

SUNDAY, 6 JULY, 2025 PLEASE TAKE THIS HOME

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



### SUNDAY SERVICES IN SUMMER \$



Please note that during the summer months of July and August S. Bart's will move to one weekly service — on Sundays. This will be a Sung Mass, and it will begin at 10:30 a.m. In addition, the weekday Masses and Morning Prayer will be on hiatus.

## MUSIC NOTE

Last Sunday marked the end of the choir season for the summer. Our singers will return for our Patronal Mass on the morning of Sunday, 24 August, and will officially start the new choral season on Sunday, 14 September (Back To Church Sunday). The choral programme has reached new heights this year, thanks to the talent and dedication of our choristers, who rehearse for three hours a week (over 120 hours since September), and sing many weekday liturgies in addition to Sundays. This season, the choir sang 57 liturgies, 17 mass settings, 62 motets, and provided harmony for over 140 hymns. My sincere thanks is due to each member of the choir, and to Fr David for such unfailing commitment in service of the liturgy of S. Bart's. - Katherine Hill

**THE FOOD BANK:** *Please note that the parish Food Bank is now closed for the* summer. It will reopen in September (exact date tba).

**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. *There will be no change to Breakfast Programme hours this summer. However, we will be closed on Thursday, 7 August.* 

**PEACE BOOT CAMP:** S. John the Compassionate Mission is a partner in ministry within our neighbourhood, and S. Bart's is pleased to assist in promoting their upcoming "Peace Boot Camp," which will take place from 20-23 July, 2025, and which is open to young men between the ages of 16 and 40 who have demonstrated experience of community life. For further details, including cost and itinerary, please visit: stbartstoronto.ca/peace-boot-camp.

**PATRONAL FESTIVAL 2025:** S. Bartholomew's Day falls on Sunday this year (24 August). Fr. Hannam will be back from sabbath leave to lead the parish in this year's celebration of our Patron — a single service beginning at 10:30 a.m. *Mark your calendar and watch for updates*.

## **№ PARISH GIVINGS UPDATE**

2025 Actual to 30 June: \$86,073 2025 Budget to 30 June: \$92,500 (2024 Actual to 30 June: \$76,534)

To date for 2025, we have a shortfall of \$6,427. Please keep in mind that the financial health of our parish relies not only on generous giving, but on regular giving.

# **™ 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, 6 July: The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)
- Monday, 7 July: The Diocese of Nebraska The Episcopal Church
- Tuesday, 8 July: The Diocese of Nelson The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia
- Wednesday, 9 July: The Diocese of Nevada The Episcopal Church
- **Thursday, 10 July:** *The Diocese of New Bussa The Church of Nigeria* (Anglican Communion)
- Friday, 11 July: The Diocese of New Guinea Islands The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea
- Saturday 12 July: The Diocese of New Hampshire The Episcopal Church

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, 6 July: Toronto East Deanery
- Monday, 7 July: Resurrection
- Tuesday, 8 July: S. Aidan, Toronto
- Wednesday, 9 July: S. Barnabas, Chester
- Thursday, 10 July: S. Bede
- Friday, 11 July: S. David, Donlands and S. Andrew, Japanese
- Saturday 12 July: S. John the Baptist, Norway

**TRAVELLING:** Winny and Willy; Andrew, Marlo & Henry, Bill Riddell & The Rev'd Martha Riddell; Calvin Quick

THE SICK & THOSE IN NEED: WED: Theresa Adderly, Alex, Alison, Amanda, Andy, Angela, Antonio, George Barkhouse, Ronald Bentley, Beth; | FRI: The Carlén Family, Kimberley Curtis, Demetra, Esther, Robert Hegele, Scott Hunter, Isabel, James; | SAT: Jenni, Jennifer, 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, Samantha Lanz, Larry, Lauren, Margaret McQuillan, Mary, Michael, Norma Miller, Nickson, Peter, Rebecca, Heekyung Song, Stephen, Stuart, Susan, Tegan, Hazel Thornhill, Katherine Walmsley, Mark Weymouth, John Whittall (priest), Jun Wu

