THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR		
Sunday	3:00 p.m.	Mechanics Institute Service
	5:30 p.m.	Parish Supper
Monday - Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Mattins
Monday	7:30 p.m.	Outreach Committee
	7:30 p.m.	Parish Council
Tuesday	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Wednesday	7:30 p.m.	Stewardship Cttee.
Thursday	8:00 p.m.	Choir Practice
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# The Church of St. Martin-in-the-Fields

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost, September 10, 2017



## 8:30 a.m. SAID EUCHARIST

Celebrant: Fr. Philip

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Gloria, page 186

The Collect (see leaflet inside)

First Reading: Exodus 12.1-14

Psalm 149 (see leaflet inside)

Second Reading: Romans 13.8-14

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 18.15-20

Homily Fr. Andrew MacDonald

The Nicene Creed, page 188

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Confession and Absolution, page 191

Prayer over the Gifts (see leaflet inside)

Eucharistic Prayer 1, page 196

The Breaking of the Bread 1, page 212

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 (for infants & children up to 4 years old) and Church School classes are available downstairs...

Introit Hymn 349

Old Hundredth

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Gloria, page 186

Mathias

The Collect see leaflet (standing)

#### THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading: Exodus 12.1-14

Psalm 149 (see leaflet)

Tone 8.4

Second Reading: Romans 13.8-14

Gospel Acclamation

**Alleluia** God was in Christ reconciling the world to himself, and he entrusted us with the message of reconciliation. **Alleluia** 

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 18.15-20 Sermon: Fr. Andrew MacDonald

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

Hymn 214

St. Venantius

Prayer over the Gifts (see leaflet)

Eucharistic Prayer 1, page 193

The Lord's Prayer, page 211 (music, page 918)

The Breaking of the Bread 1, page 212

The Communion, page 213

Communion Hymn 361

Ecce, Deus

Prayer after Communion (see leaflet)

The Doxology and Blessing, page 214

Hymn: Praise My Soul (see opposite)

Goss

The Dismissal

Please join us for refreshments downstairs in the Parish Hall.

#### THE READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 24)
EXODUS 14:19-31; PSALM 114;
ROMANS 14:1-12; MATTHEW 18:21-35

Collection. Your non-perishable food donations and the food items purchased with your \$515 in financial donations are a tremendous help as St. Bartholomew's, Regent Park opens its Food Bank for the fall season.

## **Parish Newsletter**

The fall edition of the parish newsletter, *The Lychgate*, is now in preparation. If you have news or items to contribute, please send them along to the newsletter editors Ian Greene & Eilonwy Morgan at *iangreene0766@rogers.com* by next Sunday, September 17th.

## **Congratulations**

We congratulate our Associate Priest, the Rev'd Canon Susan Bell, who, as of September 1st, has concluded her ministry at Havergal College and has become the full-time Canon Missioner for the Diocese of Toronto.

## **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.

## **Invitation from Holy Cross**

The Holy Cross brothers invite you to join with them in celebrating their patronal festival, the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, next Saturday, September 16 at 11 a.m. at St. John's Anglican Church (near Humberside & High Park). A light reception will follow the service.

#### **Pickleball**

The first session of Pickleball for the new season will take place in the Parish Hall on Thursday, September 21st at 12:30 p.m. All are welcome.

## **New Ministry**

As announced in August, Fr. Andrew will be taking up a new ministry on October 1st as Priest-in-Charge of the parish of St. Luke's, Dixie in Mississauga. Fr. Andrew & Martha's final Sunday at St. Martin's will be Sunday, September 24.

## **Prayer Cycles**

This is a reminder that we pray for those with immediate needs on the Short Term Prayer list at the Sunday services, while those with longer term needs are remembered on the Long Term Prayer list which we use at the celebration of the Eucharist on Tuesday mornings. Please let Fr. Philip know if you would like a name added to either list.

