THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR		
Monday- Thursday	9:00 a.m	. Mattins
Tuesday	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Wednesday	6:30 p.m. Bishop's Lenten Series (St. Olave's)	
	7:00 p.m	Outreach Committee
Thursday	1:00 p.m.	Pickleball
	8:00 p.m.	Choir Practice
Saturday	9:30 p.m.	Preparation for Out of Cold

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The Third Sunday in Lent

March 4, 2018



Christ and the Moneychangers Eric Gill 1882-1940

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: Exodus 20.1-17

Psalm 19.7-14 (see leaflet inside)

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1.18-25

The Holy Gospel: John 2.13-22

Sermon: 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 (see leaflet inside)

The Blessing Dismissal.

11:00 A.M. SUNG EUCHARIST

Celebrant: Fr. Philip

Nursery Care and Church School classes are available downstairs.

Installation of Parish Officers (see insert)

Introit Hymn 389

King's Lynn

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

Kyrie/Trisagion, page 186/87

The Collect see leaflet (standing)

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading: Exodus 20.1-17

Psalm 19.7-14 (see leaflet)

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Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1.18-25

Gospel Acclamation

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

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

The Holy Gospel: John 2.13-22

Sermon: Fr. Philip

The Nicene Creed, page 188

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Prayers of the People #14, page 121

Confession and Absolution, page 191 (please kneel)

The Peace, page 192

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn 617

St. Botolph

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 534

Tokyo

Motet

Prayer after Communion, page 214

The Blessing of the People

Hymn 537

Cross of Christ

Dismissal

Please join us for refreshments downstairs in the Parish Hall.

Collection of Eyeglasses and Hearing Aids

During the month of March a box will be available at the back of the church to receive donations of gently used and unbroken eyeglasses (including prescription sunglasses) and hearing aids. Your donations will be distributed to those in need in various countries of the Global South through the Lions Club International program which is celebrating its 80th anniversary this year.

Fellowship of St. Martin

The Fellowship has returned 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.

Simnel Cake

We look forward to enjoying a piece of Simnel Cake next Sunday at the Coffee Hour following the 11 a.m. service.

Vestry Report

Copies of the 2017 Vestry Report and the Rector's Report to Vestry are available at the back of the church.

Changing Clocks

Don't forget to move your clocks ahead one hour when you go to bed this coming Saturday evening, March 10th as we spring forward into Daylight Savings Time.

Martin's Basement—Soul Food

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

Lenten Study Series

Bishop Jenny Andison is leading 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*, is being held on Wednesday evenings at St. Olave, Swansea.

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.

Prayer over the Gifts

Gracious God, we know your power to triumph over weakness. May we who ask forgiveness be ready to forgive one another, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Announcements

Installation of Parish Officers

Today at the beginning of the 11 a.m. service we will be installing and blessing those people elected and appointed to various positions within the parish at last Sunday's Vestry meeting.

FaithWorks

The 2018 FaithWorks campaign begins today. Please pick up your information package at the back of the church. FaithWorks is the Diocese of Toronto's co-ordinated outreach effort supporting 15 ministry partners who reach out to those in need in our greater Toronto community. You can help in this outreach work by returning your FaithWorks cheque (made out to the parish, memo "FaithWorks") on the offering plate or by mailing it to the church. For more information, please speak to our FaithWorks co-ordinator, Jacqueline Hayden.

FaithWorks Breakfast

Tickets go on sale today for the special between-the-services FaithWorks Breakfast on Sunday, March 18th. Join us in the Parish Hall between 9:30 and 10:30 a.m. for a delicious cooked breakfast. A regular ticket is \$5 and an All you can eat special ticket is \$8. All proceeds go to support FaithWorks.

Parish Newsletter

The next edition of the parish newsletter, *The Lychgate*, is now in preparation. Please submit your news or articles to the editors, Eilonwy Morgan and Ian Greene, by March 11th at *iangreene0766@rogers.com*

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 <code>jvkidd@sympatico.ca</code> or Glen Storey at <code>storeybook25@gmail.com</code> for more information or to volunteer.



The Collect

Father of mercy, alone we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves. When we are discouraged by our weakness, strengthen us to follow Christ, our pattern and our hope; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

A Reading from the Book of Exodus

God spoke all these words: I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me. You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me, but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments. You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the Lord your God, for the Lord will not acquit anyone who misuses his name. Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. Six days you shall labour and do all your work. But the seventh day is a sabbath to the Lord your God; you shall not do any work—you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your livestock, or the alien resident in your towns. For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but rested the seventh day; therefore the Lord blessed the sabbath day and consecrated it. Honour your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you. You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbour. You shall not covet your neighbour's house; you shall not covet your neighbour's wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbour. Exodus 20:1-17

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Psalm 19:7-14

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A Reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians The message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the

discerning I will thwart." Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength.

1 Corinthians 1:18-25



The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money changers seated at their tables. Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables. He told those who were selling the doves, "Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father's house a marketplace!" His disciples remembered that it was written, "Zeal for your house will consume me." The Jews then said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?" Jesus answered them, "Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up." The Jews then said, "This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?" But he was speaking of the temple of his body. After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken. John 2:13-22

THE READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Fourth Sunday in Lent Numbers 21:4-9; Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22; Ephesians 2:1-10; John 3:14-21