



ST. ANDREW
ANGLICAN CHURCH

A Creative Spiritual Community

**Welcome to St. Andrew's.
All are welcome here!**

Holy Eucharist



January 25, 2026 – 8 am

Reader: Judy Curran

Prayers: David Smethurst

January 25 2026 - 10 am

Sidespersons/Greeters: Kathy / Irene / Dennis / Ruth

OT & Psalm: Vicki Huxtable

Epistle: Anne Callon

Prayers: Patricia Hatt

Chalice: Janice Varga

Coffee: Continental Brunch

Third Sunday after the Epiphany

January 25, 2026

10:00 a.m. service



Altar Flowers - Cherished memories of souls departed from our family and friends. Always remembered and loved. Bill and M.J. Whitemarsh

Prelude

Welcome

Announcements

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT - We gather on lands which have been the home of SENĆOTEN and HUL'Q'UMI'NUM' speaking Coast Salish peoples from time immemorial, and their encounter with the Creator in this place goes before our own.

Opening hymn (CP #337) ***God Your Glorious Presence***

1 God, your glorious presence
draws us to adore you,
and with awe appear before you.

In your holy temple
all keep mystic silence,
prostrate lie with deepest reverence.

You alone, God we own
you our God and Saviour:
praise your name forever.

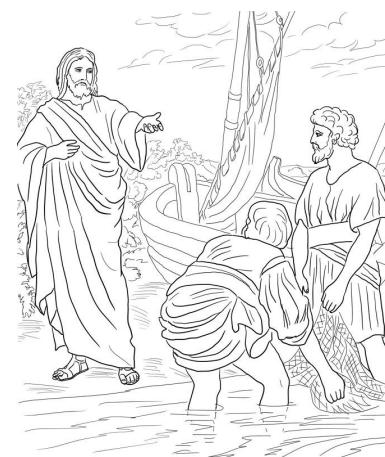
2 In God's glorious presence
hear the harps resounding!
See the hosts the throne surrounding!
"Holy, holy, holy,"
hear the hymn ascending,
angels, saints, their voices blending!
Bow your ear to us here:
hear, O Christ, the praises
that your church now raises.

(Opening hymn continued)

3 Fount of endless blessing,
purify my spirit,
trusting only in your merit.

Like the holy angels
who behold your splendour,
may I ceaseless worship render.

Let your will ever still
rule your church terrestrial,
as the hosts celestial.



(continued over)

The Gathering of the Community

Presider Gracious and all-loving God,
you call to us across deep waters
and dark places.

All **Yours is the light that guides us
and the voice that we follow.**

Presider We pray that you would reveal yourself
to us today, as we worship you.
**May those without hope be encouraged;
those who are sad, cheered;
those who are seeking, find you;
and may we be open
to your message of love to us.
In the name of your beloved Son, we pray.
Amen.**

Collect of the Day

Presider God of all,
you sent your Son into our shadowed world.
All **May his dawning light give hope
to the broken, the persecuted,
the alien and the excluded,
so that we might feel the kingdom drawing
near and turn to follow him;
through Jesus Christ, the morning star.**
Amen.

Proclamation of the Word

Reader A reading from the book of Isaiah (9:1-4).

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 27:1, 5-13

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whom then shall I fear?

The Lord is the strength of my life;
of whom then shall I be afraid?

⁵ For in the day of trouble, O God,
you shall keep me safe in your shelter;
**you shall hide me in the secrecy
of your dwelling
and set me high upon a rock.**

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Therefore I will offer in your dwelling an oblation
with sounds of great gladness;
I will sing and make music to the Lord.

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that I should see the goodness of the Lord
in the land of the living!

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

Reader A reading from the First Letter to the Corinthians (1:10-18).

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All **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Hymn (CP #601) ***God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending***

1 God, whose giving knows no ending,
from your rich and endless store--
 nature's wonder, Jesus' wisdom,
costly cross, grave's shattered door--
 gifted by you, we turn to you,
offering up ourselves in praise;
 thankful song shall rise forever,
 gracious Donor of our days.

