

Notices

Refreshments are served in the hall after the service. Do come and share them, and enjoy fellowship together.

Thursday eucharist as usual this week at 10am.

Ash Wednesday is Wednesday February 14th . Lent is early this year! Mass with imposition of ashes on that day at 7pm.

Next Sunday, January 28th at 11am

Candlemas—Presentation of Christ in the Temple

Readings: Malachi 3.1-5; Hebrew 2.14-end; Luke 2.22-40

A prayer based on the wedding at Cana

God of abundance,

Jesus revealed the riches of your unexpected grace
in turning water to wine.

Open our hearts to the richness of your love
and make us better witnesses to the revelation we have
in Jesus Christ. We pray this in the name of Christ, who is God-
with-us. Amen.

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Third Sunday of Epiphany

Sunday January 21st, 2024



Today the season of ‘epiphany’ continues as Jesus’ glory is revealed through what St. John calls a ‘sign.’ The action of turning water into wine is a pointer to the identity of Jesus whom John earlier calls the ‘Word made flesh.’ His compassion and concern are evident, and nothing is too small for his attention.

For your prayers

Thanksgiving that Christ is revealed for all peoples

For the Holy Land, and all affected by conflict there; for the Yemen, and all that swirls around the Middle East

For The King, and for wisdom for all in authority

For the Church especially Sarah our bishop, and Emma our area bishop

For peace in our world especially Ukraine

For those recently married, and any who may struggle with their relationships

For the sick and suffering, for those in hospital, in different forms of care or supported at home, and for any we know particularly in need of prayer at this time

For the departed