

ST. OLAVE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH  
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## Announcements for January 6, 2019

### TODAY AT ST. OLAVE'S

**COFFEE HOUR:** Visitors and parishioners, please join us downstairs after the 10:30 a.m. service for fellowship and light refreshments. Thank you to Lisa and Henry Jeens for hosting this morning's coffee hour.

**EPIPHANY EVENSONG:** Today is the Feast of the Epiphany of our Lord. In addition to our regular morning services, we will have a special Choral Evensong at 4:00 p.m. Join us for some beautiful music and stay for tea afterwards.

### THIS WEEK AT ST. OLAVE'S

**PRAY WITH US:** Did you know that Morning Prayer is said in the church most weekdays (Tuesday - Friday) at 8:30 a.m.? This is a public service and anyone is welcome to attend. The service is said in the choir stalls and takes about 25-30 minutes. Check the bulletin each Sunday to confirm which days the service will be said that week.

**BIBLE STUDY:** Wednesday January 9 at 10:00 a.m.

**PILGRIMS GROUP:** Wednesday January 9 at 2:00 p.m.

**WINDERMERE STRING QUARTET CONCERT:** Sunday January 13 at 3:00 p.m. Tickets available at the door.

### SERVICES THIS WEEK:

Tuesday January 8                      8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer  
*(In the Octave of Epiphany)*

Wednesday January 9                      8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer  
   11:15 a.m. Holy Communion  
*(In the Octave of Epiphany)*

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Thursday January 10      8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer  
*(In the Octave of Epiphany,  
William Laud, Archbishop & Martyr)*

Friday January 11      8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer  
*(In the Octave of Epiphany)*

Sunday January 13      8:30a.m. Holy Communion  
10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer  
*(First Sunday After Epiphany,  
Octave Day of Epiphany)*

<b>PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>
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**THANKS TO OUR DECEMBER GREETERS!** There were a lot of services this month so our thanks go to: Bob Ragsdale, David Pickering, Jelana Duncan, Bette Birmingham, Sheila Tait, Sharmila Powell, Judy Sher, Elizabeth Cannings, Jim Shapland, Craig Douglas, Katie Douglas, Gabbie Douglas, Paul Scrivener, Sandra Franke and Caroline Audet. Greeters welcome people when they come to worship at St. Olave's. A friendly face can make a huge impression, especially on a first-time visitor. Besides greeting people when they arrive and handing out bulletins, greeters also take up the collection, assist people down the steps after communion and help the Wardens with the collection count. If you would like to be a greeter please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the clipboard in the Narthex at the Windermere entrance, or contact Janice Douglas at [craig.janice@rogers.com](mailto:craig.janice@rogers.com) for more information.

**ACW EXECUTIVE MEETING:** Tuesday January 15 at **10:30** a.m.

**MARY & MARTHA GROUP:** Tuesday January 15 at 2:00 p.m.

**NEW BISHOP OF TORONTO TO VISIT ST. OLAVE'S:** On Sunday, January 20, the Right Rev. Andrew Asbil, soon to be the new Bishop of Toronto, will visit St. Olave's at the 10:30 a.m. service. This will be a combined service with our brothers and sisters from the Sudanese Community Church. Bishop Asbil is currently the Coadjutor Bishop, and will automatically succeed Archbishop Colin Johnson as Bishop of Toronto when he retires on December 31 of this year. It's a great honour for us to have Bishop Asbil visiting so soon in his tenure and we are excited about welcoming him to the best parish in the Diocese!

**WORSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING:** Sunday January 27 following the 10:30 a.m. service.

**PRAYER LIST:** The Prayer List will be refreshed every quarter (**January 1**, April 1, July 1, and October 1). Please submit your prayer requests by contacting the church office or by recording the name in the binder provided in the Narthex every Sunday. Please indicate if the prayer is for that Sunday only or an on-going request.

**TODAY'S PRAYER LIST:** David & Penny Burrows have been added to our Prayer List. They were involved in a collision on Hwy 400 north on Wednesday evening, January 2. Their vehicle is a write-off but, by the Grace of God, they were not seriously injured. Please remember them in your prayers.

**CONGRATULATIONS!** Those of you who remember our former rector, the late Rev. Dr. V.D. Wigmore, will be delighted to know that his Granddaughter Melissa gave birth to a baby boy on Monday December 31. This is her second child. Our sincere congratulations and best wishes to all of their family.

**FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR:** Parishioners are encouraged to donate altar flowers **throughout the year**. It can be a meaningful way to remember someone who has died or to give thanks to God for a special anniversary or blessing in your life. A notice will be placed in the bulletin on that day. You may donate funds or purchase flowers yourself. Please contact the office to arrange a date, a minimum of two weeks in advance. Purchased flowers should be dropped off no later than Sunday morning by 9:30 am, or through mutually convenient arrangement.

**2019 DUPLEX ENVELOPES ARE IN!** Please pick up your assigned envelopes from the Wardens' Vestry (the room to the north of the organ). Don't have a number? There are several unassigned numbers. Please email our Envelope Secretary Doug Hewitt at [envelopesecretary@stolaves.ca](mailto:envelopesecretary@stolaves.ca) to let him know the number you have chosen. Or, why not sign-up with our Pre-Authorized Giving program and never miss a week! Simply fill out a PAG form on the table in the Narthex and contact Doug, he'll get you started!

**2019 CHURCH CALENDARS** are available from Judy Beal in the Church Office. \$8 each. Cheque or cash – exact change appreciated. **Only 2 left!**

**ADVERTISEMENTS:** As you may have noticed, one of our advertisers is no longer listed on page four. Mr. George McFarlane, Agent, State Farm Insurance, has closed his office and retired as of January 1. We wish him all the best as he begins a new chapter in his life.

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