

# WILL YOU PROCLAIM?

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of his strength I will  
red unto thee;  
is my high tower,  
with his lovingkind-  
ness meet me;  
let me see my deliverance  
mine enemies,  
a rock, lest my people

them by thy power,  
ins them down,  
our shield,  
in of their mouth, and  
rds of their lips.  
even be taken in their

cursing and bring  
they speak,  
them in wrath, con-  
them, so that they  
e no more:  
them know that God  
in Jacob,  
ends of the earth.

evening let them re-  
it them how like a deer,  
sund about the city,  
all wander up and  
or food,  
f all night if they be  
ished.

I sing of thy strength;  
ill sing aloud of thy  
indness in the mon-

has been my high  
tace in the day of my  
.

O, O my strength, will  
raises:  
is my high tower, the  
my mercy.

Heal in Battle, and Prayer  
for Help.

Meditation: get to Sheshan  
dam of David, to death  
with arrows making mi-  
ah, and Jehu returned on  
in the Valley of Jehoi-  
adab.

thou hast cast us off,  
has broken us down;  
I been angry; oh re-  
strain.

and Vahle. My strength  
be its name for me. 1. In-  
ter to and Ps. 1. That a  
my

635  
2 Thou hast made the land to  
tremble; thou hast rent it;  
Heal the breaches thereof;  
for it shaketh.  
3 Thou hast showed thy people  
hard things;  
Thou hast made us to drink the  
wine of staggering.

4 Thou hast given a banner to  
them that fear thee.  
That it may be displayed be-  
cause of the truth. (Selah)

5 That thy beloved may be de-  
livered.  
Save with thy right hand, and  
answer us.

6 God hath spoken in his holiness: I will exult;  
I will divide Shechem, and  
mete out the valley of Succoth.

7 Gilead is mine, and Manasseh is mine;  
Simeon also is the defence  
of my head;

8 Gad is my washpot;  
Upon Edom will I cast my  
shoe.

9 Who will bring me into the  
strong city?  
Who hath led me unto Edom?  
10 Hast not thou, O God, cast  
us off?

11 And thou goest not forth, O  
God, with our hosts.  
12 Give us help against the ad-  
versary;

For vain is the help of man.  
13 Through God we shall do val-  
iantly;

For he it is that will tread down  
our adversaries.

Confession in God's Protection.  
For the Chief Musician; on a stringed  
instrument. A Psalm of David.

61 Hear my cry, O God;  
Attend unto my prayer.  
2 From the end of the earth will I  
call unto thee, when my  
heart is overwhelmed:

3 My heart trembled in me. 1. Cry, daughter  
10. Thus 11 Cry: Who will lead me, etc.  
12. We will show, O God, who hath our  
13. and more. . . . host? 14 Heb. salvation  
15. Heb. to

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## PSALMS 60.2-62.6

Lead me to the rock that is  
higher than I.

3 For thou hast been a refuge  
for me,  
A strong tower from the enemy.

4 I will dwell in thy tabernacle  
for ever:

5 I will take refuge in the covert  
of thy wings. (Selah)

6 For thou, O God, hast heard  
my vows:

7 Thou hast given me the heri-  
tage of those that fear thy  
name.

8 Thou wilt prolong the king's life:  
His years shall be as many  
generations.

9 He shall abide before God for  
ever.

10 Oh prepare lovingkindness and  
truth, that they may preserve  
him.

11 So will I sing praise unto thy  
name for ever.

12 That I may daily perform my  
vows.

God alone a Refuge from Troublous and  
Oppression.  
For the Chief Musician; after the manner  
of Jonathan. A Psalm of David.

62 My soul waiteth in silence  
for God only.

From him cometh my salvation.  
2 He only is my rock and my sal-  
vation:

3 He is my high tower; I shall  
not be greatly moved.

4 How long will ye set upon a  
man,  
1. That ye may slay him, all of  
you,  
2. Like a leaning wall, like a tot-  
tering fence?

5 They only consult to thrust him  
down from his dignity;  
They delight in lies;  
They bless with their mouth,  
but they curse inwardly.

6 My soul, 1. wait thou in silence  
for God only;

2. For my expectation is from him.  
3. He only is my rock and my sal-  
vation:

4. 1. Cry, rock that is too high for me. 2. Heb.  
10. Thus 11 Cry: Who will lead me, etc.  
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WE WILL, WITH  
God's help!

# the Parish of St. Dunstan

On the traditional lands of the Sto:lo Nation

January 19, 2020

2nd Sunday after Epiphany



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# Welcome!

This is a diverse & safe congregation for people wherever they are on their journey with Christ. We are an inclusive church which means we celebrate women in leadership, children at the Eucharist & welcome LGBTQ+ people to participate fully in the community.

## W O R S H I P

**We will, with God's Help!**  
*Learning to live the baptized life.*  
*Following the way of Jesus.*  
*Together.*

### For Children

The **Nursery** is staffed & open for children ages 0 to 4.

There is **Sunday School** this morning for children ages 5 to 12.

**Activity bags** are available in the entry near the colouring table.

All our volunteers & staff have a criminal record check.

### Taking Communion

Everyone is welcome to receive bread & wine as a sign of our commitment to Christ & Christ's commitment to us.

There are **gluten-free wafers** for those who need it & **juice** for those who prefer.

**Prayers for healing** with the anointing of oil is offered beneath the cross during Communion. Please **light a candle** as a sign of your prayers.

# Today's Scripture

Introductions to the Lessons by Bill Bennett

**Isaiah 49:** *Despite the trials of Exile in Babylon the prophet says the mission of the servant is a mission by Israel to all nations.*

**I Corinthians 1:** *Paul had spent eighteen months in Corinth. Now staying in Ephesus, he sends a letter of greeting to the new Corinthian Christians.*

**John 1:** *The Baptist recognises Jesus as 'the Lamb of God.' The call of Andrew & Peter follows.*

## Sermon Notes

### What is this thing called baptism?

Right up to Lent (which begins on Ash Wednesday February 26<sup>th</sup>) we will explore this ancient practice & wonder how it affects us today.

Each week we will wonder about one of the six questions in the Baptismal Covenant found in the Book of Alternative Services on page 159. If you do not have a Book of Alternative Services – please take one! They are on the bottom shelves in our library. When you look at page 159 you will notice there are only five promises. The Anglican Church of Canada added a sixth. You can find it at [Anglican.ca](http://Anglican.ca).

This week we wonder about the third baptismal covenant:

Will you proclaim by word & example the  
good news of God in Christ?  
**We will, with God's help!**

Weekly devotions are available on the welcome desk as well as  
on the website.

# Gathering the Community

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The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, ☩ the love of God, ☩ the communion of the Holy Spirit, be with you all. ☩ **also with you.**

## *Announcements*

There is one body ☩ one Spirit, **there is one hope in God's call to us;**  
One Lord, one faith, one baptism, **one God ☩ Father of all.**

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**We are standing on holy ground. ☩ I know that there are angels all around. Let us praise Jesus now. We are standing in his presence on holy ground.**

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*Geron Davis*

*(Refrain)* **Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim  
'til all the world adore his sacred name!**

**Come, Christian people, sing your praises, shout!  
If we are silent, even stones cry out. (Refrain)**

**Jesus, you wept to see our human strife:  
teach us compassion for each human life. (Refrain)**

**Peace was your plea, ☩ peace your loving theme:  
let peace be our passport, peace a living dream. (Refrain)**

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*Blue Book 602*

Let us pray.

**Steadfast God, you have enriched ☩ enlightened us by the revelation of your eternal Christ. Strengthen us to walk the path of his teaching, so that by word ☩ deed ☩ in the power of the Spirit we may manifest the gracious news of your faithfulness ☩ love. Amen.**

# Proclaiming the Word

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*The Prophet Isaiah (49:1-7)*

Listen for God's Word. **Our hearts are open.**

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**Grateful for the life you give us, thankful for your Holy Son,  
joyful in your spirit flowing over all, O God of Love.**

**Grateful for the Bread of Heaven, thankful for your Holy Word,  
joyful in your mercy flowing, we will praise you.**

*Tom Tomaszek*

*Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians (1:1-9)*

Listen for God's Word. **Our hearts are open.**

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*(Refrain)* **Oh a song must rise for the spirit to descend. Oh, a song must rise once again. Singing out God's praises & glory, the faithful voices blend. Oh, a song must rise for the spirit to descend.**

