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**The Church of St. Bartholomew**

Diocese of Ottawa. The Anglican Church of Canada  
*The Guards' Chapel*



*Adoration of the Magi - Gentile da Fabriano, 1423 Uffizi Gallery, Florence  
 Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, & myrrh.  
 And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country  
 by another road. (Matthew 2:1-12)*

**The Reverend Canon David Clunie**  
 Rector

**The Epiphany of the Lord**

**Holy Communion**

**8:15 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.**

**January 5, 2020**

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The Book of Common Prayer, p. 67 ~ *red prayer book*

Greeting *Priest* The grace ... **And with thy spirit.**

Collect for Purity p. 67

Collect of the Day *Priest* Eternal God, who by a star led wise men to the worship of your Son. Guide by your light the nations of the earth, that the whole world may know your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**Amen.**

First Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6 *p. 6*

Second Reading: Ephesians 3:1-12 *p. 8*

Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14 p. 418

The Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12 *p. 9*

The Sermon: The Reverend Canon David Clunie

The Creed p. 71

The Intercessions

The Offertory *Generous financial support is our expression of gratitude which along with our time and talents enables us to provide worship at St. Bart's and support God's work in service in our community and beyond.*

Blessed be thou, Lord God of Israel, for ever and ever. **All that is in the heaven and the earth is thine. All things come of thee and of thine own have we given thee.**

Eucharistic Prayer p. 78

Preface of the Epiphany bottom p. 79

The Communion *All baptized persons are welcome to receive communion. Please do not dip the bread into the wine. If you do not wish to drink from the cup please remain at the altar rail after receiving the bread and place your arms across your chest when the chalice comes to you. The Lay Administrator will pause in front of you to say the words of administration. This shows your respect for the sacrament and solidarity with your fellow Christians. Gluten free bread is available.*

The Lord's Prayer p. 85

Blessing

Announcements

Dismissal.... **Thanks be to God.**

Sidesperson and Reader: Ann Wesch

Lay Administrators: Brian Eckert

**The Calendar**

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**The Epiphany - The Showing**

*A cold coming they had of it* said Bishop Lancelot Andrewes as he brought the Wise Men into the imaginations of King James and his courtiers. Eliot's *Magi* had freezing and thawing, just like us. Epiphany ends our Christmas but not the church season, which extends through to Candlemas (February 2<sup>nd</sup>). The Wise Men's arrival was unexpected, as was our Lord's. Not just in its time but in its manner. The polar opposite of the anticipated Messiah. He almost always comes as a surprise, and in an agent we may not expect. Perhaps in some harmony, perhaps in some verse, perhaps as a stray cat, perhaps as a nurse; perhaps as one begging for coffee and smokes, perhaps in a hospice, an office, or mosque. Perhaps on the internet, perhaps in the rain, perhaps as a teacher, perhaps on the train; perhaps as a governor, perhaps as police, perhaps in an empty dish, perhaps as a priest. Often a stranger, sometimes a friend, with promise of blessing and love without end. He will present Himself to us every day this year, and we must be ready to recognize Him, just as the Wise Men did when, at last, they found Him. We can shield His tiny light or let the world blow it out.

When winter comes and winds are cold and keen,  
When nights are darkest, though the stars shine bright,  
When life shrinks to its roots, or sleeps unseen,  
Then he may bless and bring you to his light.  
For he has come at last, and can be seen,  
God's love made vulnerable, tightly curled:  
The Winter Child, The Saviour of the World.

Malcolm Guite, *Winter Benediction*

(This is the last poem in Malcolm's latest published collection, *After Prayer: New sonnets and other poems*, Canterbury Press, 2019.)

*Prepared by Chris Burn*

## The Epiphany of the Lord

January 5, 2020

### Notice Board

Items for the bulletin must be received by 11:00 a.m. on Wednesdays.

### Parish Prayer List

For additions to the list, please contact the office with the name and a few words concerning the condition, i.e. upcoming surgery. Names will remain on the list for two weeks unless otherwise notified.

### Altar Flowers

To contribute to celebrate an event or to remember a loved one, consult the flower chart in the parish hall to select a date, then contact the Office, 613-745-7834, to confirm and provide details for the bulletin. If your date has been taken, tributes may be shared. A \$75 donation is suggested.

*Mark cheques "Altar Flowers". Tax receipts will be issued.*

### Sundays in the Hall

**Coffee Hour** - Please join us following the service.

**Supervised Nursery** - Up to 3 years - 10 a.m. - Noon

### Mondays in the Hall

Bridge Club 2-4 p.m.

### Thursdays beginning January 9

**Meditation** - 8 a.m. in the church

**Bible Study** - 10 a.m. in the hall

### \*Save the Date\*

### Friday February 7, 2020

**Annual Skating Party and Pot Luck Supper**

More info to follow.

