Weekly Newsletter

ST. GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL KINGSTON



A Collect (from Indigenous Ministries, written to accompany the Covenant of 1994)

Creator God, from you every family in heaven and on earth takes its name. You have rooted and grounded us in your covenant love, and empowered us by your Spirit to speak the truth in love, and to walk in your way towards justice and wholeness. Mercifully grant that your people, journeying together in partnership, may be strengthened and guided to help one another to grow into the full stature of Christ, who is our light and our life.

Amen.



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 on Sunday, October 1st, 2023 are given to the Glory of God in Thanksgiving for our pets who so enrich our lives. Aveleigh and Gretel

WORSHIP

Service Clergy:

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

Sunday, October 15th, Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost: Dean Doug Michael,

Presider; The Venerable John Robertson, Preacher

Readings:

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

Sunday, October 15th, 2023: Exodus 32:1-14; Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23; Philippians 4:1-9; Matthew 22:1-14

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.

We Pray For: 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

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

> > > Caritas Service

Tuesday,October 10th: 7:30am Service

Harvest Thanksgiving Sunday, October 8th

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







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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ST. GEORGES CATHEDRAL OFFICE

Cathedral Office: 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

Exploring Spirituality: Our next series is entitled, "What is the Purpose of Church?" Our first meeting will take place in the library on Thursday, October 19th from 7:30- 8:30 with light refreshments to follow. Our leader will be Larry Norman and we hope that participants will come and share their thoughts on the purpose of church or just to listen. This promises to be a lively discussion and is not limited to members of St. George's so please come and bring a friend. For more information contact Ruth Oliver at 613-542-8649 or oliver@kos.net.

Lent before Advent? Yes! Phil Rogers is starting early on the Lenten Reflections for 2024 because he'll be out of the country during the first part of the new year. If you are interested in writing one of the Reflections please contact him to say so: rogersp@queensu.ca. Phil hopes that veteran contributors will volunteer again, and that many who haven't written before will do so this time. If you're new to St George's and don't know about our Lenten Reflections, Phil will be glad to tell you about it.

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.

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 sylviaegreen@hotmail.com.

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.

- Eric Friesen



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The Kingston Jewish Council invites you to join us for our first annual Sukkah in the Square.

Who: Everyone is Welcome!

What: Exhibit, Shared Event Space, And Festival Headquarters

Where: Springer Market Square (Lower Pavillion)

When: September 29-October 6

SUKKAH IN THE SOUARE

VISIT THIS LINK **FOR MORE**



EVENT INFORMATION



FRIDAY, SEP 29

-12PM OPEN COME

-1PM ART OF THE

-5PM SING ALONG

TASTE OF THE

-6PM CANDLE

WITH ROS SCHWARTZ

SABBATH. CHALLAH BRAIDING & TASTING

ONINI

SUKKAH

-12PM RITA WINKLER "MY ART MY WORLD"

> JNF: PROGRAM AND CHILDREN'S CRAFTS

SATURDAY, SEP 30

NATIONAL TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION DAY -1PM CONVERSATION WITH LINDSEY PILON. KINGSTON INDIGENOUS LANGUAGES NEST

-MAZON: IN THE SUKKAH 11AM-1PM 230PM: WORSHOP ON RECONCILIATION

SUNDAY, OCT 1

-12PM KINGSTON WOMEN'S INTERFAITH GROUP

1PM CHILDREN'S STNG-ALONG W/ ROS

-4PM REV. MACDONALD AND D. FITZERMAN "WOMEN

-6:30 PM I III AV ETROG, HAVDALLAH

MONDAY, OCT 2

-11:30AM RABBI POLANSKY LULAV &

12-2PM HILLEL SCHMOOZE

-<u>4PM TRADITIONAL</u> DANCE TROUPE

STORYTELLING WITH JACKIE MILLS

WEDNESDAY, OCT 4

-<u>11AM CHABAD</u> CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

-12PM -2PM CHABAD STUDY SESSION AND STUDENT GATHERING

4PM ART OF THE **SUKKAH**

-5PM G. ROSEBLUM "COMBATTING ANTI-JEWISH HATE

THURSDAY, OCT 5

-11AM GORDON "PAVED PARADISE"

FIDDLERS AND FRIENDS

FRIDAY, OCT 6

-11AM CHALLAH BRAIDING AND GIVEAWAY

-12PM MUSICAL PERFORMANCE BY ROS SCHWARTZ

-1PM SHABBAT PREPARATION

-2PM CLOSED