**From the mountains to the valleys, from the desert to the sea, a song must rise once again. From the voices of our leaders, the voice of you & me, a song must rise for the spirit to descend. (Refrain)**

**From poverty & riches, from the voice of young & old, a song must rise once again. From the free & the imprisoned, the timid & the bold, a song must rise for the spirit to descend. (Refrain)**

**From every house of worship, in every faith & tongue, a song must rise once again. From the villages & cities a new song must be sung, a song must rise for the spirit to descend. (Refrain)**

*Svenson & Nixon*

May God be with you. & **also with you.**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

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

*John 1:29-42*

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

*Sermon, Baptismal Covenant & the Prayers of the People*

The peace of the Lord be always with you. & **also with you.**

*Please be seated as we collect our offering to God.*

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**As we gather at your table, as we listen to your word,  
help us know, O God, your presence; let our hearts & minds be stirred.**

**Nourish us with sacred story till we claim it as our own;  
teach us through this holy banquet how to make Love's victory known.**

**Turn our worship into witness in the sacrament of life;  
send us forth to love & serve you, bringing peace where there is strife.**

**Give us, Christ, your great compassion to forgive as you forgave;  
may we still behold your image in the world you died to save.**

**Gracious Spirit, help us summon other guests to share that feast  
where triumphant Love will welcome those who had been last & least.**

**There no more will envy blind us, nor will pride our peace destroy,  
as we join with saints & angels to repeat the sounding joy**

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**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures high & low.  
Praise God, in Jesus fully known: Creator, Word, & Spirit one.**

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## *Holy Communion*

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May God be with you. & **also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give God thanks & praise.**

*the Eucharistic Prayer continues to the Sanctus.*

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**Holy, holy, holy. My heart, my heart adores you!  
My heart is glad to say the words: You are holy, God!**

**Santo, santo, santo. Mi corazon te adora.  
Mi corazon te sabe decir .Santo eres Dios!**

**Holy, holy, holy. My heart, my heart adores you!  
My heart is glad to say the words: You are holy, God!**

*Spanish Traditional*

*the Eucharistic prayer continues to the Lord's Prayer.*

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**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come,  
your will be done on earth, as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread,  
forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from  
the time of trial, & deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, &  
glory are yours now & for ever. Amen.**

*music: Gordon Light*

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**We being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

These are the gifts of God for the children of God. **Thanks be to God.**

*Communion*

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**All who hunger gather gladly, holy manna is our bread.  
Come from wilderness & wandering here, in truth, we will be fed.**

**You that yearn for days of fullness, all around us is our food.  
Taste & see the grace eternal. Taste & see that God is good.**

**All who hunger, never strangers, seeker, be a welcome guest.  
Come from restlessness & roaming, here, in joy, we keep the feast.**

**We that once were lost & scattered in communion's love have stood.  
Taste & see the grace eternal. Taste & see that God is good.**

**All who hunger, sing together, Jesus Christ is living bread.  
Come from loneliness & longing. Here, in peace, we have been led.**

**Blest are those who from this table live their lives in gratitude.  
Taste & see the grace eternal. Taste & see that God is good.** *S. Dunstan*

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**Take, O take me as I am;  
summon out what I shall be;  
set your seal upon my heart & live in me.** *John Bell*

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**Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary,  
pure & holy tried & true;  
with thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.** *Thompson/Scruggs*

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**Deep in our hearts there is a common vision;  
Deep in our hearts there is a common song;  
Deep in our hearts there is a common story,  
telling Creation that we are one.**

**Deep in our hearts there is a common purpose;  
Deep in our hearts there is a common goal;  
Deep in our hearts there is a sacred message,  
justice & peace in harmony.**

**Deep in our hearts there is a common longing;  
Deep in our hearts there is a common theme;  
Deep in our hearts there is a common current,  
flowing to freedom like a stream.**

**Deep in our hearts there is a common vision;  
Deep in our hearts there is a common song;  
Deep in our hearts there is a common story,  
telling Creation that we are one.** *J. Oldham/R. Klusmeier*

