



Eblast for January 28, 2026

Please join us SUNDAY for In Person Worship



Presentation of Our Lord window at
Christ Church Meaford

The Presentation of Our Lord

February 1, 2026

Holy Eucharist – 10:30AM

Presided by: The Rev. Brendon Bedford

The readings are: Malachi 3:1-4; Psalm 84; Hebrews 2:14-18; Luke 2:22-40.

**This service includes the blessing of candles.
Please bring in any candles from home that you
would like blessed.**

**If unable to join us in person, you may join our
livestream which begins at 10:30am Sunday
mornings – from our website, www.christchurchanglican.ca and click
on “service video”.**

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **The Midweek Said BCP Eucharist is offered every Wednesday at 12:00noon
in the chapel -- all are welcome!**

2. **Following the Midweek Eucharist, we offer a Bible Study– concentrating on
the Third Letter of John.** If you plan to come to both the Midweek Eucharist and the
Bible study (at 1pm), consider bringing a lunch.



3. **As noted above, you are invited to bring in your candles from home
to be blessed during Sunday’s service.**

4. **Vestry Sunday – is February 22nd.** Please ensure you have this date marked on
your calendar. This is your opportunity to have your say in the operation of the church,

including voting on the new budget for 2026 - where your attendance and vote is very important to our parish. The brief meeting will follow our regular church service, with coffee/tea/juice & a light lunch provided.



5. PREPARE FOR YOUR LENTEN JOURNEY

We are excited to announce a Lenten Study (similar to our Advent Study) will be offered – date & time TBA. It will alternate locations between St. George's, Blue Mountains and Christ Church, Meaford. The topic will be a shared reading of Revelation and based on the book, Revelation for Everyone, Twentieth Anniversary edition, author, N.T. Wright. [Here is the link to the enlarged print edition](#). You may order your own. A few will be available to purchase from the church office. Details to come – watch later eblasts and bulletin announcements.

6. MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR UPCOMING SERVICES & EVENTS

February 8	Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany	10:30am
February 14	Repair Cafe (& Valentines Day)	9am to 12noon (Sat)
February 15	Transfiguration Sunday (please bring in your palm crosses)	
February 17	Shrove Tuesday, aka Pancake Tuesday , again at Knox Presbyterian, Meaford with Meaford Churches.	
February 18	Ash Wednesday service at CC	10:30am
February 22	1 st Sunday in Lent & Vestry Sunday	10:30am



7. **Coffee & Fellowship Ministry.** Thank you to those who have signed up to host this ministry following the church service. **If you are able, please sign up on the Parish Hall bulletin board, or speak to one of the wardens or Chris in the office.** If you can host and bring in cookies, or treats (does not have to be homemade), GF appreciated – we supply the milk, cream and juice (and thanks to Francis, cleanup is taken care of.)

8. **Ongoing Maintenance at Christ Church** - Please let Garry Minielly know how much we appreciate his quick repairs to various items in the church that need attention. As you can imagine, a church such as Christ Church, needs constant attention to the little things, and sometimes the big things! **This week, on the coldest day of the year so far, Garry came out to fix the door on the Little Free Pantry (LFP).**

We will give another shout out to Gene Latour, Co-sexton, for the sidewalk shovelling done this week. Has it snowed lately? To all the property committee, we thank you!

TO ALL who contribute so much help to Christ Church: THANK YOU!

9. Today, Archbishop Sarah Mullally's election is confirmed at St. Paul's Cathedral London, UK, making her the first woman to officially become Archbishop of Canterbury in the 1400 year history of the office. She will be installed in Canterbury Cathedral in March.

10. During these winter months, if there is a forecast of poor weather &/or road conditions, please check our website www.christchurchanglican.ca or facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/ChristChurchMeaford/> for possible cancellation of service or for more information.

11. **PASTORAL CARE:** For urgent care, please contact the Rev. Brendon Bedford, Rector at brendonbedford@diohuron.org or 226-974-5060.

For all other concerns, questions, or ministries, please contact the office office@christchurchanglican.ca or 519-538-1330.

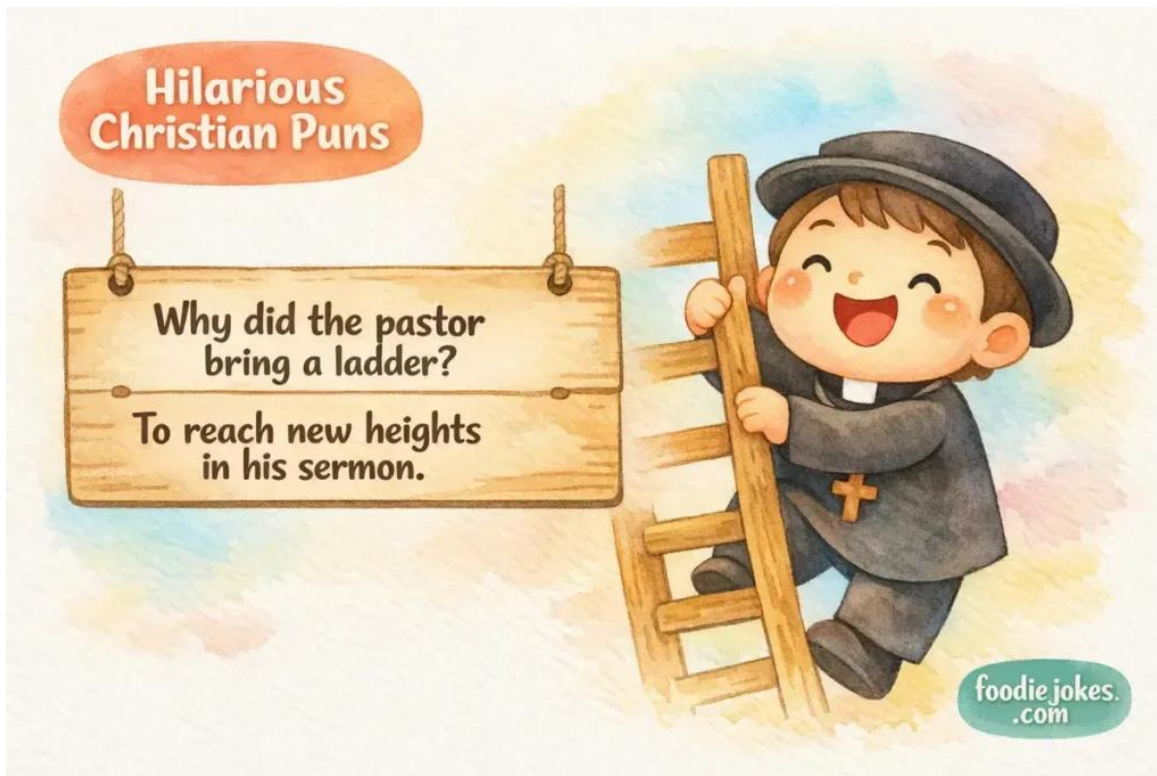
Office hours are: Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 9:00am to 2:00pm.

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