



The Baptism of the Lord

January 13, 2019, 10:30 a.m.

The Anglican Parish of St. Peter, Winnipeg

Purpose: To be a Christian community seeking to love God, grow in faith, and serve the world.

WE EXTEND A WARM WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS

You may find the following information useful as you worship with us:

NEED TO SIT DURING WORSHIP? There are often long periods when we stand during worship, please feel free to sit down at any time.

HEADSETS are available to assist in hearing during worship. Contact the wardens or sidespersons if you wish to use them.

PRAYER BOWL – If there is someone for whom you wish silent prayers, you are invited to write their name on one of the slips of paper provided and place it in the prayer bowl at the back of the church (on the sound equipment cabinet)

COMMUNION – All are welcome to receive communion. Communion bread and wafers are gluten free. Due to health concerns, the dipping of the wafer or bread into the wine (intinction) is no longer permitted. If you choose not to receive the wine, touching the base of the cup and saying “Amen” is sufficient.

PRAYERS FOR HEALING – Anything which troubles us, physically, mentally, or emotionally, is reason to ask God for healing. You may also wish to ask for healing for someone else. During Communion, prayer teams are available on either side of the altar rail. If you desire prayer and anointing, please go to one of the stations after receiving Communion.

WE ARE A NUT AND SCENT AWARE ENVIRONMENT – Many people, especially children are struggling with allergies to nut products with potentially deadly consequences. Many people also have sensitivities to some scents. We have asked parishioners to be aware of this, to refrain from bringing nut products to Church, and from wearing highly scented products.

Following worship you are cordially invited to meet in the parish hall for a time of conversation and refreshments.

Please take your bulletin home to read, record important dates, and recycle

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Prelude: Jesus Loves Me

Acknowledgement of the Land: *We acknowledge that we meet and work in Treaty 1 land, the traditional land of the Anishinaabe, Cree and Dakota Peoples and the homeland of the Metis Nation. We are grateful for their stewardship of this land and their hospitality which allows us to live, work and serve God the Creator here.*

Opening Hymn: #482 Come and Journey with a Saviour v. 1,3,4

BEACH SPRING

The Greeting

Presider: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

All: **And also with you.**

Officiant: Almighty God

All: **to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Gloria (#366 Common Praise)

All: **Glory, in the highest glory, peace to all in all their days.
Worship, thanks and praise unceasing to the Source of all we raise:
reigning in the sapphire height, hidden from our mortal sight,
now receive our adoration, as we make our supplication.**

**Jesus Christ, the world's Redeemer, Lamb of God, for sinners given,
Word eternal, born of Mary, Word made flesh, the face of heaven:
holy one, to you we pray, hear us in the realms of day,
with the Spirit there united, and the God-head high exalted.**

Collect of the Day

Officiant: Let us pray

All: **Eternal God, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit, keep your children, born of water and the Spirit, faithful to their calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

Officiant: Let us now feast at the table of God's word.

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Gradual Hymn: #45 Down Galilee's Slow Roadways v. 1,2

Gospel: Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

Reader: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you**

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

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

Reader: The Gospel of Christ

All: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Gradual Hymn: #45 Down Galilee's Slow Roadways v. 3

Sermon

The Celebration of Baptism

Presentation and Examination of the Candidate

Presider: The candidate for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Parents and sponsors: I present Ocean Faith to receive the sacrament of baptism.

Presider: Will you be responsible for seeing that the child you present is nurtured in the faith and life of the Christian community?

Parents and sponsors: I will, with God's help.

Presider: Will you by your prayers and witness help this child to grow into the full stature of Christ?

Parents and sponsors: I will, with God's help.

The presider asks the following questions of the parents and sponsors:

Question Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

Answer I renounce them.

Question Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

Answer I renounce them.

Question Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

Answer I renounce them.

Question Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Saviour?

Answer I do.

Question Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

Answer I do.

Question Do you promise to obey him as your Lord?

Answer I do.

The presider addresses the congregation, saying:

Presider: Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support Ocean in her life in Christ?

All: **We will.**

Prayers for the Candidate

Leader: Deliver her, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader: Open her heart to your grace and truth.

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Fill her with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Teach her to love others in the power of the Spirit.

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Send her into the world in witness to your love.

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Bring her to the fullness of your peace and glory.

All: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader: Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and for ever.

All: **Amen.**

Thanksgiving over the Water

Presider: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Presider: We give you thanks, almighty God and Father, for by the gift of water you nourish and sustain all living things.

All: **Blessed be God for ever.**

Presider: We give you thanks that through the waters of the Red Sea, you led your people out of slavery to freedom in the promised land.

