

# Announcements

## January 19–25, 2026

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### As you prepare for worship... Proper 2A

**Isaiah 49:1-3, 5-7:** In this passage the prophet spoke of God's special agent who would fulfill God's will for the people and those beyond Israel (represented by those who are "from far away"). With God's wisdom and strength, this servant will turn Israel (Jacob) back to God. Then, this servant will be a light "to the nations" so that God's salvation could reach the ends of the earth.

**1 Corinthians 1:1-9:** Paul, an apostle (one sent out by Christ), wrote to a group of ordinary people who are "saints" (sanctified in baptism), set apart for God's work. Paul assured these neophytes (new to the faith) that it is God who has called them, and equipped them with spiritual gifts. God, who is faithful, will also strengthen them so that they may stand blameless at the second coming of Christ.

**John 1:29-42:** Twice in this passage John the Baptist proclaims that Jesus is the "Lamb of God," referring to Jesus' upcoming sacrifice on the cross. (Lamb's blood was shed during the annual rite of Atonement to take away the peoples' accumulated sins over the previous year) After John's second pronouncement, two of John's disciples decided to follow Jesus. One of them was Andrew, who went to Simon Peter, his brother, proclaiming that they had found the Messiah. Simon went to Jesus who changes his name to Cephas (Peter).

Next weeks readings: Isaiah 9:1-4; Corinthians 1:10-18; Matthew 4:12-23

### DONATIONS

**Please continue to make all donation cheques payable to All Saints' Anglican Church.** You will be advised when the church's bank account has been changed to the new name and until that time **we cannot accept cheques payable to our new name.** Thank you.

### Activities this Week

- Jan 19 Monday**  
1:00 pm—My Smartphone Hates Me! Parish Hall  
7:00 pm—Group Meeting, Basement
- Jan 20 Tuesday**  
7:00 pm—Bluewater Chordsmen, Parish Hall
- Jan 21 Wednesday**  
10:00 am—Music Committee meeting, Choir Room
- Jan 22 Thursday**  
3:00 pm—Wardens meet, Parish House  
3:00 pm—Choir  
5:00 pm—Martial Arts, Parish Hall
- Jan 23 Friday**  
6:30 pm—Hymn Sing  
8:00 pm—Group meeting Parish Hall
- Jan 25 Sunday**  
8:00 am—Holy Eucharist BCP  
10:30 am—Holy Eucharist BAS

**If you are a new member of the congregation please contact the office (519-344-5167) or one of the wardens (see below) with your contact information. Email, mailing address and phone number. Thank you and Welcome.**

### Vestry Reports

Our Vestry is fast approaching, **Sunday, February 22nd** after the 10:30 am Worship Service. Please ensure you are working on your reports to have them submitted to the office by **Monday 9th of February latest.** In writing or by email. Thank you!

### 2025 PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

**Warden:** Heather Norwood  
Gord Loeven

**Deputy Warden:** Carole James-Airey  
Kathy Hungerford

**Treasurer:** Natalie Beer

**Lay Delegates to Synod:** Susan Memedovich  
Maurice Carson

**Alternate Lay Delegates:** Jim Hodgins  
Barb Pajuk

**Members at Large:** Leigh Carson  
Beverly Woods  
Kory Memedovich  
Glen Crawford  
Don Hunter

**Clergy:** Rev'd Karen Nelles, Priest-in-Charge

**OFFICE HOURS:** Tuesday - Friday: 9am-1pm.

In consideration for persons with reactions to perfumes, you are requested to come to church 'au natural'.

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

#### PLEASE NOTE \*\*

(Every Tuesday, 11 am Walking Group meeting at the Animal Farm parking lot with a 12:15 pm Lunch. This week is TBA.

Jan 19 1 pm—My Smartphone Hates Me, P. Hall  
Jan 21 1:30 pm—Joint ACW Meeting, St. Paul's  
Jan 23 5 pm—The Slice, 6:30 pm Hymn Sing  
Jan 24 6 pm—Italian Feast, Parish Hall  
Feb 13 7 pm—Creative Word, TBA  
Feb 22 1 pm—Annual Vestry, Paish Hall

### Italian Feast Saturday, January 24th, 6 pm

Come with your appetite! Parish Hall Doors open at 5:30. Dinner will be served at 6 pm. Cost is \$25. Please contact Heather @ 519-658-7245 if you want a seat saved. You can also talk to Heather Or Sandy on Sunday at Church. No tickets will be printed. We will have a sign up sheet.



### My Smartphone Hates Me!

It will take place beginning at one o'clock on **Monday 19 January in Parish Hall**. The topic for this session is entitled "Once Again, From the Beginning", as is essentially a review of everything that we have done. It will be perfect for those who wish to consolidate their learning, for those who might have missed some finer

points, and for those who wish to start but have no idea how.



### Food Bank Sunday

The first Sunday of each month will be food bank Sunday. All items collected will be donated to the St Andrew's Food Bank in Corunna.

Much needed item are canned fruit, snack crackers, cookies, manwich/stew, instant coffee/regular tea, 1 liter juice boxes, toilet paper, fruit / pudding cups, canned meats, deodorant, shampoo & conditioner. **They do not take clothing or empty containers.**



The next Creative Word will be **February 13, 7 pm** at TBA..



### Serving Schedule:

PA Monitor: Andi Beer  
Greeters: Carole & John Airey

### Joint A.C.W. MEETING

Wednesday January 21st at 1:30 pm in St. Paul's Parish Hall (Point Edward)

