THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR			
Monday-Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Mattins	
Monday	7:30 p.m.	Parish Council	
Tuesday	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	
Thursday	12:30 p.m.	Pickleball	
	8:00 p.m.	Choir Practice	



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The Fourth Sunday of Easter & Feast of Dedication



# May 7, 2017

8:30 a.m. SAID EUCHARIST Celebrant: Fr. Philip Easter Greeting and Collect for Purity, page 185 Gloria, page 186 The Collect (see leaflet inside) First Reading: Acts 2:42-47 Psalm 23 (see leaflet inside) Second Reading: 1 Peter 2.19-25 The Holy Gospel: John 10.1-10 Homily: Fr. Don Beyers The Nicene Creed, page 188 Prayers of the People, page 671 Confession and Absolution, page 191 Prayer over the Gifts (see leaflet inside) Eucharistic Prayer 3, page 198 The Breaking of the Bread 8, page 213 Communion Prayer after Communion (see leaflet inside) The Doxology, page 214 Blessing and Dismissal.

#### 11:00 A.M. SUNG EUCHARIST

Celebrant: Fr. Philip Nursery Care and Church School classes are available downstairs.

Introit Hymn 302 Little Cornard Easter Greeting and Collect for Purity, page 185 Gloria, page 186 The Collect see leaflet (standing)

#### THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading: Acts 2:42-47 Psalm 23 (see leaflet) Tone 1.6 Second Reading: 1 Peter 2.19-25 **Gospel Acclamation** Alleluia I am the good shepherd, says the Lord I know my own and my own know me. Alleluia The Holy Gospel: John 10.1-10 Sermon: Fr. Don Beyers The Nicene Creed, page 188 Merbecke

Prayers of the People, page 671 Confession and Absolution, page 191 (*please kneel*) The Peace, page 192

#### THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Hymn 457 Prayer over the Gifts (see leaflet) Eucharistic Prayer 3, page 198 The Lord's Prayer, page 211 (music, page 918) The Breaking of the Bread 8, page 213 The Communion, page 213 Communion Hymn 223 Polish Carol Motet A Liturgy Jared Tomlinson Prayer after Communion (see leaflet) The Doxology and Blessing, page 214 Hymn 364 The Dismissal

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Please join us for refreshments in the Parish Hall after the service.

Please put an extra loonie on the collection plate to cover the cost of each copy.

# Trip to see the Old Bells of York

This Wednesday, May 10th we will be going to see the amazing ring of bells and the bell-ringers at work at St. James' Cathedral. A registration form with more information is available at the back of the church. Please give your completed form to Jonathan Gentry.

#### **Baseball Game**

St. Martin's parishioners will be playing a friendly baseball game against St. Mary Magdalene's on Sunday, June 4th following the 11 a.m. service. All ages are welcome to join our team as players or in the cheering section. More details to come. Please speak to Grace Karram Stephenson to join the team.

#### **Better Sight & Sound**

Large print copies of the bulletin and hymn book are available from the sidespeople, as are ear pieces that provide enhanced hearing capability.



# Prayer over the Gifts

God of loving care, you spread before us the table of life, and give us the cup of salvation to drink. Keep us always in the fold of your Son Jesus Christ, our Saviour and our shepherd. **Amen**.

#### Prayer after Communion

God of steadfast love, watch over the Church redeemed by the blood of your Son. May we who share in these holy mysteries come safely to your eternal kingdom, where there is one flock and one shepherd. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the risen Lord. **Amen**.

### Announcements

#### **Welcome**

Today we are celebrating the Fourth Sunday of Easter and St. Martin's Feast of Dedication. As part of our celebration, we are welcoming a former parishioner and now the Assistant Curate at Christ Church, Stouffville, Fr. Don Beyers, as our Preacher at both services and Celebrant at the 11 a.m. service.

# Peameal Bacon Buns

Peameal Bacon Buns will be on sale today at the Coffee Hour following the 11 a.m. service. All proceeds will go to support the special water project on the reserve at Pikangikum.

### Your ideas are needed

Today at 1:00 p.m. you are invited to come along to the Guild Room to share your ideas about ways to welcome newcomers more effectively to our parish, and to help them become continuing members of our parish community. All are welcome. For further information, please speak to Dianne Doughty.

# **Tuesday Morning in the Garden**

The Garden Group will be working in the Church garden every Tuesday morning from 10:00-12:00 during May and June and could use your help with planting, weeding and mulching. No experience required. Tools provided. Speak to Ingrid Whitaker or Patty McKnight for more information.

### Saturday Service & Supper

Join us next Saturday, May 13th at 5:30 p.m. for the Saturday Service & Supper. Come and share in this more informal service of prayer, readings and song followed by a wonderful dinner together. All are welcome.

### Forward Day by Day

Copies of Forward Day by Day, a daily guide for Prayer and Scripture Reading, for May-July are available at the back of the church. The flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God by Maggie Knight in loving memory of her husband Herb McKnight.

The flowers at the Madonna are given to the glory of God in loving memory of Walter Joseph from Estella Joseph and family.

# The Collect

O God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, that great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, make us perfect in every good work to do your will, and work in us that which is well-pleasing in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.



# A Reading from the Book of Acts

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles. All who believed were together and had all things in common; they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had need. Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having the goodwill of all the people. And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.

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Psalm 23

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#### A Reading from the First Letter of Peter

For it is a credit to you if, being aware of God, you endure pain while suffering unjustly. If you endure when you are beaten for doing wrong, what credit is that? But if you endure when you do right and suffer for it, you have God's approval. For to this you have been called, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you should follow in his steps. "He committed no sin, and no deceit was found in his mouth." When he was abused, he did not return abuse; when he suffered, he did not threaten; but he entrusted himself to the one who judges justly. He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, so that, free from sins, we might live for righteousness; by his wounds you have been healed. For you were going astray like sheep, but now you have returned to the shepherd and guardian of your souls.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John Jesus said, "Very truly, I tell you, anyone who does not enter the sheepfold by the gate but climbs in by another way is a thief and a bandit. The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep hear his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has brought out all his own, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow him because they know his voice. They will not follow a stranger, but they will run from him because they do not know the voice of strangers." Jesus used this figure of speech with them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them. So again Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep. All who came before me are thieves and bandits; but the sheep did not listen to them. I am the gate. Whoever enters by me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture. The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly." John 10:1-10

> THE READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY Fifth Sunday of Easter ACTS 7:55–60; PSALM 31:1–5, 15–16; 1 PETER 2:2–10; JOHN 14:1–14



Geraniums will soon be on sale for the St. Martin's Garden