All: **Blessed be God for ever.**

Presider: We give you thanks for sending your Son Jesus. For us he was baptized by John in the river Jordan. For us he was anointed as Christ by your Holy Spirit. For us he suffered the baptism of his own death and resurrection, setting us free from the bondage of sin and death, and opening to us the joy and freedom of everlasting life.

All: **Blessed be God for ever.**

Presider: We give you thanks for your Holy Spirit who teaches us and leads us into all truth, filling us with his gifts so that we might proclaim the gospel to all nations and serve you as a royal priesthood.

All: **Blessed be God for ever.**

Presider: We give you thanks for you have called Ocean to new life through the waters of baptism. Now sanctify this water, that your servant who is washed in it may be made one with Christ in his death and resurrection, to be cleansed and delivered from all sin. Anoint her with your Holy Spirit and bring her to new birth in the family of your Church, that she may become an inheritor of

your glorious kingdom. We give you praise and honour and worship through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and for ever.

All: **Blessed are you, our strength and song, and our salvation.**

The Baptismal Covenant

Presider: Do you believe in God the Father?

All: **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Presider: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

All: **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Presider: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

All: **I believe in God the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

Presider: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

All: **I will, with God's help.**

Presider: Will you persevere in resisting evil and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

All: **I will, with God's help.**

Presider: Will you proclaim by word and example the good news of God in Christ?

All: **I will, with God's help.**

Presider: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbour as yourself?

All: **I will, with God's help.**

Presider: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

All: **I will, with God's help.**

Presider: Will you strive to safeguard the integrity of God's creation, and respect, sustain and renew the life of the Earth?

All: **I will, with God's help.**

The Baptism

Presider: Ocean Faith, I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen.**

Presider: I sign you with the cross, and mark you as Christ's own for ever.

Presider: Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon this your servant the forgiveness of sin, and have raised her to the new life of grace. Sustain her, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give her an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works.

All: **Amen.**

The Giving of the Light

Presider: Receive the light of Christ, to show that you have passed from darkness to light.

All: **Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.**

Presider: Let us welcome the newly baptized.

All: **We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

Anthem: A Jubilant Song

Mary Lynn Lightfoot

Presider: The peace of Christ be always with you.

All: **And also with you.**

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Procession of the Gifts

Officiant: From the abundance of God's creation we bring forward bread and wine and offer them to God.

Officiant: The table for our celebration of the Eucharist will now be prepared as we sing the offertory hymn #404

Offertory Hymn: #404 The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing THE TRUMPETS SOUND

Officiant: Let us with joy present these offerings which represent our labour and our lives.

Prayer over the Gifts

Presider: Let us pray.

All: **God of life and freedom, we celebrate the revelation of Jesus as the Christ who makes all creation new. Accept all we offer you this day and make us new in him, who is Lord for ever and ever. Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer #2

B.A.S. 196

Presider: The Lord be with you

All: **And also with you.**

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

All: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Presider: We give you thanks and praise, to proclaim the glory of your name.

All: **Holy, holy, holy Lord; God of pow'r and might;
Heaven and earth of Your glory are full.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord;
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord;
Holy, holy, holy Lord; God of pow'r and might;
Heaven and earth of Your glory are full.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.**

Presider: Holy and gracious God, accept our praise,.....
We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering of your holy Church.
(sounding bowl)

Presider: Gather into one all who share in these sacred mysteries,
now and for ever.

All: **Amen**

Presider: As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,
All sing: **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, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.**

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The Breaking of the Bread

Presider: We break the bread of life, and that life is the light of the world.

All: **God here among us, light in the midst of us, bring us to light and life.**

Communion Hymn: I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light (*following page*)

#314 Laudate Omnes Gentes

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Prayer after Communion

Presider: Let us pray

All: **Gracious God, lover of all, by this sacrament you make us one family in Christ your Son, one in the sharing of his body and blood, one in the communion of his Spirit. Help us to grow in love for one another and come to the full maturity of the Body of Christ. We ask this in his name. Amen.**

Presider: Glory to God

All: **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 and in Christ Jesus, forever and ever. Amen.**

I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light



1. I want to walk as a child of the light.
2. I want to see the bright-ness of God.
3. I'm look - ing for the com - ing of Christ.



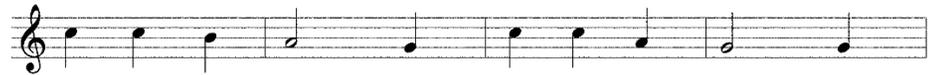
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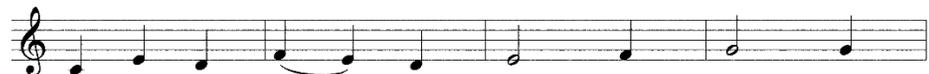
God set the stars to give light to the world. The
Clear sun of right-eous-ness shine on my path, And
When we have run with pa - tience the race, We



star of my life is Je - sus.
show me the way to the Fa - ther.
shall know the joy of Je - sus.



