

# ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST ANGLICAN CHURCH

Diocese of Ottawa • Anglican Church of Canada



## BAPTISM OF THE LORD

January 12, 2020

Holy Baptism & Sung Eucharist 10am

## **Welcome to St. John the Evangelist.**

If you are unable to come forward to receive Communion, arrangements can be made for you receive Communion in your pew. Please speak with a Sidesperson at the entrance to the Church.

All children are welcome to Sunday School in the upper parish hall during the service.

We welcome through the waters of baptism today: Kennedy Dawn Kinch.

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## **HOLY BAPTISM & SUNG EUCHARIST ~ 10am**

Hymns are from the blue Common Praise hymnbooks unless otherwise indicated

### ***Prelude***

### **Hymn 103**

## **THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY**

Presider: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**People: And also with you.**

Presider: There is one body and one Spirit,

**People: There is one hope in God's call to us;**

Presider: One Lord, one faith, one baptism,

**People: One God and Father of all.**

### **Collect of the Day**

Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit, keep your children, born of water and the Spirit, faithful to their calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## **THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

### **First Reading**

Isaiah 42:1-9

Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. He will not cry or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street; a bruised reed he will not break, and a dimly burning wick he will not quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice. He will not grow

faint or be crushed until he has established justice in the earth; and the coastlands wait for his teaching. Thus says God, the LORD, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people upon it and spirit to those who walk in it: I am the LORD, I have called you in righteousness, I have taken you by the hand and kept you; I have given you as a covenant to the people, a light to the nations, to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness. I am the LORD, that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to idols. See, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth, I tell you of them.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

**All: Thanks be to God.**

***Psalm 29*** (please remain seated)

*Tune: Diademata*

**Ascribe to God, you gods, ascribe glory and might;  
ascribe the glory due his Name, worship in holy light.  
God's voice is on the deep, his thunder rolls on high;  
the Lord is on the water-flood, God's voice a mighty cry.**

**God's voice breaks mighty trees, tall cedars of great worth;  
they writhe and leap like mountain sheep,  
God's voice shakes all the earth.**

**God's voice splits flames of fire, God's voice shakes desert sands;  
God's voice makes oak trees shake and strips  
the leaves from forest stands.**

**Within God's temple all cry "Glory!" and adore;  
the Lord sits throned above the flood as King for evermore.  
The Lord will give his strength to all his own, nor cease  
to give his people evermore the blessing of his peace.**

## **Second Reading**

Acts 10:34-43

Then Peter began to speak to them: 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God

raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

### **Gradual Hymn 45 vv 1-2**

#### **Holy Gospel**

Matthew 3:13-17

Gospeller: *The Lord be with you.*

**All: *And also with you.***

Gospeller: *The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.*

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

Then Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan, to be baptized by him. John would have prevented him, saying, 'I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?' But Jesus answered him, 'Let it be so now; for it is proper for us in this way to fulfil all righteousness.' Then he consented. And when Jesus had been baptized, just as he came up from the water, suddenly the heavens were opened to him and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him. And a voice from heaven said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.'

Gospeller: *The Gospel of Christ.*

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

### **Gradual Hymn v.3**

#### **Sermon**

#### **Presentation and Examination of Candidates**

Presider: The candidate for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Presenter: I present Kennedy Dawn Kinch to receive the sacrament of baptism.

Presider: Will you be responsible for seeing that the child you present is nurtured in the faith and life of the Christian community?

Answer: I will, with God's help.

Presider: Will you by your prayers and witness help this child to grow into the full stature of Christ?

Answer: I will, with God's help.

*The presider asks the following questions of the parents and sponsors who speak on behalf of the infants and younger children.*

Question: Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

Answer: I renounce them.

Question: Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

Answer: I renounce them.

Question: Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

Answer: I renounce them.

Question: Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Saviour?

Answer: I do.

Question: Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

Answer: I do.

Question: Do you promise to obey him as your Lord?

Answer: I do.

*The presider then addresses the congregation.*

Presider: Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support Kennedy in her life in Christ?

