



The Cathedral MESSENGER

Welcome to the Anglican Cathedral of St. John the Baptist
23 April 2023
The Third Sunday of Easter
Earth Sunday

Coming up this week...

Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Cathedral Choir

Crypt

A Mental Health Moment

Sometimes a person may not realize that their drug or alcohol use has become a problem. Talking to them can help and may be the encouragement they need to seek help. Starting the conversation can be tough or uncomfortable, but there are ways you can show that you care. Be aware that the conversation might bring out strong emotions and may not go as you expect. That is okay. It will still show your family member or friend that you care. *(Source: Government of Canada)*

After Service Refreshments – Please join us in the North Transept after the service for a time of fellowship and refreshment.

The North American Cathedral Deans Conference will be held in Washington, DC this year, from April 27 to 30. Dean Roger and Sharon look forward to attending the Conference again this year and thank the Cathedral and the Bishop for their support.

Please note: The wearing of masks is optional here in the Cathedral. We do ask that you please be respectful of others who may have a different practice with masks. We will continue to receive the Collection with a Collection Plate at the back of the Nave. We will also continue receiving Communion at the Altar Rail (Bread only): please go up through the Lady Chapel and back through the organ tunnel. Also, **please be aware that our services are Live-streamed**, so it is possible, from time to time, that you may be visible on our cameras.

Earth Sunday: A note from the Rev'd Canon Josiah Noel, the Canon for Creation Care and Stewardship:

Perhaps more than at any time in our modern era, we are recognizing the moral urgency of the spiritual and living relationship between humanity, Creation, and Creator. Earth Day is a time to claim these insights, renew relationships and act on commitments to care for God's world.

*Our churches are part of the **For the Love of Creation** initiative that provides resources for Canada-wide education, reflection, action and advocacy for climate justice.*

Find out more by visiting: www.fortheloveofcreation.ca.

11:00 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

The BCP is on-line: www.anglican.ca/about/liturgicaltexts/

Setting: **Mass of the Quiet Hour** (Oldroyd)

Opening Hymn: 165 Come, ye faithful, raise the strain

St. Kevin

Come, ye faithful, raise the strain of triumphant gladness;
God hath brought his Israel into joy from sadness;
Loosed from Pharaoh's bitter yoke Jacob's sons and daughters;
Led them with unmoistened foot through the Red Sea waters.

2. 'Tis the spring of souls today; Christ hath burst his prison,
And from three days' sleep in death as a sun hath risen;
All the winter of our sins, long and dark, is flying
From his light, to whom we give laud and praise undying.

3. Now the queen of season, bright with the day of splendour,
With the royal feast of feasts, comes its joy to render;
Comes to glad Jerusalem, who with true affection
Welcomes in unwearied strains Jesus' resurrection!

4. Neither might the gates of death, nor the tomb's dark portal,
Nor the watchers, nor the seal, hold thee as a mortal;
But today amidst the twelve thou didst stand, bestowing
That thy peace which evermore passeth human knowing.

5. Alleluia now we cry to our King Immortal,
Who triumphant burst the bars of the tomb's dark portal;
Alleluia, with the Son, God the Father praising;
Alleluia yet again to the Spirit raising.

The Lord's Prayer and the Collect for Purity
The Summary of the Law, *Kyrie eleison*
The Collect of the Day

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The Proclamation of the Word

Acts 2:14a, 36-41

Joyce King

Psalm 116:1-4, 11-18

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1 Peter 1:17-23

Janice Evans

O God, beyond all face and form,
You willed it that creation's night
Should blaze, and chaos still its storm,
And birth a universe of light.
All things below, all things above
Are formed of your eternal love.

2. The glory of the galaxies,
The beauty of a baby's hand,
The thundering of the restless seas,
The glory of the forest's stand –
All things below, all things above
Are formed of your eternal love.

3. You gave our race both form and name,
And love for us was your intent;
Then to a woman's womb love came,
And on a cross was wholly spent.
All things below, all things above
Are formed of this incarnate love.

4. Of this great love all loves are born,
Of self, of neighbour, and of earth.
By love shall night be turned to morn,
And death shall never conquer birth.
All things below, all things above
Are formed of God's eternal love.

The Holy Gospel: Luke 24:13-35

The Nicene Creed

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The Sermon

The Very Reverend Roger Whalen

Offertory Hymn: **169 Ye Choirs of New Jerusalem**

St. Fulbert

Ye choirs of new Jerusalem,
Your sweetest notes employ,
The Paschal victory to hymn
In strains of holy joy.

2. For Judah's Lion bursts his chains,
Crushing the serpent's head;
And cries aloud through death's domains
To wake the imprisoned dead.

3. Devouring depths of hell their prey
At his command restore;
His ransomed hosts pursue their way
Where Jesus goes before.

4. Triumphant in his glory now
To him all power is given;
To him in one communion bow
All saints in earth and heaven.

5. While we, his soldiers, praise our King,
His mercy we implore,
Within his palace bright to bring
And keep us evermore.

