



10:00am Morning Prayer Service

4TH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

FEB 01, 2026



THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Processional Hymn

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THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

MICAH 6:1-8

6 Hear what the LORD says: Rise, plead your case before the mountains, and let the hills hear your voice.

2 Hear, you mountains, the case of the LORD, and you enduring foundations of the earth, for the LORD has a case against his people, and he will contend with Israel. **3** "O my people, what have I done to you? In what have I wearied you? Answer me! **4** For I brought you up from the land of Egypt and redeemed you from the house of slavery, and I sent before you Moses, Aaron, and Miriam. **5** O my people, remember now what King Balak of Moab devised, what Balaam son of Beor answered him, and what happened from

Shittim to Gilgal, that you may know the saving acts of the LORD." **6** "With what shall I come before the LORD and bow myself before God on high? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old? **7** Will the LORD be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousands of rivers of oil? Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?" **8** He has told you, O mortal, what is good, and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice and to love kindness and to walk humbly with your God?

PSALM 15

Lord, who may dwell in your tabernacle? *
who may abide upon your holy hill?
Whoever leads a blameless life and does what is right, *
who speaks the truth from his heart.
There is no guile upon his tongue;
he does no evil to his friend; *
he does not heap contempt upon his neighbour.
In his sight the wicked is rejected, *
but he honours those who fear the Lord.
He has sworn to do no wrong *
and does not take back his word.
He does not give his money in hope of gain, *
nor does he take a bribe against the innocent.
Whoever does these things *
shall never be overthrown.

PSALM PRAYER

God of love, teach us to walk blamelessly in your ways, that our whole life may be established in you, and that we may come to the place prepared for us by your Son, Jesus Christ our Redeemer.

SECOND READING: 1 CORINTHIANS 1:18-31

18 For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. **19** For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart." **20** Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scholar? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world?

21 For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of the proclamation, to save those who believe. **22** For Jews ask for signs and Greeks desire wisdom, **23** but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to gentiles, **24** but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. **25** For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength. **26** Consider your own call, brothers and sisters: not many of you were wise by human standards, not many were powerful, not many were of noble birth. **27** But God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise; God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong; **28** God chose what is low and despised in the world, things that are not, to abolish things that are, **29** so that no one might boast in the presence of God. **30** In contrast, God is why you are in Christ Jesus, who became for us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification and redemption, **31** in order that, as it is written, "Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord."

Gradual Hymn

THE HOLY GOSPEL – MATTHEW 5:1-12

5 When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. **2** And he began to speak and taught them, saying: **3** "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. **4** "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. **5** "Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. **6** "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. **7** "Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. **8** "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. **9** "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. **10** "Blessed are those who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. **11** "Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. **12** Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Sermon: Jason Smith

The Apostles Creed

Peace
Offertory Hymn

Prayer Over the Gifts

God of steadfast love, may our offering this day, by the power of your Holy Spirit, renew us for your service. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

Prayers of the People Pg. 110-128

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Living God, in Christ you make all things new. Transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

*The Lord's Prayer
Recessional Hymn
Dismiss*

Liturgical Ministries

Celebrant: Jason Smith

Reader: Bill Richards

Greeter: Debbie Anderson

Music: Anne Byers

Revised Common Lectionary Readings for Next Sunday:

Isaiah 58:1-9a,9b-12

Psalm 112 1-10

1 Corinthians 2:1-12 (13-16)

Matthew 5:13-20

ST PAUL'S -PARISH NEWS

Anglican Parish of the Nerepis & St. John
Church of the Resurrection – St. Paul's – St. Peter's
We remember in our Prayers ... Jacques & Fred

If you are a newcomer, not receiving weekly bulletins in your email, or need your contact information updated, please feel welcome to fill out a brief information sheet located by the main door. We want to include you in all the great happenings here! If you would like to hear

from Rev Mike on your birthday, fill that in too!
Information given is confidential.

REMEMBERING IN OUR PRAYERS: To have a name on our list, please contact the office. Names will be removed after approximately 2 months unless asked otherwise. Information is confidential.

OFFERINGS: The offering plate is located at the back of the church. You may leave your offering, or Email transfer to therezadm@gmail.com NO PASSWORD NEEDED.

RYTHMIC GIVING AUTOMATICALLY EACH MONTH: is available by EFT (automatic electronic fund transfer) Contact Jean Wilson at 757- 8004 or jean_wilson@msn.com

SHROVE TUESDAY DINNER: FEB 17, 2026, at the Resurrection. 4:30pm – 6:00pm. \$12 for adults, or \$35 for a family.

THE 2026 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE COPORATION OF PARISH OF THE NEREPIS AND ST JOHN: will be held at The Church of the Resurrection on Feb 22, 2026 during the 10:30AM Service. This will be the only service in the Parish on Feb 22.

CARE CONNECTION SOCIALS: Our Socials are held the last Wednesday of each month. Come along for a great time of fellowship, live entertainment, games, coffee, & refreshments.

OUTFLOW: Feb 25th is our next serving night at Outflow. Anyone who would like to be involved, please contact April Medford 738-2396 or Paula Nason 738-2437

SUNRISE PLAYPARK: Check out the website: www.sunrisepark.ca for hours of operation and how to book a party!!

WALKING CLUB: Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 10 – 11 AM in The Resurrection Sanctuary.

COZY CORNER: COME ONE, COME ALL!!!! A clothing exchange for everyone. WE ACCEPT GENTLY WORN, CLEAN CLOTHING! REGULAR HOURS ARE: Monday: 10 AM – 12 PM, Thursday: 12 PM – 2 PM & 6 PM – 8 PM Saturday: 10 AM – 12 PM.

PENNY FOOD PANTRY: Is located in The Resurrection driveway! This wonderful project has been formed and led by a group of volunteers in our Community. Our participation is welcomed!

2026 CONFIRMATION CLASSES: If you are aged 12 plus and interested in Confirmation please see Jason Smith. Classes begin mid March 2026.

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX PROGRAM: Will be happening again at The Resurrection every Saturday (except holidays) starting on March 7th, 2026 from 10AM til 2PM. The program provides assistance completing taxes for those with a modest income. For more information contact Brian at 506 647-6532.

2026 EASTER SERVICES

Feb 18th – 6:00PM Ash Wednesday Service at The Resurrection (one Parish Service)

Apr 2nd – 6:00PM Maundy Thursday Service & Supper at The Resurrection (one Parish Service)

Apr 3rd – 10:30AM Good Friday Service at The Resurrection (one Parish Service)

Apr 5th – 9:00AM/BCP and 10:30AM/BAS Easter Services at The Resurrection

Apr 5th – 10:00AM/BAS Easter Service at St Paul's

CONTACT US

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Parish Office Hours

Monday: 8:30AM – 12:00 PM

Tuesday: 8:30AM – 3:30PM

Wednesday: 11:00AM – 2:30PM

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