Weekly Newsletter

ST. GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL KINGSTON



My brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of any kind, consider it nothing but joy, because you know that the testing of your faith produces endurance; and let endurance have its full effect, so that you may be mature and complete, lacking in nothing. James 1:2-4



We acknowledge that in Kingston we are situated on traditional Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee territory. We are grateful to be able to live, learn, and play on these lands.

FLOWERS

The flowers on the High Altar are given to the Glory of God and in memory of Dorothy and James Neil by their daughter Margaret Milne.

WORSHIP

Service Clergy:

Sunday, September 24th, Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost: Dean Doug Michael, Presider; The Venerable Bob, Hales, Preacher

Sunday, October 1st, Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost & Blessing of the Animals (*Please bring your pet or photo of your pet*): Canon Peter Case, Presider; Eric Friesen, Preacher

Sunday, October 8th, Harvest Thanksgiving: The Venerable John Robertson, Presider; Dean Doug Michael, Preacher

Readings:

Sunday, September 24th: Exodus 16:2-15; Psalm 105:1-6, 37-45; Philippians 1:21-30; Matthew 20:1-16

Sunday, October 1st, 2023: Exodus 17:1-7; Psalm 78:1-4, 12-16; Philippians 2:1-13; Matthew 21:23-32

Sunday, October 8th, 2023: Deuteronomy 8:7-18; Psalm 65; 2 Corinthians 9:6-15; Luke 17:11-19

Prayers of the People

We welcome names for prayer. Prayer requests can be offered by filling out a prayer notice located at the front of the church. We hold names before the Lord for the month. Should you prefer to have a name on the list, or to add another name, please contact the office to speak with Christina. Thank you.

<u>We Pray For:</u> Bob Gardiner, John Bate, Gill Cleghorn, Rev'd Don Goodwin, Bill McCready, George Turcotte, Barbara Fox, Dee Padfield, Joel Robinson, Tina, Theo and Bishop George Bruce, Ian Gower, Cheryl Asseltine, Heather Kinsley, Leslie Fleming, Claire Whatley, Emily Robdrup and her Family, Mary Polgar, Countries experiencing conflict: Ukraine, Sudan, Niger; Countries experiencing natural disasters: Maui, Canada, Libya and Morocco; Bishop William Cliff, preparing for his Installation as 13th Bishop of Ontario, John Edwards, Elizabeth Atwill, Barbara and Jim Stewart

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS IN-PERSON AND ONLINE

National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Saturday, September 30th

> Blessing of the Animals Sunday, October 1st: 10:30am Service

Caritas Service Tuesday,October 10th: 7:30am Service

> St. George's, Choral Evensong Wednesday, October 4th: 7pm

> > Harvest Thanksgiving Sunday, October 8th

St. George's, Choral Evensong Wednesday, October 18th: 7pm

Installation of Bishop William Cliff October 21, 2023 St. George's Cathedral Anglican Discess of Ontario



SERVICE TIMES <u>Sunday</u> Holy Communion 8:00 am Choral Eucharist 10:30 am Wednesday (Bishop's Little Flock) 12:15 pm Thursday (Healing Service) 10:30 am Litany (Coventry Litany of Reconciliation) 12:00 pm Caritas Service BCP Eucharist

(second Tuesday of the month)

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Office Administrator: Christina Lord, the Cathedral office is open 9:30 am to 1 pm Tuesday to Friday. For arrangements at other times please phone (613-548-4617) or email (office@stgeorgescathedral.ca) in advance.

Contributions to St. George's Cathedral: Your generosity is invited and most welcome. Contributions may be via e-transfer to finance@stgeorgescathedral.ca, mailed, dropped, or donated online through https://www.stgeorgescathedral.ca/give or https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/st-georges-cathedral/

Announcements

Masking: As we head into the fall and winter season, we want to convey to the congregation that your health, safety and comfort level is paramount to us. Masking remains optional, masks can be found at the Narthex & door to the Stuart room and hand sanitizers are at the entrances and at the communion station. Do what is right for you, care for each other and know the Cathedral supports both masking and unmasking.

National Day for Truth and Reconciliation - Orange Shirt Day on September 30th: Each year, the Anglican Church of Canada marks the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation - Orange Shirt Day. The following resources are commended for use across the Church or worship and study...https://www.anglican.ca/tr/resources-for-national-day-for-truth-and-reconciliation/

Choral Evensong: Join us Wednesday, October 4th at 7pm. You may follow along with the prayer of the service, or merely bask in the music and atmosphere. All are welcome.

Fellowship: The after-service fellowship hour is a great opportunity for parishioners and visitors to mingle and chat over coffee. Do consider helping out with hosting this event by speaking to Sylvia Green in person or at 613 544 6978 or <u>sylviaegreen@hotmail.com</u>.

Note from the Dean and Warden's

On behalf of the Dean and Wardens of St. George's Cathedral, I am the bearer of both sad and wonderful news. Our beloved Office Administrator, Christina Lord, is leaving us in three weeks time to take on the role of Executive Director, Epilepsy South Eastern Ontario. We are sad at her departure because she has done this office proud. Her graciousness, her incredible competence, her mastery of our Cathedral office has made her indispensable to us all. How dearly we will miss her. On the other hand, we congratulate her on this significant promotion and salute her for having been selected for this important leadership role in serving those with epilepsy in our community. She is the epitome of servant leadership and Epilepsy South Eastern Ontario is very fortunate to have her as their new Executive Director. On Sunday, October 1st, we will salute her and wish her well in our Fellowship Hour after the 10:30 Service.

Special Mention: Brian English, Custodian of St. George's Cathedral will be celebrating a birthday on Thursday, September 29th. Happy Birthday, Brian from all of us at St. George's Cathedral!

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