



# St. Luke's Episcopal Church Fairport, New York

## Welcome to St. Luke's

*We're happy to have you with us this morning. We invite you to share in praying, singing, and breaking bread with us. Become part of our journey in Christ.*

## Our Vision Statement

*We are an open, Christ-centered community, caring for each other, and doing God's work in the world.*

## The First Sunday after the Epiphany The Baptism of Our Lord Jesus Christ

January 8, 2012

*Please note 'BCP' is The Book of Common Prayer*

**10:00 am Holy Eucharist & Healing BCP, 355**

Prelude An wasserflussen Babylon, BWV 653 J.S. Bach

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## GATHERING RITE

The Processional Hymnal, 381

The Acclamation

*Presider:* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*People:* And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The Collect for Purity (said by Presider)

The Gloria Hymnal, S280

## THE WORD OF GOD

The Collect of the Day

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who

are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Genesis 1:1 - 5

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

*Lector:* The Word of the Lord.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

## Gradual Psalm

Psalm 29 (said) BCP, 620

Second Reading: Acts 19:1 - 7

While Apollos was in Corinth, Paul passed through the interior regions and came to Ephesus, where he found some disciples. He said to them, "Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you became believers?" They replied, "No, we have not even heard that there is a Holy Spirit." Then he said, "Into what then were you baptized?" They answered, "Into John's baptism." Paul said, "John baptized with the baptism of repentance, telling the people to believe in the one who was to come after him, that is, in Jesus." On hearing this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. When Paul had laid his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came upon them, and they spoke in tongues and prophesied-- altogether there were about twelve of them.

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*People:* **Thanks be to God.**





## **CELEBRATION OF THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ORDINATION OF REV. DEVEN HUBERT**

On January 15, 2012, Deven's sermon will reflect on the 25th anniversary of her ordination (which actually occurred on December 21). Please bring food for a pot-luck celebration after the 10 am service. Look for signup sheets at the church and contact Gary Gocek or Suzanne Roscoe with questions.

### **JULIET LUNCHEON – JANUARY 19**

The next JULIET luncheon will be on Thursday, January 19<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm at Flaherty's Restaurant. Call Marian Sunderland, 223-1371 to make a reservation. All women of St. Luke's are welcome!!

### **GUEST SPEAKER FOR RAIHN - JANUARY 22**

On Sunday, Jan. 22, Nancy Frank, president of RAIHN and a member of St. Paul's, Rochester, will be our guest speaker at both the 8 and 10 o'clock services. RAIHN is an ecumenical program that provides shelter for homeless families in churches in and around the Rochester area on a rotating basis. Because St. Luke's houses the preschool we are probably not a good candidate to be a host site for RAIHN but we may be able to help through volunteerism and financial giving to this program. Come and learn more about RAIHN Jan. 22.

### **ST. LUKE'S ANNUAL MEETING—SUNDAY, JANUARY 29**

Rector's State of the Church Address at 8 and 10 o'clock services  
Brunch and Business Session after the 10 o'clock service  
Election of one warden, three Vestry members, and diocesan convention delegate  
Review of 2011 Fiscal Year, Presentation of 2012 Budget, Reports from our wardens.  
~ Activities for Children and Nursery Care will be available ~

### **QUIET MORNING – FEBRUARY 4**

Do you need some time for prayer and reflection? Would it help you to have someone guide you through this experience? On Saturday, February 4 from 9-12:00p.m., we will have a Quiet Morning at St. Luke's. Bonnie Matthaidess, a certified spiritual

director, will be our retreat leader. Bonnie received her training at Haden Institute in Flat Rock, NC. She is also a certified prayer guide in Ignatian Spiritual Exercises at Mercy Prayer Center in Rochester. If you plan to attend, please call the church office, 223-2796.

### **QUILTING BEE—FEBRUARY 11**

Our next quilting bee is Saturday, February 11, from 8:00 – 4:00 p.m or anytime in between. If you have any questions, please contact Deb Aufderheide at 200-2488.

### **INDIAN FOOD DINNER – FEBRUARY 25**

The Indian Dinner to raise funds for St. Peter's English Medium School in India and a school in Tanzania is scheduled for Saturday, February 25. Details will follow at a later date.

## **COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS**

### **PERINTON FOOD SHELF – THANK YOU!**

The Perinton Food Shelf sincerely thanks you for your generous donations of non-perishable food items during this holiday season. Your on-going, monthly support prepares the Food Shelf to respond to the many increasing number of requests for food all year. We are truly blessed to live in such a caring community. —The Perinton Food Shelf Board

### **Perinton Food Shelf Requests for January 2012**

Applesauce (snack size or small containers for smaller families)  
Crackers for Soup  
Frosting Mixes  
Rice—1 lb and 2 lb bags  
Shampoo  
Tea  
Toilet Paper

## OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED

### *For the world:*

For peace among the peoples of the world.

For peace in the Middle East, Iraq, and Afghanistan.

For our military, and their families.

### *For the church:*

*From the Anglican Cycle of Prayer:*

Pray for The Anglican Church of Australia –

The Most Revd Dr Phillip John Aspinall

*From our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:*

For the Presiding Bishop Katharine Jefferts Schori, for our Bishop Prince

Singh, for other church leaders; Matthew Clark (RC), Marie Jerge (Lutheran),

and Marcus Matthews (Meth).

For St. Peter's Church, Bloomfield

Diocesan House staff

James Adams, Lesley Adams, priests

The Universe, Stewardship of earth

### *From our parochial concerns:*

For the ministries of our companion parish St. John's Honeoye Falls and The Rev. Dahn Gandell.

For Deven our priest, Mary Ellen and Mike, our wardens, all the members of the vestry, our delegates, our parish and all other leaders.

For those known to us serving in the conflict with Iraq and Afghanistan:

Jim DeCann (friend of Rita Borden and Mavis Rossborough), Peter

McKendrick (friend of Cathy Thayer).

For the church and school for Dalit children in Kotha - palli- mitta, India, and our efforts to build a companion relationship with families and children there.

*For those who are sick or in need:* Jonathan Allen, Maia Allen, Jill Andolina, Butch Bellanca, Ken Borden, Chris Brian, Virginia Clark, Maryann Delfino, Johnny Demarest, Marilyn Ertell, Kay and Frank Faila, Audrey Fischer, Libby Gallis, Barb Gasbarre, Scott Horler, Katie, Madison Knapp, Dorothy Kunz, Joan Manning, Sue Meldrum, Amy Elizabeth Munier, Baby Pa'a (infant), The Very Rev. William Petersen, Lucas Remington, (baby), Carl Schenk, Margaret Mary Shine, Karin and Bob Shull, Pat Smith, Augusta Stinnett, Stephen Tisa, Dwight Turner, Mildred Turner, Shelly Weiss, Kelly Wellman, Thornton Wierum, those who struggle with any affliction, as well as all who care for them.

### *For those who have died:*

*Thanksgiving for:*

*Those celebrating a birthday: Allan Fraser, Kayleigh Longinotti, Kyle Legg (1/9); Sharon Scott (1/11); Jamie Roscoe (1/12); Eva Miller (1/13).*