2 Skills and time are ours for pressing
toward the goals of Christ, your Son:
 all at peace in health and freedom,
races joined, the Church made one.
 Now direct our daily labour,
 lest we strive for self alone.
Born with talents, make us servants
 fit to answer at your throne.

Presider May God be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Presider The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Matthew 4:12-23.

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

Presider The Gospel of Christ.

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

(Gradual hymn continued)

3 Treasure, too, you have entrusted,
gain through powers your grace conferred,
 ours to use for home and kindred,
 and to spread the gospel word.
Open wide our hands in sharing,
 as we heed Christ's ageless call,
healing, teaching, and reclaiming,
 serving you by loving all.

Sermon The Rev. Kelly Duncan



Affirmation of Faith

Sung to CP#374 – *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*

We believe in God the Father,
God almighty, by whose plan
earth and heaven sprang to being,
all created things began.

We believe in Christ the Saviour,
Son of God in human frame,
virgin-born, the child of Mary
upon whom the Spirit came.

Christ, who on the cross forsaken,
like a lamb to slaughter led,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
he descended to the dead.

We believe in Jesus risen,
heaven's king to rule and reign,
to the Father's side ascended
till as judge he comes again.

We believe in God the Spirit;
in one Church, below, above:
saints of God in one communion,
one in holiness and love.

So by faith, our sins forgiven,
Christ our Saviour, Lord and friend,
we shall rise with him in glory
to the life that knows no end.

Prayers of the People

The Peace

Presider

My friends in Christ, may the peace of God
be always with you.

All

And also with you.

Offertory hymn (CP #577) ***God of Grace and God of Glory***

1 God of grace and God of glory,
on your people pour your power;
now fulfil your church's story;
bring its bud to glorious flower.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
for the facing of this hour,
for the facing of this hour.

2 Lo, the hosts of evil round us
scorn your Christ, assail his ways.
Fears and doubts too long have bound us;
free our hearts to work and praise.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
for the living of these days,
for the living of these days.

3 Cure your children's warring madness.
Bend our pride to your control.
Shame our wanton selfish gladness,
rich in goods and poor in soul.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
lest we miss your kingdom's goal,
lest we miss your kingdom's goal.

4 Set our feet on lofty places;
gird our lives that they may be
armoured with all Christ-like graces
in the fight for liberty.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
lest we fail ourselves and thee,
lest we fail ourselves and thee.

The Celebration of the Eucharist

Prayer over the Gifts

Presider God of all creation,
All **all you have made is good,**
and your love endures forever.
You bring forth bread from the earth
and fruit from the vine.
Nourish us with these gifts,
so that we might be for the world
signs of your gracious presence
in Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord.
Amen.



Eucharistic Prayer

Presider May God be with you.
All **And also with you.**
Presider Lift up your hearts.
All **We lift them to God.**
Presider Let us give thanks to God our Creator.
All **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

Presider Worship and praise belong to you ...
... and the whole company of heaven
singing the hymn of your unending glory:

All

Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord. God of power and might.



Heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry, Ho-san-na in the



high-est. Bless'd is the one who comes in the name of the



Lord. Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high-est.

Presider Glory and thanksgiving be to you ...
... God of all ages, world without end.
All **Amen.**

Presider As Jesus taught us, let us pray:

All ***The Lord's Prayer***



Our Fa-ther in hea - ven, hal-lowed be your
name; your_ king-dom come, your_ will be done on_
earth, as in heav'n. Give us to-day our_ dai-ly bread; for -
give us our sins as_ we for - give those who_ sin a - gainst
us. Save us from the time of trial, and de - li - ver us from_
e-vil. For the king-dom, the pow -er, and the glo - ry are
yours; now and for - ev - er. A - men.

Fraction Sentence

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.**

Presider These are the gifts of God for the people of God.