In him there is no dark - ness at all. The



night and the day are both a - like. The



Lamb is the light of the cit - y of God.



Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

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THE DISMISSAL

Officiant: I invite announcements that reflect some of the numerous ministries that occur in and through St. Peter's.

Closing Hymn: Go Now in Peace

Natalie Sleeth

**Go now in peace, go now in peace.
May the love of God surround you
Everywhere, everywhere you may go.**

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Sending Forth of Eucharistic Minister

Deacon: In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood. One body are we.

All: **For though many, we share one bread and one cup.**

Dismissal

Deacon: And to each of us present here today,
Let us go forth to love and serve the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God!**

Postlude: Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus



Readings for next Sunday (January 20) ISAIAH 62:1-5; PSALM 36:5-10; 1 CORINTHIANS 12:1-11; JOHN 2:1-11

Please include in your prayers Paul Rozniatowski, Bernice Nemeth, Peter Mulla, Grayson Justin Beayla Nemeth, Len Bateman, Ruth Cadick, Jesse Kensinger, Ruth Kensinger, Beth Hiscox, the Sargeant family, Gladys Oelkers, Adele Nuytten, Ginny and Bob Kellington, Janet Billington, Debbie Ackland, Evan Bacon, Ellen and Peter Gould, Bev Palko, Fred Slater, Joan Cook, Jonathan and family, Ruth, Kern and Deb, Donna Friesen.

In our parish cycle of prayer: Terri Oelkers; Chijioke, Chizua, Kambili, and Siyonna, Okoye; Garth and Di Panting; Beryl Pressey

In the Anglican Communion, pray for the Anglican Church of Australia. **In the ACC** our Primate Fred, National Indigenous Bishop Mark, our Metropolitan Greg, and the Council of the North. The Director and staff for Global Relations, and the staff for Public Witness for Social and Ecological Justice. **In the ELCIC** National ELCIC Bishop Susan, and Assistants to the Bishop and staff of the Eastern Synod. **In our Diocese,** our Bishop Geoffrey, Bishop of our Companion Diocese, Michael, and for MNO Synod Bishop Jason. For our congregations and communities and for all participating in the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity.

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Tuesday	January 15	9:30 a.m.	Christian Meditation
Thursday	January 17	7:30 p.m.	Choir Practice
Sunday	January 20	10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

PARISH and COMMUNITY LIFE

Purpose: To be a Christian community seeking to love God, grow in faith and serve the world.

An Outreach Ministry Opportunity Are your feet usually toasty warm on these cold days? Many of the folks who come to St. Matthew's-Maryland Community Ministry Drop-In struggle to keep feet warm and dry at this time of year. **We can help!** Beginning today and continuing each Sunday until January 27, our Outreach Ministry Team will be collecting new, warm socks suitable for men or women. These will be delivered to the Ministry each week. On January 27th, we invite you to be in solidarity with our brothers and sisters at StMMCM by wearing "no sox" that day.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, January 18-25 A city-wide ecumenical worship service will be celebrated Sunday, January 20, 2019 7:30 p.m. at THE SALVATION ARMY HERITAGE PARK TEMPLE 825 School Road, Winnipeg. See the poster in the parish hall for details.

The Basics of Pastoral Visiting, Saturday, January 26, 9:30-11:30. – training for new Pastoral Visitors, a refresher for current Visitors, and an introduction for those who might be discerning whether they are called to this ministry. For more information, please speak to Mary Holmen, Pastor of Parish Caring Ministries.

Saturday, February 16, 9:00-noon, Save the Date! The Parish Caring Ministries Committee is holding a workshop designed to help participants feel empowered and comfortable relating to people who live with dementia. This is intended for Pastoral Visitors, family members, friends, or neighbours of a person living with dementia, or anyone who is interested in learning more about this growing need. More information to come!

Flowers for Sunday Worship The flower chart for 2019 is on the door of the sacristy. Please write your name for any Sunday you would like to provide flowers. A member of the flower arranging team will contact you for details re: what kind of arrangement you would like and what you would like to have written in the bulletin.

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ASSISTING IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Presider	The Rev. Rod Sprange	Baptism:	The Rev. Canon Donna Joy
Preacher	The Rev. Canon Donna Joy	Sounding Bowl	Laurie Thompson
Officiant	Laurie Bellay	Eucharistic Minister	Betty Curry
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Administrants	The Rev. Rod Sprange		Linda Ellis
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	Bruce Gunderson		Cori Dorrian
Prayer Team	Roy Bowkett, Pearl James	Refreshment Time	
	Betty Currie		
Gospel	Margaret Clarke		

To be Baptized today: Ocean Faith Ball

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