



PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

For the week of Sunday 13 September 2026

PLEASE TAKE THIS HOME

Father Hannam requests that all cases of sorrow or suffering be reported to him.

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

SEASON OF INVITATION: BACK TO CHURCH & PARISH GATHERING SUNDAY

Next Sunday is 20 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!* Invitations are available to pick up at the back of the Church today!



SCHEDULING NOTE: Weekday Masses and Morning Prayer have now resumed. Regular Sunday scheduling will resume on Back-to-Church Sunday, 20 September.

NARTHEX RENOVATION NOW UNDERWAY! Until further notice, please enter the church using the south entrance from the parking lot. *We regret the inconvenience this causes, but thank you for your cooperation. This upgrade will result in a big improvement to the 'first impression' people get of S. Bart's, and we hope the project will be complete in time for Back to Church Sunday.*

THE FOOD BANK: The Food Bank is open every Monday and Thursday from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. *The Food Bank reopens for the season tomorrow, Monday, 14 September.*

THE BREAKFAST PROGRAMME continues each Thursday. The doors open at 5:30 a.m. until 8:00 a.m., and hot food is served beginning at 6:00 a.m.

PRAYER LIST REVIEW: From now until next Sunday, 20 September, the intercessions list is available at the back of the church. Please place your initials next to any names you wish to see remain on the list.

✠ PARISH GIVINGS ✠

2026 Actual to 31 August: \$116,931

2026 Budget to 31 August: \$136,666

(2025 Actual to 31 August: \$109,704)

To date for 2026, we have a shortfall of \$19,375.

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, 13 September:** *The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia*
- **Monday, 14 September:** *The Diocese of Blackburn – The Church of England*
- **Tuesday, 15 September:** *The Diocese of Bo – The Church of the Province of West Africa*
- **Wednesday, 16 September:** *The Diocese of Boga – Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo*
- **Thursday, 17 September:** *The Diocese of Bolivia – The Anglican Church of South America*
- **Friday, 18 September:** *The Diocese of Bondo – The Anglican Church of Kenya*
- **Saturday 19 September:** *The Diocese of Bor – Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan*

INDIGENOUS CHURCH: For +Chris, National Indigenous Archbishop: For courage as the Anglican Church of Canada, the Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, and National Indigenous Ministries discern polity and process that will best support Indigenous self-determination and self-government within our national communion. For Adam, retired Bishop of Missinippi and Rick, Bishop of Saskatchewan as together they discern how best to support and grow the ministry of the Church in Northern Saskatchewan.

DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER:

- **TODAY: Sunday, 13 September:** *Lay Ministry and the Education for Ministry Program*
- **Monday, 14 September:** *Bishop Strachan School*

- **Tuesday, 15 September:** *Lakefield College School*
- **Wednesday, 16 September:** *Central Simcoe Regional Ministry*
- **Thursday, 17 September:** *All Saints, Collingwood*
- **Friday, 18 September:** *Founders, Benefactors and Missionaries of the ACC*
- **Saturday 19 September:** *Good Shepherd, Stayner*

THE SICK & THOSE IN NEED: **WED:** Clifton Aaron, Adrianno; Andrew & Susan; Peter & Margaret Bell, Ronald Bentley, Ranfurly Brown (*priest*), Catherine, Sr Christine SLG; | **THURS:** David Conaster, Kimberley Curtis, Demetra, Derek, Dragan, Elizabeth, George, Alexis Gray, Joanna, Joshua; | **FRI:** Maria K., Paul Kent, Audrey Kern, The Mackey family, Marlyn, Nigel; | **SAT:** Patrick, Randy, Reyon, The Smith family, Tegan, Hazel Thornhill, Trish, Wendy

DAILY INTERCESSIONS: Sharon Baig, George Barkhouse, Bob, Chantal Fowler Brown, Patricia Buckland, Catharine, Christopher (*priest*), Debbie, Dierdre, Donna, Anne Edward, Frank Edward, Gienia, Alex Glennie, Grace, Sr Helen SLG, Fr. Theo Ipema (*priest*), Ileana, Jamie, Janet, Todd Jeffrey, Kyla, Leotha, Lionel, Paul Macina, Mark, Mary, Charles Louis McClean (*priest*), Brian McGinnis, Kathleen Miller, Norma Miller, Margaret Moxey, David Mulholland (*priest*), Gordon Neish (*priest*), Marguerite Pigott, Bill Riddell, Pablo Seto, Shannon, Heather Simcoe, M. Elliott Siteman (*priest*), Vidhu

