

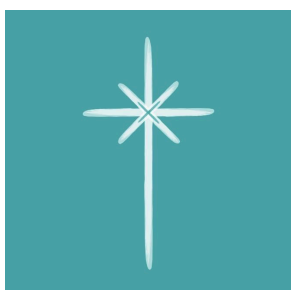
All Saints' Day

8:00 am Quiet Eucharist

9:30 am

**Intergenerational
Eucharist with Choir &
Worship Band**

November 1, 2026



**Epiphany Anglican Church
1290 Ogilvie Road, Ottawa
epiphanyanglican.ca**

Come Journey with Us!



Welcome to Epiphany! We are glad you are here today.

If you are visiting, please make yourself at home.

We have a vibrant children and youth program with Sunday School each week at our 9:30 am service.

Note that our 9:30 am service is live-streamed, recorded, and posted to social media.

The Gathering of the Community

Our Diocese of Ottawa was founded on the homeland of the Anishinaabe Algonquin. **May we dwell on this land with respect and peace.**

♪ **Opening Hymn** For All the Saints (B276 v 1,2,4,7,8) ♪

For all the saints who from their labours rest,
who thee by faith before the world confessed;
Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Thou wast their rock, their fortress and their might;
Thou, Lord, their captain in the well-fought fight;
Thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light. Alleluia, Alleluia!

O blest communion, fellowship divine!
We feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
yet all are one in thee, for all are thine. Alleluia, Alleluia!

But lo, there breaks a yet more glorious day:
the saints triumphant rise in bright array;
the King of glory passes on his way. Alleluia, Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
through gates of pearl, streams in the countless host,
singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia, Alleluia!

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all. **And also with you.**

The Collect of the Day

Let us pray. God of the ages, your saints who lived in faithful service surround your throne and praise you night and day. May we, your saints on earth, join our voices with theirs to proclaim your rule of righteousness and peace, which comes to us through Jesus Christ now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Proclamation of the Word

A reading from the Book of Revelation (7:9-17)

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!"

And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshipped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the centre of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Holy Word, Holy Wisdom. **Thanks be to God.**

♪ **Psalm 34:1-10, 22** ♪

Refrain: Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

I will bless God at all times; my praise shall ever be in my mouth. Let my soul glory in God; the humble will hear and rejoice. **R**

Proclaim with me the greatness of God; let us exalt God's name forever. I sought my God who answered me and delivered me from all my fears. **R**

Look upon God and be radiant, and let not your faces be ashamed. I called in my affliction and was heard and was saved from all my troubles. **R**

Your angel guards those who honour you, and will deliver them unto you. Taste and see that God is good; be glad, you who trust in God. **R**

Young lions lack and suffer hunger, but those who seek God will lack nothing. You redeem the life of those who serve you, and no-one who has trust will be condemned. **R**

A reading from the First Letter of John (3:1-3)

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Holy Word, Holy Wisdom. **Thanks be to God.**

♪ Gospel Acclamation: **Halle, Halle, Hallelujah** ♪

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew (5:1-12). **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

The Gospel of Christ. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Homily

The Nicene Creed

Let us confess our faith, as we say: **We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People

United with the great cloud of witnesses, we offer our prayers for the church, the world, and all of creation. *A brief silence.*

Fill your church with mercy and humility as we proclaim the gospel in our worship and witness in the world. Renew and inspire all who preach and teach among us. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Restore all lands suffering from ecological degradation. Protect soils and waterways. Point us toward innovative ways of living in harmony and joy with creation. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Unite the nations in their actions toward justice and peace. Raise up leaders who listen deeply for the needs of their communities, and give those newly elected with wisdom and discernment. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Bring comfort and care to all who are in need, especially all who mourn this day. Sustain any who are weary, experiencing loneliness, or struggling with chronic illness. Tend to those who have asked for our prayers: **Jody** (Shaw), **Pierre** (Poirier), **Ghassan, Aaron** (Blakely) **& Family**, **Fred** (Sherman), **José** (Rodrigues), **Lisa** (Van Alstine), **Rita & Colin** (Hurst), **Betiel** (Gideon), **the Douglas Family**, **Julie** (Foster), **Faith, Miroslav** (Slejska), **Mary** (Jonah), **Maria, Riccardo, Margareth, Ambar, Tendeh, Janine & Mike, Linda** (Tasovac), **Ruth, Curtis, Darcy** (Colenutt), **Nicole** (Asite), **Don** (Raymond) **& Family, Kathy & Family, Jonathan** (René de Cotret), **Bobby, Saindass** (Aeri), **Ryan** (Thompson), **Scott** (Armstrong), **Vanessa & Talhia** (L), **Celestine** (Bynoe), **Michael** (Blakely), **Joanne** (Lewis), **Swami** (Gyankirti), **Jilleen, Yagu** (Coker), **Stephen** (Jolicoeur), **Linda** (Plourde), **Belinda** (Cone), **Martin & Crystal** (Thieringer), **John & Michael** (McGuinty), **Nellie** (Miller) and any others we name aloud or in our hearts. *A brief silence.* God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Nurture programs and communities that support elders and those who are homebound. Bless caregivers, nurses, chaplains, social workers, and hospice staff. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

