

Ash Wednesday

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AA Meeting

Wednesday - 8:00 pm - Herb Boulan (810) 796-3781



St. John's Episcopal Church
Dryden, MI

Ash Wednesday
February 17, 2020 – 6:00 pm
Holy Eucharist: Rite I

Celebrant: The Rev. Thomas Manney
 Lector: Wes Wagester

The Word of God

Celebrant: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.
People: His mercy endures forever.
 Celebrant: Let us pray

The Collect of the Day BCP 264

The Lessons Insert
 Joel 2:1-2, 12-17 Insert
 Psalm 103 Insert
 2 Corinthians 5:20b-6:10

Sequence Hymn: “Change my heart O God” Praise Pr. 16

The Holy Gospel Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21 Insert

Sermon Rev. Tom Manney

The Bidding BCP 264

The Imposition of Ashes BCP 265
At this time the people may come forth for ashes.

Psalm 51: In Unison BCP 266

Litany of Penitence (kneeling) BCP 267

The Absolution BCP 269

The Peace BCP 332

The Holy Communion

The Offertory (spoken)

Doxology
 Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
 Praise him, all creatures here below;
 Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
 Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer I	BCP	333
The Lord’s Prayer	BCP	336
The Breaking of the Bread	BCP	337
Prayer of Humble Access	BCP	337



Ministration of Communion – All are welcome at God’s table.

Post Communion Prayer BCP 339

The Blessing

Hymn “The glory of these 40 days” Hymnal H 143

Candles are extinguished

The Dismissal Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord
 People: **Thanks be to God.**

Ash Wednesday, All Years

Joel 2:1-2,12-17

Blow the trumpet in Zion;
 sound the alarm on my holy mountain!
Let all the inhabitants of the land tremble,
 for the day of the LORD is coming, it is near--
a day of darkness and gloom,
 a day of clouds and thick darkness!
Like blackness spread upon the mountains
 a great and powerful army comes;
their like has never been from of old,
 nor will be again after them
 in ages to come.

Yet even now, says the LORD,
 return to me with all your heart,
with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning;
 rend your hearts and not your clothing.
Return to the LORD, your God,
 for he is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love,
 and relents from punishing.
Who knows whether he will not turn and relent,
 and leave a blessing behind him,
a grain offering and a drink offering
 for the LORD, your God?

Blow the trumpet in Zion;
 sanctify a fast;
call a solemn assembly;
 gather the people.
Sanctify the congregation;
 assemble the aged;
gather the children,
 even infants at the breast.

Let the bridegroom leave his room,
 and the bride her canopy.

Between the vestibule and the altar
 let the priests, the ministers of the LORD, weep.
Let them say, "Spare your people, O LORD,
 and do not make your heritage a mockery,
 a byword among the nations.
Why should it be said among the peoples,
 `Where is their God?'"

Psalm 103 or 103:8-14

- 1 Bless the LORD, O my soul, *
 and all that is within me, bless his holy Name.
- 2 Bless the LORD, O my soul, *
 and forget not all his benefits.
- 3 He forgives all your sins *
 and heals all your infirmities;
- 4 He redeems your life from the grave *
 and crowns you with mercy and loving-kindness;
- 5 He satisfies you with good things, *
 and your youth is renewed like an eagle's.
- 6 The LORD executes righteousness *
 and judgment for all who are oppressed.
- 7 He made his ways known to Moses *
 and his works to the children of Israel.]
- 8 The LORD is full of compassion and mercy, *
 slow to anger and of great kindness.
- 9 He will not always accuse us, *
 nor will he keep his anger for ever.
- 10 He has not dealt with us according to our sins, *
 nor rewarded us according to our wickedness.
- 11 For as the heavens are high above the earth, *
 so is his mercy great upon those who fear him.
- 12 As far as the east is from the west, *
 so far has he removed our sins from us.
- 13 As a father cares for his children, *
 so does the LORD care for those who fear him.

14 For he himself knows whereof we are made; *
he remembers that we are but dust.

[15 Our days are like the grass; *
we flourish like a flower of the field;

16 When the wind goes over it, it is gone, *
and its place shall know it no more.

17 But the merciful goodness of the LORD endures for ever on
those who fear him, *
and his righteousness on children's children;

18 On those who keep his covenant *
and remember his commandments and do them.

19 The LORD has set his throne in heaven, *
and his kingship has dominion over all.

20 Bless the LORD, you angels of his,
you mighty ones who do his bidding, *
and hearken to the voice of his word.

21 Bless the LORD, all you his hosts, *
you ministers of his who do his will.

22 Bless the LORD, all you works of his,
in all places of his dominion; *
bless the LORD, O my soul.]

2 Corinthians 5:20b-6:10

We entreat you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

As we work together with him, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. For he says,

"At an acceptable time I have listened to you,
and on a day of salvation I have helped you."

See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! We are putting no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand

and for the left; in honor and dishonor, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see-- we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything.

Matthew 6:1-6,16-21

Jesus said, "Beware of practicing your piety before others in order to be seen by them; for then you have no reward from your Father in heaven.

