

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Monday-Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Mattins
Tuesday	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
	11:15 a.m.	Saturday Service Planning
	5:30-7:30 p.m.	Pancake Supper
Ash Wednesday	10:00 a.m.	Eucharist
	7:30 p.m.	Sung Eucharist
Thursday	12:30 p.m.	Pickleball
	8:00 p.m.	Choir Practice
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Out of the Cold Preparation



The Church of St. Martin-in-the- Fields

Last Sunday
after
Epiphany

February 26,
2017

8:30 a.m. SAID EUCHARIST

Celebrant: Fr. Philip

Greeting and Collect for Purity, page 185 (Green Book)

Gloria, page 186

The Collect (*see leaflet inside*)

First Reading: Exodus 24.12-18

Psalm 99 (*see leaflet inside*)

Second Reading: 2 Peter 1.16-21

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 17.1-9

Report to Vestry- Fr. Philip

The Nicene Creed, page 188

Prayers of the People 6, page 115

Confession and Absolution, page 191

Prayer over the Gifts (*see leaflet inside*)

Eucharistic Prayer 1, page 193

The Lord's Prayer, page 211

The Breaking of the Bread 1, page 212

Communion

Prayer after Communion (*see leaflet inside*)

The Doxology, page 214

Blessing and Dismissal.



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Incumbent: The Rev'd Canon Philip Hobson OGS

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Honorary Assistants: The Rev'd James Decker

The Rev'd Canon Harold Nahabedian

The Rev'd Canon Alyson Barnett-Cowan

11:00 A.M. SUNG EUCHARIST

Celebrant: Fr. Philip

[Nursery Care (for children up to 4 years old) and Church School classes are available downstairs in the Parish Hall]

Introit Hymn: 169 (Blue Book) Christus ist Erstanden
Greeting and Collect for Purity, page 185 (Green Book)
Glory to God, page 186 Mathias
The Collect *see leaflet (standing)*

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading: Exodus 24.12-18
Psalm 99 (*see leaflet*) Tone 5.3
Second Reading: 2 Peter 1.16-21
Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia *This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him. Alleluia*

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 17.1-9
Report to Vestry- Fr. Philip
The Nicene Creed, page 188 Merbecke
Prayers of the People 6, page 115
Confession and Absolution, page 191 (*please kneel*)
The Peace, page 192

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn 375 King's Weston
Prayer over the Gifts (*see leaflet*)
Music of the Mass: Collegium Regale Herbert Howells
Eucharistic Prayer 1, page 193
The Lord's Prayer, page 211 (music - page 918)
The Breaking of the Bread 1, page 212
Fraction Anthem O Taste and See Vaughan Williams
The Communion, page 213
Communion Hymn 65 St. Columba
Motet: Laudate Dominum Mozart
Prayer after Communion (*see leaflet*)
Doxology, page 214
The Blessing of the People
Hymn *Praise My Soul (see opposite)* Goss
Dismissal.

Please join us for a light lunch and the Vestry meeting downstairs in the Parish Hall following the service.

be led by Fr. David Neelands, Dean of Divinity, Trinity College. Registration forms will be available next Sunday.

Black Heritage Service

The diocesan Black Heritage Month service takes place at St. Paul's, Bloor Street (Bloor & Jarvis) this afternoon at 4 p.m. All are welcome.

Help wanted!

We are looking for volunteers to help keep our outside signage current. The upgraded existing sign and the new sign soon to be installed at the east end contain changeable sections. It is important that these signs inform our community of what we are doing at St. Martin's – and to invite them in. With a team of about 6 people, your commitment would be only 2 – 3 times a year. If you are willing to join this dedicated group, please contact Kathie Wagg – either after service or at waggfamily@bell.net.

Confirmation

Young people or adults interested in preparing to receive the sacrament of confirmation are asked to speak to Fr. Philip. The diocesan confirmation service will be at St. James Cathedral at 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, April 30.

Parish Newsletter

The next edition of the parish newsletter, *The Lychgate*, is now in preparation. If you have news or an article to be included, please send them to the *Lychgate* editors, Eilonwy Morgan and Ian Greene at iangreene0766@rogers.com by Sunday, March 26th.

Romero House

To find out more about the Romeo House short-stay housing initiative, in conjunction with Anglicans in the Diocese of Toronto, please see the video on YouTube at www.youtube.com/user/tordio135

Children in Church

Some children learn more at church when they stay with their parents and enjoy the service upstairs. It is just wonderful for children to sing, pray and learn about God along with us. To support the children who prefer to stay upstairs, there are two striped boxes full of books, activities and snacks at the back of the church. Feel free to take the whole box to your pew and use anything that makes the service more meaningful. If you find this a helpful way for your family to enjoy the service let us know and we will customize a pew box just for your kids.

