



PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

For the week of Sunday 4 August 2024

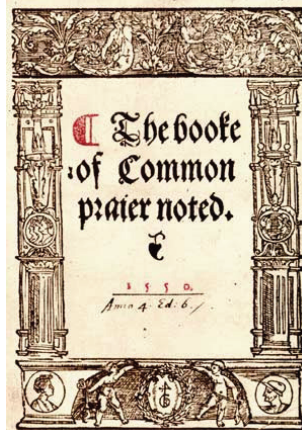
PLEASE TAKE THIS HOME

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

PLEASE JOIN US FOR COFFEE HOUR following the 11 o'clock service! We meet in the Parish Hall, down the front stairs and to the right.

SUMMER PASTORAL CARE: Until Tuesday, 20 August, please direct all pastoral emergencies requiring a priest to Father James Shire of St. Thomas's, Huron Street at 808-763-6203. All non-emergency pastoral or parish matters should be directed to the Rev'd Martha Riddell at 647-462-4096 or by email at marthariddell@hotmail.com; or Drew Badgley at 647-654-0443 or by email at drew_badgley@hotmail.com.

MUSIC NOTE: For the next three Sundays, we will be singing the very first Anglican mass setting ever composed, the *Missa Simplicior* (A *Simpler Mass*) by liturgical singer and theologian John Merbecke. The mass was published by him in 1550 in *The Book of Common Prayer Noted* ('noted' meaning 'with music'). Used throughout the Anglican world for the last five centuries, Merbecke's setting connects us to our Prayer Book heritage, as well as the chant mass tradition that preceded it.



SUNDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE: While Father Hannam is on vacation there will be only one mass on Sundays, a Sung Mass at 11 o'clock. Low Masses and Offices will resume when Fr Hannam returns.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Our Patronal Festival, S. Bartholomew's Day, will be celebrated with Procession & Sung Mass on Saturday, 24 August at 10:30 a.m.



'BACK TO CHURCH' & PARISH GATHERING

SUNDAY: Mark your calendars for Sunday, 15 September.

This year we will once again make a strong push to bring everyone in our parish back together early in the post-vacation season. To this end, we're encouraging everyone to return to church on this PARISH GATHERING SUNDAY as a sort-of 'new year's resolution' to make gathering with our parish family central to our lives. We'll also be marking on the same day BACK TO CHURCH SUNDAY, on which we encourage every congregant to prayerfully consider inviting one person with little or no contact with the Parish to join them at church. The single most common reason people give for why they don't go to church? *No one ever invited me!*

FROM THE STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE: Planning to get away this summer? S. Bart's ministry still needs your support. Pre-authorized donation (PAD) ensures that you can maintain a consistent commitment to the parish year-round and avoid having to "catch up" after your holiday. Of course if you need to pause your pre-authorized donation for any reason an email to Miles Nagamatsu, Parish Treasurer (stbartstontoronto@outlook.com), who will put it on hold until you let him know things are back on track, or that you need to adjust your details. If you would like to set up PAD, please email Miles for a fillable PDF form.

NOSTRA PHILOSOPHIA: The Christian Philosophy Reading Group is now on summer hiatus.

'COR AD COR LOQUITUR' The Contemplative Prayer Group is now on summer hiatus.

THE BREAKFAST PROGRAMME is open each Thursday. Doors open at 5:30 a.m. until 8:00 a.m., and hot food is served beginning at 6:00 a.m. *The breakfast program will be closed on 8 August, but will resume on 15 August!*

THE S. BART'S FOOD BANK is now closed for July and August. It will resume regular open hours in the fall. Other local options include:

- St. Ann's Food Bank (120 First Ave), Saturdays, 9 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
- Our Lady of Lourdes Food Bank (275 Bleecker St), Wednesdays and Thursdays, 10 a.m. - noon.
- Allan Gardens Food Bank at St. Luke's United Church (353 Sherbourne St), Thursdays and Fridays, 12:30 p.m. - 3 p.m.
- Yonge Street Mission Food Bank (270 Gerrard St E), Tuesdays to Fridays, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m., 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.; Call 416-929-9614x3200 for an appointment (available once every two weeks).

✠ INTERCESSIONS ✠

ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER:

- **TODAY: Sunday, 4 August:** *The Anglican Church of Kenya*
- **Monday, 5 August:** *The Diocese of Huron – The Anglican Church of Canada*
- **Tuesday, 6 August:** *The Diocese of Hyderabad – The Church of Pakistan (United)*
- **Wednesday, 7 August:** *The Diocese of Ibadan – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)*

- **Thursday, 8 August:** *The Diocese of Ibadan North – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)*
- **Friday, 9 August:** *The Diocese of Ibadan South – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)*
- **Saturday, 10 August:** *The Diocese of Ibba – Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan*

INDIGENOUS CHURCH: For +Chris, National Indigenous Archbishop: for the Anglican Indigenous Network (AIN) to meet in Australia in August and September; and +Adam, Bishop of Missinippi: for the youth of Northern Saskatchewan.