**People: We will.**

### **Intercessions**

Presider: Let us now pray for Kennedy who is to receive the sacrament of new birth, and let us pray for the church and for the world saying "*hear our prayer.*"

# THE CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM

## **Thanksgiving over the Water** *(please stand)*

Presider: The Lord be with you.

**People And also with you.**

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Presider: We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over water the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through water you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In water your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life. We thank you, Father, for the water of baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Now sanctify this water by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who are here cleansed from sin and born again, may continue forever in the risen life of Jesus Christ, our Saviour. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, now and forever. **Amen.**

## **Baptismal Covenant**

Presider: Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant. Do you believe in God the Father?

**All: I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.**

Presider: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**All: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Presider: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**All: I believe in God the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

Presider: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Presider: Will you persevere in resisting evil and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Presider: Will you proclaim by word and example the good news of God in Christ?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Presider: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbour as yourself?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Presider: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Presider: Will you strive to safeguard the integrity of God's creation, and respect, sustain and renew the life of the Earth?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

*As the family move to the font, the choir sings the following anthem. The congregation is invited to be seated.*

**Anthem**                      *Blest are They (Matthew 5)*

**The Baptism** *(the congregation may be seated)*

*The presider pours water on the candidate, saying:*

*Kennedy Dawn Kinch* I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

*The presider makes the sign of the cross with Chrism on the forehead of the newly baptized, saying:*

I sign you with the cross, and mark you as Christ's own forever.

*The presider prays over the newly baptized.*

Presider: Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon this your servant Kennedy the forgiveness of sin, and have raised her to the new life of grace. Sustain her, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give her an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. **Amen.**

### **The Giving of Light**

*A representative from the congregation give the newly baptized a lighted candle. The congregation is invited to stand.*

Presider: Receive the light of Christ to show that you have passed from darkness into light.

**People: Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.**

Presider: Let us welcome the newly baptized.

**People: We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

### **The Peace**

Presider: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People: And also with you.**

### **Offertory Hymn 35**

## THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

### **Prayer over the gifts**

#### **Great Thanksgiving**

Presider: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them to the Lord.**

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**



Presider: We give you thanks and praise, almighty God, through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Redeemer....  
...By his resurrection he brings us into the light of your presence. Now with all creation we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

**All: *Holy, holy, holy, Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.***

Presider: Holy and gracious God, accept our praise, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; ...  
... All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### **The Lord's Prayer**

**All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

### **Breaking of the Bread**

Presider: We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**All: We being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

Presider: The gifts of God are for the people of God.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

### **Communion**

*All who are baptized are welcome to receive the bread and/or the wine of Holy Communion. If you do not wish to receive Communion, please feel welcome to come to the altar rail for a blessing, crossing your arms across your chest to signal this to the priest. Please do not dip the bread into the chalice. If you do not wish to drink from the common cup, please cross your arms across your chest to signal this to the Communion Assistant.*

**Hymns during Communion Red Song Book 183; 85; 84**

## **Hymn after Communion 649**

### **Prayer after Communion**

### **Doxology**

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### **The Blessing**

## **Hymn 306**

### **Dismissal**

### ***Postlude***

Presiding Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Catherine Ascah  
Preacher: The Reverend Canon Brian Burrows  
Readers: Nancy Fleming; Dawn Dunlop | Intercessions: Paul Howard  
Communion Assistants: Donna Howard; Kevin Lewis  
Servers: Sue Norman; Kevin Lewis; Rob MacLaren  
Sidespeople: Rita B. Purcell; Lois Dewey  
Altar Guild: Kathy Porter; Lois Dewey | Video: Ron Watt

**Everyone is invited to the Parish Hall following the service  
to enjoy cake and fellowship, and to welcome the newly baptized!  
Our hosts today are ACW Group B.**

Readings for next Sunday, January 19th - Second Sunday after Epiphany  
Isaiah 49:1-7; Psalm 40:1-12; 1 Corinthians 1:1-9; John 1:29-42

