



Second Sunday after Epiphany

January 16th, 2022



“To know Jesus and make Him known”

INDIGENOUS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We acknowledge that this church is situated upon traditional Indigenous territory. This land is part of Treaty #20 signed in 1818 by representatives of the Anishinabe (Ojibway) peoples of Mississaugan and Chippewyan dialects. The treaty includes all of the City of Kawartha Lakes. We also recognize the enduring presence of First Nations peoples on this land.

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Processional Hymn # 460 SHINE, JESUS, SHINE verses 1 & 2

1.

Lord the Light or Your Love is shining,
In the midst of the darkness shining,
Jesus light of the world shine upon us,
Set us free by the truth You now bring us, Shine on me. Shine on me.

CHORUS:

Shine Jesus shine Fill this land with the Father's glory
Blaze, Spirit blaze, Set our hearts on fire
Flow, river flow, Flood the nations with grace and mercy
Send forth Your word Lord and let there be light

2.

Lord I come to Your awesome presence
From the shadows into Your radiance,
By the blood I may enter Your brightness,
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness, Shine on me. Shine on me.

Chorus

Morning Prayer

BAS pages 47-55

Officiant Lord, open our lips,
People **And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.**

Officiant O God, make speed to save us.

People **O Lord, make haste to help us.**

All **Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

The Invitatory:

Officiant The Word was made flesh and dwelt among us:

People **O come, let us worship.**

Jubilate *Psalm 100*

Be joyful in the Lord, all you lands;*
serve the Lord with gladness
and come before his presence with a song.
Know this: The Lord himself is God;*
he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.
Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise;*
give thanks to him and call upon his name.
For the Lord is good;
his mercy is everlasting;*
and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

A reading from Isaiah 62:1-5

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch. The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give. You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate; but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the LORD delights in you, and your land shall be married. For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

Reader The word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 36:5-10

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Leader: Your love, O Lord, reaches to the heavens, and your faithfulness to the clouds.

People **Your righteousness is like the strong mountains, your justice like the great deep; you save both man and beast, O Lord.**

Leader: How precious is your steadfast love, O God! All people take refuge under the shadow of your wings.

People **They feast upon the abundance of your house; you give them drink from the river of your delights.**

Leader: For with you is the well of life, and in your light we see light.

People **Continue your loving-kindness to those who know you, and your favour to those who are true of heart.**

ALL **God of justice and of mercy, open the eyes of sinners that they may see the light of your truth, know the power of your love, and share in the bounty of your heavenly table; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen**

A reading from 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To

one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

Reader The word of the Lord
People Thanks be to God

A reading from the Gospel of John 2:1-11

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

Reader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to us now
People: Thanks be to God

Sermon – The Rev. Bonnie Skerritt

Offertory Hymn # 437: JESUS, COME, FOR WE INVITE YOU

verses 1, 2 & 3

- 1 Jesus, come, for we invite you,
guest and master, friend and Lord;
now, as once at Cana's wedding,
speak, and let us hear your word:
lead us through our need or doubting,
hope be born and joy restored.
- 2 Jesus, come! Transform our pleasures,
guide us into paths unknown;
bring your gifts, command your servants,
let us trust in you alone:
though your hand may work in secret,
all shall see what you have done.
- 3 Jesus, come in new creation,
heaven brought near in power divine;
give your unexpected glory,
changing water into wine:
rouse the faith of your disciples --
come, our first and greatest sign!

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Celebrant: Living God, accept all that we offer you. 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

AFFIRMATION of FAITH

(BAS Pg. 53)

Celebrant Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,
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. Amen.

INTERCESSIONS AND THANKSGIVINGS

LEADER Let us name before God those for whom we offer our prayers.
(The People name those for whom they are interceding, either aloud or in silence.)

