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#### Prayers this Week

**The Anglican Cycle of Prayer:** Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo and their Bishop.

**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:** St. James the Apostle, Port Lambton & Wallaceburg; Church of the Ascension, Comber; Holy Trinity, St. Paul's and Christ Church in Chatham.

**For God's Healing Presence:** Jim, Pete, Sue, Jack, Donna, Steve, Scott, Sherry, Mary, Codey, Carl, Georgina, Ian, Andrew, Bridget, Sara, Kevin, Josee, Glenn, Helen, Oscar Sr., all First Responders and members of the Canadian Armed Forces.

## *Sarnia* *January 18, 2026*

*Please take advantage of the hearing devices located at the back of the church (by the sound system)*



### **WELCOME**

We welcome everyone to our services today. We encourage our guests to take a moment to sign your name and address in the guest book at the back of the nave.

**8:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist B. C. P. p. 67**

Isaiah 49:1-7 Psalm 40:1-12 P.380 John 1:29-42

**10:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist B.A.S.**

**Prelude:**

Gathering the Community

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**Announcements**

**HYMN 385 Worship the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness**

**Greeting**

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**Collect for Purity**

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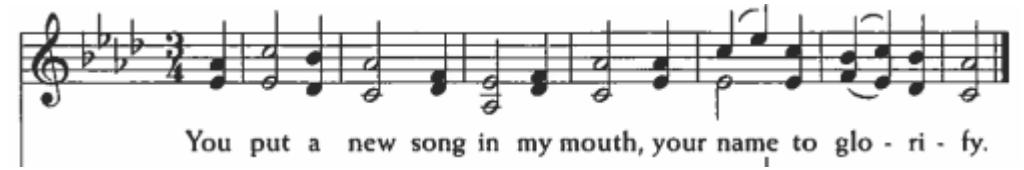
**Act of Praise: Hymn 508 I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say  
Collect of the Day**

Proclaiming the Word

**First Reading:** Isaiah 49:1-7

Angela Palumbo

**Psalm 40:1-12**



You put a new song in my mouth, your name to glo - ri - fy.

I waited patiently for you, O God;  
you bent down and heard my cry.

You lifted me out of the horrible pit,  
out of the miry clay,  
and set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure.

You put a new song in my mouth,  
a song of praise to our God.

Many shall see and wonder,  
and will put their trust in you. R

## Psalm 40:1-12



You put a new song in my mouth, your name to glo - ri - fy.

Blessed are those whose trust is in God,  
who have not turned to the proud,  
nor to those who follow a lie.

O God, my God, you have multiplied your wondrous deeds  
and your thoughts toward us;  
none can compare with you!

I would proclaim and tell of them,  
but they are more than can be numbered.

Sacrifice and offering you do not desire,  
burnt offering and sacrifice for sin you have not required.

But you have opened my ears to hear.

and I said: "Here I am,  
ready to do what is written in the scroll of the book."

I delight to do your will, O my God,  
your law is in my heart. R

I have told the glad news of deliverance in the great congregation;  
I did not restrain my lips, as you well know.

I have not kept your goodness hidden in my heart,  
but have spoken of your faithfulness and your saving help.

I have not concealed your steadfast love,  
nor your truth from the great congregation.

Do not withhold from me your tender care, O God;  
may your love and truth ever preserve me. R

**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 1:1-9

Sue Pickard

**Hymn 438** *O Jesus, I Have Promised* (v.1-2)

**Holy Gospel:** John 1:29-42 The Rev'd Karen Nelles

**Hymn 438** *O Jesus, I Have Promised* (v.3-4)

**Homily** The Rev'd Karen Nelles

**Anthem**

**Nicene Creed**

**Prayers of the People** "Lord, hear our prayer" Carol Arnesen p.188

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**The Peace** p.192

## Celebrating the Eucharist

**Hymn 352** *Amazing Grace*

**Eucharistic Prayer #1** p. 193

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Agnus Dei**

**Breaking of the Bread Sentence 1** p. 212

**Holy Communion**

**HYMN 84** *Lord, Enthroned in Heavenly Splendour*

**Prayer After Communion** p. 214

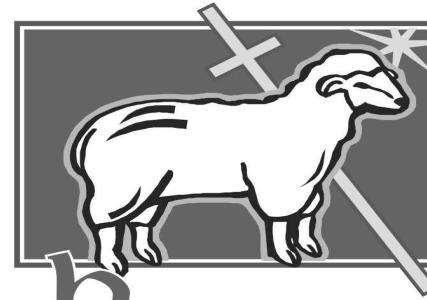
**Doxology**

**Blessing**

**HYMN 377** *To the Name of Our Salvation*

**Dismissal**

**Postlude**



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ere is the  
lamb of god  
who takes away  
the sin  
of the world!  
john 1.29