

Welcome to the Cathedral Church of St. Paul!
Worship is crucial to a healthy relationship with God.
May you be uplifted by your experience here today, and may you
experience the presence of Christ in this community of faith.

For those wishing to receive the **Ministry of the Laying on of Hands and Anointing for Healing**, please proceed to the station in the north west corner of Cronyn Hall before you receive communion.

During the 10:00 am Eucharist **Nursery facilities** will be available in Rooms 203/204. Sunday School Classes following the *Godly Play* curriculum take place in Room 202. Please speak to a Greeter if you need help.

Gluten-free communion wafers are available for all who wish it for medical reasons. Please indicate your wish to the Administrant at Communion.

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8:00 a.m. – Eucharist

in St Aidan's Chapel

Presiding Celebrant:

The Rt. Rev'd Barry B. Clarke

The service can be followed in
The Book of Common Prayer
beginning on page 67.

The Collect for Quinquagesima–BCP p.136

The Reading: *1 Corinthians 4:1–5*

The Gospel: *Matthew 6:24–34*

**After the service please come for coffee in
the Assembly Room.**

10:00 a.m. – Choral Eucharist

Presiding Celebrant: The Rev'd Dr. Virginia C. Lane

Setting *Missae Brevis XI 'Sancti Johannis Baptistae'* Charles Wood

Announcements: The Work of the Community

Processional Hymn *O Worship the King* See Hymn Sheet

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

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

All: **And also with you.**

Presider: Almighty God,

All: **to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Commissioning of the Children and Youth

Presider: As Jesus called the children to come to him, we now invite all the children and youth here today to come forward:

Leader: Let us pray.

Lord Jesus, we ask you to bless our children and youth as they go to their classes to hear your word and truth and we now commission them saying:

Leader: We gather together in the presence of God.

All: **We are the people of God.**

Leader: We gather together to receive the gift of the Son.

All: **We are the body of Christ.**

Leader: We gather together to hear the voice of the Spirit.

All: **We are the church of God.**

Leader: Pray for one another, each a child of God. **Amen.**

Act of Praise *Gloria*

Please stand

**Glory be to God on high,
and in earth peace, good will towards men.
We praise thee, we bless thee,
we worship thee,
we glorify thee,
we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,
O Lord God, heavenly king, God the Father Almighty.**

**O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesu Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sin of the world,
have mercy upon us.**

**Thou that takest away the sin of the world,
receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,
have mercy upon us.**

**For thou only art holy;
thou only art the Lord;
thou only, O Christ,
with the Holy Ghost,
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

Collect of the Day

Presider: Let us pray.
Almighty God, grant us the Spirit to think and do always those things that are right, that we who can do nothing good without you, may live according to your holy will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People: **Amen.**

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Please sit

First Reading Isaiah 49:8–16a

read by Bert Sommerfeld

Psalm 131



I still my soul and keep it qui-et, like a child up - on its moth-er's breast.

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 4:1–5

read by Lise Whealy

Gradual Hymn *Word of God, Come Down on Earth*

See Hymn Sheet

Gospel Matthew 6:24–34

proclaimed by The Rev'd Deacon Pat Henderson



After the Gospel Acclamation has been sung, the Gospeller will sing or say:

Reader: The Lord be with you.
People: **And also with you.**

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
People: **Glory to you, Lord Jesùs Christ.**

At the conclusion:

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.
People: **Praise to you, Lord Jesùs Christ.**

Homily Bishop Barry B. Clarke

Please sit

Nicene Creed

Please stand

Presider: Let us confess our faith, as we say,
All: **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.

Prayers of the People

led by Brad Visscher

Leader: Lord, in your love
People: **Hear our prayer.**

At the conclusion:

Leader: God of steadfast love,
People: **accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Confession and Absolution

Presider: Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Silence is kept.

Presider: Most merciful God,
All: **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.**

Presider: 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.

People: **Amen.**

Peace

Please stand

Presider: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Offertory Hymn *Great God, Your Love Has Called Us Here*

See Hymn Sheet

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Prayer over the Gifts

Presider: Merciful God, your word inspires us to bring an offering of our love. May we always be ready to work according to your will. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, the Lord.

People: **Amen.**

Great Thanksgiving



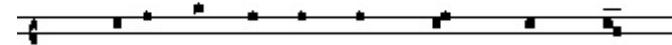
The Lord be with you. And also with you.



Lift up your hearts. We lift them up unto the Lord.



Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.



It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Presider: Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; we give you thanks and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord, who on this first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

In our unending joy we echo on earth the song of the angels in heaven as we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord

sung by the Cathedral Choir

Presider: 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, loving God, according to his command,

All: **we remember his death,
we proclaim his resurrection,
we await his coming in glory;**

Presider: 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.

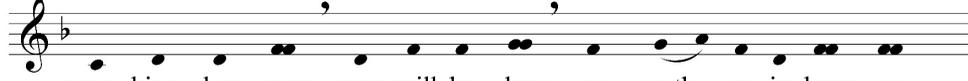
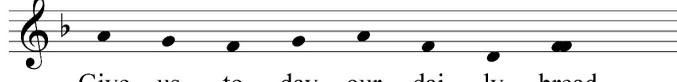
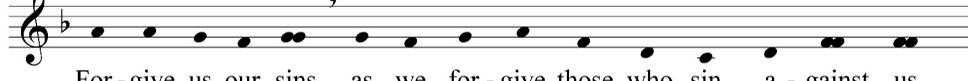
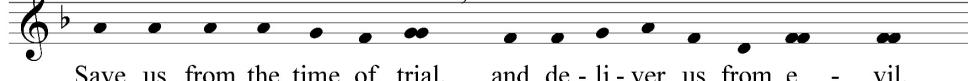
In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation;

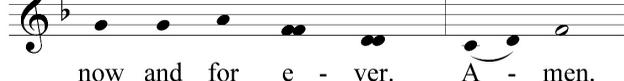
by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, now and for ever.

People: **Amen.**

Lord's Prayer

Presider: 
As our Saviour taught us let us pray,

All: 
Our Fa-ther in heav - en hal-lowed be your name,

your king-dom come, your will be done on earth as in heav - en.

Give us to - day our dai - ly bread,

For-give us our sins as we for-give those who sin a - gainst us.

Save us from the time of trial, and de - li - ver us from e - vil.

For the king-dom, the pow - er and the glo - ry are yours,

now and for e - ver. A - men.

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Breaking of the Bread

Presider: We break the bread of life, and that life is the light of the world.

People: **God here among us, light in the midst of us, bring us to light and life.**

Presider: The gifts of God for the People of God.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Communion Antiphon

Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and all the rest will be given to you in addition, says the Lord.

Lamb of God

(sung by the Cathedral Choir)

Motet *Spirit of Mercy, Truth, and Love*

Joel Vander Zee

Prayer after Communion

Please stand

Presider: Let us pray.
Faithful God, as we are nourished by heavenly food, may we live according to your will and show the fruits of your love. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

People: **Amen.**

Presider: Glory to God,
People: **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.**

Post-Communion Hymn *Your Hand, O God, Has Guided*

See Hymn Sheet

Blessing

The Deacon dismisses the congregation in these or similar words:

Deacon: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Greeters:

Roy Tonkin, Bob Wood, Chris Hughesman

Lay Administrants:

Ruth McCluskie, Nancy Reichstein, Margaret Herbert

Coffee Hour Hosts:

Group 8

Warden:

Peter Hadley

Next Week’s Greeters:

Liz Sullivan, Paul & Margaret Herbert, Diann Evans

Next week’s Lay Administrants:

Paul & Margaret Herbert, Nancy Reichstein

Next Week’s Readers:

Ann Tonkin and Allan Nagata

Next Week’s Coffee Hour:

Group 1

The Flowers at the **Altar** are to the glory of God and in loving memory of our parents Eric and Jeanne Tonkin and Elizabeth Gale given by Roy and Ann Tonkin & family.

Diocese of Huron Chain of Prayer - Today we pray for the parishioners of St. John’s Church, Glencoe; St. Jude’s Church, Mount Brydges; Christ Church, Port Stanley; and St. Hilda-St. Luke’s, St. Thomas.

Intercessions - Albert, Ruth, Kristen, Joel Isaac, Bryan, Rodney, Keith, David, Okba, Mohammed, Osama and their families, David, Shawn, Anne, Mary, Art, Audrey, Bob, Laura, Madison, David, Tanja, Leanne, Wayne, Deb, Ann, Mary, Lydia, Scott, Wendy & family. *(Please note, names remain on the prayer list for three months from date of entry or re-entry, unless otherwise requested. To protect privacy, only first names appear in the bulletin. To add a name to the prayer list, please leave a confidential message for the clergy at Ext. 204 with the person’s first and last name. Please include your name and phone number, and a few details about the prayer request)*

Next weeks readings and Gospel:

Genesis 2:15–17, 3:1–7; Romans 5:12–19; Matthew 4:1–11

Upcoming Events and Announcements

Services

Morning Prayer	Mon., Tues., Thurs. & Fri. in St. Aidan's Chapel 8:45 a.m.
Ash Wednesday, March 1	8:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes 12:15 p.m. Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes 7:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes
Sunday, March 5	Lent I 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist

This Week's Events

Today - Sunday, February 26	11:30 a.m. Vestry meeting 5:00 p.m. Lawyers Feeding the Hungry 8:00 p.m. Al-Anon, Alateen and Narcotics Anonymous
Monday, February 27	2:00 p.m. Scrabble Club 7:00 p.m. Altar Guild Meeting 7:30 p.m. Recovery thru 11 th Step
Tuesday, February 28	11:30 a.m. Pancake Lunch 12:15 p.m. Noon Hour Organ Recital Thomas Gonder, St. Matthew's Church, Etobicoke, ON takes place at St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica 5:00 p.m. Pancake Dinner
Thursday, March 2	2:00 p.m. Bible Study 5:00 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous 7:00 p.m. Adult Children of Alcoholics Support Group 7:00 p.m. Cathedral Choir Rehearsal
Saturday, March 4	9:00 a.m. Knitting For Peace

Support for our Daily Bread Food Bank – Today is the last day for peanut butter donations. Next month, the most needed item is Canned Soup (mushroom & chicken noodle are favourites). Please leave your donation in the designated bin in Cronyn Hall.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Lunch and Dinner – The Cathedral Choir will again be hosting a Pancake Day at the Cathedral on Tuesday, February 28, 2017. Lunch (11:30-1:30) and Dinner (5:00-7:00) guests will enjoy pancakes with sausages, beverages, and fruit, for the low price of \$2 children under 12 / \$5 adults / \$10 families with the opportunity for donations at the lunchtime sitting. We look forward to seeing you!

Sundays @ 9 - According to Father Richard Rohr, God is not what most people think. Visions of an angry, distant moral scorekeeper or a supernatural Santa Claus handing out cosmic lottery tickets to those who attend the right church or say the right prayer dominate our culture. For many others, God has become irrelevant or simply unbelievable. It is Rohr's belief that changing our perception of God has the potential to change everything. This is why he wrote *The Divine Dance: The Trinity and Your Transformation*. Rohr's latest book explores the early Christian image of the Trinity: perichoresis, a circle dance. The unending flow of giving and receiving between Father, Son, and Spirit is the pattern of reality. God is not only a dancer, but the Dance itself! Join us for this new Sundays @ 9 series as we explore and grow into the presence and practice of God. All are welcome. Coffee and childcare are provided.

Confirmation – Are you interested in being confirmed, being received into the Anglican Church, or making a reaffirmation/renewal of your baptismal commitment/vows at the next Confirmation service? If so, please speak to Rev'd Michael DeKay

St. Paul's Famous Marmalade Many, many thanks to those parishioners who helped with our recent marmalade project. Approximately 700 jars of our famous marmalade were produced during the 8 days and we now have a good supply for sale. Due to the generous donations of cash, sugar, jars, caps, and the 'special ingredient' we have been able to leave the price the same as last year. The cost is \$5.50 for a 250 ml jar or \$66.00 for a case of 12 jars. There is also a supply of 'special' marmalade at a cost of \$6.50 per jar or \$78.00 for a case. Marmalade is available for sale during the Sunday coffee hour. See Jean Nurse after the 8 am service, or Cicely Carter or Esther Moore after the 10 am service. Marmalade can also be purchased from Tim Skinner at the reception desk during the week. Again, thanks to those who helped with this most worthwhile project. It is a great fund raiser for our Cathedral.

Bibles – In the back of Cronyn Hall there is a box marked BIBLES. If you have a bible you don't need, please place it in the box, the guests in the Fellowship Centre will be glad to use it. Thank you to those who have donated bibles