

Services

Today

Kenyan Rite

Next Week Jan 15

Holy Eucharist BCP

Musicians

Today *Joyful Noise*

Next Sunday *Trudy Harvey*

Greeters /Gift Bearers

Today Hayward & Phyllis Keats

Next Sunday Tolson & Ruby Chapman

Altar Care / Eucharistic Assistants

Today *Wayne Drover & Gloria Hynes*

Next Sunday - *Herman & Rita Russell*



WELCOME: to this place of worship. Even though our worship space does not resemble what we are accustomed to as Anglicans, we trust that when ‘two or three are gathered together in His name, He is present among us.’ God seems to have a habit of showing up in the most unexpected places; the burning bush, the still small voice, the manger at Bethlehem, the Cross of Calvary and in YOU! As we worship, let us expect the unexpected! If you are open, maybe you will discover something good and true here today. If you do not, come again next week and the week after. Expect the unexpected. Why not ask someone to come with you, someone you least expect to say, “yes.” Expect the unexpected! Christ’s love is not meant to be contained but shared.

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Wayne Drover

Peoples' Warden

Gil Pritchett

Synod Delegate ARDFC Ambassador

Eleanor Muise

Parish Council

*Eleanor Muise
Loretta Goodyear Nina Brown*

Greeter Coordinator

Gloria Chafe

Prayer Coordinator

TBA

Altar Care / Eucharistic Assistant Coordinators

Rita & Herman Russell

Band "Joyful Noise"

*Robert Batten Owen Brown
Nina O'Brien Rick Stanley
Ruth Stanley Selby Mesher*

Pianist

Trudy Harvey

Projection / Sound

Darlene Chafe

Safe Church Coordinators

TBA

Committee on Constitution & By-Laws

*Wayne Drover Hayward Keats
Gil Pritchett*

ANiC Parish of St. Stephen The Martyr

Baptism of our Lord

January 8th , 2017



THE MARTYR'S CROWN

Peoples' worship is disrupted when cell phones ring. As a gift to each other, we turn *off our* cell phone ringers during worship



ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER COORDINATOR NEEDED:
We continue to need someone to coordinate prayer before worship and take care of the book containing weekly prayer requests.

Collection January 8th \$1426 regular offering,
\$50 office
We need \$2200 weekly to meet our expenses.



Readings *Isaiah 42.1-9; Psalm 29; Acts 10.34-43;*
Matthew 3.13-17

Next Sunday *Isaiah 49.1-7; Psalm 40.1-11; 1 Cor 1.1-9;*
John 1.29-42

LET US PRAY FOR:

Healing: In the parish- *Bruce, Renee, Owen, Robin & Mark; Ruth, Rick, Bob*

Requests from outside the parish- *Clyde & Mary Drover & family, Bob Vokey, Cassandra & family, Jean Squires, Jean O'Brien, Agnes Hoyles, Mervin, Suzanne, Johnathan & Gary, Cheryl, Lynette, Ivan & Family, Anna, Tim, Michael, Joan, Suzanne, Sheila Curl, Joyce Mesher, Eva Mesher, May King, Harvey Bennett*

Bereaved: *Jessie & family, Trixie Collins and family*

Parish: We give thanks for God's provision. We ask His guidance as we prepare to enter a new year. We ask for the ears to hear and eyes to see.

Diocese: For Bishop Charlie, the clergy and congregations within ANiC. For our sister congregation of the Good Samaritan as they prepare their mission to Guatemala in January.

Province:

World: For the Persecuted Church, Christians who face the possibility of danger and persecution because they celebrate the birth of their Saviour.