

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST ANGLICAN CHURCH

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FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

APRIL 7, 2019

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Collect of the Day

Most merciful God, by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ, you created humanity anew. May the power of his victorious cross transform those who turn in faith to him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading

Isaiah 43:16-21

Thus says the LORD, who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters, who brings out chariot and horse, army and warrior; they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, quenched like a wick: Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old. I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert. The wild animals will honour me, the jackals and the ostriches; for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to my chosen people, the people whom I formed for myself so that they might declare my praise.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 126

When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion, then were we like those who dream.

Then was our mouth filled with laughter, and our tongue with shouts of joy.

Then they said among the nations, "The Lord has done great things for them."

The Lord has done great things for us, and we are glad indeed.

Restore our fortunes, O Lord, like the watercourses of the Negev.

Those who sowed with tears will reap with songs of joy. Those who go out weeping, carrying the seed, will come again with joy, shouldering their sheaves.

Second Reading

Philippians 3:4b-14

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless. Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead. Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on towards the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel

John 12:1-8

Gospeller: The Lord be with you.

All: And with thy spirit.

Gospeller: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

All: Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, 'Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?' (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) Jesus said, 'Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me.'

Gospeller: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise be to thee, O Christ.

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Blessing and Dismissal

Readings for next Sunday, April 14, 2019 - Sunday of the Passion
Isaiah 50:4-9a; Psalm 31:9-16; Philippians 2:5-11; Luke 23:1-49

This Week in the Parish		
Monday	Morning Prayer AA/Al-Anon	7:30am 8pm
Tuesday	Morning Prayer ACW Group B	7:30am 2pm
Wednesday	Morning Prayer Holy Eucharist ACW Group A	7:30am 10am 7pm
Thursday	Morning Prayer Holy Eucharist (Van Horne) Choir	730am 11am 730pm
Friday	Games Night	530pm
Saturday	Holy Eucharist	5pm
Sunday	Holy Eucharist Sung Eucharist	8am 10am

HOLY WEEK & EASTER

Mon – Wed	7:30am Morning Prayer; 10am Holy Eucharist
Maundy Thursday	7:30am Morning Prayer; 7pm Sung Eucharist & Stripping of the Altar
Good Friday	10am Solemnity of the Cross; 12noon Ecumenical Crosswalk starting at St. Frances de Sales
Holy Saturday	7:30pm Easter Vigil at St. James, Carleton Place
Easter Day	8am Holy Eucharist with hymns; 10am Sung Eucharist

In our Parish we pray for: Heather, Paul, Riley, Margaret, Dan Burns, Lorna, Katie, Steve, Bonnie, Ron, Bill D., Stan, Sheila, Bob, Ann R. Bothwell, Karen K., Steve, Andy, Melanie, Susan Peters, Philip Burns, Chris Cutler, Sharon Clarke.

Friends of the Parish we pray for: Zachary, Peggy, Marilyn, Jacqui, Dana Dean & family, Chloe McCue, Michelle, Robert Apro, Debbie Pilon, Bonnie Bothwell, Sandra, Neena, Jutanie, Maureen Halpenny, Sherry, Darcy, Richard, Leah, Crystal, Barry, Bernard, Sarah Telford, Valerie Kerr, Donnie McConnell, Eileen C, Kevin Rochon, Casey, Jim Jarvis, Donna, Serge, Lisa, Sue Ellen, Dorothy, Helena, Marion, Kevin Kealey, Chuck & Sheila Nehring, Ron M., Lorna, Sharon, Bev, Libby, Donna, Cathy K, Ivan Dunne, Maggie, Emily, Doug, Cathy O'Shea, Larry, Peggy, Diane, Gerry.

Parishioners residing in retirement/nursing homes we pray for: Bev Lannin, Cora Beasley, Fran Robinson, Charlie Edwards, Thelma Doherty, Nancy Langdon, Irene Anderson, Betty Gault, Helen Cameron, Brenda Hauraney, Ken Winkenweder, Audrey Bennett, Irene Leach, Florence Lloyd, Jessie Read, Joan Dillon.

Prayer Calendar In our Diocese we pray for: The Rt. Rev'd John Chapman, Bishop of Ottawa; Church of the Resurrection, Ottawa, The Rev'd Richard Durrett; Christ Church, Bells Corners, The Ven Kathryn Otley and Maj. the Rev'd Michael Gibbons. In our Companion Diocese, the Diocese of Jerusalem, we pray for Saviour Church, Kufr-Yasif, Israel

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Becoming the Story We Tell: Sundays in Lent 5:30pm

A process for re-entering the deep drama of the gospel, and restoring the connection between our baptism and our annual immersion in the story of Christ's Passion. Our final gathering is this Sunday.

Pint & A Passage: Tues - 7pm at Fort Hemlock Pub

Join in the conversation around the Gospel for the upcoming Sunday.

Games Night: Fri Apr 12 5:30pm

Join us for some food, laughs and games! We will have soup and bread to start off the night. To date, we have 2 Crokinole Queens. Let's expand the "Royalty"!! We will also have a station set up to make palm crosses for Palm Sunday.

Food Bank Collection: Sun Apr 14

We are collecting one week early this month. Please remember your donations to the Smiths Falls Food Bank next week.

Community Dinner: Easter Mon Apr 22 1pm

We are putting on a feast for our neighbours. Roast Turkey, ham and cupcakes. We have 3 *turkeys* that need roasting and 10 *dozen cupcakes* that need baking! Please contact Virginia Willis at vawillis723@yahoo.com or (613) 797-8248 if you can help.

Easter Memorial Flowers

To make memorial donations for Easter flowers, please have your donations to the Church Office clearly marked "Easter flowers" **by noon Fri Apr 12** and include all names to be listed in the bulletin.

Easter Decorating and Cleaning Sat Apr 20 9am

As the Altar Guild decorates for Easter, it's a perfect time to do a bit of "spring sprucing" of the church. Membership in the Altar Guild is not required as we gather to do some extra dusting and polishing. The more the merrier!

Why Easter Still Causes Earthquakes: Sat Apr 27 3pm-8pm

Dr. Murray Watson is returning to St. John's! Discover why the resurrection is still counter-cultural, and go on a "virtual tour" of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem, learning about its history and why it is considered the holiest site of Christianity. All are welcome. Admission is free and a light supper will be served. For catering purposes, please register with Louise Sherry: (613) 283-1261 or at stjohns_smithsfalls@bellnet.ca

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Louise Sherry – Church Secretary

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 9am -12noon

Weekly Liturgies

Monday - Thursday 7:30am – Morning Prayer *(during Lent)*

Wednesday 10am – Holy Eucharist

Saturday 5pm – Holy Eucharist

Sunday 8am – Holy Eucharist; 10am* – Sung Eucharist

**Sunday School offered for children September - June*

The Right Reverend John H. Chapman – Bishop of Ottawa

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