



# Cathedral News

June 14, 2026

## This Sunday: The Third Sunday of Pentecost Celebration of Pride Month

June 14, 2026 | 8am & 10:30am

### PREACHER

The Reverend Sarah Earl

### PRESIDER

The Reverend Canon Peter Case

### READINGS

Exodus 19:2-8a ; Psalm 116: 1, 10-17  
Romans 5:1-8; Matthew 9:35-10B, 9-23

## Next Sunday: The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost National Indigenous Day of Prayer and

### Outdoor Service and Picnic

June 21, 2026 | 8am & 10:30am

### PREACHER

The Reverend Dr. Reagan Gale

### PRESIDER

The Very Reverend Douglas Michael

### READINGS

1 Samuel 17; Psalm 19  
Philippians 4:4-9; Luke 15:1-10

## Silent Auction for Sponsorship Fund | ENDS on June 14

An original handmade quilt (double size) made by a member of the Limestone Quilt Guild has been donated to help raise funds for our Sponsorship Fund. It will be on display after the 10:30 am services until June 14. The highest "silent" bidder will then be contacted. Thanks so much for your support. Heather Buchan.

## Choral Evensong in Madoc | June 14, 4pm

This Sunday, the Cathedral Choir offers Evensong at the Church of Saint John the Baptist in Madoc. They invite you to join them on the road for this service as they use their wonderful music as a vehicle for cathedral outreach to the greater Diocese of Ontario! (115 Durham St N, Madoc)

## Outdoor Service and Picnic | June 21, 10:30am

Gather with us on the Johnson/Wellington Street lawn (beneath the shade of the apple tree) for our annual outdoor service. This is always a special service to round out the program year, and we hope you'll join us! There will be no livestream on this day. Our annual church picnic is scheduled following this service on the lawn outside the Great Hall. Please bring a lawn chair and protection against the sun since shade is limited. The children from the Sunday School will be taking on some significant parts of the service and they are hoping you will appreciate their efforts. A lunch of hot dogs, fresh veggies and ice cream will be served. Gluten free options will be available.

## COMING SOON! | Outdoor Summer Concerts

Our outdoor concerts have become a Cathedral summer tradition! Expect the schedule of summertime concerts to release *quite soon*. Stay tuned!

*The flowers on the high altar are given to the Glory of God in honour of Pride and of Paul Robertson from his widower, Edgar Tumak.*

*The flowers on the nave altar are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Kenneth Charles Evans, 6<sup>th</sup> Bishop of Ontario, his wife, Marjorie and their two eldest children and their spouses, Malcolm and Ursula Evans and Kitty and Harvey Cocks from Gwynne, David and Ross Evans.*

## Spring Book Study

We resume our twice-weekly offerings exploring Scott Gunn's publication *To Love and Serve: Anglican Beliefs and Practices*. Our spring sessions will cover chapters 2 to 9 inclusive: *The Sacraments and Sacramental Rites of the Anglican Church*. Join Fr. Gerry at 1:30pm on Wednesday's (after the midweek Eucharist), or Dean Doug on Thursday's at 7pm. All are welcome to attend any session!

## Briarly Browne Bursary 2026

Applications are now being received for Briarly Browne Bursaries. These bursaries are available to young people associated with the Anglican Church of Canada to help with the cost of post secondary education. The applications and guidelines are available through the office. **The deadline for submitting applications is July 17, 2026.** Awards will be made in early September.

## Cathedral Dumpster Day | June 27

On June 27th the cathedral will have a "Dumpster Day" to clean up much of the unneeded and disposable items in the basement and the Cottage. All parish groups who have not already identified items for retention are requested to do so and advise the Executive Committee. As the date draws nearer we will provide more information. Thank you, Executive Committee.

## Tea Room hosts High Tea for Breast Cancer Action Kingston (BCAK)

Several months ago, one of the Tea Room regular visitors asked if BCAK could hire us to host a High Tea for their volunteers. On Saturday, that event took place with 23 volunteers attending. It was a major success and very appreciated by the BCAK group! Bishop Cliff gave a very inspiring talk about breast cancer. Food donations from Jen Carey, Pauline Heissler, Ken Whatley and Jann VanVugt provided three kinds of finger sandwiches, fresh strawberries and cream, devilled eggs and many sweets including Ken's wonderful lemon squares. Carol Timmerman took photos and serving assistants were Willa, Lucy, Ruby and Riley. We hope this event will encourage more guests to visit the Tea Room!

## Could you help? Tea Room seeking volunteers...

Please consider if this is something to which you can give a few hours a month. We need 3-4 people each Tuesday from 9-12:30 to welcome visitors, help set up food and tea tables, chat with guests and tidy up at the end. With enough volunteers, we anticipate that each person would only be needed once each month. You can ask our existing volunteers, Jen Carey, Susan and Mark Senn, Pauline Heissler, Derek Falkner, Carol or Gerald McGrath and Irene Courage, for their experience in the Tea Room.

Please contact the office or Jann VanVugt at [jnnvan@gmail.com](mailto:jnnvan@gmail.com) if you can help. Thank you!



## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

We welcome names for prayer. Prayer requests can be offered by filling out a prayer notice located in the narthex. We review the Prayer List frequently. Should you prefer to keep a name on the list, or to add another name, please contact the office.

**WE PRAY FOR:** Please join with me in offering prayers for the family of Wendy Pierson. Wendy passed away on Wednesday June 10 after graciously contending with a lengthy illness. We offer prayers for her husband Alex, her daughters Amy and Emily and grandchildren Colton, Wade, Rett, Reese and Madison and a larger extended family. We pray for the repose of her soul and for the comfort of all who mourn her loss. May she rest in peace. We continue prayers for Sharon Bate, Deacon Don Goodwin, Carmen & Peter Mason, Shawn Stockman, Nancy, Our Refugee Family, Neil Henry Clarke, Dani and Amal El Tayar from Lebanon, Jack Buchan, David Cory and the Cory family, Nikki, Gill Cleghorn, Gregoire, Judith Challis, Gwyneth Holtrop and family, Rebecca, Jim Stewart, David Cameron, The Ven. Michael Caswell, Bill McCready.

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