

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR		
Sunday	2:00 p.m.	Eucharist at the Grenadier
Monday - Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Mattins
Monday	7:30 p.m.	Outreach Committee
Tuesday	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Wednesday	7:30 p.m.	Stewardship Committee
	7:30 p.m.	Health, Safety & Security Cttee.
Thursday	12:30 p.m.	Pickleball
	8:00 p.m.	Choir Practice



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

St. Michael &
All Angels

October 1,
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: Genesis 28.10-17

Psalm 103:19-22 (*see leaflet inside*)

Second Reading: Revelation 12.7-12

The Holy Gospel: John 1.47-51

Homily: the Rev'd Canon Alyson Barnett-Cowan

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 3, page 198

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

Priest: Let us go forth in peace.

People: **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

Processional Hymn: 272 vv. 1-3

Coelites Plaudant

Station

Priest: Praise the Lord from the heavens.

People: **Praise him all you angels.**

Priest: Let us pray.

O Lord our God, who orders all things in heaven and earth;
look upon us, we beseech you, and mercifully vouchsafe to
refresh us by the protection and ministry of your holy
angels, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: **Amen.**

Hymn: 272 vv. 4-6

Gloria, page 186

Mathias

The Collect (*see leaflet—standing*)

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading: Genesis 28.10-17

Psalms 103.19-22 (*see leaflet*)

Tone 8.2

Second Reading: Revelation 12.7-12

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia *Bless the Lord, all you his hosts,
you ministers of his who do his will. Alleluia*

The Holy Gospel: John 1.47-51

Sermon: the Rev'd Canon Alyson Barnett-Cowan

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 320

Lasst uns erfreuen

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 1, page 212

The Communion, page 213

Please register by October 20 at www.toronto.anglican.ca/outreachconference

Social Media Co-ordinator

With Fr. Andrew and Martha's departure we are losing our social media co-ordinator. We are grateful to Martha for creating and maintaining St. Martin's Facebook page. Anyone interested in volunteering for this role should speak to Cindy Paget. Martha advises that a social media co-ordinator should be active on Facebook as an individual and be comfortable with the basics of Facebook (creating photo albums and events, sharing links, posting updates).

Coats for Romero House

In the spirit of St. Martin who shared his cloak with someone in need one cold night, we are looking for good winter coats (for both adults and children) that will be donated to Romero House for their ministry with refugees. Boxes will be available at the back of the church to receive your donations beginning next week.

Order of St. Martin

Our Patronal Festival on November 12th will mark the seventeenth year that we have recognized individual parishioners with the Order of St. Martin. As the citation states, this award celebrates and honours those members of our parish family through whose life, example, and personal ministry we see the light of Christ. Please take time to reflect on those people who have touched your life and the lives of others, and brought you closer to our Lord Jesus Christ. Nomination packages are available at the back of the church. Nominations must be received by Sunday, October 29.

Trinity Book Sale

This amazing sale of books in all categories of fiction and non-fiction including theology, biblical studies, prayer, and spiritual growth continues today at Trinity College (5 Hoskin Avenue) from October 19-23. See the notices on the church bulletin boards for further details.

Nutcracker Fair

Mark your calendar for the Nutcracker Fair, which will be held on Saturday, November 18 from 10AM to 2PM. We need your help to make this event as terrific as ever. With fresh summer fruit still on the stands, any jams, jellies or preserves you can make would be gratefully appreciated for sale at the fair. We are looking for donations for the Silent Auction (including sports/cultural event tickets) as well as festive wear, costume jewelry and hand-crafted items. For more information, or if you would like to volunteer to help, please contact Helen Kolberg at 416-588-4903 or helenkolberg@gmail.com

THE READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Harvest Thanksgiving

Deuteronomy 8.7-18 Psalm 65.9-14

2 Corinthians 9.6-15 Luke 17.11-19

Announcements

Breakfast for Pikangikum

Breakfast will be served in the Parish Hall today from 9:30—10:30 a.m. All proceeds will go towards our ongoing support for the water project in the indigenous community of Pikangikum in north-west Ontario. Tickets (\$5 regular, \$8 all you can eat) are available at the door.

St. Martin's Newsletter

Copies of the fall edition of the Lychgate, the parish's newsletter, are available for pick up at the rear of the church. Your special Thanksgiving offering envelope is included with the newsletter.