DEPARTED: Irene Pomanti

✠ POETRY CORNER ✠

THE MAMMON OF UNRIGHTEOUSNESS

by Malcolm Guite (1957-)

I cannot serve two masters but I can
Be friends with both. In this strange stewardship
You ask me to be generous and win
New friends, as though I had the ownership,
As though you'd bankroll all my leniency,
Encourage me to let your assets go,
And underwrite a generosity
That debtors in this world may never know.

My debts to you are more than I can pay
And now I say to you the very same:
'Quick, take my bill, and wash my debts away
And I will make you welcome in my home,
Then out of all this debt and desperation
You'll call me to a lasting habitation.'



THROUGH THE WEEK



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

Sunday, 13 September	<i>THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY</i> (com. S. Cyprian of Carthage, Bishop & Martyr)	
	10:30 a.m.	Sung Mass
Monday, 14 September	<i>The Exaltation of the Holy Cross</i>	
	10:00 a.m.	Food Bank (until 12:00 noon)
Tuesday, 15 September	<i>The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	
	10:30 a.m.	Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †
Wednesday, 16 September	<i>Ninian, Bishop & Confessor (com. Ember Wednesday)</i>	
	7:30 a.m.	Low Mass
	8:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer
	10:30 a.m.	Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †
Thursday, 17 September	<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 12:00 noon)
	10:30 a.m.	Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †
Friday, 18 September	<i>Ember Friday of September</i>	
	7:30 a.m.	Low Mass
	8:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer
	10:30 a.m.	Low Mass (Rite of Trent) †
Saturday, 19 September	<i>Theodore of Tarsus, Bishop & Confessor</i> (com. Ember Saturday, Vigil of S. Matthew the Apostle)	
	11:00 a.m.	Low Mass
Sunday, 20 September	<i>THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY</i>	
	9:00 a.m.	Low Mass
	11:00 a.m.	Sung Mass — Back to Church Sunday

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

Devotional Societies at S. Bart's



THE CONFRATERNITY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Founded in 1862 to honour the Presence of Our Lord in the Sacrament and to promote appropriate preparation and devotion to the Holy Eucharist, the Parish Cell of the Confraternity meets on the third Wednesday in October, December, February, April, and June for education and fellowship and to sing Vespers of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Benediction.

OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM: A proto-cell of Our Lady of Walsingham (a cell not yet granted official status by the Shrine at Walsingham) meets on the first Wednesday of September, November, January, March, and May for education and devotion.

GUILD OF ALL SOULS: The principal objective of the Guild is to promote the Church's teaching of intercessory prayer for the dying and for the repose of the souls of the departed. The S. Bartholomew's Branch of the Guild (under the patronage of Our Lady of Solitude and S. Dismas) meets on the third Wednesday of September, November (for the Annual Guild Requiem), January, March, and May for education and devotions (often Vespers of the Dead).

SOCIETY OF MARY: Founded as an Anglican society to love and honour Mary, the society is dedicated to the glory of God in 'honour of the Holy Incarnation under the invocation of Our Lady, Help of Christians'. The Toronto Ward meets at S. Bartholomew's on the first Wednesday of October, December, February, April, and June for fellowship, education, and recitation of the Holy Rosary and Benediction.

Please note: The above dates may change from time to time. On months during which a society does not hold a meeting, the members of that society make their corporate communion at the Sunday High Mass immediately preceding their normal Wednesday (i.e., either the second or fourth Sunday of the month).



*Be ye not therefore anxious about the morrow;
for the morrow shall take care for itself:
sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof.*

FROM THE GOSPEL FOR TRINITY 15

"Irises at Kitano, Kyoto," Walter Frederick Roofe Tyndale (1855-1943).

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