LEADER God the Father, your will for all people is health and salvation;
PEOPLE **We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

LEADER God the Son, you came that we might have life, and might have it more abundantly;
PEOPLE **We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

LEADER God the Holy Spirit, you make our bodies the temple of your presence;
PEOPLE **We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

LEADER Holy Trinity, one God, in you we live and move and have our being;
PEOPLE **We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

LEADER Lord, grant your healing grace to all who are sick, injured, or disabled, that they may be made whole;
PEOPLE **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

LEADER Grant to all who seek your guidance, and to all who are lonely, anxious, or despondent, a knowledge of your will and an awareness of your presence;
PEOPLE **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

LEADER Mend broken relationships, and restore those in emotional distress to soundness of mind and serenity of spirit;
PEOPLE **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

LEADER Bless physicians, nurses, Lay Pastoral Visitors and all others who minister to the suffering, granting them wisdom and skill, sympathy and patience;
PEOPLE **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

LEADER Grant to the dying peace and a holy death, and uphold by the grace and consolation of your Holy Spirit those who are bereaved;
PEOPLE **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

LEADER Restore to wholeness whatever is broken by human sin, in our lives, in our nation, and in the world;

PEOPLE **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

LEADER You are the Lord who does wonders:

PEOPLE **You have declared your power among the peoples.**

LEADER With you, O Lord, is the well of life:

PEOPLE **And in your light we see light.**

LEADER Hear us, O Lord of life:

PEOPLE **Heal us, and make us whole.**

LEADER Heavenly Father, you have promised to hear what we ask in the Name of your Son: Accept and fulfill our petitions, we pray, not as we ask in our ignorance, nor as we deserve in our sinfulness, but as you know and love us in your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

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

Prayer for such troubling times:

Gracious God, give skill, sympathy and resilience to all who are caring for the sick, and your wisdom to those searching for a vaccine for younger children and a cure for all. Strengthen them with your Spirit, that through their work many will be restored to health; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

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.**

The officiant may conclude with one of the following:

May the God of peace enable us to do his will in every kind of goodness, working in us what pleases him, through Jesus Christ, to whom be the glory for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn # 355 ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING

verses 1,2, & 7

- 1 All creatures of our God and King,
lift up your voices, let us sing:
alleluia, alleluia!
Bright burning sun and golden beams,
pale silver moon that gently gleams,
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,
alleluia, alleluia!

2 Great rushing winds and breezes soft,
you clouds that ride the heavens aloft,
O sing now, alleluia!
Fair rising morn, with praise rejoice,
stars nightly shining, find a voice:
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,
alleluia, alleluia!

7 Let all things their creator bless,
and worship God in humbleness,
alleluia, Alleluia!
Praise God the Father, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, Three-in-One:
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,
alleluia, alleluia!

Blessing

Dismissal

Officiant Let us go forth in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Announcements

- Looking Forward :)

April 9th, 2022 St. Paul's Church is hosting a concert.

Celebrate Easter with 2-time Covenant Award winning duo, INFINITELY MORE



Your Memorial Angels may now be picked up from the Church.

Thank you to all who contributed to the
**Renovation Fund #67 we raised
\$840.00**

TO GROUP AND COMMITTEE LEADERS, Valerie is in the process of preparing the Vestry Report and is in need of your help_Your preparation of your Committee/Group Vestry report is appreciated.

The report is a review of **2021.**

Due Date is Monday, January 24th, Early reports are welcomed.

Please email your report to the office at office@st-pauls-lindsay.ca

Wed. January 5th a directive came from the Bishop's Office advising parishes to close doors as soon as possible and no later than Monday, January 10, 2022. The Diocese of Toronto will return to modified [Red Stage Guidelines](#) until the end of January.

As noted in previous email Rev. Bonnie and Wardens were already discussing the possibility of closing in person worship.

Therefore, beginning January 9th and the rest of January the St. Paul's Sunday Worship Services will be available ONLINE only

Taking in consideration the directive from the diocese as well the case numbers in our own local health unit today we announce effective immediately our building is closed to the public until January 31.

- Live Streaming of Worship services are available from the St. Paul's website, St James Cathedral in Toronto website or many other parishes in the Diocese.

DESIGNATED GIVINGS # 215 for the month of **January** will be in support of **Alzheimer Society**. Here in Kawartha Lakes, life-enhancing programs are designed to serve people with all levels of dementia, provide support and training for those who care for them, and education about the disease for friends and family including children.