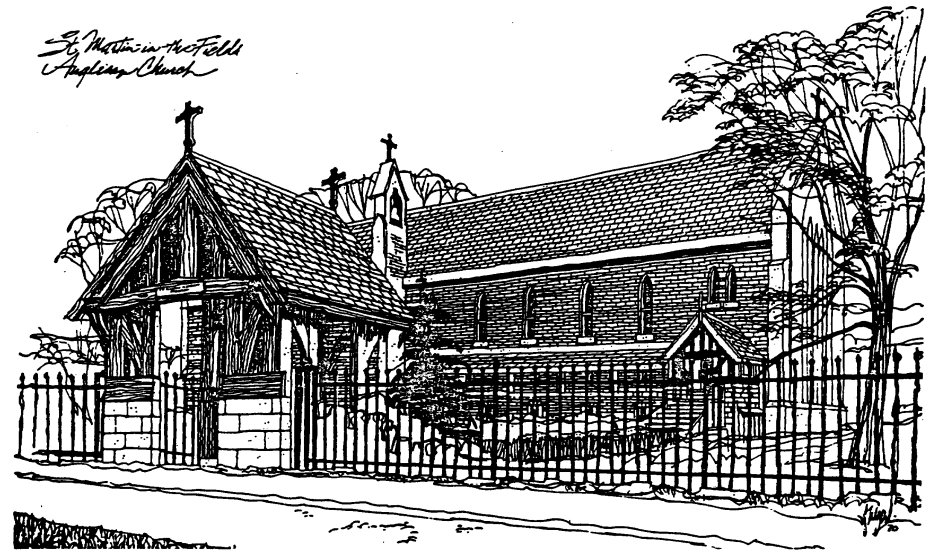


The Church of St. Martin-in-the-Fields

The Fourth Sunday after Epiphany January 28, 2018

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Monday-Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Mattins
Tuesday	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Thursday	1:00 p.m.	Pickleball
	8:00 p.m.	Choir Practice



8:30 a.m. SAID EUCHARIST

Celebrant: Fr. Philip

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The Collect (*see leaflet inside*)

First Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-20

Psalm 111 (*see leaflet inside*)

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 8:1-13

The Holy Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

Sermon: the Rev'd Canon Alyson Barnett-Cowan

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Prayer over the Gifts (*see leaflet inside*)

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Communion

Prayer after Communion (*See Inside Leaflet*)

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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: the Reverend Canon Susan Bell
Nursery Care (for infants & children up to 4 years old) and
Church School classes are available downstairs.

Introit Hymn 393

Greeting and Collect for Purity, page 185

Gloria

The Collect *see leaflet (remain standing)*

St. Denio

Ives

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-20

Psalms 111

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 8:1-13

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia *Jesus went about Galilee, teaching,
preaching, and healing every disease. Alleluia.*

The Holy Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

Sermon: the Rev'd Canon Alyson Barnett-Cowan

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Confession and Absolution, page 191 (*please kneel*)

The Peace, page 192

Tone 4.5

Merbecke

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn 384

Prayer over the Gifts (*see leaflet*)

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Communion Hymn: 553

Prayer after Communion (*see leaflet*)

The Doxology and Blessing, page 214

Hymn 441

Dismissal

Lobe den Herren

Taize

Surrey

Please join us downstairs for refreshments .

you would be interested in finding out about various positions in the parish, please speak to Cindy Paget or Michael Attwood.

Vestry Reports

The chairs of the various parish committees and groups are reminded that their written reports for Vestry should be in the Parish Office by Sunday, February 4. It would be helpful if the reports were sent by e-mail to phobson@stmartininthefields.ca Thank you.

Forward Day by Day

Copies of this daily study guide for scripture reading and prayer for the months of February to April are available at the back of the church. Please place an extra loonie on the collection plate to cover the cost of each copy.

Marmalade

This year's crop of Seville oranges has now arrived and St. Martin's marmalade makers are busily at work. Jars of homemade marmalade will go on sale next Sunday, February 4th.

Better Sight and Sound

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

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 takes place at St. James Cathedral at 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, April 29.

Lenten Study Series

Bishop Jenny Andison will lead a weekly prayer and reflection session for the people and clergy of our deanery of Parkdale-West Toronto. The six-week series, based on the Society of St. John the Evangelist's Lenten resource *Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John*, will be held on Wednesday evenings beginning Feb. 21 at St. Olave, Swansea, 360 Windermere Ave., Toronto. Each evening will include a light supper at 6:30 p.m., study at 7 p.m. and a half-hour compline at 8:30 p.m. Prayer journals will be provided. Please register on-line through the diocesan web site.

Ice Skates

Do you have any pairs of ice skates for either children or adults that you are no longer using? Romero House is looking for donations of ice skates for the refugee families living in their houses who take great delight in skating and enjoying the Canadian winter. Please speak to Fr. Philip if you have any such donations.