Come and play Pickleball

Why not come out on Thursdays to enjoy an afternoon of Pickleball in the Parish Hall from 12:30—3:00 p.m.? This racquet sport provides an excellent workout and promotes lots of fellowship. No experience is necessary.

Better Sight and Sound

Large print editions of the bulletin and hymn book are available from the sidespeople. They also have ear pieces that provide enhanced hearing.

Announcements

Vestry

Our annual Vestry meeting will be held after the 11 a.m. service today. A light lunch will be served and child care will be available. Copies of the Vestry Report for 2016 are available at the back of the church.

Pancake Supper

Our annual Pancake Supper will be held this Tuesday, Shrove Tuesday, February 28th from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Tickets are available today. They are \$7 for adults and \$5 for children 13 and under and a special \$10 ticket for all you can eat fun. This is a great occasion to invite friends and family to join you for this fun event. Volunteers are needed to help with set up, cooking, and with clean up. If you can help in one of these areas, please speak to Jay Haddad (416-767-4120).

Ash Wednesday

The first day of Lent, Ash Wednesday, is this Wednesday, March 1st. There will be celebrations of the Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

2016 Tax Receipts

Please pick up the tax receipt for your 2016 donations to St. Martin's at the back of the church. If you have any questions about your receipt, please contact the Envelope Secretary, Susan Legault, through the parish web site. Please note that if you are donating to the parish using the PAR automatic bank withdrawal programme your donations will be recorded on a separate tax receipt that you will shortly receive from the Diocese.

Help needed for the Out of the Cold dinner

St. Martin's will be providing the Out of the Cold dinner at St. Matthew's, Islington next Sunday evening, March 5th. Volunteers are needed to help prepare the food at St. Martin's next Saturday morning, March 4th and to serve the food to the Out of the Cold participants at 4pm on Sunday, March 5th at St. Matthew's. Please contact Philip Savage at savagep@mcmaster.ca for more information or to volunteer.

Anglicanism Rediscovered

Join Fr. Philip on Wednesday evenings in Lent at 7:30 p.m. beginning March 8th as we explore more deeply our Anglican roots and history and look at the scope of Anglicanism today as a world-wide Communion. Using the Scriptures, original documents, hymns and other resources we will look at the distinctive contribution that Anglicans make to the witness of Christ's Church in the world.

Lenten Quiet Day

Mark your calendars now for our Lenten Quiet Day jointly sponsored by St. Martin's, St. John's West Toronto and Holy Cross Priory on Saturday, March 18th. The Day will be held at St. John's, West Toronto and will

1 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;
To his feet your tribute bring;
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
Ever more his praises sing;
Alleluia, Alleluia,
Praise the everlasting King.

2 Praise him for his grace and favour
To our forbears in distress;
Praise him, still the same for ever,
Slow to chide and swift to bless:
Alleluia, Alleluia,
Glorious in his faithfulness.

3. Father-like he tends and spares us;
Well our feeble frame he knows;
In his hands he gently bears us,
Rescues us from all our foes:
Alleluia, Alleluia
Widely as his mercy flows.

4. Angels help us to adore him,
You behold him face to face;
Sun and moon, bow down before him;
Dwellers all in time and space,
Alleluia, Alleluia,
Praise with us the God of grace.

*The flowers in the church are given to the glory of God
in thanksgiving for the wedding of
Mark Pevec & Elizabeth Porter.*

The Collect

Almighty God, on the holy mount you revealed to chosen witnesses your well-beloved son, wonderfully transfigured: mercifully deliver us from the darkness of this world, and change us into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

A Reading from the Book of Exodus

The Lord said to Moses, "Come up to me on the mountain, and wait there; and I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction." So Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. To the elders he had said, "Wait here for us, until we come to you again; for Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them." Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. The glory of the Lord settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. Now the appearance of the glory of the Lord was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. Moses entered the cloud, and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

Exodus 24:12-18 3

Psalm 99

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A Reading from the Second Letter of Peter

For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honour and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, “This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I

am well pleased.” We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain. So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. First of all you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one’s own interpretation, because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

2 Peter 1:16-21

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. Then Peter said to Jesus, “Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.” While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, “This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!” When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, “Get up and do not be afraid.” And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone. As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, “Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead.”

Matthew 17:1-9

Prayer over the Gifts

Holy God, receive all we offer you this day, and bring us to that radiant glory which we see in the transfigured face of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Prayer after Communion

Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ. May we who are partakers of his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. We ask this in his name. **Amen**

THE READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Sunday in Lent

GENESIS 2:15–17; 3:1–7; PSALM 32;
ROMANS 5:12–19; MATTHEW 4:1–11