"So whenever you give alms, do not sound a trumpet before you, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, so that they may be praised by others. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward. But when you give alms, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, so that your alms may be done in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

"And whenever you pray, do not be like the hypocrites; for they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, so that they may be seen by others. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward. But whenever you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

"And whenever you fast, do not look dismal, like the hypocrites, for they disfigure their faces so as to show others that they are fasting. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward. But when you fast, put oil on your head and wash your face, so that your fasting may be seen not by others but by your Father who is in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

"Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust consume and where thieves break in and steal; but store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust consumes and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also."

February 2021
Prayer List: Family, Friends, and Members
02/17/2021

Nancy Bade-Friend of Margaret Smith-Successful knee surgery
Dianne Bishop-Prayers for a good diagnosis and for healing
Kyle Bishop - grandson of Dave Bishop - for healing
Isaac-7-year-old grandson of a friend of the Buszek Family, for a critical brain injury.
Kathleen and Richard Buszek - for healing and care giving.
Joe Childers-Friend of the Malinich's, For healing.
Connie-Friend of Linda Neros-for continued good health
Robin Daugherty-Prayers for healing
Jonah Debusk-Heart murmur
Danny DeLisa-Friend of Dianne Bishop: Recovering from Brain Tumor
Bob & Sharon Deriemaecker-for comfort over the loss of their son Jace
Rita Downing-Friend of Dianne Bishop-Cancer is in Remission
Dylan-Premature infant son of friends of the Buszek family for successful lung surgery & recovery
Dzingle Family-Friends of Sherry Wagner-House fire
C. Fay-Recovering from Brain Surgery
Blake Ellen-from Wes Wagester; infant with cardiac problems
Melissa Fettig - (Eleana's daughter), her lifetime partner Robert, and their daughter Harper - for peace.
Shirley Forcall-Friend of Connie Jones as she recovers from a stroke
Steve & Karen Globowski-Friends of Margaret Smith-Strength and comfort as they deal with Steve's Dementia.
Sally Granger - for healing and relief from pain.
Judy Gray - for successful treatment of skin cancer.
Mary Halfpenny - dear friend of the Miller's - cancer.
Neil Hargrave-relief and healing for a foot condition
Jane Harlow-For healing
Leann Hessel-friend of Mary Cameron; Breast Cancer
Bob Hollis-Friend of Sherry Wagner-Healing from diabetic infection
Herman Houser-Friend of Dianne Bishop: Stomach Cancer
Rick Kerner-Friend of Wes- Recovering from Stroke
Chris Landis-Nephew John & Yvonne Malinich-for healing
Gary Malhado - brother of Sue Thornton - for healing, strength, and peace.
Kathy Navarro - sister of Eleana Fettig - for peace & healing.

Rev. Ann Norton-for healing and strength
Jerry Parka-Friend of Corinne Fry-Pancreatic Cancer
Sarah Parks-Rector, Grace Lapeer-fighting cancer
Ronnie Rappuhn-Friend of John & Yvonne for healing
Austin Reed-friend of Connie Ogg, recovery from surgery & staph infection
Shannon L. Nichols-Friend of John & Yvonne Malinich-Terminal Cancer
Anne Shenck-Friend of Corrine-for healing
Julia Shenck-Friend of Corrine Fry for healing
Cindy Shimp-Becky Foster's sister-in-law-Healing of Cancer
Kathy Shipp-for healing from cancer. Sherry Boyden's sister
Kari Stark - stepsister of Kitty Underwood - Comfort for MS.
Elizabeth Colavincenzo Swan-Priest in Davison; Comfort over her loss.
Rev. Nancy Steele-For healings from Skin Cancer
Sally Thiede-Friend of Sherry Boyden-for strength & healing
Sue Thornton - for peace.
Kitty Underwood-for healing and strength
Chris Ververo - nephew of the Millers - cancer is in remission.
Wes Wagester- For healing.
Mark Wagner-Successful Surgery
James Walker-PTSD from 2 tours in Iraq
Carl "Pete" Weidner - friend of Wagester's - for healing.
Melanie White-Liver transplant
Michaela Wolford-friends of the Wagester family as she recovers from an accident
Tim Wright - Continued healing

Our home parishioners: Eleana Fettig and Harvey Taylor, Donna Lou Haynes, Evelyn Sunich, Helen Thiemkey,
Those in Service to our country: Dylan Anderson, Devin Black, John Hodgeman, John McNary, Glenn Miller, Jennifer Tedlie, John Eric Watson, Kyle Goodman, Ray Nairn, Jacquelyn Focarelli, Michael Focarelli, Jared Turnipseed, their families, Dr. Derrick Willsey, and all military chaplains.

Offerings for 2/07/21-\$485.00

The Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Transfiguration, Indian River and St. Thomas, Battle Creek.

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil
THIS WEEK:

Tuesday and Friday-Office open 10:00-2:00

Wednesday: 4pm-Bible Study, 8:00 p.m. - AA in the parish hall