

# ✠ PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS ✠

SUNDAY, 11 MAY, 2025

PLEASE TAKE THIS HOME

**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.

**THE BREAKFAST PROGRAMME** continues to be open each Thursday with the doors opening at 5:30 a.m. until 8:00 a.m., and hot food being served beginning at 6:00 a.m.

**THE FOOD BANK:** Our doors are open Mondays and Thursdays from 10:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR:** Ascension Day will be celebrated at S. Bart's with Sung Mass on Thursday, 29 May at 6:30 p.m.



## The Annual May Festival of Our Lady

*Please Note: There will be no May Festival service during the Victoria Day weekend.*

**Saturday, 24 May, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.:** St. Matthias & St. Anne's (45 Bellwoods Ave.)

**Saturday, 31 May, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.:** St. Mary Magdalene's (477 Manning Ave.)

*All services will be followed by a light lunch (\$10 suggested donation).*

*Further details: [stbartstoronto.ca/may-festival-2025](http://stbartstoronto.ca/may-festival-2025)*

## ✦ SABBATICAL NOTE ✦

FATHER HANNAM is on sabbath leave, returning the week of 17 August, in time for the Patronal Festival on 24 August. Please join together in praying that this period will serve to refresh and inspire our Vicar. Fr David Brinton OGS is serving as priest-in-charge in Fr Hannam's absence. Pastoral and other parish matters may be directed to him at 416-553-1905 or davidbrinton97@gmail.com.

*Please note that from 12 May through 16 May Fr Brinton will be out of town attending the annual Retreat and Provincial Chapter of the Oratory of the Good Shepherd. In case of pastoral emergency during this time please contact Fr Christopher D'Angelo at 647 461-6703 or stdavids.standrews@gmail.com.*



# ✠ INTERCESSIONS ✠

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

## ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER:

- **TODAY: Sunday, 11 May:** *The Nippon Sei Ko Kai*
- **Monday, 12 May:** *The Diocese of Mishamikoweesh – The Anglican Church of Canada*
- **Tuesday, 13 May:** *The Missionary District – Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil*
- **Wednesday, 14 May:** *The Diocese of Mississippi – The Episcopal Church*
- **Thursday, 15 May:** *The Diocese of Missouri – The Episcopal Church*
- **Friday, 16 May:** *The Diocese of West Missouri – The Episcopal Church*
- **Saturday 17 May:** *The Diocese of Mityana – The Church of the Province of Uganda*

**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, 11 May:** *Theological Education / Vocations for Ministry*
- **Monday, 12 May:** *Wycliffe College*
- **Tuesday, 13 May:** *Trinity College*

- **Wednesday, 14 May:** *The Postulancy Committee*
- **Thursday, 15 May:** *Holy Wisdom*
- **Friday, 16 May:** *Nativity, Malvern*
- **Saturday, 17 May:** *New Hope Anglican Mission*

**THE SICK & 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, Trish

**DAILY INTERCESSIONS:** Clifton Aaron, Alan, Andrea, Andrea, Marjorie Austin, Trevon Beckford, Ben, Beverly Bodnar, Karen Bonell, Judy Brake, Bruce, Carl, Ralph Carter, Charlene, Sr Christine SLG, Christopher, David Conatser, Keastner Dawkins, Douglas, Dragan, Grace, Debbie Hartley, Sydney Hegele, Lorna Heron, Lisa Hufana, Jakob, Jane, John, Katherine, Kathy-Ann Fox, Paul Kent, Audrey Kern, Paul Ladouceur, Samantha Lanz, Larry, Margaret McQuillan, Mary, Michael, Norma Miller, Harold Nahabedian (*priest*), Nickson, Peter, Rebecca, Heekyung Song, Stephen, Stuart, Susan, Tegan, Katherine Walmsley, Mark Weymouth, John Whittall (*priest*), Jun Wu

**DEPARTED:** Joanne Almon

## ✠ PARISH GIVINGS UPDATE ✠

2025 Actual to 31 March: \$43,740  
 2025 Budget to 31 March: \$46,250  
 (2024 Actual to 31 March: \$39,838)

*To date for 2025, we have a shortfall of \$2,510.  
 Please keep in mind that the financial health of our parish  
 relies not only on generous giving, but on regular giving.  
 Warm thanks to all those who generously support our parish!*



## I AM THE GOOD SHEPHERD

*by Malcolm Guite (1957 - )*

When so much shepherding has gone so wrong,  
So many pastors hopelessly astray,  
The weak so often preyed on by the strong,  
So many bruised and broken on the way,  
The very name of shepherd seems besmeared,  
The fold and flock themselves are torn in half,  
The lambs we left to face all we have feared  
Are caught between the wasters and the wolf.

Good Shepherd now your flock has need of you,  
One finds the fold and ninety-nine are lost  
Out in the darkness and the icy dew,  
And no one knows how long this night will last.  
Restore us; call us back to you by name,  
And by your life laid down, redeem our shame.



## ✠ DEVOTIONAL VIGNETTE ✠



CAN YOU IMAGINE the sheer bewilderment and consternation of Easter Day, and those appearances of the risen Christ? No wonder Thomas doubted! Can you imagine the state of mind of the disciples during those fifty days from Easter to Pentecost? Charles Williams, the great British novelist and poet, wrote a play about this called “Terror of Light.” In it Peter says, “I do not see his meaning in all this waiting and watching,” and Thomas replies: “I do not see his meaning in anything at all, and the longer we wait the less I see his meaning. I am quite sure that our Lord was incredibly important, and I haven’t the least idea what we ought to do about it...” “Behold, the former things have passed away.”

Peter and Thomas express bewilderment and dismay, but the meaning was there in the words of Jesus: “A woman, when she is in travail, hath sorrow, because her hour is come: but as soon as she is delivered, she remembereth no more the anguish, for joy that a child is born into the world.” All this bewilderment,

all this perplexity, all this anguish, he tells us, is nothing but the birth-pangs of new life. It is not the dumb pain of mourning. It is the pain of struggle and transformation, the breaking of the preparatory state of our old nature, which involves our old attitudes and expectations. It is the birth-pangs of new life in the spirit, the new life of faith, which dares to believe what it has not yet seen. “Behold, I make all things new.” (Revelation 21.5)



The joy of Easter is the joy of faith, which sees beyond circumstances, beyond the natural and inevitable. This joy sees beyond the grave, and rejoices in hope and love and makes all things new. And that joy, “no man taketh from you.”

- The Rev'd Dr Robert D. Crouse,  
*Sermon for the Third Sunday after Easter*

ARTWORK NOTES:

“An Evening in Nazareth,” Herbert Gustave Schmalz (1856-1935);

“An Alpine Shepherd Giving Salt to His Sheep,” Rosa Bonheur (1822-1899);

“The Good Shepherd,” Lucas Cranach the Elder (1472-1553);

“The Disciples Peter and John Running to the Sepulchre on the Morning of the Resurrection” Eugène Burnand (1850-1921);

“Holy Saturday” Eugène Burnand (1850-1921).



# THROUGH THE WEEK



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

**Sunday, 11 May** *THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER  
(com. SS. Cyril & Methodius, Bishops & Confessors, & Octave of S. Joseph)*

**9:00 a.m.** Low Mass

**11:00 a.m.** Sung Mass

**Monday, 12 May** *In the Octave of S. Joseph*

**10:00 a.m.** Food Bank (till 11:30 a.m.)

**11:00 a.m.** Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †

**Tuesday, 13 May** *In the Octave of S. Joseph*

**11:00 a.m.** Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †

**Wednesday, 14 May** *The Octave Day of S. Joseph*

**11:00 a.m.** Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †

**Thursday, 15 May** *Feria*

**6:00 a.m.** Breakfast Ministry (Doors open at 5:30 a.m., till 8:00 a.m.)

**10:00 a.m.** Food Bank (till 11:30 a.m.)

**11:00 a.m.** Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †

**Friday, 16 May** *Feria*

**11:00 a.m.** Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †

**Saturday, 17 May** *Our Lady on Saturday*

**Sunday, 18 May** *THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER*

**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.*

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