

Welcome to
St. Paul's Anglican Church, Almonte

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Christmas 1
December 29, 2019

8:30 a.m. Service

Greeters: Lois Rochon

Reader: Lynda Bennett

10:30 a.m. Service

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Server/Chalice: David McCreery

Readers Judith Senior and Doris Wionzek

Prayers: Claire Marson

Music Director: Wendy Shaw

Organist: John Black

Accompanists: Dan Berg, Dave Newlands, Doris Wionzek

We ask that you please refrain from wearing perfumes or colognes

We gather today on the traditional and unceded territory of the Algonquin Anishnabe Nation. May we dwell on this land with respect and peace.

Act of Intentions

At both services this morning, following the Reflection, there will be an opportunity to consider your plans for 2020 during a time of silence and to light a candle as a symbol of your intentions towards Jesus and his church in the year ahead.

Readings for today

Isaiah 63:7-9 ~ Psalm 148 ~ Hebrews 2: 10-18 ~ Matthew 2: 13-23

Collect for the Day

Almighty God, you have shed upon us the new light of your incarnate Word. May this light, enkindled in our hearts, shine forth in our lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

8:30 a.m. Holy Communion

According to the *Book of Common Prayer* (BCP), beginning on p.67.

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

According to *The Supplement to the Book of Alternative Services* with Eucharistic Prayer 4

The words of the liturgy, the songs and hymns are projected on the screen at the front of the church.

Readings for Next Week

Isaiah 60: 1-6 ~ Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14 ~ Ephesians 3: 1-12 ~ Matthew 2:1-12

THIS COMING WEEK AT ST PAUL'S

Tuesday	2:00 p.m.	Food Cupboard
Thursday	1:00 p.m.	Affinity Photo (CFCL)
	4:15 p.m.	Music Team Practice
Friday	7:00 p.m.	Movie Night: The Way
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion – *BCP (spoken)
	10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist – Iona-Style with Healing Prayer (with music)

*BCP=Book of Common Prayer BAS = Book of Alternate Services
BSS = Supplement to the BAS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Open Table We will NOT be meeting in January, as the first Wednesday of the month falls on New Year's Day. We will resume our regular monthly meetings on Wednesday February 5.

Movie Night St. Paul's will be hosting a movie night and discussion on Friday January 3 at 7:00 p.m. On screen: **The Way** - A father heads overseas to recover the body of his estranged son who died while traveling the "El Camino de Santiago," and decides to take the pilgrimage himself. (IMDB).

We will view the movie in the Church and then retire to the Hall for conversation. All are welcome!!

TAX RECEIPTS: Please remember that we are allowed to issue 2019 tax receipts only for donations received by December 31st.

St. Paul's PRAYER CALENDAR. The Prayer Calendar for January is available on line and will be available at the back of the church next Sunday, January 5.

Please only take a paper copy if you do not have access to the internet.

