

We Remember in Prayer Today and This Week . . .

Worldwide Anglican Cycle

The people and leaders of the United Church of Bangladesh

Canadian Anglican-Lutheran Cycle

The people and leaders of the Primate's World Relief and Development Fund

The people and leaders of the Canadian Lutheran World Relief

Diocesan Cycle

The Honorary Canons of St. James Cathedral

Deanery Cycle

The people and leaders of the Ascension, Don Mills (The Rev. Nicholas Morkel, The Rev. Vernon La Fleur)

Parish Ministry Cycle

Parochial Tribunal

Nominating Committee

Preparations for Vestry

Congregation Cycle

Azita Golpour

David Gu & Irene Sun

Walter Gunraj, Debbie & Suzie

Craig Gustafson

Collene Happi, & J-C & Tattianna

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Gracious God, so often our churches choose the logic of competition and dispute by desiring to be the best. We are weary of this race to excel. Refresh us with the water of unity drawn from our common prayer. May your Spirit who hovered over the waters of chaos bring unity from our diversity. Amen.

8:00

Celebrant The Rev. Leonard Leader

Preacher The Rev. Canon Sister Constance Joanna Gefvert, SSJD

Readers Rudy Powell, Elvine Jin

Intercessor Doug Heyes

10:30

Celebrant The Rev. Morning Wang

Preacher The Rev. Canon Sister Constance Joanna Gefvert, SSJD

Subdeacon Margie Lyttle

Readers Sandy Thomas, Doug Heyes

Intercessor Geraldine Sperling

Chalice Doug Heyes, Aili Maki

Slides Doug Heyes

Ushers Team 2: Rakesh Randive (leader), Cynthia Cumberbatch

Duty Warden Kwan Luk

Counters Team 3: Ann-Marie Powell, Laura/John Pummell

Altar Guild Team 3: Anna Siu, Olga Joloud , Maggie

Refreshments Laura Snider, Olga Joloud

This Week at St. George on Yonge

January 19, 2020

Tuesday

ESL Conversational Classes: 12:00 noon

Separate beginner- and intermediate-level sections are offered. No registration needed.

Advisory Board: 7:15 p.m.

Wednesday

Mandarin Choir Practice: 9:30 a.m.

Thursday

Proverbs Class: 9:30 a.m.

Mandarin Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.

Coming Soon

Annual Vestry Meeting

Our Meeting will be held on Sunday, February 23 following the 10:30 a.m. service.

To ensure that the report package is circulated in advance of the meeting, please send reports to the office **as soon as possible**. Reports must be in **by Sunday, January 26, but please send sooner if possible** so that preparation on the package can begin before January 26. Please send reports to office@stgeorgeonyonge.ca or drop off at the office (in Craig's mail slot). Thank you.

There will be only one service on Vestry Sunday.

Pub Knights: Come join the Knights *normally* on the 4th Thursday every month. The longest journey begins with just one small step. Take that first step and join the Knights for spirited conversation, a cold beverage, and great food this month at the "Frog & Firkin" (4854 Yonge Street, across from the Sheppard Centre on Yonge Street) on Thursday, **January 30** at 6:00 p.m. to approximately 8:00 p.m. For more information on how to be knighted call (416) 225-1922.

Community Connection Lunch: Saturday, February 8 at 12:30 p.m. The Community Connection team is hosting another lunch event featuring the gift card visitors. Come out and join the fun, good food, and conversation with our guests. Please let Leonard know by February 1 if you plan to attend.

Black History Service: Sunday, February 9 at 10:30 a.m. (There will also be an 8:00 a.m. service.)

Parish Announcements

Joyful Giving – Commitment Cards: Just a reminder to members of the parish that the green Commitment Cards distributed in December should be completed and placed on the offering plate as soon as possible. St. George needs everyone's commitment of time, talent, and treasure for the parish to prosper and be able to do the Lord's work in the community.

Food Bank Sunday: January 26

Available for purchase today after services: Unique glass pendants, created by our own parishioners, which make beautiful gifts. Please take a look at them after the service today.

Community Notices

Yonge Churchill Child Care Centre: Before and after school programmes are available! Please see the flyer on the Welcome Desk for contact information.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is an annual ecumenical celebration. Christians around the world are invited to pray for the unity of all Christians, to reflect on scripture together, to participate in jointly-organised ecumenical services, and to share fellowship, especially from January 18-25 each year. For resources, please visit www.weekofprayer.ca to help you express the degree of communion already given to the churches, and to pray that we may be more fully united in the one Christ.

We are participating in the Willowdale Christian Unity service on Thursday, January 23 at 7:00 p.m. at Willowdale Presbyterian Church, 38 Ellerslie Avenue. Please plan to attend.

Today's Scripture Readings	Next Sunday's Scripture Readings
Second Sunday after Epiphany (Proper 2)	The Conversion of Saint Paul (January 25)
Isaiah 49:1–7	Acts 26:9–23
Psalm 40:1–12	Psalm 67
I Corinthians 1:1–9	Matthew 10:16–22
John 1:29–42	
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NT page 127	
NT page 70	

Please join us for refreshments following the service.