

CHORAL EVENSONG

February 3, 2019



Hearing assistive receivers (stethoscope/earphones) are available from the sidespersons.

Large print hymn and prayer books available at the back of the church.

Opening Introit *When to the temple Mary went* Eccard
When to the Temple Mary went, Help now, Thy servants, gracious Lord,
And brought the Holy Child, That we may ever be,
Him did the aged Simeon see, As once the faithful Simeon was,
As it had been reveal'd. Rejoicing but in Thee:
He took up Jesus in his arms And when we must
And, blessing God, he said: From earth departure take,
In peace I now depart, May gently fall asleep,
My Saviour having seen, And with Thee awake.
The Hope of Israel, the Light of Men.

Sentence, Preces, and Responses (20-21) Rose

Psalm 107, pt 1 (471) Atkins
 (Congregation may be seated during Psalm, Magnificat, and Nunc Dimittis)

First Lesson Haggai 2.1-9

Magnificat (21) Noble in B minor

Second Lesson Luke 2.22-40

Nunc Dimittis (22) Noble in B minor

Apostles' Creed, Responses, and Collect (22-24, 266)

Anthem Casitatis Ilium Effloruit Vanderzee

Homily Rector Emeritus

Offertory Hymn 189 *O Sion, open wide thy gates* Bedford

Prayers and Grace

Recessional Hymn 36 *The Day is Past and Over* St. Anatolius

Final Responsory

Knight

Organ Voluntary

Sidespeople: Ann Vaugeois

Readers: Diana and John Spearn

SCHEDULE OF UPCOMING SERVICES AT ST. JOHN'S			
2019			
Mar 6	6:30 pm	Wednesday	Choral Evensong with imposition of ashes
April 18	6:30 pm	Thursday	Maundy Thursday
April 19	11:00 am	Good Friday	Ante-Communion

THE WEEK**AHEAD**

Monday-Friday	8:45-9:15 am	Daily Mattins
Tuesday	5:30-6:30 pm	Volunteer Choir Practice (in church)
Wednesday	9 am – 12 noon	Wednesday Morning Group
	10:30 am	Holy Communion
	6/6:30 pm	St. John's Men's Club Dinner
Thursday	10:45 am	Eucharist at Wellington Terrace
	4:45-5:15 pm	Youth Choir Practice (in church)
	5:30 pm	Parish Choir Rehearsal
Friday	10:00 am	Eucharist at Heritage River
Saturday	2:00 pm	Elora Singers Concert: The Music of Sir James MacMillan (preceded by a sold out lunch served in Thompson Hall at 12:30 pm)

NEXT SUNDAY

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany	8:00 am	Holy Eucharist
	9:00 am	Contemporary Eucharist
	11:00 am	Choral Mattins
	12:15 pm	Annual Vestry Meeting of Mission and Ministry

PREPARING FOR OUR ANNUAL VESTRY MEETING OF MISSION AND MINISTRY

Copies of our **Annual Report** are available to be picked up today! If you take one, please bring it with you next Sunday as we gather for our Annual Meeting of Mission and Ministry at 12:15pm. **If you can provide some sandwiches to share, please let Sue Adams know.**

If you consider yourself **new to St. John's anytime in the past year**, or returning, please let Fr. Paul or Sue Adams know. We would like to formally welcome you to St. John's at our meeting.

If you would like to participate in the Vestry, but you are away and wish to send regrets and the assurance of your prayers, please let the Rector know. Thank you to everyone who participated in the nomination process for new officers and leaders on Parish Council. This is a process of discernment as we identify who has the gifts and skills for appropriate positions at this particular time. There is lots of work to do in the parish, so there is always room for your gifts and skills to be offered to God in the best way possible.

SUPPORTING OUR PARISH CHOIR

As you are able, we are all invited to give a gift to support the work our Parish Choir. Simply use one of the pew envelopes and clearly mark it "Parish Choir". The Parish Choir is funded from a Trust Fund, and is not part of the annual operating fund. Thank you for your commitment and support.

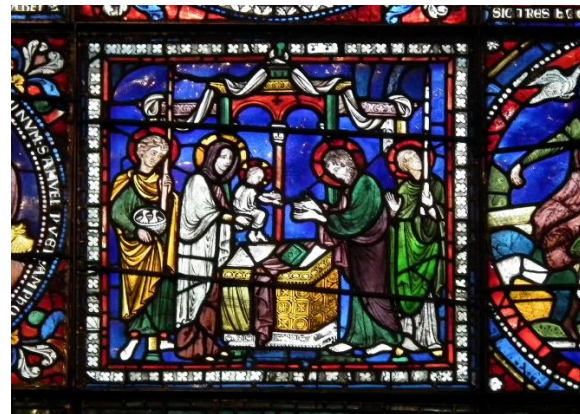
On Thursday, February 14th there will be a **SENIORS VALENTINE'S LUNCHEON** in the church undercroft. Sing-along some love songs at 12:30 with lunch at 1:00. Cost is \$15.00 paid in advance. Attendance is limited to 40. The sign-up sheet will be available in the Parish Centre. If you would like your lunch served in the Parish Center due to mobility issues please advise in advance.

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Rector Emeritus: Rev'd Canon Robert Hulse – 519-846-5911
Honorary Assistant: Rev'd John Lockyer
Honorary Assistant : Rev'd David Mulholland

Wardens: Doris M'Timkulu, Charlotte Logan
Marcus Kramer, Peter Barr

Choir Director (Interim): Catherine Robertson
Organist and Volunteer Choir: Jurgen Petrenko
Choir Manager: Lisa Jones
Youth Choir: Emily Petrenko



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3:00 pm Choral Evensong

**Parish Choir of St. John's
Catherine Robertson, Interim Choir Director
Jurgen Petrenko, Organist**

*Presentation of Christ and
Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

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