## QUESTIONS?

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## **SERVICE TIMES**

**Sunday** Services

8:00AM Said Eucharist 9:00AM Sung Eucharist 10:15AM Said Mattins 11:00AM Choral Eucharist

4:30 PM Choral Evensong

**Weekday** Services

Monday-Friday
7:30 AM Holy Eucharist
8:30 AM Morning Prayer
12:30 PM Holy Eucharist
5:15 PM Evening Prayer

#### **Saturdays & Public Holidays**

**12:30**PM Holy Eucharist

For more information on Services please visit at www.stjamescathedral.ca

## **HOURS**

The Cathedral is open
Weekdays & Sundays from 7:00AM-5:30PM
Saturdays from 9:00AM-5:00PM

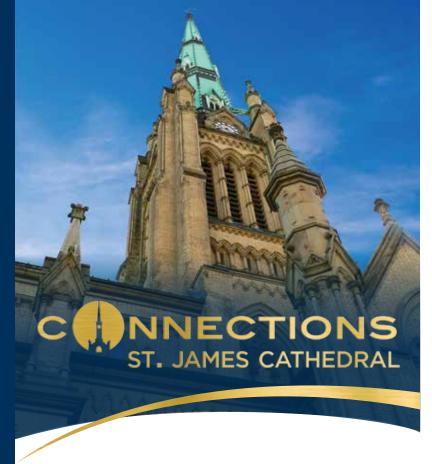
The Cathedral Centre is open **Weekdays (Monday-Friday)** from 9:00AM-5:00PM

The Nancy Mallett Archives & Museum is open by appointment, 416-364-7865, ext \*233 archives@stjamescathedral.ca



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#### THE FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2018

SERVICES IN THE CATHEDRAL TODAY

#### 8:00am Said Eucharist

Celebrant: The Dean Service begins on p. 67; No Gloria in Excelsis, Collects, p. 140, 138;Epistle and Gospel, p. 140

#### 9:00am The Great Litany & Sung Eucharist

Celebrant: The Reverend James Liu

Homilist: The Vicar

Motet: Out From The Deep - Tallis

#### 10:15am Said Mattins (Lady Chapel)

#### 11:00am The Great Litany in Procession & Choral Eucharist

Celebrant: The Dean Homilist: The Vicar

Setting: Missa Brevis – Walton Motet: Tantum Ergo – Laloux

#### 1:30pm Mandarin Service

Presider: The Reverend James Liu

#### 4:30pm Choral Evensong

Officiant: The Vicar

Homilist: The Reverend Dr Walter Hannam Introit: Prevent Us, O Lord – Dodsworth

Setting: Second Service – Byrd Anthem: Non In Pane Solo – Wilson

#### AT ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S, REGENT PARK (509 DUNDAS ST E)

#### 10:30am Sung Mass

Celebrant & Homilist: The Reverend Dr Walter Hannam

# WELCOME

# A **WARM WELCOME** TO VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS ATTENDING THIS WEEK'S SERVICES AND OTHER EVENTS

All baptized people are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Others may wish to come forward to receive a blessing.



**Sunday School** for 6-12 year olds is available during the 11:00am service September - June. Children meet Andrew Kuhl in the reserved pews near the entrance to the Cathedral after the Collect, and return to their families in time for the Eucharist.



**Nursery Care** for preschoolers is available from 8:45am – 12:30pm on Sundays, in the Library (Cathedral Centre).



**A Wheelchair Accessible Washroom** is located at the front of the Cathedral through the doors by the pulpit. In order to gain access, please speak with a sexton or sidesperson.



#### **Assisted Hearing Devices**

are available from the sidespersons and stewards.



#### New to the Cathedral?

Please fill out a welcome card, available in the pews.



## Learn more about the Cathedral!

Check us out online at **stjamescathedral.ca**.



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# CONTEMPLATIVE CORNER

THE FOLLOWING IS THE MESSAGE OF THE HOLY FATHER (POPE FRANCIS)
FOR LENT 2018 ON THE THEME:

"Because of the increase of iniquity, the love of many will grow cold"

#### A COLD HEART

In his description of hell, Dante Alighieri pictures the devil seated on a throne of ice, in frozen and loveless isolation. We might well ask ourselves how it happens that charity can turn cold within us. What are the signs that indicate that our love is beginning to cool?