Come and play Pickleball

Join the gang on Thursdays from 1-3 p.m. to enjoy an afternoon of Pickleball in the Parish Hall. No experience is necessary. All welcome. 7

Prayer over the gifts

God of steadfast love, may our offering this day, by the power of your Holy Spirit, renew us for your service. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

Prayer after Communion

Source of all goodness, in this eucharist we are nourished by the bread of heaven and invigorated with new wine. May these gifts renew our lives, that we may show your glory to all the world, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

Announcements

Parish Tour to the Canadian Opera Company

The C.O.C. is known for putting on wonderful musical shows in spectacular settings. Planning these highly visual events requires considerable preparation. To learn a little about how it is done, a visit behind the scenes to see such things as the wardrobe and property workshops at the COC headquarters (227 Front St. E.) has been arranged for 11:00 a.m. on Friday, February 9th. To reserve a spot on the tour, please contact Jonathan Gentry in person, or by phone at (416)766-8491, or by email at gentryleishman@gmail.com

Vestry List

The Parochial Tribunal has compiled the Vestry List of those eligible to vote at the annual Vestry meeting. Please check the copies posted on the bulletin boards. If your name is not there or there is an error, please speak to either of the Tribunal members, Patty McKnight or Tim Stephenson.

Thank You

The Outreach Committee would like to express its thanks to all those who contributed baked goods and all those who purchased them last Sunday at the Bake Sale after the 11 a.m. service. \$600 was raised to support the ministry of Out of the Cold reaching out to those in need in our city.

Martin's Basement—Soul Food

St. Martin's teenagers are invited to join Phil Snider for three evenings of soul food. We will cook, eat and explore how Christ is the bread of life on Fridays Feb. 9, Feb. 23 and March 9. Ask Grace for more details.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

You are invited to the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity service this afternoon at 3 p.m. at Metropolitan United Church (Queen & Bond).

Nominations for Vestry

Our annual Vestry meeting will be held on Sunday, February 25 following the 11 a.m. service. A Nominations Committee has been formed by Parish Council and Management Board to bring forward a slate of candidates. If

*The flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God
in loving memory of a grandmother, Elizabeth McCreedy,
and a mother, Pamela MacDonald,
from Helen & Mark Kolberg and family.*



The Collect

Living God, in Christ you make all things new. Transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your glory; 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 Deuteronomy

The Lord your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among your own people; you shall heed such a prophet. This is what you requested of the Lord your God at Horeb on the day of the assembly when you said: "If I hear the voice of the Lord my God any more or ever again see this great fire, I will die." Then the Lord replied to me: "They are right in what they have said. I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their own people; I will put my words in the mouth of the prophet, who shall speak to them everything that I command. Anyone who does not heed the words that the prophet shall speak in my name, I myself will hold accountable. But any prophet who speaks in the name of other gods, or who presumes to speak in my name a word that I have not commanded the prophet to speak—that prophet shall die."

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

Psalm 111

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A Reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians

Now concerning food sacrificed to idols: we know that “all of us possess knowledge.” Knowledge puffs up, but love builds up. Anyone who claims to know something does not yet have the necessary knowledge; but anyone who loves God is known by him. Hence, as to the eating of food offered to idols, we know that “no idol in the world really exists,” and that “there is no God but one.” Indeed, even though there may be so-called gods in heaven or on earth—as in fact there are

many gods and many lords—yet for us there is one God, the Father, from whom are all things and for whom we exist, and one Lord, Jesus Christ, through whom are all things and through whom we exist. It is not everyone, however, who has this knowledge. Since some have become so accustomed to idols until now, they still think of the food they eat as food offered to an idol; and their conscience, being weak, is defiled. “Food will not bring us close to God.” We are no worse off if we do not eat, and no better off if we do. But take care that this liberty of yours does not somehow become a stumbling block to the weak. For if others see you, who possess knowledge, eating in the temple of an idol, might they not, since their conscience is weak, be encouraged to the point of eating food sacrificed to idols? So by your knowledge those weak believers for whom Christ died are destroyed. But when you thus sin against members of your family, and wound their conscience when it is weak, you sin against Christ. Therefore, if food is a cause of their falling, I will never eat meat, so that I may not cause one of them to fall.

1 Corinthians 8:1–13

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

They went to Capernaum; and when the sabbath came, Jesus entered the synagogue and taught. They were astounded at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority, and not as the scribes. Just then there was in their synagogue a man with an unclean spirit, and he cried out, “What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are, the Holy One of God.” But Jesus rebuked him, saying, “Be silent, and come out of him!” And the unclean spirit, convulsing him and crying with a loud voice, came out of him. They were all amazed, and they kept on asking one another, “What is this? A new teaching—with authority! He commands even the unclean spirits, and they obey him.” At once his fame began to spread throughout the surrounding region of Galilee.

Mark 1:21–28

THE READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

The Presentation of the Lord

MALACHI 3:1–4; PSALM 84:1-7;

HEBREWS 2:14–18; LUKE 2:22–40