

## INTERCESSIONS FOR SUNDAY, January 25, 2026

In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the Iglesia Anglicana de Chile. We pray for Vernon, our Rector; Helen, our Deacon; Pat, our Honorary Assistant; Anna, our Bishop; Shane, our Primate; Chris, our Nat'l Indigenous Archbishop; and John, our Metropolitan. We pray for St. Saviour, Denman Island.

We offer healing prayers for Roland & family, Heather-Anne A., Vera H., Bexs & all their family, Randy M., Ryan & family, Ed C., Eileen & Eleanor O., Al, Zarra, Soren, Shirley M., Sharon M., Steve C., Colleen J., Manly P., Jane F., Gary, Patrick, Cameron F., Leanne T., Joann, Chris A., Margaret O., Debbie G., Christine, Kerilee M., Kevin, Glenda S. & family, Tammy W., Cami, Joanne S., Steve G., Richard M. and Niven.

## PARISH ACTIVITIES Monday, January 26, 2026 – Sunday, February 1, 2026

Monday-Friday	8:30 am	Morning Prayer (except Stats) (Zoom*)
Tuesday	7:00 pm	Contemplative Prayer (Church Proper)
Wednesday	11:00 am	Mid Week BCP Service
	12:30 pm	Gospel Conversation (St. John) **
	4:00 pm	Sunday Lunch Volunteer Meeting (Hall)
Thursday	6:30 pm	Parish Choir Practice (St. Luke)
Friday	2:00 pm	Threshold Music Practice (Church Proper)
Sunday	8:00 am	BCP Holy Communion
	8:45 am	Post Service Fellowship (St. Matthew)
	10:30 am	Holy Eucharist Service (in person & livestream)
	12:00 pm	Post Service Fellowship (Hall)
	4:00 pm	HYMN SING (Church Proper)

\* Please contact the office to arrange for a Zoom link invitation

\*\* Discussion based on Sermon & Readings of the day

## READINGS FOR SUNDAY, February 1, 2026

First Reading: Malachi 3:1-4  
Psalm: Psalm 84/24:7-10  
Epistle: Hebrews 2:14-18  
Gospel: Luke 2:22-40

**NOTE: There is mail in the Narthex mail slots to be picked up.! Thank you**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THIS AFTERNOON at 4:30 PM:** An ecumenical service in the Style of **TAIZÉ** will be held at Trinity United Church, 6011 Doumont Road. Musicians rehearse at 3:45 PM. Everyone is welcome to come and experience a candlelight service of chanting and meditation.

**NEXT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1<sup>st</sup> at 4 PM - HYMN SING** here at St. Paul's. Listening & singing enjoyment – learn the history! All are welcome to join!

**NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE** - It's that time of year when we think about our upcoming Annual Vestry Meeting and who will serve as our leaders in 2026. Joanne B. (250-585-7944) and Julia Bessette are serving on the nominations committee this year. If they reach out to you, please prayerfully consider saying "yes". Watch for the nominations flipchart coming soon to the Narthex.

**ATTENTION ALL CONTRACT BRIDGE PLAYERS!** An Organ Replacement Fundraising event is coming your way! Join us for an afternoon of food, fun, prizes, and bridge on **Saturday, February 14th, 2026**, at Oliver Woods Community Center, beginning at **12:15 p.m.** Partner required. Tickets are \$50 for a couple. Light Luncheon included. Tickets are available only in advance from Lynda A., 778-269-2089

**LOOKING FOR:** A few good parishioners to help with cutting the church lawn and sprinkling snow pellets on walkways. In an effort to reduce some of our overhead and deficit, we'd like to arrange a rotation of volunteers to cut our small patch of grass in the summer and sprinkle snow melting pellets on the walkways in the winter. Time commitment is minimal and equipment supplied. If interested in either activity or you have questions, contact Greg B. (Warden) 604-612-1676.

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7 AT 2 PM - NEWCOMER'S TEA:** All those who have joined our St. Paul family in the past year will receive an invitation to join us. Come and enjoy a time of fellowship, refreshments and learn more about our many ministries. **MINISTRY/MISSION IN ACTION** - In conjunction with our newcomer's tea, ministry heads will put together engaging displays and be available to chat with newcomers about their ministry.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** this week to: **Janice V** (Jan. 29). *Birthday Prayer:* We give thanks for those whose birthdays we celebrate today. May they ever grow in your faith, hope & love. We ask this in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen