



Real God, Real Church, Real Lives
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ST AIDAN'S ONLINE BULLETIN

Our prayer and aim is that we meet together (online!) with God: to know our **Real God**, to grow as a **Real Church** and to live **Real Lives** for Him.

APRIL 12, 2020 - PALM-PASSION SUNDAY

Due to ongoing precautions related to COVID 19, St Aidan's Sunday Services in our building are currently suspended. Join us Sunday mornings online at 10:30 am for scheduled, pre-recorded video services. We really encourage you to join, listen and pray with us at the same time; there is power in the Body of Christ.

www.staidanswinnipeg.ca/worship-online

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome & Opening Scriptures
Opening Hymn
Opening Prayer
Stations of the Cross
Proclamation of the Cross
Reflection
Confession
Peace
Closing Prayer
Closing Hymn
Blessing

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Stay connected with us by heading over to our newly updated website...

- Online Worship Services
- Daily Encouragement on our Blog
- Updates on our COVID-19 Response
- Request Prayer or Grocery/Medication Pick Up
- Online Giving
- And more!

For more information and updates, visit our website: www.staidanswinnipeg.ca

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ALPHA ONLINE!

It's not too late! Alpha will be available online through the Zoom platform. Those who weren't participating earlier, but would like to join in now are welcome to join. We will start at Episode 6. If you want to catch up, or refresh your memory, the first 5 Alpha videos are available on our website:

<http://www.staidanswinnipeg.ca/alpha-online.html>

New participants should contact Chris Barnes to get all the details. Email staidans.missioncoordinator@gmail.com.

DEACON'S CORNER

This is a good space in which to report God's care of you and answers to prayer. It is So Encouraging to hear that God is still at work in your day-to-day lives. If you have a praise item to share, let me know by emailing staidans.prayerrequests@gmail.com and we will put it here to encourage the whole church.

-Rev. Deacon Margaret Friesen

This week, Lynne McCarthy wrote in to say...

I'm encouraged by appreciative phone responses from recipients to the 'packets' of church news, bulletin, blog, sermons etc. snail-mailed to our lovely Pastoral Care folk. This means of keeping them in the church's loop tells them they are loved and honoured. and of more value than all the sparrows in Winnipeg! It's a joy to connect in this way from my downtown hidey-hole.

-Lynne McCarthy



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Prayers of the People—April 12, 2020

Real God:

Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia!
our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!
who did once upon the cross, Alleluia!
suffer to redeem our loss, Alleluia!

Dear Lord God, How much you love us. That you would willingly die for us by sending Jesus to the cross. But as you promised, Jesus rose from the grave and lives now – seated beside the Heavenly Father's throne, but also lives in us by your Holy Spirit. Truly – we could not have imagined the glory and the nature of your kingdom.

Real Church: *We pray for...*

–our Primate, **Linda** Nicholls, and the National ELCIC Bishop, Susan Johnson, in our diocese, Bishop **Geoffrey**, MNO Synodical Bishop **Jason**, **Archbishop Mark** MacDonald; our Metropolitan **Greg** Kerr-Wilson, the Council of the North, Bishop **Michael** Lubowa;

The church worldwide: Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem – and peace among the Jewish and Palestinian peoples.

St. Aidan's: Here at St. Aidan's we pray that we will celebrate You, your life in our church with our whole hearts. We pray you will raise us above the fears of illness and anxiety about finances. We pray that as parents and children, young, middle-aged, older adults would be united in our thanks and praise to you. Come into our solitary and family lives and make us more aware than ever that you are alive.

Real Lives: We pray especially for those in transport jobs carrying food and essential equipment. We pray for the rapid and efficient manufacture of safety-related equipment.

Missions: *We pray for our Alpha program...*

- that the desired community will be achieved though the online platform.
- for guidance and wisdom for all the group leaders.
- that all the new participants will be welcomed and loved.

Prayer List: Pray for your loved ones who are ill and in need. Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Silent Contemplation

Those in PCH / Hospital / Home-bound:

We thank you for Barbara Slater, Arja Salo, Ellen Spencer, Kathy and David Baird, Luella Hamel, Dorothy and Harold Bell, Rick Badilotti, Kathy Edwards, Joy and John Wood, Betsy Boulter, Bill and Sigrid McKee, Margaret and John Labdon, and Betty Thorndycraft.

We give thanks for those recently departed in Christ, Mary Dyck and Derek Gunter, and their families. We give you thanks that we have the true hope of seeing them with you some day.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Request Prayer

If you would like to pray with someone on the phone or put a request on the Prayer Chain, we invite you to email your prayer request to staidans.prayerrequests@gmail.com.

Grocery/Medication Pick Ups

If you need someone to pick up groceries or medication for you, we invite you to fill out the form on our website (follow the button on the home page) or email staidans.pickups@gmail.com.

Offertory Drop Off

A secure mailbox has been installed at the Kingsway side entrance of the church building. If any parishioners would like to drop off offertory envelopes, they are welcome to do so.