With grateful hearts we remember all who have died and now rest from their labours. The flowers on the altar are given by Ivy Sayers in loving memory of her husband, John. Fill us with songs of praise until we too are gathered at your side. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Into your steadfast love, faithful God, we entrust all for whom we pray, in the name of Jesus, your beloved. **Amen.**

Confession and Absolution

Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; God welcomes sinners and invites them to the table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness. *Silence is kept.*

Most merciful God, **we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.**

Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Peace

We remember to share the Peace with those worshiping online.

The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**

The Celebration of the Eucharist

♪ **Offertory Hymn** Blessed Are the Humble ♪

Blessed are the humble in spirit
For theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
And blessed are the mourners: they will find comfort.
And blessed are the lowly: they shall reign on the earth.

Refrain Oh how you bless us, Lord!
Blessing upon blessing, Lord!
Making us a blessing, a blessing for the world. **x2**

And blessed are those who hunger, who thirst for justice,
For surely you'll fill them completely.
And those who show mercy will be shown mercy.
And blessed are the pure hearts, they'll see God, they'll see God. **R**

And blessed are peacemakers, called the sons of God.
Blessed are those oppressed for righteousness' sake
For theirs shall be, shall always be,
Yes, theirs shall be heaven's kingdom. **R x2**

The Prayer over the Gifts

*You are invited to place your financial gift
on the collection plate near the baptismal font before or after service.*

Holy and mighty God, we give you thanks for the triumph of Christ in the lives of all his saints. Receive all we offer you this day, and help us, like them, to run our course with faith, that we may come to your eternal kingdom. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give thanks and praise.

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; in the multitude of your saints you have surrounded us with so great a cloud of witnesses, that we, rejoicing in their fellowship, may run with patience the race that is set before us, and together with them receive the crown of glory that never fades away. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all who have served you in every age, we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name. **♪ Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blest is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. ♪**

We give thanks to you, Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, a death he freely accepted, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, Father, according to his command, **we remember his death, we proclaim his resurrection, we await his coming in glory;** and we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that they may be the sacrament of the body of Christ and his blood of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we, made acceptable in him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation; by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**

at 8:00 am

And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

at 9:30 am

And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us, we sing:

♪ **Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread, forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen, amen.** ♪

“I am the bread which has come down from heaven,” says the Lord. **Give us this bread for ever.** “I am the vine, you are the branches.” **May we dwell in him, as he lives in us.**

The gifts of God for the People of God. **Thanks be to God.**

♪ **Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us. (x2) Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us peace.** ♪

All are welcome to receive Holy Communion in bread and/or wine. If you'd prefer not to receive, cross your arms over your chest to receive a blessing. Let Rev. Simone know if you need a gluten-free wafer. The sidespeople will direct you to receive around the altar.

♪ **Communion Hymn** 10,000 Reasons ♪

Refrain Bless the Lord, oh my soul, oh my soul.
 Worship His holy name.
 Sing like never before, oh my soul.
 I worship Your holy name.

The sun comes up. It's a new day dawning.
It's time to sing your song again.
Whatever may pass and whatever before me,
let me be singing when the evening comes. **Refrain**

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger.
Your name is great and Your heart is kind.
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing
the thousand reasons for my heart to find. **Refrain**

And on that day when my strength is failing,
the end draws near and my time has come,
still my soul will sing your praise unending
ten thousand years and then forever more. **Refrain x2**

The Prayer After Communion

Let us pray. Lord of hosts, we praise your glory reflected in your saints. May we who share at this table be filled with the joy of your eternal kingdom, where Jesus is Lord, now and for ever.
Amen.

Glory to God, **whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.**

Blessing & Announcements

♪ **Closing Hymn** You Are Salt for the Earth (B502) ♪

You are salt for the earth, O people:
Salt for the Kingdom of God!
Share the flavour of life, O people:
Life in the Kingdom of God!