### 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion

The Book of Common Prayer, p. 67 ~ *red prayer book*

Organ Prelude

Opening Hymn: 158 *Earth Has Many a Noble City* Stuttgart

Greeting *Priest* The grace ... **And with thy spirit.**

Collect for Purity p. 67

Gloria *sung* p.86

Collect of the Day *Priest* Eternal God, who by a star led wise men to the worship of your Son. Guide by your light the nations of the earth, that the whole world may know your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**Amen.**

First Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6 *p. 6*

Psalm: 72:1-7, 10-14 *p. 7*

Second Reading: Ephesians 3:1-12 *p. 8*

Gradual Hymn: 160 *As With Gladness Men of Old* Dix

The Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12 *p. 9*

Sermon: The Reverend Canon David Clunie

Epiphany *Ian Sowton*

The angels dip and twirl in stardust

The Magi log the star's display

While drivers doze wrapped up in dreaming

The camels grunt the night away

The camels grunt the night away

The bus boy lugs in a change of straw

The Magi leave a secret way

Awed shepherds fill the hills with chattering

The star rides singing on its way

The star rides singing on its way

The father sleeps and can't imagine

The mother smiles and looks away

And in the room where love is rocking

The baby knows but doesn't say

The baby knows but doesn't say *Music: Brian Ruttan*

The Nicene Creed p. 71

The Intercessions

The Peace

The Offertory *Generous financial support is our expression of gratitude which along with our time and talents enables us to provide worship at St. Bart's and support God's work in service in our community and beyond.*

Offertory Hymn: 159 *Brightest and Best* Stella Orientis  
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*Music during Communion*

Hymn: 627 *The Voice of God Goes Out* Sheldonian

The Lord's Prayer p. 85

Blessing

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Closing Hymn: 162 *Sing of God Made Manifest* Salzburg

Dismissal

Organ Postlude

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Sidespersons: John Leefe and Meehyan Leefe

Readers: Mary Capson and Richard Capson

Lay Administrators: Rob Nelson and Michael Beall

Intercessor: Nancy Millson

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## The Gospel

The Holy Gospel is written in the second chapter of the Gospel according to Saint Matthew beginning at the 1st verse.  
**Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, asking, "Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage." When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. They told him, "In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet: 'And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel.' " Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. Then he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, "Go and search diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage." When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road. *(Matthew 2:1-12)*

The Gospel of Christ.

**Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

## **A Reading from the Letter to the Ephesians**

This is the reason that I Paul am a prisoner for Christ Jesus for the sake of you Gentiles - for surely you have already heard of the commission of God's grace that was given me for you, and how the mystery was made known to me by revelation, as I wrote above in a few words, a reading of which will enable you to perceive my understanding of the mystery of Christ. In former generations this mystery was not made known to humankind, as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: that is, the Gentiles have become fellow heirs, members of the same body, and sharers in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel. Of this gospel I have become a servant according to the gift of God's grace that was given me by the working of his power. Although I am the very least of all the saints, this grace was given to me to bring to the Gentiles the news of the boundless riches of Christ, and to make everyone see what is the plan of the mystery hidden for ages in God who created all things; so that through the church the wisdom of God in its rich variety might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. This was in accordance with the eternal purpose that he has carried out in Christ Jesus our Lord, in whom we have access to God in boldness and confidence through faith in him. (*Ephesians 3:1-12*)

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **Anglican Cycle of Prayer:**

The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia

The Most Reverend Philip Richardson

Bishop of Taranaki and Primate

The Most Reverend Don Tamihere

Pihopa o Aotearora and Primate

The Most Reverend Fereimi Cama

Bishop of Polynesia and Primate

**Diocese:** Church of the Epiphany, Gloucester

The Reverend Geoff Chapman; The Reverend Alana McCord

**Canada:** Canadian Forces remembering especially members of the Governor General's Foot Guards and those in diplomatic missions and NGOs, especially *Jason*.

**Parish:** *Family & Friends, Jim, Mary, Carol, Don, Charlotte, Jane, Fay, Christina.*

**Garry J. Armstrong Home:** *Staff, volunteers & residents.*

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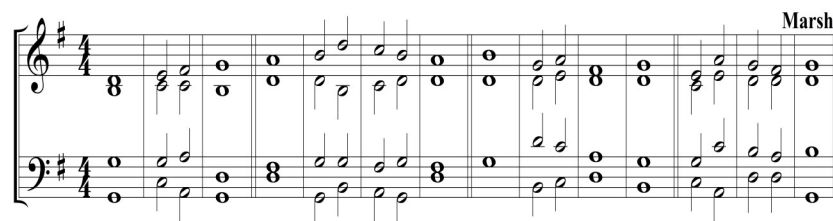
## A Reading from the Book of Isaiah

Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. For darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the Lord will arise upon you, and his glory will appear over you. Nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn. Lift up your eyes and look around; they all gather together, they come to you; your sons shall come from far away, and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms. Then you shall see and be radiant; your heart shall thrill and rejoice, because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you, the wealth of the nations shall come to you. A multitude of camels shall cover you, the young camels of Midian and Ephah; all those from Sheba shall come. They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall proclaim the praise of the Lord. (*Isaiah 60:1-6*)

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## Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14



13) Worship the Lord, / O Je/rusalem; \*  
Praise your / God, / O / Zion;

14) For he has strengthened the bars / of your / gates; \*  
He has / blessed . your / children . with-/in you.

15) He has established peace / on your / borders; \*  
He satisfies you / with the / fin-est / wheat.

16) He sends out his command / to the / earth, \*  
And his / word runs / ve-ry / swiftly.

17) He gives / snow like / wool; \*  
He scatters / hoar-frost / like / ashes.

18) He scatters his / hail like / bread crumbs; \*  
Who can / stand a/gainst his / cold?

19) He sends forth his / word and / melts them; \*  
He blows with his / wind . and the / wat-ers / flow.

20) He declares his / word to / Jacob, \*  
His statutes / and his / judgements . to / Israel.

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21) He has not done so to any / oth-er / nation; \*  
To them he has not revealed his / judge-ments. / Hal-le/lujah!

Glory be to the Father, and / to the / Son  
And / to the / Ho-ly / Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and / ev-er / shall be  
World without / end. A- / - / men.