S. BARTHOLOMEW’S CHILDREN’S CENTRE: That final preparations of the Centre’s new space be completed in a timely manner.

DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER:

- **TODAY: Sunday, 4 August:** *Victoria & Haliburton Deanery*
- **Monday, 5 August:** *S. James, Kinmount*
- **Tuesday, 6 August:** *The Bishop’s Committee on Right Relations*
- **Wednesday, 7 August:** *S. John, Rosedale*
- **Thursday, 8 August:** *S. Luke, Burnt River*
- **Friday, 9 August:** *S. Paul, Beaverton*
- **Saturday, 10 August:** *S. Paul, Lindsay*

CONFIRMANDS: Jean Giroux, Kenny Risk, Robert Thompson, Esther, Junior, Dan, and Tobias

TRAVELLING: Calvin Quick, Bill Riddell, Matthew Lee, Katherine Hill, Drew Badgley

THE SICK AND THOSE IN NEED: WED: Alison, Angela, Anthony, George Barkhouse, Ronald Bentley, Florence Britain; | **FRI:** The Carlén Family, Kimberley Curtis, Demetra, Robert Hegele, Scott Hunter, Isabel; | **SAT:** Jenni, Jim Kotsifas, Catherine LaFond, Laura, Marlyn, Patrick, Patricia Ritacca, Todd

DAILY INTERCESSIONS: Alan, Andrea, Marjorie Austin, Rodney Badgley, Sr Barbara SLSM, Trevon Beckford, Ben, Judy Brake, Bruce, Carl, Ralph Carter, Sr Christine SLG, Christopher, David Conatser, Keastner Dawkins, Douglas, Grace, Debbie Hartley, Sydney Hegele, Lorna Heron, Jakob, James, John, Katherine, Pat Kennedy, Paul Kent, Audrey Kern, Larry, Margaret McQuillan, Michael, Nickson; Peter; Rebecca; Heekyung Song, John & Donna Starkey, Stephen, Stuart, Tegan, Katherine Walmsley, Mark Weymouth, Hiro Yoshida

✠ PARISH GIVINGS ✠

2024 Actual to 30 June: \$76,535

2024 Budget to 30 June: \$82,500

(2023 Actual to 30 June: \$62,609)

*To date for 2024, we have a shortfall of \$5,965.
Please keep in mind that the financial health of our parish
relies not only on generous giving, but on regular giving.*

✠ POETRY CORNER ✠

CLEANSING THE TEMPLE

by Malcolm Guite (1957-)

Come to your Temple here with liberation
And overturn these tables of exchange
Restore in me my lost imagination
Begin in me for good, the pure change.
Come as you came, an infant with your mother,
That innocence may cleanse and claim this ground
Come as you came, a boy who sought his father
With questions asked and certain answers found,
Come as you came this day, a man in anger
Unleash the lash that drives a pathway through
Face down for me the fear the shame the danger
Teach me again to whom my love is due.
Break down in me the barricades of death
And tear the veil in two with your last breath.

✠ DEVOTIONAL VIGNETTE ✠

THE Gospel (Luke 19:41-47) shows us Jesus weeping over Jerusalem. The Creator, the Lord, the Redeemer weeps over the ruin of His creatures, the people whom He has loved with predilection, even choosing them as the companions of His earthly life, and whom He had desired to save at any price.

“Jerusalem, Jerusalem... how often would I have gathered together thy children as the hen doth gather her chickens under her wings, and thou wouldst not!” (Matthew 23:37). This was the constant attitude of Jesus toward the holy city, but it always remained blind to every light, deaf to every invitation, and the Saviour, shortly before going to His Passion, broke forth into His last sorrowful admonition: *“If thou also hadst known and that in this thy day, the things that are to thy peace!”* But again the city resists, and Jesus, after having loved it so much, and after having wept over it as a mother weeps over her son who has gone astray, predicts its ruin: *“Thy enemies... shall not leave in thee a stone upon a stone, because thou hast not known the time of thy visitation.”*

Do you know how to recognize the moment in which Our Lord visits your soul? A word read or heard, perhaps even by chance, an edifying example, an interior inspiration, a new light which makes you see your faults more clearly and opens new horizons of virtue and of good — all are visits from Jesus. And you, how do you correspond? Is your soul sensitive to these lights, to these admonitions? Do you not sometimes turn your gaze away, fearing that the light you have glimpsed may ask you for sacrifices which are too painful for your self-love?

Oh! if you had always recognized the moment in which the Lord visited you! If you had always been open to His action! Try then to begin again today, resolve to commence anew each time that you happen to give in to nature. *“The things that are to your peace,”* your good, your sanctification, are precisely here, in this continual adherence to the impulses of grace.

- Adapted from Father Gabriel of S. Mary Magdalene, O.C.D.,
Divine Intimacy: Meditations on the Interior Life for every Day of the Liturgical Year

✠ THROUGH THE WEEK ✠

*Please check the website and subscribe to our enews list
to stay informed of scheduling changes.*

*Please note that the Food Bank is closed during the summer
and will reopen in the fall.*

Sunday, 4 August *THE TENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY*

11:00 a.m. Sung Mass

Monday, 5 August *S. Oswald, King & Martyr*

10:00 a.m. Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †

Tuesday, 6 August *THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST*

10:00 a.m. Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †

Wednesday, 7 August *THE HOLY NAME OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST*

10:00 a.m. Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †

Thursday, 8 August *S. Dominic, Confessor*

Please note, the Breakfast Programme is closed, this week only.

10:00 a.m. Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †

Friday, 9 August *The Vigil of S. Laurence*

10:00 a.m. Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †

Saturday, 10 August *S. LAURENCE, DEACON & MARTYR*

Sunday, 11 August *THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (com. S. Clare of Assisi, Virgin)*

11:00 a.m. Sung Mass

*† indicates Eucharistic celebrations of the Anglocatholic Church,
a worldwide church within the Old Catholic succession.*