Refrain Bring forth the Kingdom of mercy,
Bring forth the Kingdom of peace;
Bring forth the Kingdom of justice,
Bring forth the City of God!

You are a light on the hill, O people:
Light for the City of God!
Shine so holy and bright, O people:
Shine for the Kingdom of God! **Refrain**

You are a seed of the Word, O people:
Bring forth the Kingdom of God!
Seeds of mercy and seeds of justice,
Grow in the Kingdom of God! **Refrain**

We are a blest and a pilgrim people:
Bound for the Kingdom of God!
Love our journey and love our homeland:
Love is the Kingdom of God! **Refrain**

Dismissal

Let us bless the Lord. **Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

Announcements

Volunteers Needed for Fall Clean Up Join us next Saturday, November 7 beginning at 9:30 am to help get our lovely building and grounds ready for winter. Please bring rakes, garden shears, a leaf blower if you have one, and dress for the weather. Coffee will be provided. A great way to get high school volunteer hours!

Synod 2026 Highlights Our diocesan Synod (annual general meeting) happened last weekend, October 22-24. Next Sunday, Epiphany's Synod delegates Laurence and Sylvie will share highlights of their experience. You can view the Bishop's charge and find a summary of the meeting at ottawa.anglican.ca/synod.

Arrival of New Refugee Family Member Prayers are appreciated for the safe arrival of Margareth who is joining Maria, Riccardo, and Ambar this Wednesday. This Venezuelan family has been sponsored by the Interchurch Refugee Group and has been in Ottawa for about a year. A joyful reunion is expected! If you

can help with Margareth's settlement, speak with our own Andrea Ciccarelli, the IRG's new chair.

No Scents Make Good Sense Reminder: to ensure a safe and comfortable environment for all, Epiphany is scent-free. Scents can cause allergic reactions including asthma. Please refrain from wearing scents to church including hair products, perfume or cologne. Thank you for your consideration.

Interested in Confirmation? Speak to either Rachelle or Rev. Simone if you or someone in your life is interested in confirmation. Although confirmation has historically happened in the teenage years, all baptized persons are welcome to be confirmed.

Save-the-Date: Epiphany Christmas Bazaar on December 5 Planning is well underway, and artisan vendor tables are filling up fast. If you'd like to participate as a vendor, contact Cara at cara.pelletier@outlook.com (or 613-265-4762) without delay! Rental fees are only \$25 per table/space. Come, be part of the merry festivities!

Angels Foundation Christmas Party The Angels Foundation supports refugee claimants and other newcomers with practical support, genuine community and cultural programming. Members of Epiphany are invited to attend the Angels Foundation annual Christmas party on Saturday, December 12 at 4 pm, and to contribute desserts and decorations. Please speak with Angela after church to learn how you can participate.

Epiphany Bible Study Group *New Time* We meet on Thursday evenings at 5:45 pm (note new time) till 7:15 pm in the worship space for a light meal followed by our liturgical study. All are welcome! See Dianne Woods or Sylvie Pelletier with questions and email epiphanystudygroup@gmail.com to be added to our contact list.

Creative Connections Tuesdays between 10 am & noon. All are welcome to come and enjoy a cup of coffee and join in a friendly game of cards, chess, join the group at the crafting table, or work on a jigsaw puzzle. The more the merrier!

Get in Touch & Get Involved!

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Giving to Epiphany

Did you know that Epiphany’s activities and outreach are entirely funded by parishioner donations? There are many ways to help: e-transfer epiphanyanglican@gmail.com, automatic giving (email office@epiphanyanglican.ca), or placing a gift on the collection plate. All gifts are important and appreciated!

Assisting in Ministry at 9:30 am Today

Greeter	Christine Caron
Altar Guild	Shelley Harvey, Wendy Green
Crucifer & Candle Bearer	Emily Menard, Kasie, Newton
Sidespeople	Denise Siele, Jos Cleary
Readers	Eric, Freda
Psalmist	Sandy Harris
Prayer Leader	Gillian Keane or Jonah
Communion Assistants	Heather Howley, Judith Young
Coffee Hosts	Carol Arnott, Gail LaBarbera, Cindy Hurst Boyd
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Contact Form

Are you new to Epiphany? Have you moved or changed coordinates, or would you like a name tag? How about becoming involved in a particular way or have ideas for our parish and community? Use the form below & place it on the offering plate.

Name

Email Address

Tel Number (optional)

Address (optional)

I would like a name tag	Yes	Not at this time
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I would like a call from the priest	Yes	Not at this time
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