

Birthday and Anniversary Blessings to all who are celebrating this month.

Birthdays: December 31st—Sam Barnhardt

Over the past couple of years, we have only used half of the collection envelopes that were ordered, and therefore have quite a few left unused. We would like to be able to use these for 2018.

Unfortunately, the dates are incorrect and need to be changed; that has been started. This also means that the envelope # that you currently have will change. If this is a concern for you, would you please let Rod or Lisa know. If there are no objections, a new list will be prepared for January 2018. Thank you.

Financial Update

Weekly Need:	\$1,774
Last Week's Offering:	<u>-\$1,462</u>
Shortfall:	\$ 312

*includes portion of monthly pre-authorized giving

Our Parish Mission Statement

Our mission, for the glory of God in Jesus Christ and through the power of the Holy Spirit, is to:

Celebrate all that God has done for us through worship and witness with others.

Respond to our call to be disciples of Christ by sharing our faith, rooted in the Word of God, with others and encouraging others to become followers of Christ through word and action.

Practice good stewardship of our human, financial and environmental resources, working to ensure that all of God's Creation is viable for future generations.

Grow ourselves and others by reaching out to our communities, following Jesus' example of generous caring, giving, and welcoming.



THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF TYENDINAGA

To be a Spirit-filled and life-giving place where strangers become friends and friends become disciples.

Welcome to our Sunday Celebration ~ December 31, 2017

Hope



Peace

First Sunday after Christmas

This week's Scripture Reflection

Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts; let the word of Christ dwell in you richly. Colossians 3:15, 16

This week's Collect

Almighty God, You have shed upon us the new light of Your incarnate Word. May this light, enkindled in our hearts, shine forth in our lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

SUNDAY CELEBRATIONS 9:30 A.M.

All Saints Church & Queen Anne
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Today and in the week ahead



our Anglican Church of Canada

Archbishop Fred Hiltz, Our Primate

Archbishop Colin Johnson, Our Metropolitan

Bishop Mark McDonald, Anglican Indigenous Bishop

our Anglican Communion

The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand & Polynesia—The Most Rev'd Winston Halapua, Bishop of Polynesia & Archbishop; and The Most Rev'd Philip Richardson, Bishop of Taranaki (Aotearoa, NZ & Polynesia)

our Diocese of Ontario

The Rt Rev'd Michael Oulton and the Parish of All Saints South Grenville—The Rev'd Tracey Lloyd-Smith and The Rev'd Dr. David Smith

our Companion parishes

St Ann's Episcopal Church, Amsterdam, the Very Rev'd Neal Longe and HM Chapel Royal, Hampton Court Palace, the Rev'd Anthony Howe

our Parish of Tyendinaga

Rod and Lisa, our ministers. Cathie and Doug, our Lay readers, the Altar Guild. Pray for the families of: Donna Spencer; Carol Thomas; Marion Thomas; Cheryl Tugnette; and Cathie Vick.

our community

R. Donald Maracle - our Chief and our newly elected Council. For all who provide leadership in the communities where we live. For this years election of Chief and Council on our territory. For police officers, firemen and first responders. In this community for those who live and work on York Road, Eli's Road, and Sadie's Lane. The sick - Merle Maracle, Olivia Tumak, Colin Bonner, Vanessa Bonner, Connie Peron, Cubby Brant, Harvey Brant, Corey Vick, Shirley Foley, Phil & Gladys Bowden, Hector & Carolyn Vincent, Elena Betts, Larry Hay, Murray O'Coin and any others that we may know of.

This week's Stewardship Reflection:

Anna and Simeon find themselves unexpectedly rewarded and blessed for their years of faithful obedience to God. God's blessings come to us in many unexpected ways!

Announcements and Upcoming events

Readings for January 7th—Isaiah 60:1-6—Edgar Tumak; Psalm 72:1-7 & 10-14; Ephesians 3:1-12—Kaleena Hanoski; Matthew 2:1-12

January 7th schedule—Fellowship Hour—Donna Spencer; Counters—Pat Brant & Shirley Maracle; Altar Guild—Cathie & Billie

The First Sunday of each month is "**Foodbank Sunday**" our next time to give will be Sunday **February 4th, 2018**.

Bible Study and **Mid-week Eucharist** will resume again mid-January.

2017 Advent / Christmas Calendar

Evensong and Bishop's Levy ... Sunday December 31st
5 p.m. at Christ Church

Winter Blast 2018— hosted by NACY & The Church of St. Mary Magdalene at Napanee District Secondary School on Friday January 12, 2018 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm and 8:00pm to 9:00pm at Temple of Prayer and Praise. Registration forms by bulletin board. Grades 5 to 12 Tickets—\$2.00 or bring a food donation for a ticket.