

POETRY CORNER

“Love III”

by George Herbert

Love bade me welcome. Yet my soul drew back
 Guilty of dust and sin.
 But quick-eyed Love, observing me grow slack
 From my first entrance in,
 Drew nearer to me, sweetly questioning,
 If I lacked any thing.

A guest, I answered, worthy to be here:
 Love said, You shall be here.
 I the unkind, ungrateful? Ah my dear,
 I cannot look on thee.
 Love took my hand, and smiling did reply,
 Who made the eyes but I?

Truth Lord, but I have marred them: let my shame
 Go where it doth deserve.
 And know you not, says Love, who bore the blame?
 My dear, then I will serve.
 You must sit down, says Love, and taste my meat:
 So I did sit and eat.

REPORT ON LAST WEEK

ATTENDANCE:

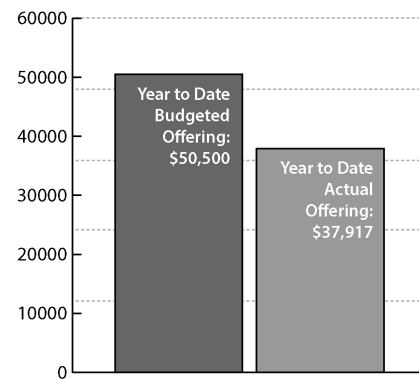
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FINANCIALS:

YTD (to 30 June): \$37,917

YTD Budgeted (to 30 June): \$50,500

At this year’s Vestry we passed a budget in which parish givings were set at \$100,000. As of the end of June we have a shortfall of \$12,583. Please remember that our cash flow relies not only on generous giving, but also regular giving.



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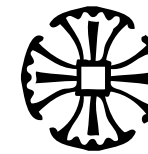
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PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

For the week of Sunday 13 August 2017

*The Sanctuary Lamp burns for the repose of the soul of Susan Johnson.
 Rest eternal grant unto her, O Lord!*

WELCOME TO ST BARTHOLOMEW’S! We’re happy to have you worshipping with us this morning. The Order of Service can be found in the pew leaflet. Page numbers in the leaflet refer to the wine-coloured Book of Common Prayer. Hymn numbers refer to the green English Hymnal.

REFRESHMENTS & FELLOWSHIP: Following the Parish Mass we gather in the parish hall (down the front stairs and to your right) for refreshments and fellowship. Tea, coffee, juice, and a light lunch are served. If you are new, please make yourself known to Fr Hannam and members of our congregation.

FATHER HANNAM requests that all cases of sorrow or sickness be reported to him.

UPCOMING FEAST:

Our Patronal Festival: The Feast of St Bartholomew the Apostle

Thursday, August 24 at 6:00pm Procession & Solemn High Mass

Following the service there will be a parish fête in honour of the Rev’d Canon David Brinton, sometime Vicar of St Bartholomew’s, on the occasion of his retirement.

ARCHBISHOP COLIN JOHNSON, SCP, our diocesan bishop, will be visiting St Bartholomew’s on Sunday, 10 September, to administer **THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION**. **If you wish to be prepared for this sacrament and are not already taking instruction, please contact the Vicar immediately to make arrangements.**

BIBLE STUDY continues Fridays at 11:00am. We meet in the Lady Chapel. The studies focus on the Gospel for the coming Sunday. All are welcome!

VOLUNTEERS are needed to help serve breakfast to seniors on Thursday mornings at 8:00am at 252 Sackville Street. *Please speak to Drew Badgley for details.*

TAX CLINIC: The St Bart’s Tax Clinic will be open on 19 August. *Appointments are required.* Please contact Alona Tsang to make arrangements. This is a CRA-recognised programme that will primarily benefit low income households.

ST. BART’S FOOD BANK: Please note that the food bank is now closed for the summer. During this time, we suggest the following alternatives: Allan Gardens (Carlton & Sherbourne), Thursdays from 12:30-3:30pm, and Fridays, 10:00am-12:00noon and 1:00-3:30pm; and Daily Bread, 416-203-0050. (Food Bank and Breakfast Programs resume normal scheduling on September 7).