**DEPARTED:** Mary Catherine Gallant Edward

THOSE WHO MOURN: Crispin Edward

# **▼ SABBATICAL NOTE**

FATHER HANNAM is currently away for a four-month sabbatical. He has now been pastoring S. Bart's for more than a decade, a period during which we've faced some unexpected challenges (covid!), but during which we've also been encouraged to see growth in both numbers and devotion. Please join together in praying that this period will serve to refresh and inspire our Vicar. Father Hannam will return in time to celebrate our Patronal Festival with us at the end of August.

During this time, we are grateful to be in the good hands of Father David Brinton OGS, who is known and loved by us already at S. Bart's. Pastoral emergencies and parish matters may be directed to Fr. Brinton (416-553-1905, davidbrinton97@gmail.com).



# **™ DEVOTIONAL VIGNETTE №**



TODAY'S LITURGY is a warm invitation to confidence in the merciful love of Jesus. Even from the beginning of the Mass, the Church has us pray thus: "Look toward me and have pity on me, O Lord, for I am desolate and unhappy. See my misery and my sadness, and pardon all my sins" (Introit). A little later we are exhorted: "Cast your care upon the Lord, and He will support you" (Gradual). But how can we justify all this confidence in God, since we are always poor sinners? The Gospel (Luke 15:1-10) explains the grounds for this justification by relating two

parables used by Jesus Himself to teach us that we can never have too much confidence in His infinite mercy: the story of the lost sheep and the account of the missing drachma. First He shows us the good shepherd who goes in search of the lost sheep; it is a picture of Jesus coming down from heaven to search for poor human beings lost in the dark caves of sin. In order to find them, rescue them, and bring them back to the sheepfold, He does not hesitate to undergo the greatest sufferings and even death... This is the story of the love of Jesus for all mankind and especially for every individual soul. The story has a beautiful symbolism in the tender figure of the good shepherd, to which Jesus likened Himself. We might say that the image of the good shepherd—which was so greatly loved in the early days of the Church—is the equivalent of that of the Sacred Heart; both are living, concrete expressions of the merciful love of Jesus, and they urge us to go to Him with complete confidence.

- 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**



## Summer Schedule Reminders



SUMMER SERVICE SCHEDULE: During the months of July and August there will be only one weekly service at S. Bart's which will take place on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. The usual weekday parish Masses and Morning Prayer will be on hiatus. The Rite of Trent Masses will continue to take place, but move to 10 a.m. during the summer heat. (Note: These are celebrations of the Anglocatholic Church, a worldwide church within the Old Catholic succession, noted below with the symbol †).

**FOOD BANK CLOSURE:** Please note that the Food Bank is now closed for the summer. Our September reopening date will be announced in due course.

**BREAKFAST PROGRAMME:** There will be no changes to the programme hours during the summer. However, we will be closed on Thursday, 7 August.

**KEEP UP-TO-DATE:** Please check the website and subscribe to our enews list to stay informed of scheduling changes.

Sunday, 6 July	THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (com. Octave Day of Apostles & S. Thomas More, Martyr)	
	10:30 a.m.	Sung Mass
Monday, 7 July	Feria	
	10:00 a.m.	Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †
Tuesday, 8 July	Feria	
	10:00 a.m.	Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †
Wednesday, 9 July	Feria	
	10:00 a.m.	Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †
Thursday, 10 July	Feria	
	6:00 a.m.	Breakfast Ministry (Doors open at 5:30 a.m., till 8:00 a.m.)
	10:00 a.m.	Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †

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Friday, 11 July	Feria		
	10:00 a.m. Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †		
Saturday, 12 July	Our Lady on Saturday		
Sunday, 13 July	THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY		
	10:30 a.m. Sung Mass		

### ARTWORK NOTES:

"Landscape and Sheep," M.C. Parsons (19th-20th c.); "The Lost Sheep," Alfred Usher Soord (1868–1915).

### ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, REGENT PARK