sup> Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God, and that you are not your own? <sup>20</sup> For you were bought with a price; therefore glorify God in your body.

The word of the Lord.

**People Thanks be to God.**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to **John**

**1.43-51**

**People Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

<sup>43</sup> The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, 'Follow me.' <sup>44</sup> Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. <sup>45</sup> Philip found Nathanael and said to him, 'We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth.' <sup>46</sup> Nathanael said to him, 'Can

anything good come out of Nazareth?' Philip said to him, 'Come and see.'<sup>47</sup> When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, 'Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!' <sup>48</sup>Nathanael asked him, 'Where did you come to know me?' Jesus answered, 'I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.'<sup>49</sup> Nathanael replied, 'Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!' <sup>50</sup>Jesus answered, 'Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.'<sup>51</sup> And he said to him, 'Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.'

The Gospel of Christ.

**People Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

**Sermon: Archdeacon Wilma Woods**

**Musical Meditation: Breathe On Me Breath of God**

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**Affirmation of Faith**

***Hear, O Israel***

**Hear, O Israel,  
the Lord our God, the Lord is one.  
Love the Lord your God  
with all your heart,  
with all your soul,  
with all your mind,  
and with all your strength.  
This is the first and the great commandment.  
The second is like it:  
Love your neighbour as yourself.  
There is no commandment greater than these.**

**Offertory**

**During this time of pandemic, when we cannot physically put our offerings on the plate, we ask that offerings continue to be given by mail, e-transfer or pre-authorized deposits through your bank. Further information is on our website.**

For the gifts and offerings, we receive, we give thanks and pray:

## Intercessions and Thanksgivings

(Let us pray in faith to God our Father, to his Son Jesus Christ, and to the Holy Spirit, saying, "Lord, hear and have mercy.")

For the Church of the living God throughout the world, let us ask the riches of his grace.  
**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

For all who proclaim the word of truth, let us ask the infinite wisdom of Christ.  
For our clergy and churches Rob, our Bishop; Linda, our Primate; Mark, our National Indigenous Anglican Archbishop, Greg, our Metropolitan; Wilma, our Archdeacon; Brian our Honorary Assistant; Barb, our Deacon;  
for the clergy, lay leaders, congregation and ministries of the parish of Holy Trinity, Yorkton;  
for Executive Director Will Postma, and the staff of the Primate's World Relief and Development Fund;  
for Executive Director, Karin Achtelstetter, and staff of Canadian Lutheran World Relief, of the Evangelical Lutheran Church In Canada  
for Pastor Craig Hollands and the congregation of the Church of God;  
for the Dioceses of Limerick and Killaloe in Ireland and Spokane in Washington;  
for our companion dioceses of Lichfield and Muyinga;  
for our ecumenical partners in the Lutheran, Anglican, Ukrainian Catholic, Roman Catholic Covenant (LAURC)  
**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

For all who have consecrated their lives to the kingdom of God, and for all struggling to follow the way of Christ, let us ask the gifts of the Spirit.  
**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

For Elizabeth our Queen, for the Prime Minister of this country, and for all who govern the nations, that they may strive for justice and peace, let us ask the strength of God.  
We pray for peace for our neighbours in the United States.  
We pray that violence and unlawful behaviour will be rebuked.  
Lord in the coming days we pray that there will be an increasing spirit of kindness and unity, not only in the U.S. but throughout the world.  
**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

We pray for our church family especially: Scott and Dorna MacDonald & their children Blair and Declan; Jordan and Amber Mantei & their children Sasha, Sierra and Wyatt.  
**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

For scholars and research-workers, that their studies may benefit humanity, let us ask the light of the Lord.  
**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

For health care workers and all who are providing essential services through the Covid-19 pandemic;

for our front-line workers especially the staff and students of Hillcrest Public School;

for support for members of our congregations as we adapt to the changes that we are facing through the pandemic.

**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

For all who are sick, in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble especially: Autumn, Frank, Greg, Gwen, Bishop Rob and his family, his sister, Linda, and niece, Nicola, Lyle, Terry, Ginger Anderson, Raquel Be, Jodi Bryant, Gail Clark-Morgan, MacKenzie Delaine, Frank Elberg, Darlene Forbes, Wanda Friess, Dorothy Gaetz, Dave Genter, Luke Genter, Mike Gulak, Bob Haines, Glorhi Haines, Alan Hodges, Brian & Nola Joseph, Bea Lukye, Mikayla MacPherson, Leanne McCarthy, Arnold Newton, The Rev. Jason Richards, Les Saxon, Kim Smith, Candy Smyth, Wanda Stang, Dustin Taylor, Ed Taylor, Lisa Van de Velde, Eldon VanKoughnett, Edna Walliser, Meghan Wright, and Tom Wright, and those we name silently before you.

**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

For all who have passed from this life in faith and obedience, especially: Annie Quaife '99; Richard Huffman '89; Jack Leniczek '06; Mike Anderson '19; Helga Harris '11; Ivy Lundeen '99; Bob Smith '05.

let us ask the peace of Christ.

**Lord, hear and have mercy.**

## **The Collect**

### **The Lord's Prayer**

*Officiant* And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,

*All* 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.

## Dismissal

*Then may be said or sung,*

*Officiant* Let us bless the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

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.**

## Hymn: Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

1. Joyful, joyful we adore thee, God of glory, Lord of love;  
hearts unfold like flowers before thee, opening to the sun above.  
melt the clouds of sin and sadness, drive the dark of doubt away;  
giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day.

2. All thy works with joy surround thee, earth and heaven reflect thy rays;  
stars and angels sing around thee, centre of unbroken praise.  
Field and forest, vale and mountain, flowery meadow, flashing sea,  
chanting bird and flowing fountain call us to rejoice in thee.

3. Thou art giving and forgiving, ever blessing, ever blest,  
well-spring of the joy of living, ocean depth of happy rest!  
Thou our Father and our Mother, all who live in love are thine;  
teach us how to love each other, lift us to the joy divine.

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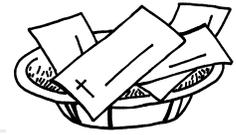


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Listed below are the options that we have:



1. You can mail your offering to:  
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317 12th Ave.  
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2. e-Transfer your donation to:  
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3. You can sign up for automatic giving. Heather has forms or the form is on the website [www.estevananglican.com](http://www.estevananglican.com). You can print it, fill it out and scan it back to stgiles@sasktel.net or put it in your mailbox at your house and Heather (306) 421-2457 will pick it up. (Please phone her or send her text so she knows to do that!)
4. You could put your donation in an envelope with your name on it in your mailbox at your house and Heather (306) 421-2457 will pick it up. (Please phone her or send her a text so she knows to do that!)

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- **Calendars for 2021 are available.**  
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