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**Glory to God, whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we  
can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the  
Church & in Christ Jesus, for ever & ever. Amen**



# Sending the Community

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## Blessing

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**Go make a difference. We can make a difference.  
Go make a difference in the world. Go make a difference.  
We can make a difference. Go make a difference in the world.**

**We are the salt of the earth, called to let the people see  
the love of God for you & me. We are the light of the world,  
not to be hidden but be seen. Go make a difference in the world.**

**We are the hands of Christ reaching out to those in need,  
the face of God for all to see. We are the spirit of hope;  
we are the voice of peace. Go make a difference in the world.**

**So let your love shine on, let it shine for all to see.  
Go make a difference in the world. & the spirit of Christ will be with us  
as we go. Go make a difference in the world.**

*Angrisano & Tomaszek*

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*Coffee & refreshments are served in the hall following the service.  
Please visit the Information Table in the entry if you have any questions*

## Stewardship

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*Have you considered signing up for **pre-  
authorised debit (PAD)**? It is easy & a  
good way to support the church even when  
you cannot be present for a service. Please  
connect with David or one of the other parish  
leaders for more information.*




## PWRDF

The Primate's World Relief  
and Development Fund

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*For more information, please visit [PWRDF.ORG](http://PWRDF.ORG).  
There you can read all about the good work  
it does, current areas of need & how you can  
participate.*

# WEEKLY EVENTS


Events marked with  are through the Centre for Spiritual Renewal.


**Men's Coffee**  
Wednesdays at 9am

**Women's Coffee & Crafts**  
Fridays at 10am

**Community Meal**  
Thursdays at 6pm.

 **Lectio & Labyrinth**  
Fridays at noon.

 **Study Group**  
Wednesdays at 7pm.  
Liturgy 101: the pursuit of the Beautiful

 **Centering Prayer**  
Wednesdays at 630pm  
Fridays at 11:30am

**St. Dunstan & St. Andrew's Youth Group (ages 11+)**  
Fridays at 7pm. Call 778-987-0530 for location.

# COMMUNITY CARE

**Reconciliation**     *The priest is available to hear confession by appointment.*

**Listening Prayer**     *Prayer for those in crisis or need. For more information please connect with Katherine Murray at [katherine.murray22@gmail.com](mailto:katherine.murray22@gmail.com).*


**Spiritual Direction**     *Trained Spiritual Directors are available. To arrange please email the office.*

**Ride Sharing**     *If you need a ride, or can offer one, please let someone at the Information Booth know.*


**Visiting**     *If you need a visit, please call the office to arrange. If you would like to become a pastoral visitor, please connect with the priest.*



**Prayer Chain**     *If you wish someone to be remembered in our Prayer Chain Ministry, please email the office.*



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Events marked with  are through the Centre for Spiritual Renewal.

**Messy Church** *Friday, January 24<sup>th</sup> from 4:30 to 6:30pm*

 **Centering Prayer** *Tuesday, January 28<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 to 8:30pm*  
*Facilitated by Gene Fraser- More information can be found in the Centre for Spiritual Renewal program*


 **Enneagram Retreat** *Friday, February 7<sup>th</sup> 7-9pm *  
*Saturday, February 8<sup>th</sup> 9am- 4pm*  
*More information can be found in the Centre for Spiritual Renewal program*

 **Spiritual Practice Series** *Sunday, February 16<sup>th</sup> from 7 to 8:30pm*  
*Ancient Treasures of Chanting with Rev'd David Taylor *  
*Rev'd Andrew Halladay*  
*More information can be found in the Centre for Spiritual Renewal program*



ST DUNSTAN'S CENTRE FOR  
**SPIRITUAL  
RENEWAL**

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*The Centre for Spiritual Renewal is the name we give to our Adult Christian Formation programs at St. Dunstan's. Please pick up the most recent program guide  check our website regularly for more information on coming events.*

**Next Sunday: the Third Sunday after the Epiphany.** Readings include: *The Prophet Isaiah 9:1-4, Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians 1:10-18, Matthew 5:1-12*



Will you strive for peace?  
**We will, with God's help!**



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