All **Thanks be to God.**

The Communion



Communion hymn (CP#73) ***One Bread, One Body***

Refrain: **One bread, one body, one Lord of all,
one cup of blessing which we bless -
and we, though many, throughout the earth,
we are one body in this one Lord.**

1 Gentile or Jew, servant or free,
woman or man, no more.

Refrain

2 Many the gifts, many the works,
one in the Lord of all.

Refrain

3 Grain for the fields, scattered and grown,
gathered to one for all.

Refrain

1 Blessèd Jesus, at your word
we are gathered all to hear you.
Let our hearts and souls be stirred
now to seek and love and fear you.
By your gospel pure and holy,
teach us, Lord, to love you solely.

2 All our knowledge, sense, and sight
lie in deepest darkness shrouded
till your Spirit breaks our night
with your beams of truth unclouded.
You alone to God can win us,
you must work all good within us.

3 Glorious Lord, yourself impart!
Light of light, from God proceeding,
open lips and ears and heart,
help us by your Spirit's leading.
Hear the cry your church now raises;
Lord, accept our prayers and praises!

1 The people that in darkness sat
a glorious light have seen;
the Light has shined on them who long
in shades of death have been.

2 To hail thee, Sun of Righteousness,
the gathering nations come;
they joy as when the reapers bear
their harvest treasures home.

3 For thou their burden dost remove,
and break the tyrant's rod,
as in the day when Midian fell
before the sword of God.

4 For unto us a child is born,
to us a Son is given,
and on his shoulder ever rests
all power in earth and heaven.

5 His name shall be the Prince of Peace,
the everlasting Lord,
the Wonderful, the Counsellor,
the God by all adored.

6 Lord Jesus, reign in us we pray,
and make us thine alone,
who with the Father ever art
and Holy Spirit one.

Prayer after Communion

Presider Radiant God,
All with our eyes we have seen your salvation,
and in this meal we have feasted on your grace.
May your Word take flesh in us,
so that we may be your holy people,
revealing your glory made known to us
in Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord.
Amen.

Closing Responses

Presider The path that Christ walks
brings justice upon the earth.
All **It brings light to those who sit in darkness,**
and calls forth those who live in bondage.

Presider The path that Christ walks
brings new things to all creation.
All **May Christ's road be the path we take.**
Amen.



Closing hymn (CP#430) *Will You Come and Follow Me*

- 1 Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know and never be the same?
will you let my love be shown, will you let my name be known,
will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?

- 2 Will you leave yourself behind if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer prayer in you and you in me?

- 3 Will you let the blinded see if I but call your name?
Will you set the prisoners free and never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean and do such as this unseen,
and admit to what I mean in you and you in me?

- 4 Will you love the "you" you hide if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found to reshape the world around,
through my sight and touch and sound in you and you in me?

- 5 Lord, your summons echoes true when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.
In your company I'll go where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

Dismissal

Presider Go in peace to love and serve our God.
All **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Weekly Cycles of Prayer

In our parish, we pray for Trevor & Veronica Blake, Judith Bradshaw, Stew & Laurel Bremner, Bill Brennan, and Dale & Lynne Brewer.

In our community, we pray for Keating Elementary School, the Administration, the staff, and students.

In our Region, we pray for the Parish of Holy Trinity, North Saanich, The Rev. Denise Doerksen, and the people of the parish and neighbourhood.

In our Diocese, we pray for Anna, our Bishop, and the Parish of St. Saviour, Denman Island.

In our Ecclesiastical Province, we pray for we pray for the Diocese of Yukon as they prepare to elect a new bishop this month.

In Canada, we pray for The Most Rev. David Edwards, Metropolitan, and the people and clergy of the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada.

In the world, we pray for Province of the Anglican Church of Chile.



