



# PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

*For the week of Sunday 17 November 2024*

PLEASE TAKE THIS HOME

*The Flowers in the church today are given to the Glory of God,  
and in loving memory of Susan Johnson,  
and the Sanctuary Lamp burns for the repose of her soul.  
Rest eternal grant unto her, O Lord.*

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

**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.

**NOVEMBER DEAD LIST:** Those who have gone before us through death are never far from our thoughts and prayers, but we remember them in special ways during the month of November. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered throughout the weekdays of November and the coming year for all on the November Dead List. Envelopes and Holy Souls Sheets are available at the back of the church for the names of deceased family and friends for whom you wish Mass to be offered. Please place your envelope in the collection plate at Sunday Mass or give it to Father Hannam. Donations will be used to help promote the corporal works of mercy in the parish (especially helping those who call at the vicarage door looking for assistance).

**EUTHANASIA HEALING RETREAT:** Offered by the *Anna & Simeon Project* in association with St. John the Compassionate Mission. Registration begins at 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 20. For further information and to register email S. Mary's Refuge at [assist@stmarysrefuge.org](mailto:assist@stmarysrefuge.org).

**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 S. BART'S FOOD BANK** is open Mondays and Thursdays from 10 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.

**J.S. BACH ORGAN RECITAL SERIES:** Dr. Aaron James is presenting this recital series at Holy Family Church (1372 King St W near Dufferin). The next recital of the series will be offered on Saturday, November 23 at 7:30 p.m. Admission is free (donations accepted). *Details: [oratory-toronto.org/bach](http://oratory-toronto.org/bach).*

## ✠ PARISH GIVINGS ✠

2024 Actual to 31 October: \$127,322

2024 Budget to 31 October: \$137,500

(2023 Actual to 31 October: \$108,174)

*To date for 2024, we have a shortfall of \$10,178.*

*Please keep in mind that the financial health of our parish relies not only on generous giving, but on regular giving.*

# ✠ INTERCESSIONS ✠

## ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER:

- **TODAY: Sunday, 17 November:** *The Anglican Church of Southern Africa*
- **Monday, 18 November:** *Diocese of Kigali – Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda*
- **Tuesday, 19 November:** *Diocese of Kigeme – Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda*
- **Wednesday, 20 November:** *The Diocese of Kigezi – The Church of the Province of Uganda*
- **Thursday, 21 November:** *The Diocese of North Kigezi – The Church of the Province of Ugandan*
- **Friday, 22 November:** *The Diocese of Kilmore, Elphin and Ardagh – The Church of Ireland*
- **Saturday, 23 November:** *The Diocese of Kimberley and Kuruman – The Anglican Church of Southern Africa*

**INDIGENOUS CHURCH:** For +Chris, National Indigenous Archbishop: for our shared Indigenous ministries and leadership. Particularly, for retiring Indigenous Clergy and Bishops: for rest and rebuilding of life and relationships; for Reconciliation, that it be a shared verb and not just a noun; for open ears and hearts, and for the willingness to humble ourselves enough truly to hear the lament of the other voice before us, and to acknowledge that pain and brokenness can be deeper than ever delved or perceived; and +Adam, Bishop of Missinippi: for a fair and equitable financial remuneration for the Bishop of Missinippi and his clergy, and for financial resources to support the ministry of the Church in Northern Saskatchewan.

## DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER:

- **TODAY: Sunday, 17 November:** *York Central Deanery*
- **Monday, 18 November:** *S. Christopher*
- **Tuesday, 19 November:** *S. John the Baptist, Oak Ridges*

- **Wednesday, 20 November:** *Children's Ministry in the Diocese*
- **Thursday, 21 November:** *S. Mary, Richmond Hill*
- **Friday, 22 November:** *S. Philip on-the-Hill*
- **Saturday, 23 November:** *Evangelists, New Tecumseth*

**THE SICK AND THOSE IN NEED: WED:** Alison, Amanda, Andy, Angela, Antonio, George Barkhouse, Ronald Bentley, Beth; | **FRI:** The Carlén Family, Kimberley Curtis, Demetra, Robert Hegele, Scott Hunter, Isabel, James; | **SAT:** Jenni, Catherine LaFond, Laura, Marlyn, Patrick, Patricia Ritacca, Tina, Todd

**DAILY INTERCESSIONS:** Clifton Aaron, Alan, Andrea, Andrea, Marjorie Austin, Sr Barbara SLSM, Trevon Beckford, Ben, Judy Brake, Bruce, Carl, Ralph Carter, Sr Christine SLG, Christopher, David Conatser, David, Keastner Dawkins, Douglas, Grace, Debbie Hartley, Sydney Hegele, Lorna Heron, Lisa Hufana, Jakob, Janice Billett, John, Katherine, Pat Kennedy, Paul Kent, Audrey Kern, Samantha Lanz, Larry, Margaret McQuillan, Michael, Nickson; Peter; Rebecca; Heekyung Song, John & Donna Starkey, Stephen, Stuart, Tegan, Katherine Walmsley, Mark Weymouth, Jun Wu

**DEPARTED:** Florence Britain, Richard C. Alton (*priest*), Douglas Hardie Skoyles, SSC (*priest*)

**THOSE WHO MOURN:** George Barkhouse

## ✠ POETRY CORNER ✠

*“Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know, what, when He shall appear, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He Is.” (1 S. John 3:2-3)*

THERE are, who darkling and alone,  
Would wish the weary night were gone,  
Though dawning morn should only shew  
The secret of their unknown woe:  
Who pray for sharpest throbs of pain  
To ease them of doubt’s galling chain:  
“Only disperse the cloud,” they cry,  
“And if our fate be death, give light and let us die.”

