# THE VALLEY BULLETIN

4TH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

JANUARY 30TH, 2022



Parish of the Valley

Diocese of Ottav Anglican Church

#### WELCOME

If you are visiting, we welcome you into our midst.

Whoever you are and wherever you are on your journey in faith, you are welcome. It is a blessing to have you worship with us today!

The Parish of the Valley respectfully acknowledges that we gather for worship

on the unceded territory of the Algonquin Anishinabeg people.

# LET'S PRAY

For the Church in the World we pray for The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean. For our Companion Diocese of Jerusalem and the Middle East. We pray for Linda Nicholls, our Primate, Anne Germond, our Metropolitan, and Mark MacDonald, National Indigenous Archbishop.

#### In our Diocese of Ottawa we pray for:

- † For Shane Parker, our Bishop; for Michael Bird, Honourary Assistant Bishop and our Incumbent; for our Associate Incumbents, Matthew Brown, Susan Clifford, and Gillian Hoyer.
- † COVID 19 Pray for all who are affected by this Pandemic.
- † For Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa, for all Archdeacons in our diocese & for St. Peter's Lutheran Church.
- † For St. Thomas', Rankin, part of the Parish of the Valley.

For the life & members of our Parish of the Valley Community, this week we pray for: Edward, Stephanie, Charlotte & Theodore Carter, Wendy & Kirsten Cayen, Matthew, Alana & Mason Chaput, Charles & Marie Cheesman, Thane, Patty, Alyza & Wren Childerhose, and all members of their families.

For those who have died and for all members of their families as they grieve: Herbert Metzger, Robert McCauley, Florence Bird, mother of Bishop Michael.

## For the sick and those who have asked for our prayers ...

Alice & Petawawa: Minnie, Claire, Marjorie, Peter.

Barry's Bay & Whitney: Patricia, Elspeth, Debra, Mary-Jayne, Violet, Fern, John, Shirley, Marilyn, Betty, Elva, David, Susie, Freda, Andrew.

Beachburg: Patsy, Holly, Thyra, Anne, Sandra, Nathan, Bill.

Killaloe/Tramore & Eganville: Marilyn, Jack, Bert, Phyllis, Bob, Pauline, Jim, Hanna, Scarlett, Toots, May, Denise, Forest, Rosemary.

*Pembroke:* George, Cecil, Lynne, Alix, Rita, Susan, Ann, Gale, Lomie, Rob, Jessie.

Stafford / Cobden: Nathan, Margaret, Susan, Ryan, Haley, Ruth, Iris, James, Sharon, Dave, Nicholas, Peggy, Carolyn, Hillary, Sharon, Glen, Andrew, John.

### READINGS

JANUARY 30, 2022 - 4TH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY Jeremiah 1:4-10; Psalm 71:1-6; 1 Corinthians 13:1-13; Luke 4:21-30

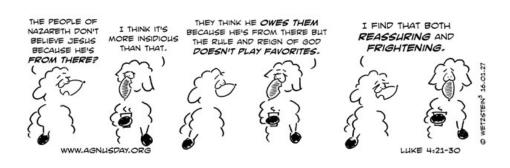
# **UPCOMING READINGS**

FEBRUARY 6, 2022 - 5TH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY Isaiah 6:1-8; Psalm 138; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11 FEBRUARY 13, 2022 - 6TH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY Jeremiah 17:5-10; Psalm 1; 1 Corinthians 15:12-20; Luke 6:17-26

#### **OFFERINGS**

Please continue to make your regular offerings, as our major expenses continue during this time of pandemic. All members of the Parish of the Valley are encouraged to mail in weekly offerings (cash or cheque), sign up for Pre-Authorized Remittances (PAR), or give online with credit card using the website *Canada Helps*. Please see our website for a list of church and treasurer mailing addresses and online giving information.

#### IN PERSON SERVICES SUSPENDED



# PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Are you subscribed to our parish e-newsletter? A reminder email containing the link to our weekly worship services is sent out every Sunday morning, and a more comprehensive newsletter with ministry updates from across the Parish of the Valley is sent out every second week on Fridays. Simply input your email address into the "Subscribe to our Newsletter" box at <a href="https://www.valleyanglicans.ca">www.valleyanglicans.ca</a> to receive these regular updates from our parish.
- The Good Book Club is an invitation to all Anglicans & Episcopalians to join in reading the first half of the Book of Exodus during the Season of Epiphany 2022. Exodus recounts the journey of the Israelites from slavery to freedom. We hear the great stories of Moses, from his discovery by Pharaoh's daughter on the bank of the river to the burning bush to his presentation of the Ten Commandments. Along the way, we encounter God's covenant and explore the grand theme of redemption. Learn more at <a href="https://www.goodbookclub.org">www.goodbookclub.org</a>.

#### Upcoming Readings:

Sunday, January 30: Exodus 10:11-20

Monday, January 31: Exodus 10:21-29

Tuesday, February 1: Exodus 11:1-10

Wednesday, February 2, Presentation: Exodus 12:1-13

Thursday, February 3: Exodus 12:14-20

Friday, February 4: Exodus 12:21-28

Saturday, February 5: Exodus 12:29-32

Sunday, February 6: Exodus 12:33-42

Just as the people of Nazareth refused to listen to Jesus speaking hard truths, at the beginning of the pandemic many people refused to listen to hard truths spoken by medical experts like Dr. Anthony Fauci.

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