More than anything else, what destroys charity is

greed for money, "the root of all evil" (1 Tim 6:10). The rejection of God and his peace soon follows; we prefer our own desolation rather than the comfort found in his word and the sacraments. All this leads to violence against anyone we think is a threat to our own "certainties"... the migrant, the alien among us, or our neighbour who does not live up to our expectations.

Creation itself becomes a silent witness to this cooling of charity. The earth is poisoned by refuse, discarded out of carelessness or for self-interest. The seas, themselves polluted, engulf the remains of countless shipwrecked victims of forced migration. The heavens, which in God's plan, were created to sing His praises, are rent by engines raining down implements of death.

Love can also grow cold in our own communities. In the Apostolic Exhortation *Evangelii Gaudium*, I sought to describe the most evident signs of this lack of love: selfishness and spiritual sloth, sterile pessimism, the temptation to self-absorption, constant warring among ourselves, and the worldly mentality that makes us concerned only for appearances, and thus lessens our missionary zeal.

#### WHAT ARE WE TO DO?

Perhaps we see, deep within ourselves and all about us, the signs I have just described. But the Church, our Mother and Teacher, along with the often bitter medicine of the truth, offers us in the Lenten season the soothing remedy of prayer, almsgiving and fasting.

By devoting more time to *prayer*, we enable our hearts to root out our secret lies and forms of self-deception, and then to find the consolation God offers. He is our Father and he wants us to live life well.

- Pope Francis

ABOVE: "CHRIST" BY MICHAEL O'BRIEN

# **TODAY**

**You are warmly invited to join us for coffee** in Snell Hall after the 9:00 and 11:00am services this morning.

**Sunday School** is offered at 11:00am for all children aged 6-12, including visitors, in the Library of the Cathedral Centre. Children and their families are invited to gather in the reserved pews near the entrance of the Cathedral with Children & Youth Coordinator Andrew Kuhl. During the Collect, Andrew will bring the group to the Library, returning to the service for the Eucharist. Speak to Andrew directly about registration or email him at **akuhl@stjamescathedral.ca**.

**Nursery Care** for preschoolers is available from 8:45am-12:30pm on Sundays in the Library of the Cathedral Centre.

The Annual Vestry Meeting takes place next Sunday February 25, and a pre-Vestry information meeting will held this Tuesday February, 20. Please see "Featured" panel for further details.

We congratulate The Rev'd James Liu, ordained priest by the Archbishop at the Cathedral last Sunday. James will preside over his first service today at 9:00am. Find him at the coffee hour after the service to offer him your congratulations.

**The St. James Book Club** will meet in the Board Room after the 11:00am service today to discuss Margaret Atwood's *The Handmaid's Tale*.

**The Twilight Recital** at 4:00pm today features organist Ian Sadler.

The Cathedral will be operating on a holiday schedule tomorrow, February 19 (Family Day). The Cathedral Centre offices will be closed, and there will be one service, Holy Eucharist, at 12:30pm.

**World Day of Prayer Ecumenical Service:** Friday, March 2 at 2:00pm at First Evangelical Lutheran Church at 116 Bond St. All are welcome. This year, the writing country is Suriname: "All of God's Creation is Very Good." More about World Day of Prayer at **wicc.org/world-day-of-prayer**.

**Food Drive** We would like to thank the community for its contributions of cash and non-perishable food to the St. James Cathedral 2017 Christmas food drive. Cash donations totaled \$3,525. This year your donations supported the food program at St. Bart's, Regent Park and allowed this program to continue to assist clients who find themselves in desperate need of their services.

**Forward Day by Day**, a quarterly publication with daily scriptural meditations, is a good aid to personal devotions. It costs \$1.50 and the Feb - April edition is available from Waithera at the Sunday coffee hours or at Reception during business hours, Monday - Friday.

# WAYS TO CONNECT

#### **WORSHIP**

"Since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give thanks, and worship God with reverence and awe." - Hebrews 12:28

#### **Liturgical Calendar:**

Monday, February 19: Lenten Feria; Tuesday, February 20: Lenten Feria; Wednesday, February 21: Lenten Feria; Thursday, February 22: Lenten Feria; Friday, February 23: Lenten Feria (Polycarp, Bishop of Smyrna, Martyr, 156); Saturday, February 24: Lenten Feria (Lindel Tsen, Bishop of Honan, 1954).