6. All glory to the Father be,
All glory to the Son,
All glory Holy Ghost, to thee,
While endless ages run. Amen.

The Intercessions

The Holy Communion

Invitation, Confession, Absolution, Comfortable Words

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Thanksgiving and Consecration

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*For those viewing on-line, we invite you to use this **Prayer for Spiritual Communion**:
Lord Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Holy Sacrament. However, since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. I unite myself with you, and embrace you with all the affections of my soul. Let me never be separated from you. Let me live and die in your love. Amen.*

Agnus Dei

Anthem: **Love's redeeming work is done**

Kelly

The Lord's Prayer, Thanksgiving

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The Gloria

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The Blessing

Closing Hymn: **354 All hail the power of Jesus' name**

Miles lane

All hail the power of Jesus' Name;
Let angels prostrate fall;
Bring forth the royal diadem
And crown him Lord of all.

4. Hail him, ye heirs of David's line
Whom David Lord did call,
The God Incarnate, Man Divine,
And Crown him Lord of all.

2. Crown him, ye martyrs of your God,
Who from his altar call;
Praise him whose blood-stained path ye trod,
And crown him Lord of all.

5. Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget
The wormwood and the gall,
Go spread your trophies at his feet,
And crown him Lord of all.

3. Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,
Ye ransomed of the fall,
Hail him who saves you by his grace,
And crown him Lord of all.

6. Let every tribe and every tongue
Before him prostrate fall,
Join in the universal song,
And crown him Lord of all.

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Monthly Offering Intentions: Our special intention for April is **Easter**. Please write "Easter" on your envelope or in the memo of your electronic donation.

Our On-line Services are available live or recorded on:

Facebook: www.facebook.com/anglcathstj/

and on our YouTube Channel: www.youtube.com/channel/UCPn0-iS_T0pdmdfY3hJDbJA.

Weekday Morning Prayer is on-line and in-person:

9:30 a.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday

Upcoming Sunday Services:

April 30th: Easter IV – 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

– 2 p.m. St. Michael's Congregation

May 7th: Easter V – 9 a.m. BCP Holy Eucharist (said)

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Mattins Celebrating the Coronation of King Charles III

– 2 p.m. St. Michael's Congregation

May 14th: Easter VI – 11 a.m. BAS Baptism & Choral Eucharist

– 2 p.m. St. Michael's Congregation

– 7 p.m. Installation of New Canons in the Cathedral Chapter,
with the Bishop of Guatemala visiting.

May 21st: Easter VII – The Sunday after the Ascension

– 11 a.m. BCP Choral Eucharist

– 2 p.m. St. Michael's Congregation

We gratefully acknowledge donations to **The Choral Scholarship Fund:**

- *In memory of Eugene Pike* from his wife, Marilyn;
- and *In memory of Wilfred & Olive Thomas, Edison & Derek Thomas* from the family.

Mental Health First Aid: As part of our ongoing attention to mental health, the Cathedral will be offering Mental Health First Aid training on June 3 and 4 in the Crypt. It is a full 2-day course (8:30 AM – 4:30 PM or so daily) but we'll take a break to facilitate worship on June 4. Please visit <https://www.mhfa.ca/> to learn more about this training. This session will be facilitated by our very own Susan Green. If you are interested in attending this course, please contact the Office (Office@ourcathedral.ca or 709-276-5677). The Cathedral will cover the cost of the course for our Parishioners.

On Sunday, May 7th, we will offer a special service of **Choral Mattins to celebrate the Coronation of His Majesty King Charles III**, which takes place the day before on May 6th. We hope you will all join us to mark this significant event! Her Honour the Honourable Judy Foote, Lieutenant Governor of Newfoundland and Labrador, will be in attendance, and our Bishop, the Right Reverend Sam Rose will be the preacher.

On **Sunday, May 14th, at 7 p.m.**, The Rt. Rev'd Samuel Rose will preside over the **Installation of two new Canons to the Cathedral Chapter**. The guest preacher will be the Rt. Rev'd Silvestre Romero of Guatemala. Our newest canons are: The Rev'd Canon Gail MacDonald appointed as the Canon for Church and Community Engagement and Partnerships; and The Rev'd Canon Josiah Noel appointed as the Canon for Creation Care and Stewardship.

Holocaust Memorial Service, 3:00 pm Sunday, May 7th, at the Bruneau Centre Auditorium, MUN Campus. Beth El Synagogue and the Jewish Community Havura invite you to this year's Holocaust Memorial Service. Pinchas Gutter, a survivor of the Warsaw Ghetto, will speak about his experience via Zoom. All are welcome. Parking will be available in lots 17 and 18. For further information, e-mail holmemserv@gmail.com.

Flipper Dinners Are Back! Wesley United Church is planning to hold two **Flipper dinners** with dessert, tea and coffee this year, on May 11th and June 1st. To reserve your tickets, which are \$30 each, please contact Marvin: **marvin.barnes1955@gmail.com** or Wesley Church office at **info@wesleychurch.ca**.

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