Readings for February 1, 2026

OT: Micah 6:1-8

Psalm: 15

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 1:18-31

Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12

***** This Week at a Glance *****

(January 25 - February 1, 2026)

Sunday	January 25th 2026 - Third Sunday after Epiphany 8:00 am Holy Communion BCP 10:00 am Holy Eucharist BAS Continental Brunch after 10:00 am service
Monday	1:30 pm Friends of St. Andrew delivery
Tuesday	1:30 pm Friendship Circle
Wednesday	11:30 am Neighbours Lunch 2:00 pm Zoom Prayer Gathering (Please contact the church office for the link) 2:00 Line Dancing
Thursday	10:00 am Holy Eucharist 11:30 am Brunch Bunch 7:00 pm Choir Practice
Friday	1:30 pm Friends of St. Andrew delivery
Saturday	11:30 am Brunch Bunch 2:00 pm Memorial Service for Bill Roberts
Sunday	February 1st 2026 - Fourth Sunday after Epiphany 8:00 am Holy Communion BCP



Quarterly Mission
January - March 2026
Aboriginal Coalition to End Homelessness

Announcements

WELCOME TO VISITORS - Would you like to receive a tax receipt for your offering (over \$20)? Please pick up an offering envelope from the stand on the credenza at the entrance to the church. All are welcome!

COUGH, COLD, FLU, COVID SEASON PROTOCOLS AT ST

ANDREWS -If you feel at all unwell, please do not come to church. If you are able, consider joining in the livestream of the 10am Sunday morning service through the web-site here:

<https://www.standrewssidney.ca/blog> until you have recovered. If you feel that you may be coming down with something but aren't entirely sure, please wear a mask to church. Thank you for thinking of the vulnerable and immuno-compromised members of our community!

FRIENDS NEEDS A FEW VOLUNTEERS - Several of our current volunteers are in for repairs. This ministry needs some folks to assist in the preparation of Saturday Brunch, which is a hot meal for around a dozen people. Help needed one or two times per month, 9:30 to 1 pm, working with two Food Safe certified experienced 'cooks'. Contact Brian 236 562 0342 or brianhead2782@icloud.com.

VESTRY REPORTS - If you chair or lead a ministry at St Andrew's, please submit your report for the 2025 Annual Report by the end of today to the office (admin@standrewssidney.ca). Thank you!



Annual General Meeting 2026

Vestry Notice - Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the parishioners of this parish will be held on the 22nd day of February, 2026, following the 10am service, in the Hall, for the purpose of our Annual General Meeting. We'll have a continental brunch and will meet together as a parish family.

Looking Forward

February 22, 2026	Annual Vestry meeting in the Hall, after the 10 am service
March 9-12, 2026	Lenten Retreat at Riverdell. The theme is <i>Seeking: Honest Questions for Deeper Faith</i>
March 21, 2026	Memorial Service for Dorothy Arnet
May 8, 2026	Vintage Fashion Show and Tea Fundraiser at the Church
June 13, 2026	Evensong with Christ Church Cathedral at St Andrews at 4pm

Sources

Coldest Night of the Year Walk 2026
A family friendly walk to raise money for
Our Place Society to support people experiencing
hurt, hunger, and homelessness.

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OF THE YEAR

Saturday Feb 28, 2026

Central Saanich United Chuch
is the hub for the Peninsula.

Free to join, we will set out at 4pm, walk up to
Saanichton and the town hall and back again.

Join us!

Learn more on our website, or facebook page!



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Text: Gathering Sentences: Rev. Richard J. Fairchild, <http://www.rockies.net/~spirit/sermons/a-or01sm.php>.

Collect, Prayer over the Gifts, Prayer after Communion: Alternative Collects of the Revised Common Lectionary, prepared by the Liturgy Task Force of the Faith, Worship and Ministry Committee of the General Synod of the Anglican Church of Canada, 2019.

Affirmation of Faith: *Church of England, Authorized Affirmations of Faith, found at <https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/worship-texts-and-resources/common-worship/common-material/new-patterns-28>.*

Eucharistic Prayer: Eucharistic Prayers Suitable for Christmas and Epiphany, Scottish Episcopal Church © Liturgy Committee of the Scottish Episcopal Church, Edinburgh and found at <https://www.scotland.anglican.org/wp-content/uploads/Experimental-Eucharistic-Prayers-for-Christmas-and-Epiphany.docx>

Closing Responses: Jan L. Richardson, and posted on The Painted Prayerbook. <http://paintedprayerbook.com/>.

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Third Sunday after the Epiphany

January 25, 2026

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