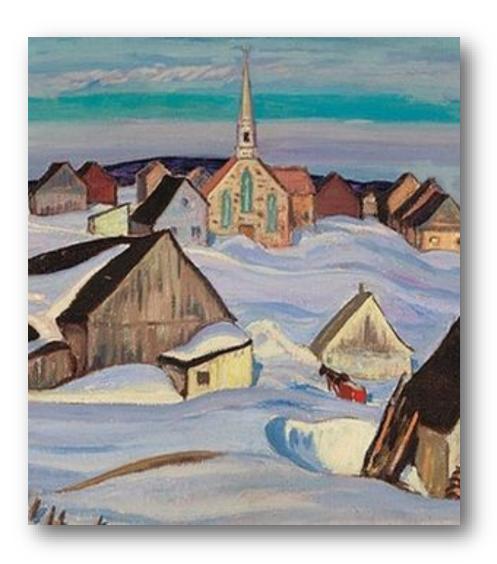
THE VALLEY BULLETIN

CHRISTMAS DAY



DECEMBER 25TH, 2022



WELCOME

If you are visiting, we welcome you into our midst.

Whoever you are and wherever you are on your journey in faith, you are welcome.

It is a blessing to have you worship with us today!

The Parish of the Valley respectfully acknowledges that we gather for worship on traditional Anishinabe Algonquin territory.

LET'S PRAY

For the Church in the World we pray for our Companion Diocese of Jerusalem. We pray for Linda Nicholls, our Primate, Anne Germond, our Metropolitan, and Christopher Harper, National Indigenous Anglican Archbishop Designate.

In our Diocese of Ottawa we pray for:

- † For Shane Parker, our Bishop; for Matthew Brown our Incumbent; for Gillian Hoyer our Associate Incumbent; for Claire Bramma our Assistant Curate, and for our Interim Associate Priests, John Wilker–Blakley and Rick Durrett.
- † COVID 19 Pray for all who are affected by this Pandemic.
- † For all parts of our Anglican Deanery of Pembroke as we celebrate Christmas!

For the life & members of our Parish of the Valley Community, this week we pray for: Jean & Ashley Moncion, Margie Moore, Jessica & Kyle Moore, Bill Morrison, Lois Moss, and all members of their families.

For the sick and those who have asked for our prayers ...

Alice & Petawawa: Brittany, Donna, Shawn, Gerry, Kailyn, Vandela, Sharon, Minnie, Peter.

Barry's Bay & Whitney: Cathy, Abigail, Susan, Patricia, Elspeth, Debra, Mary-Jayne, Violet, Fern, Shirley, Marilyn, Betty, David, Susie, Freda.

Beachburg: Ralph, Scott, John, Sharon, Patsy, Holly, Thyra, Anne, Sandra, Nathan, Bill.

Killaloe/Tramore & Eganville: Dorothy, Ken, Ethel, Paula, Marilyn, Pauline, Jim, Hanna, Scarlett, Toots, Denise, Forest, Rosemary.

Pembroke: Mindy, Don, Molly, Muriel, June, Stephanie, Cecil, Lynne, Rita, Susan, Ann, Lomie, Jessie.

Stafford / Cobden: Beth, Agnes, Nathan, Margaret, Susan, Ryan, Haley, Ruth, James, Sharon, Dave, Nicholas, Carolyn, Hillary, Sharon, Glen.

READINGS

DECEMBER 25, 2022– Christmas Day: The Nativity of our Lord Isaiah 52.7-10; Psalm 98; Hebrews 1.1-12; John 1.1-14

UPCOMING READINGS

January 1, 2023– The Epiphany of the Lord Isaiah 60.1-6; Psalm 72.1-7, 10-14; Ephesians 3.1-12; Matthew 2.1-12

January 8, 2023 – The Baptism of the Lord Isaiah 42.1-9; Psalm 29; Acts 10.34-43; Matthew 3.13-17

OFFERINGS

Please continue to make your regular offerings. All members of the Parish of the Valley are encouraged to place donations on the collection plate, mail in weekly offerings (cash or cheque), sign up for Pre-Authorized Remittances (PAR), or give online with credit card using *Canada Helps or Tithe.ly*. Please see our website for a list of church and treasurer mailing addresses and online giving information.

SERVICES IN THE PARISH OF THE VALLEY Sunday, January 1st

8 & 10am - Holy Trinity Pembroke 9am -Ascension Killaloe 11am - St John's Eganville

Please note: there will be no Wednesday services at Holy Trinity Pembroke on Dec. 28th and Jan. 4th

PARISH NEWS

The main office at Aborn House in Pembroke will close at 12pm on December 23rd. The office will reopen at 9am on Thursday January 5th. During this time in case of any pastoral emergencies across the Parish of the Valley please call Rev. Rick Durrett — 613-720-5710. Rev. Rick will be the "on call" clergy team member this holiday season.

We Pray for the greatest gift of all, Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Merry Christmas from your Valley Clergy Team and Staff



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