



The Anglican Parish of Saint Barnabas

February 8, 2026

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

It is the mission of St. Barnabas Anglican Church to use the gifts that God has given us in Christian service to others.

In the spirit of respect and truth, we honour the peoples of the Treaty 7 Territory and the Métis Nation of Alberta as we share this land.

Welcome to St. Barnabas Anglican Church. The altar flowers are dedicated to the Glory of Almighty God in thanksgiving for our Annual Parish Meeting, and for the faithful service, prayers, and commitment of all who call this parish home.

8:30 AM: Holy Communion

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Celebrant: The Rev. Kersi Bird ~ Lay Assistant: Jo Ruelle

Sidesperson: John Ruelle

10:15 AM: Holy Communion

Liturgy from *The Book of Common Prayer*

Hymns from *Common Praise*

Processional Hymn 383 “Jesus Shall Reign Where’er the Sun”

(Duke Street

Children’s Prayer

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Collect of the Day: Merciful Lord, grant to your faithful people pardon and peace, that we may be cleansed from all our sins and serve you with a quiet mind; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

1st Reading: Isaiah 58:1-12

TBD

Choir Anthem: "We Are Yours, Lord"

Psalm 112

Katie Barg

Refrain: Happy are they who have given to the poor.

Hallelujah! Happy are they who fear the Lord and have great delight in his commandments! Their descendants will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed. Wealth and riches will be in their house, and their righteousness will last for ever. **Refrain**

Light shines in the darkness for the upright; the righteous are merciful and full of compassion. It is good for them to be generous in lending and to manage their affairs with justice. **Refrain**

For they will never be shaken; the righteous will be kept in everlasting remembrance. They will not be afraid of any evil rumours; their heart is right; they put their trust in the Lord. **Refrain**

Their heart is established and will not shrink, until they see their desire upon their enemies. They have given freely to the poor, and their righteousness stands fast for ever; they will hold up their head with honour. **Refrain**

The wicked will see it and be angry; they will gnash their teeth and pine away; the desires of the wicked will perish. **Refrain**

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 2:1-16

Jackie Mootoo

Gradual Hymn 505 "Be Thou My Vision"

(Slane)

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew 5:13-20

The Rev. Marcus Herrel

Glory be to thee, O Lord.

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise be to thee, O Christ.

The Nicene Creed

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The Sermon

The Rev. Kersi Bird

Offertory Sentence

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Offertory Hymn 460 "Lord, the Light of Your Love Is Shining"

(Shine, Jesus, Shine)

Monetary offerings for the ministry of the parish can be placed on the plate located by the entry doors to the sanctuary. To add to the offering during the offertory hymn as the sidesperson brings it to the altar to be blessed, please

*catch the attention of the sidesperson as the plate is brought forward.
Alternatively, you may e-transfer your offering to office@stbarnabas.ca.*

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We pray for our Diocese: St. Peter, Calgary: The Rev. Bonnie Luft, The Rev. Rob Petkau, The Rev. Rosemary Bishop.

We pray for members of our parish family: Shirley McKenzie; Carolyn McLennan; Kathleen Mercer.

We pray for those in need of God's healing gifts: Peter, David, Gwyneth, Evie, Angela, Nicole, Farzana, Lincoln, Sue, Jeff, Sharon, Diane, John, Mariana, Don, Doug S, Val, Douglas F, Emelda, Alejandro.

We pray for those who have died: we pray for the repose of the soul of Eric Haffenden.

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The Communion

All baptized persons are welcome to receive Communion. Please proceed to the base of the chancel steps as directed by a sidesperson; if you are unable to do so, remain seated in your pew and a priest will bring communion to you. After consuming the wafer, you will be offered wine in two kinds – the common cup or a small glass. Alternatively, you may touch the base of the chalice or receive a blessing.

Communion Hymn 54 "Bread of the World, in Mercy Broken" (Rendez à Dieu)

Communion Hymn 50 "Now, My Tongue, the Mystery Telling" (Pangue Lingua)

Communion Hymn 59 "Jesus Calls Us Here to Meet Him" (Jesus Calls Us)

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Recessional Hymn 393 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" (St. Denio)

Dismissal

We pray for Christ's Holy Catholic Church: ACC: The Rt. Rev. John Watton, Bishop, and the people and clergy of the Diocese of Central Newfoundland. ELCIC: The dean, council, and congregations of the Central Toronto Area and Greater Toronto Areas East and West of the Eastern Synod. MOR: The people and ministries of the Rio Terrace Moravian Church in Edmonton.

We pray for our Companion Diocese of the Windward Isles: Christ-the-King with St. Francis, Carriacou on Grenada: The Ven. Michael Marshall; Holy Trinity, Castries with St. Mary La Caye, on St. Lucia: The Ven. Christian Glasgow, The Rev. Oneka Morgan.

CCLI Licence #11392823. Readings for February 15: Exodus 24:12-18; Psalm 2 Or Psalm 99; 2 Peter 1:16-21; Matthew 17:1-9

Livestream link for the 10:15 AM service:

<https://www.youtube.com/live/x2SpBKM7zeI>

Coffee and treats will be served after the 8:30 AM service. All are welcome.

Sunday school will be held today, February 22, March 15, and March 29.

Please stay for the Annual Meeting of Parishioners (AMP) today following the 10:15 AM service. Tax receipts are ready to be picked up from our envelope secretary Sue Carr.

Our Shrove Tuesday pancake supper is on Tuesday, February 17 at 6:30 PM. On Ash Wednesday, February 18, we will have services of Holy Eucharist and Imposition of the Ashes at noon and 7:00 PM. There is a basket in the narthex for the collection of last year's palm crosses.

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