

# St. Alban the Martyr

London, Ontario

## The Baptism of the Lord

January 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018

**8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist**

Lector: Dave Fickling

**10:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist**

Lector: Terry Rushton

A VOICE CAME FROM HEAVEN, SAYING, "THIS IS MY BELOVED SON WITH WHOM I AM WELL PLEASED." MATTHEW 3.17

Hymn # 418 "Draw the Circle Wide" Blue Book  
Announcements and Welcome

Hymn # 146 "Twas in the Moon of Wintertime"  
Blue Book

### Gathering of the Community

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The Collect See Insert

### Proclamation of the Word

FIRST READING Genesis 1: 1-5 See Insert

Psalms: 29

SECOND READING Acts 19: 1-7 See Insert

Hymn # 647 "Spirit of the Living God" Blue Book

GOSPEL Mark 1: 4-11

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Sermon

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Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?

All: **I believe in God,  
The Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

All: **I believe in Jesus Christ,  
His only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the  
Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the  
Father.  
He will come again  
to judge the living and the dead.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in God, the Holy Spirit?

All: **I believe in God the Holy Spirit,  
The holy catholic Church,  
The communion of saints,  
The forgiveness of sins,  
The resurrection of the body,  
And the life everlasting.**

Celebrant: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

All: **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you persevere in resisting evil and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

All: **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you proclaim by word and example the good news of God in Christ?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbour as yourself?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

**All: I will with God's help.**

Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution

The Peace of Christ is Shared Among Us

Offertory Hymn **"Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness"**

*Chorus: Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness*

*Blow through the wilderness calling and free.*

*Spirit, Spirit of Restlessness,*

*Stir me from placidness*

*Wind, wind on the sea.*

You moved on the waters, you called to the deep,  
Then you coaxed up the mountains  
From the valleys of sleep,  
And over the eons you called to each thing:  
Awake from your slumbers and rise on your wings.

You swept through the desert,  
You stung with the sand,  
And You gifted your people with a law and a land,  
And when they were blinded  
With their idols and lies,  
Then you spoke through Your prophets  
To open their eyes.

You sang in a stable, You cried from a hill,  
Then You whispered in silence  
When the whole world was still,  
And down in the city You called once again,

The Church of

# St. Alban the Martyr

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(Tuesday to Friday 10:00 am -1 pm)

Next Week's Worship January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2018

### **The Third Sunday after the Epiphany**

8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Nursery and Church School

When you blew through your people  
On the rush of the wind.

You call from tomorrow,  
You break ancient schemes,  
From the bondage of sorrow  
The captives dream dreams;  
Our women see visions, our men clear their eyes,  
With bold new decisions Your people arise.

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Prayer over the Gifts

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### **The Celebration of the Eucharist**

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The Breaking of the Bread # 1

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### **Communion Hymns** –*Blue Book*

Hymn # 656 **"She Comes Sailing on the Wind"**

Hymn # 649 **"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"**

Prayer After Communion

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The Lord's Prayer (sung holding hands)

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Blessing

Hymn # 513 **"Guide My Feet"**

Blue Book

Dismissal

### **Altar Flowers**

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given to the Glory of  
God and in memory of loved ones by Mary Anne Morrison

### **Announcements**

Jan. 20 – 9 am Hospitality Breakfast

Jan. 20 – 6:30 pm **Trivia Challenge** – St. Jude's

Jan. 23 – Prayer Group – 1:30 pm

Jan. 28 – **9:30am Service followed by the Vestry Meeting**

Feb. 8 – Parish Council – 7 pm

Feb. 10 – Men's Group – 8:30 am

Feb. 27 – Prayer Group – 1:30 pm

**Trivia Challenge.** Come out for another fun night with friends at our annual **St. Jude Trivia Challenge on Saturday, January 20th, starting at 6:30 pm.** Astound your friends as you recall important and not-so-important facts pulled from diverse fields like current events, entertainment, history, literature, sports, geography, science and the Anglican Church, with a heavy emphasis on Canadiana. Teams of eight will compete for a fabulous trophy and ribbons. Bring your own team of eight or come that evening and join others to form a team. \$20 per person. Cash bar– beer and wine. Snacks will be provided. Please confirm your attendance by contacting David Belford at Belford.David@gmail.com or (519) 663-9359.