Bulbs for the Garden

Donations of bulbs for the church garden would be much appreciated. The squirrels and raccoons have taken their toll and so we need to replace the lost bulbs. Please look for bulbs that say "year after year" or "naturalizing" on the package as they will continue to bloom for many years. Thank you.

Deanery Bus Tour

You are invited to take part on Saturday, October 14th in a bus tour of Parkdale West Toronto Deanery churches. This is a great opportunity to visit other parishes and to hear about their ministry. The cost is \$10 (includes lunch), payable on the day. The tour begins at 9:00 a.m. at St. Olave's (Bloor & Windermere), then visits St. Chad's, and ends for lunch at St. John's West Toronto and Holy Cross Priory (Humberstone & High Park). Please speak to Fr. Philip to register for the tour.

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.

Pickleball

Pickleball continues this Thursdays at 12:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Kids' Church

Our Kids' Church program continues today during the 11 a.m. service. Children up to 13 years of age 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.

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.

Diocesan Outreach Conference

The annual diocesan outreach and advocacy conference will be held on Saturday, November 4th at St. John's, York Mills from 9:00-3:30 p.m. This year's theme is *Being God's People: Embracing difference, building solidarity*. The keynote speaker will be Dr. Carl James. The cost is \$30 (\$15 for students and the unemployed). Lunch and child care is provided.

Motet The Lord is in his holy temple
Communion Hymn 535
Prayer after Communion (*see leaflet*)
The Doxology and Blessing, page 214
Hymn: 325
The Dismissal

Alfred Clarke
Jacob's Ladder

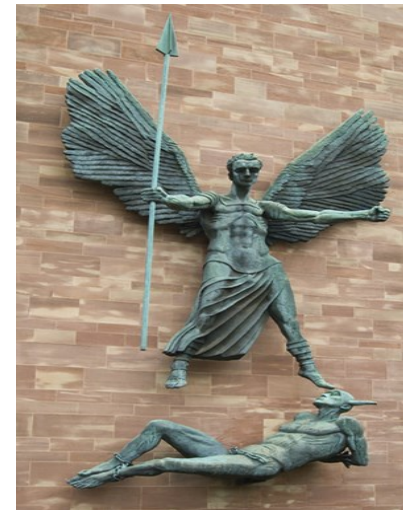
Angel Voices

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

Thank You

Just a brief note to offer you our heartfelt thanks for the wonderful send-off for Martha and me last Sunday, and for your many prayers and blessings as life takes us to St. Luke's, Dixie. And what a blessing it was, of course, for the opportunity at coffee hour to share in one last "Cake" Sunday at St. Martin's. I also deeply appreciate your generous gift of a Cope to wear at feasts and festivals for years to come. Many thanks to you all.

Every blessing from Fr. Andrew and Martha



St Michael the Archangel by Jacob Epstein, exterior wall of Coventry Cathedral, England

The Collect

Eternal God, you have ordained and constituted in a wonderful order the ministries of angels and mortals. Grant that as your holy angels stand before you in heaven, so at your command they may help and defend us here on earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 3

A Reading from the Book of Genesis

Jacob left Beersheba and went toward Haran. He came to a certain place and stayed there for the night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place. And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven; and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it. And the Lord stood beside him and said, "I am the Lord, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring; and your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south; and all the families of the earth shall be blessed in you and in your offspring. Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you." Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, "Surely the Lord is in this place – and I did not know it!" And he was afraid and said, "How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven." *Genesis 28:10-1*

Psalm 103.19-22

A Reading from the Revelation to John

War broke out in heaven; Michael and his angels fought against the dragon. The dragon and his angels fought back, but they were defeated, and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. The great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the Devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world – he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. Then I heard a loud voice in heaven, proclaiming, "Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Messiah, for the accuser of our comrades has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. But they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they did not cling to life even in the face of death. Rejoice then, you heavens and those who dwell in them! But woe to the earth and the sea, for the devil has come down to you with great wrath, because he knows that his time is short!" *Revelation 12.7-12*

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according John

When Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him, he said of him, "Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!" Nathanael asked him, "Where did you get to know me?" Jesus answered, "I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you." Nathanael replied, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" Jesus answered, "Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these." And he said to him, "Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man." *John 1:47-51*

Prayer over the Gifts

God of glory, as you have appointed angels to minister in your presence, so may all our worship bring you worthy praise. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Prayer after Communion

Eternal God, you have fed us with the bread of angels. May we who come under their protection, like them give you continual service and praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*The flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God
by Estella Joseph in thanksgiving, and in celebration
of Fr. Philip's birthday.*