

The Church of St. Martin-in-the-Fields
The First Sunday in Lent, February 18, 2018

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday	7:30 p.m.	Concert
Tuesday-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
Saturday	3:00 p.m.	Requiem Eucharist



8:30 a.m. SAID EUCHARIST

Celebrant: Fr. Philip

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

Trisagion, page 187

The Collect (*see leaflet inside*)

First Reading: Genesis 9/8-17

Psalm 25.1-9 (*see leaflet inside*)

Second Reading: 1 Peter 3.18-22

The Holy Gospel: Mark 1.9-15

Homily: Fr. Philip

The Nicene Creed, page 188

Prayers of the People 14, page 121

Confession and Absolution, page 191

Prayer over the Gifts (*see leaflet inside*)

Eucharistic Prayer 3, page 198

The Lord's Prayer, page 211

The Breaking of the Bread 7, page 213

Communion

Prayer after Communion, page 214

Blessing and Dismissal.



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Associate Priest: The Rev'd Canon Susan Bell

Area Chaplain: The Rev'd Canon David Luxton

Honorary Assistants: The Rev'd James Decker

The Rev'd Canon Harold Nahabedian

The Rev'd Canon Alyson Barnett-Cowan

11:00 A.M. THE GREAT LITANY AND SUNG EUCHARIST

Celebrant: Fr. Philip

Nursery Care and Church School classes are available downstairs

The Great Litany (in procession), page 138 (green book)

The Collect *see leaflet (standing)*

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading: Genesis 9.8-17

Psalm 25.1-9 (*see leaflet*)

Tone 3.4

Second Reading: 1 Peter 3.18-22

Gospel Acclamation

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, King of endless glory.

*We shall not live by bread alone, but by every word
that proceeds from the mouth of God.*

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, King of endless glory.

The Holy Gospel: Mark 1.9-15

Sermon: Fr. Philip

The Nicene Creed, page 188

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

The Peace, page 192

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn 628

Deo Gracias

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 7, page 213

The Communion, page 213

Communion Hymn 511

Southwell

Motet

Prayer after Communion, page 214

The Blessing of the People

Hymn 565

Cwm Rhondda

Dismissal.

Please join us for refreshments in the Parish Hall.

Lenten Quiet Day

Mark your calendars now for the Lenten Quiet Day sponsored by St. Martin's, St. John's, and Holy Cross Priory to be held at St. John's on Saturday, March 3 from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. The leader will be the Vicar at St. James Cathedral, the Rev'd Louise Peters, who will reflect on the theme: *Go to your Room - Treasures in Heaven*. Please complete the registration forms included in this leaflet and give them to Fr. Philip.

Requiem Eucharist

A Requiem Eucharist will be celebrated next Saturday, February 24 at 3 p.m. at St. Martin's in memory of Norma Ventham. A reception will follow.

Forward Day by Day

Copies of this daily study guide are available at the back of the church. Please place a loonie on the collection plate to cover the cost of each copy.

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 February 23 and March 9. Ask Grace for more details.

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.

Help needed for the Out of the Cold Dinner

St. Martin's will be providing the Out of the Cold dinner on Sunday, March 11th at St. Matthew's, Islington. Volunteers are needed to help prepare the food at St. Martin's on Saturday morning, March 10th. Three people are also needed to serve in the kitchen at St. Matthew's on Sunday, March 11th (from 4:00pm to 7:00pm) and one person also to do dishes who is able to lift a fully loaded dishwasher tray (from 4:30 to 7:00). Please contact Judith Kidd at jvkidd@sympatico.ca or Glen Storey at storeybook25@gmail.com for more information or to volunteer.

Confirmation

Young people or adults interested in preparing for the sacrament of confirmation should speak to Fr. Philip. The diocesan service takes place at St. James Cathedral at 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, April 29.

Ice Skates

Do you have a pair of ice skates for either children or adults that you could donate to Romero House to be used by their refugee families? Please leave your donations at the back of the church. Thank you.

Black Heritage Celebration

The Diocese's 23rd annual Black Heritage service of celebration will take place on Sunday, February 25 at St. Paul, Bloor Street, with music at 4 p.m. and the service at 4:30 p.m. This year's theme is "A Spirit of Thanksgiving: Joyful Praise." The service will include drumming, dancing, steelpan, poetry, a choir and more.

Announcements

Thank You

Thank you to all those involved in cooking and serving our annual Pancake Supper this past Tuesday. It was a great occasion. We are also grateful to the Dufferin Mall No Frills store for their donation of food.

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 Wednesday evenings beginning this Wednesday, 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.

Tax Receipts

Please pick up the tax receipt for your recorded donations to St. Martin's in 2017 at the back of the church. If you have any questions about your receipt, please contact the Envelope Secretary, Jonathan Gentry, at gentryleishman@gmail.com Please note that if you have been donating to St. Martin's using the automatic bank withdrawals through the PAR system you will receive a separate tax receipt from the Diocese.

Fellowship of St. Martin

The Fellowship returns this Lent. Fellowship members commit themselves to pray each day in Lent using the form available at the back of the church. This focused form of prayer has been adapted for those who lead busy lives and yet wish to make a concerted effort this Lent to be part of a community of prayer preparing for the Paschal feast. You may also wish to have a "Prayer Buddy", that is an individual with whom you can check in once a week to support each other in the prayer commitment. Please sign the list if you would like to be paired up with a Prayer Buddy.

Vestry Reports

Please pick up a copy of the Vestry Report at the back of the church. Please bring your copy with you to our annual Vestry meeting which takes place next Sunday following the 11 a.m. service. A light lunch will be served and child care will be provided. Please review this year's diocesan Social Justice and Advocacy motion which is included in the Report and will come before Vestry for discussion.

Concert at St. Martin's

The *Acquired Taste Choir* presents a concert at 7:30 p.m. this evening in the church. Tickets (\$20-Adult, \$10-Senior/Student) will be available at the door. Proceeds go to support the music ministry at P.A.R.C.

Marmalade

Jars of homemade Seville orange marmalade are on sale today at \$7 each. 6

The Collect

Almighty God, whose Son fasted forty days in the wilderness, and was tempted as we are but did not sin, give us grace to discipline ourselves in submission to your Spirit, that as you know our weakness, so we may know your power to save; 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 Genesis

God said to Noah and to his sons with him, "As for me, I am establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you, and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the domestic animals, and every animal of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark. I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of a flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth." God said, "This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations: I have set my bow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow is seen in the clouds, I will remember my covenant that is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh. When the bow is in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth." God said to Noah, "This is the sign of the covenant that I have established between me and all flesh that is on the earth."

Genesis 9:8-17

conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers made subject to him.

1 Peter 3:18-22

Psalm 25.1-9



The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. And a voice came from heaven, “You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.” And the Spirit immediately drove him out into the wilderness. He was in the wilderness forty days, tempted by Satan; and he was with the wild beasts; and the angels waited on him. Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, “The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.”

Mark 1:9-15

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A Reading from the First Letter of Peter

Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God. He was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit, in which also he went and made a proclamation to the spirits in prison, who in former times did not obey, when God waited patiently in the days of Noah, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were saved through water. And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you—not as a removal of dirt from the body, but as an appeal to God for a good

Prayer over the Gifts

God our refuge and our strength, receive all we offer you this day, and through the death and resurrection of your Son transform us to his likeness. We ask this in his name. **Amen.**

THE READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Second Sunday of Lent

GENESIS 17:1–7, 15–16; PSALM 22:22–30;

ROMANS 4:13–25; MARK 8.31-38