

St. Matthew's Church, Windsor, Ontario
**"We are called to share God's love
as we welcome and care for our community"**

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January 2, 2022

The Epiphany

*We gather for worship on the traditional lands of
the Three Fires Confederacy of First Nations, which includes
the Ojibwa, the Odawa, and the Potawatomie*

Presider: The Rev'd Andreas Thiel
Deacon: The Rev'd Cathy MacKendrick
Deacon: The Rev'd Glenda Fisher
Pastoral Musician: Michael Ricketts

Prelude: Greensleeves (R. Vaughan Williams)

Processional: #153 Good Christians All, Rejoice

Gathering of the Community p.185

Hymn of Praise: Angels We Have Heard on High

Angels we have heard on high, sweetly singing o'er the plain,
And the mountains in reply echoing their joyous strain:

(Refrain) **Gloria in excelsis Deo. Gloria in excelsis Deo.**

Come to Bethlehem, and see him, whose birth the angels sing;
Come adore on bended knee Christ, our Lord the newborn king. (Refrain)

Collect of the Dayp. 280

Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6

Ps. 72: 1-7, 10-1..... p.797

Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

Homily

Anthem: Peace Came to Earth (K. Lee Scott)

Nicene Creed p. 188

Prayers of the People Refrain:

Confession and Absolutionp. 191

The Peace p. 192

Offering Hymn: #148 See Amid the Winter's Snow

Celebration of the Eucharist

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer: #3p. 198

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread: #6p. 213

Presider: We break the bread of life,
And that life is the light of the world.

All: **God here among us,
light in the midst of us,
bring us to light and life.**

Communion Hymn: See Amid the Winter's Snow

Prayer after Communion and Blessingp. 214

Parish Announcements

Recessional Hymn: #139 The First Nowell

Postlude: Good King Wenceslas (A. Fedak)

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Welcome visitors – we are blessed you are with us.

Please let us know how we can serve you. If you desire, there are “Visitor’s envelopes” on the table in the narthex.

Scripture readings for Sunday, January 9, 2022 – Isaiah 43:17; Ps. 29; Acts 8:14-17; Luke 3: 15-17, 21-22

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantor: Margaret Kissau

Lector: Alisa Yednoroz

Intercessor: Ann Hucal

Collection Supervisor: Andy Hahn

Ushers: Gordon Drake, Ann Hucal

Marlborough Breakfast: Making Muffins: Louise & Mary Davis, Gail Henderson
Delivery: Louise Davis

Annual Vestry Meeting – Sunday, January 30, 2022, following the 10:00 am service. Format (in-person or “virtual”) to be announced closer to the date.

Parish Hall Use – a reminder that there are two Al-Anon groups meeting in the Parish Hall (Sunday, 7-9 pm & Wednesday, 11:30 -2 pm). Thank you for respecting the confidentiality of members by not entering the hall at those times.

Outreach Ministries – Remember your gifts to Hiatus House, our Food Cupboard, the Marlborough Breakfast Program, and the ministry to the Southwest Detention Centre.

Would You Like a Pastoral Visit? – Please contact Rev'd Andreas (519-969-1510, church; 226-345-5085, cell).

People Who Are Ill and/or in Hospital – If you know of someone who is in hospital, please advise our clergy, so that they might offer pastoral support.