## **Summer Preserves**

As more summer fresh fruits become available, please keep in mind our annual Nutcracker Fair in November when making your jams, jellies, and preserves. The jars of jams and preserves are always popular. We can sell many more jars if we have the stock, so please help us out this year with your special home made recipes.

#### Prayer over the Gifts

Great and holy God, accept our offering of labour and love. May we bring you true and spiritual worship and be one with you. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord **Amen**.

## Prayer after Communion

Father, your word and sacrament give us food and life. May we who have shared in holy things bear fruit to your honour and glory, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.** 

#### **Announcements**

## **September Parish Dinner**

This afternoon starting at 5:30 p.m. we will be holding our annual parish dinner in the church garden. This is a wonderful occasion to invite friends and neighbours to share in the supper and make a connection to our parish family. The main course will be provided. Please bring a salad or dessert to share with others, and a beverage for yourself. The evening concludes with an outdoor service of Compline.

# **Kids' Church Start-up**

Our Kids' Church program begins today during the 11 a.m.. service. Children from 0 to 13 are welcome to join us starting at 10 a.m. for playtime, followed at 11 a.m. for nursery, primary and junior classes and 12:00 p.m. for the Eucharist upstairs. If your children prefer to remain in the service, please help yourself to resources from the striped boxes at the back of the church or ask Grace Karram Stephenson for more information.

## **Pray for School**

Families are invited to join us at the compline service that follows the parish dinner today as we pray for our children and youth who are returning to school.

## **Fall Gardening**

There is lot's to do in the garden as the season winds down through September and October. Please contact Patty McKnight at *pattymcknight@sympatico.ca* if you can spare an hour or two to help out.

## **Baseball at Last!**

Next Sunday September 17th following the 11 a,m, service, parishioners of St. Martin's will play a friendly game of baseball against parishioners from St. Mary Magdalene's. Since our June game was rained out, we hope many will join us this time around to cheer or play! All ages welcome – equipment will be provided.

## **Summer Food Collection**

Thank you to all those who contributed to our Lammas Summer Food

- Praise my soul the king of heaven, to his feet your tribute bring;
   ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, evermore his praises sing; alleluia, alleluia, praise the everlasting King.
- 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.
- 2. Praise him for his grace and favour to our forebears in distress; praise him still the same for ever, slow to chide and swift to bless: alleluia, alleluia, glorious in his faithfulness.
- 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 Collect

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people, that richly bearing the fruit of good works, we may by you be richly rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive 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 and Aaron in the land of Egypt: This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. Tell the whole congregation of Israel that on the tenth of this month they are to take a lamb for each family, a lamb for each household. If a household is too small for a whole lamb, it shall join its closest neighbour in obtaining one; the lamb shall be divided in proportion to the number of people who eat of it. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a year-old male; you may take it from the sheep or from the goats. You shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month; then the whole assembled congregation of Israel shall slaughter it at twilight. They shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. They shall eat the lamb that same night; they shall eat it roasted over the fire with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted over the fire, with its head, legs, and inner organs. You shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn. This is how you shall eat it: your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and you shall eat it hurriedly. It is the passover of the Lord. For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike down every

firstborn in the land of Egypt, both human beings and animals; on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgements: I am the Lord. The blood shall be a sign for you on the houses where you live: when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague shall destroy you when I strike the land of Egypt. This day shall be a day of remembrance for you. You shall celebrate it as a festival to the Lord; throughout your generations you shall observe it as a perpetual ordinance.

Exodus 12:1-14

Psalm 149

# A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Romans

Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, "You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet"; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, "Love your neighbour as yourself." Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law. Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armour of light; let us live honourably as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

Jesus said, "If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them."

The flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God in loving memory of Deborah Wrong from friends and family.

The flowers at the Madonna are given to the glory of God in loving memory of Bud Laking on his 90th birthday and their 69th wedding anniversary from Shirley, and from Roberta and Robert.