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WEEKLY E-NEWSLETTER Stay connected to what's happening at St Bartholomew's. Sign up online at: www.stbartstoronto.ca/contact (scroll to bottom of page for sign up form). *If you've already signed up and have yet to receive the newsletter, please be sure to add "priest@stbartstoronto.ca" to your safe senders list.*

ROSARY MAKERS' GUILD: Please note that the guild is on hiatus until further notice.

WORLD COMMUNITY OF CHRISTIAN MEDITATION (WCCM) GROUP: Tuesday Evenings, 7:30 to 8:30 pm. For information contact Rob Bedolfe 416-231-5504. Details online. ***Please note that the group will not meet this week. A group of St Bartholomew's parishioners will be attending Solemn Mass at Holy Family Roman Catholic Church at 6:00 pm. Please speak to Father Hannam if you would like to join us.***

INTERCESSIONS

THE SICK AND THOSE IN NEED: SUN: Linda Ashcroft, George Barkhouse, Robert Buckland Sr., Sandie Bressanutti | **TUES:** William Cowling Sr, Kimberley Curtis, Michael Eagleson, Bill Forster, Jo-Anne Goyder, Janet Hogan | **WED:** Shelly Howey, Audrey Kern, Seraphina Lee, Marlene McCaskill, Gord Miller, Jackie Ollivierre, John Richards | **THU:** Mary Spencer, Andra Striowski and family, Atlas Charles Thomas, Alan Newell, Dorothy North | **FRI:** Sarah Philibert, Beth Wilband, Andrea, Cabrah, Fanny, Eleanor | **SAT:** Elise, Gordon, Johnny, Merle, Nicholas, Scott, Patricia, Tammy, Vinnette, Alex, Emma, Sophia

Please note that the vertical bars indicate the Mass at which the preceding group of persons are prayed for by name.

SICK AND SUFFERING – DAILY INTERCESSIONS: Robert Greene, SSC, priest, Iris, Michael Peers, bishop

TRAVELLING: The Nwajei family (Clara, Gloria, Peter Jr., Stella, and Dominic), Rhonda Lewis

DEVOTIONAL VIGNETTE

A MESSAGE FROM FATHER PASHLER (Rector of St Bartholomew's, 1925 - 1959)

We do not think of ourselves as a foreign, alien group on the edge of Anglicanism, but as believing, teaching, and doing those things which the Church herself intends. We do not believe that Roman Catholics are the only Catholics, but that Anglicans are Catholics too.

From that, all those things which puzzle some people – the beauty of our worship, our teaching about the seven sacraments, our love and reverence for our Lord's Mother and the Saints – all these stem from our conviction that when in the creeds we assert our belief in the Catholic Church, our prayer book means exactly what it says.

- Father Charles Frederick Pashler, Rector, 1925-1959

THROUGH THE WEEK

THE DOORS OF THE CHURCH ARE OPEN for prayer and meditation, Monday through Friday, from 11:30 am till 1:30 pm (except for statutory holidays).

Monday, 14 August	<i>Vigil</i>
Tuesday, 15 August	<i>The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>
	7:00 am Low Mass
	8:00 am Morning Prayer
	5:30 pm Evening Prayer
	<i>Please note: Rosary & Meditation Group cancelled, to resume next week. A group of St Bartholomew's parishioners will be attending Solemn Mass at Holy Family Roman Catholic Church at 6:00 pm. Please speak to Father Hannam if you would like to join us.</i>
Wednesday, 16 August	<i>In the Octave of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>
	8:00 am Morning Prayer
	5:30 pm Evening Prayer
	6:00 pm Low Mass
	7:00 pm Prayer Walk
Thursday, 17 August	<i>In the Octave of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>
	4:30 am Thursday Breakfast Outreach Ministry (till 7:30 am)
	7:00 am Low Mass
	8:00 am Morning Prayer
	5:30 pm Evening Prayer
Friday, 18 August	<i>In the Octave of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>
	8:00 am Morning Prayer
	11:00 am Bible Study
	12:30 pm Low Mass
	5:30 pm Evening Prayer
	6:00 pm Holy Hour
Saturday, 19 August	<i>In the Octave of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>
	10:30 am Rosary
	11:15 am Low Mass
	5:00 pm Gregorian Vespers and Benediction
Sunday, 20 August	<i>The Tenth Sunday after Trinity</i>
	10:30 am Parish Mass (<i>Intention: For the parish</i>)