Unwise I deem them, LORD, unmeet  
To profit by thy chastenings sweet,  
For thou wouldst have us linger still  
Upon the verge of good or ill,  
That on thy guiding hand unseen  
Our undivided hearts may lean,  
And this our frail and foundering bark  
Glide in the narrow wake of thy beloved ark...

What is the heaven we idly dream?  
The self-deceiver’s dreary theme,  
A cloudless sun that softly shines,  
Bright maidens and unfailing vines,  
The warrior’s pride, the hunter’s mirth,  
Poor fragments all of this low earth:  
Such as in sleep would hardly soothe  
A soul that once had tasted of immortal Truth.

What is the Heaven our GOD bestows?  
No Prophet yet, no Angel knows;  
Was never yet created eye  
Could see across Eternity;  
Not seraph's wing for ever soaring  
Can pass the flight of souls adoring,  
That nearer still and nearer grow  
To th' unapproached LORD, once made for them so low.

Unseen, unfelt their earthly growth,  
And self-accus'd of sin and sloth  
They live and die: their names decay,  
Their fragrance passes quite away;  
Like violets in the freezing blast  
No vernal steam around they cast,—  
But they shall flourish from the tomb,  
The breath of GOD shall wake them into od'rous bloom.

Then on th' incarnate SAVIOUR's breast,  
The fount of sweetness, they shall rest,  
Their spirits every hour imbu'd  
More deeply with his precious blood.  
But peace—still voice and closed eye  
Suit best with hearts beyond the sky,  
Hearts training in their low abode,  
Daily to lose themselves in hope to find their GOD.

- John Keble,

*The Christian Year, ("Second Sunday after Christmas")*

# ✠ THROUGH THE WEEK ✠

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

<b>Sunday, 17 November</b>	<i>THE TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY</i> (com. S. Hugh of Lincoln, Bishop & Confessor)	
	9:00 a.m. Low Mass	11:00 a.m. Sung Mass
<b>Monday, 18 November</b>	<i>S. Hilda of Whitby, Virgin</i>	
	10:00 a.m. Food Bank (until 11:30 a.m.)	
	11:00 a.m. Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †	
<b>Tuesday, 19 November</b>	<i>S. Elizabeth of Hungary</i>	
	11:00 a.m. Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †	
<b>Wednesday, 20 November</b>	<i>S. Edmund, King &amp; Martyr</i>	
	7:30 a.m. Low Mass	8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
	11:00 a.m. Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †	
<b>Thursday, 21 November</b>	<i>Feria</i>	
	6:00 a.m. Breakfast Ministry (Doors open at 5:30 a.m., till 8:00 a.m.)	
	7:30 a.m. Low Mass	8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
	10:00 a.m. Food Bank (until 11:30 a.m.)	
	11:00 a.m. Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †	
<b>Friday, 22 November</b>	<i>S. Cecilia, Virgin &amp; Martyr</i>	
	7:30 a.m. Low Mass	8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
	11:00 a.m. Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †	
	6:00 p.m. Holy Hour	
<b>Saturday, 23 November</b>	<i>S. Clement of Rome, Martyr</i>	
	11:00 a.m. Low Mass	
<b>Sunday, 24 November</b>	<i>THE SUNDAY NEXT BEFORE ADVENT</i> (com. S. John of the Cross, Confessor & Doctor of the Church)	
	9:00 a.m. Low Mass	11:00 a.m. Sung Mass

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



# ADVENT

AT S. BART'S

## **RORATE MASSES OF OUR LADY**

**7:30 a.m. on Saturdays in Advent (December 7, 14, 21)**

*Greet the dawn in contemplation by candlelight.*

*Featuring Gregorian chant & Medieval polyphony (Latin & Middle English).*

## **SUNDAYS IN ADVENT**

**December 1, 8, 15, 22**

*9:00 a.m. Low Mass | 11:00 a.m. Sung Mass*

*The Litany in Procession will be sung on Advent Sunday (December 1).*

## **FEAST OF S. NICHOLAS**

**Friday, 6 December at 6:30 p.m.**

*Featuring Gregorian chant & Medieval songs in honour of S. Nicholas.*

## **FEAST OF S. LUCY**

**Friday, 13 December at 6:30 p.m.**

*Featuring Phos Hilaron (Medieval French tune)*

*& the traditional Neapolitan/Swedish song Sancta Lucia.*