<b>This Week in the Parish</b>		
Monday	Beginnings AA/Al-Anon	6:15pm 8pm
Tuesday	ACW Group B Pint & Passage	2pm 7pm
Wednesday	Holy Eucharist Parish Council	10am 7pm
Thursday	Choir	730pm
Friday	Games Night	530pm
Saturday	Ecumenism in Canadian Christianity Seminar with Dr. Murray Watson Holy Eucharist	10am - 3pm 5pm
Sunday	Holy Eucharist Sung Eucharist	8am 10am

**In our Parish we pray for:** Heather, Paul, Riley, Margaret, Dan Burns, Lorna, Katie, Bonnie, Ron, Bill D., Sheila, Bob, Ann R. Bothwell, Karen K., Steve, Andy, Melanie, Susan Peters, Philip Burns, Sharon Clarke, Bill Pollock, Annabel Maloney, Paul Dunlop, Ruth, Cavin Dunham.

**Friends of the Parish we pray for:** Zachary, Peggy, Marilyn, Jacqui, Dana Dean & family, Chloe McCue, Michelle, Robert Apro, Debbie Pilon, Bonnie Bothwell, Sandra, Neena, Jutanie, Maureen Halpenny, Sherry, Darcy, Richard, Leah, Crystal, Barry, Bernard, Sarah Telford, Valerie Kerr, Donnie McConnell, Eileen C, Casey, Jim Jarvis, Donna, Serge, Lisa, Sue Ellen, Dorothy, Helena, Marion, Kevin Kealey, Chuck & Sheila Nehring, Ron M., Lorna, Sharon, Bev, Libby, Donna, Cathy K, Ivan Dunne, Maggie, Emily, Doug, Kathy O'Shea, Larry, Diane, Gerry, Cathy S., Heather Wilson, Joe M, Gary Fitzpatrick, John Duncan, Kevin, Ginette, David, Dale Kerr, Tanya James, Ken McCarthy, Diane Chadborne, Gerry Clement, Nancy Percival, Joy Willoughby, Nancy & Mary Esther Griffith, Susan Crosbie.

**Parishioners residing in retirement/nursing homes we pray for:** Bev Lannin, Cora Beasley, Fran Robinson, Thelma Doherty, Nancy Langdon, Irene Anderson, Betty Gault, Helen Cameron, Brenda Hauraney, Ken Winkenweder, Irene Leach, Jessie Read, Joan Dillon, Pat & Lily Willis, Lorna Jones, Donna Edlington.

**Prayer Calendar** In our Diocese we pray for: The Rt. Rev'd John Chapman; The Parish of the Valley: The Right Rev'd Michael Bird, The Rev'd Matthew Brown, The Rev'd Canon Susan Clifford, The Rev'd Gillian Hoyer; those in our Diocese living under religious vows.

**Prayer for the Election of a Bishop:** Almighty God, giver of all good gifts, look on your Church with grace, and guide the minds of those who shall choose a bishop for this diocese, that we may receive a faithful servant who will care for your people and support us in our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

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## Weekly Liturgies

Wednesday 10am – Holy Eucharist  
Saturday 5pm – Holy Eucharist  
Sunday 8am – Holy Eucharist; 10am\* – Sung Eucharist  
*\*Sunday School offered for children September - June*

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	<b>January 19th - Second Sunday after Epiphany</b>	<b>January 26th - Third Sunday after Epiphany</b>
Readers:	Terry Dillabough; Karen Bryan	Maxine Haining; Donna Howard
Intercessor:	Pat Lee	Louise Sherry
Communion Assistants:	Kathy Porter; Pat Lee	Karen Bryan; Ron Watt
Servers:	Sue Norman; Laura Porter; Kevin Lewis	Lois Dewey; Laura Porter; Rob MacLaren
Altar Guild:	Kathy Porter; Lois Dewey	Ann Hare
Sidespeople:	M.E. Cote; Mark Ferguson	Una Pugh; Melanie Beath
Video:	Paul Howard	Philip Barber