Announcements February 10–16, 2025

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The flowers in the Church today are given to the Glory of God by Yasmeen Majid, in loving memory of the Broadley family & Flight Lt. Alan Broadley D.S.O D.F.C. D.F.M.

As you prepare for worship... Proper 5C

Isaiah 6:1-8: In this reading Isaiah has a vision of God enthroned, surrounded by courtiers, with seraphs, hovering above Him, guarding Him. One pair of wings covered their faces in the awesome presence of God, a second covered their feet, and the third is used to fulfil commissions from God. Isaiah wrote that he felt totally inadequate in God's presence: he felt unclean, unfit to stand before God, yet God graciously permitted it. An agent of God purified him, rendering him fit and qualified to speak God's word to His people. God conferred with His advisors asking whom He should send. Isaiah volunteered to be God's prophet.

1 Corinthians 15:1-11: Paul heard that there are those in Corinth who believed that only the spirit mattered, not the body. He then recited his own personal Creed: that Christ died a bodily death and was raised a bodily resurrection, having appeared to various apostles and members of the Church. Last of all, Paul wrote that the risen Christ even appeared to him, though he was a monster in persecuting the Church. All of this is because of God's grace.

Luke 5:1-11: The Lake of Genneserat is the Sea of Galilee. Jesus commandeered Peter's boat to continue preaching the Word to those on the seashore. Then he told Peter to sail out into the sea and lower his nets. After a night of catching nothing Peter took Jesus at his word (always a good idea!) and lowered them. They caught so much fish their nets began to break! Note how Peter's address of Jesus changed: from "Master" (Teacher) to an act of faith, "Lord." Like Isaiah, he expressed his unworthiness of being in Jesus' presence. Jesus responded gracefully: calling Peter to follow him, which he, James and John did.

Next weeks readings: Jeremiah 17:5-8; 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20; Luke 6:17-26

Valerie will be away from the office February 19 – March 19. During that time office hours will be Wednesday & Fridays 10 am - 12 pm.



Activities this Week

Feb	10 Monday
	1:30 pm—Bible Crosswords, Rectory
	7:00 pm—Group Meeting, Basement
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	7:00 pm—Bluewater Chordsmen, Parish Hall
Feb	
	10:00 am & 7:00 pm—Bible Study, Rectory
	1:30 pm—My Smartphone Hates Me, Parish House
Feb	13 Thursday
	3:00 pm—Choir practice
Feb	14 Friday
	7:00 pm—Creative Word, Carole & John Airey's
	8:00 pm—Group meeting Parish Hall
Feb	16 Sunday
	Joint Service here at All Saints'
	8:00 am—Holy Eucharist BAS
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Steve will be away Feb.16th. 8 AM the Rev Paul Woolley will preside. 10:30 will be Morning Prayer with Barb Pajuk presiding

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

PLEASE NOTE ** (Every Tuesday, 11 am Walking Group meeting at the Animal Park parking lot with a 12:15 pm Lunch. This week is Brownstones.

> (**Every Wednesday,** 10 am & 7 pm Bible Study at the Rectory.

Feb 10	1:30 pm – Bible Crossword, Rectory
Feb 12	1:30 pm—My Smartphone Hates Me, P. Hall
Feb 14	7 pm – Creative Word, Carole & John's
Feb 24	1:30 pm—ACW meets, Parish House
Feb 28	5 pm—The Slice, TBA
	6 pm—Hymn Sing, Parish Hall
Mar 10	1:30 pm – Bible Crossword, Rectory
Mar 14	7pm – Creative Word, Rectory
	6 pm – Hymn Sing

OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday - Friday: 9am-1pm. **Steve Harnadek** - Tues - Fri: 10 am - 12 Noon (Day off: Mon) (These are estimated times and do fluctuate, depending on circumstances. It is best to call first!)



In consideration for persons with reactions to perfumes, you are requested to come to church 'au natural'.



My Smartphone Hates Me!

John Airey is running a workshop entitled "My Smartphone Hates Me" for any and all who are interested in learning how to do more with their phones but do not know where or how to begin. Parish Hall on Wednesday 12 February at 1:30 p.m.

<u>Vestry</u>

Our Vestry is today at 12 noon. Please pick an Annual Report at the rear of the church and bring it to the meeting with you.

The next Creative Word will be **February** 14, 7 pm at Carole & John Airey's.



Come enjoy a Ham Dinner. Saturday, February 15th. Doors open at 5 pm with Dinner at 6 pm.

Anglican Church Women's Annual Meeting & Luncheon Saturday, 26 April 2025 Held @ the Church of the Ascension, London (See the bulletin board for more information)

Donation Envelopes & Income Tax Receipts

The donation envelopes & Income Tax Receipts are in the back of the church. Please pick yours up.



"From the Pantry"

Available now, homemade soup, \$6 and dinners \$12 each. Includes various soups, mac & cheese, dinners and more to come. **The Slice.** We'll gather for dinner at 5pm on February 28th at TBA Then back to the stage or the Parish House for a hymn sing around 6:30 pm.



Bible Crossword events will be held on the 2nd Monday of each month at 1:30ish, at the rectory. This month will be on February 10th.

A.C.W. MEETING Every 3rd Monday. The A.C.W. will meet on Monday, February 17th at 1:30 pm in the Parish House. All ladies are welcome.



<u>Serving Schedule:</u> PA Monitor: Andi Beer Greeters: Angela Palumbo, Wendy Murphy