

Sarnia
February 8, 2026
5th Sunday after Epiphany



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 58:1-12 Psalm 112:1-10 p.478 Matthew 5:13-20

10:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist B.A.S.

Prelude:

Gathering the Community

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Announcements

HYMN 393 *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

Greeting

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Collect for Purity

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Act of Praise: Hymn 3 *Morning Has Broken*

Collect of the Day

Proclaiming the Word

First Reading: Isaiah 58:1-12

Lowell Bida

Psalm 112:1-10



The just shall trust in God a - lone.

Blessed are those who fear God,
who greatly delight in God's commandments.

Their descendants will be mighty in the land,
the generation of the upright will be blessed.

Riches and plenty shall be in their house,
their righteousness enduring forever.

They are a light in the darkness for the upright,
being gracious, compassionate and just.

It goes well with those who lend generously,
who conduct their affairs with justice. R

For the righteous will never be shaken;
they will be kept in remembrance for ever.

They will not live in fear of bad news,
with resolute heart they trust in God.

Their heart is steady, they do not fear,
in the end they will see their enemies' downfall.

They distribute freely to the poor,
their righteousness enduring forever,
they will hold up their heads in honour. R

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 2:1-16

Leigh Carson

Hymn 645 *Come Down, O Love Divine* (v. 1-2)

Holy Gospel: Matthew 5:13-20

The Rev'd Karen Nelles

Hymn 645 *Come Down, O Love Divine* (v. 3-4)

Homily

The Rev'd Karen Nelles

Anthem "Let all the World in Ev'ry Corner Sing"

R—Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing, my God and King

The heav'ns are not too high, His praise may thither fly,
The earth is not too low, His praises there may grow,

R—Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing, my God and King

The church with psalms must shout, No door can keep them out,
But above all the heart must bear the longest part.

R—Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing, my God and King,
My God, My God and King.

Nicene Creed

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Prayers of the People "Lord hear our prayer"

Angela Palumbo

Confession and Absolution

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The Peace

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Celebrating the Eucharist

Hymn 455 *Dear God, Compassionate and Kind*

Eucharistic Prayer #1

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The Lord's Prayer

Agnus Dei

Breaking of the Bread Sentence 2

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Holy Communion

HYMN 502 *You Are Salt For the Earth*

Cantor: George Bracewell

Prayer After Communion

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Doxology

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Blessing

HYMN 431 *Take Up Your Cross, the Saviour Said*

Dismissal

Postlude



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Prayers this Week

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui and their Bishop.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Trinity, Watford; St. John the Divine, Arva and Church of the Ascension, & St. Mark's Church in London.

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