**Readings** for Sunday, February 25, The Second Sunday in Lent at 9:00am & 11:00am: Genesis 17: 1-7, 15-16; BAS Psalm: 22: 22-30; Romans 4: 13-25; Mark 8: 31-38.

#### **FAITH FORMATION**

"Like newborn infants, long for the pure, spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow into salvation." - 1 Peter 2:2

York Group Speaker Meeting for International Women's Day on Thursday, March 8 at 1:00pm in the York Group Lecture Room

Truth & Reconciliation: "Indigenous Spirituality & Art in the Public Square" with Chief Lady Bird (Nancy King) on Wednesday, March 21; 6:00pm Service in the Cathedral, 6:30pm Light Supper in the Cathedral Centre, 7:00pm Lecture in the Cathedral Centre.

**The Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John** group will be meeting on Thursday at 1:30pm in St. George's Chapel.

#### **OUTREACH**

"...Let people learn to devote themselves to good works in order to meet urgent needs..." - Titus 3:14

Tuesday Drop-In Every Tuesday in Snell Hall, 1:30-3:30pm

**Health & Foot Care Clinic** in the Cathedral Centre Tuesdays from 1:30-3:30pm during Drop-In and Fridays, 9:30-11:30am.

The Soup Group Call for Volunteers: Are you interested in soup making for those in need in our community, and working and socializing with like-minded parishioners? Beginning Saturday February 24 at 9:00am in Snell Hall, this Group which has long been a feature at the Cathedral will be resuming. If you want to try this out (no experience required), please email info@ stjamescathedral.ca. We'd be pleased to hear from you!

Amnesty International Action Circle will be holding their monthly letter-writing meeting on Saturday February 24 at 1:15pm in the Board Room. New members and interested persons are always welcome!

#### **MUSIC**

"Let all who take refuge in You rejoice; let them ever sing for joy."
- Psalm 5:11

Robert Busiakiewicz is always happy to hear from potential members of the Choirs of St. James Cathedral, and welcomes enquiries to his office via dom@stjamescathedral.ca.

**Music Note:** There are lots of opportunities to get involved with the Cathedral music department through the week - Join us Tuesdays at 1:00pm for our "Music at Midday" organ recital series, which is played by some of the finest local and international talents. If you enjoy singing, don't hesitate – contact director of music, Robert Busiakiewicz at dom@stjamescathedral.ca to give our Parish Choir rehearsals a try which take place every Thursday evening. No choral experience necessary, just a willingness to learn and participate with a friendly group of volunteers. If you want to listen to the Cathedral Choir from the comfort of your own home, simply visit **stjamescathedral.ca/music** to hear live recordings from recent services. Go online to view our upcoming music lists, or take a hard copy home with you from the back of the Cathedral. This week at Choral Evensong (4:30pm) the choir will be singing works by two living composers, Stephen Dodsworth and Gareth Wilson. Dodsworth's introit 'Prevent Us O Lord' is not about stopping us from doing something. Rather, it asks God to 'Go before' us in all that we do (from the Latin: *pre* (before) venio (to go). Wilson's jazz-influenced a cappella anthem sets a portion of Matthew's gospel where Jesus quotes a portion of the book of Deuteronomy, which is read as our first lesson: "One does not live by bread alone, but by every word which proceeds from the mouth of God."

**The Music at Midday Recital** on Tuesday, February 20 at 1:00pm features Aaron James, organist.

The Cathedral is seeking an Organ Scholar for 2018-2019. Applications are due Sunday, April 1. Visit stjamescathedral.ca/organ-scholar for further details.

## ST. BART'S, REGENT PARK

"The Ancient Faith for the Contemporary World"
509 Dundas St E, East of Parliament | www.stbartstoronto.ca
A ministry in collaboration with St. James Cathedral

St. Bart's will open a Saturday Drop-in during Lent to offer not only physical but also spiritual nourishment. Volunteers needed; email **stbartsanglican@gmail.com** to learn more.

#### **Lenten Catechesis begins February 21**

Contact Father Hannam to learn more about this five-week course: **stbartsanglican@gmail.com** 

**Volunteer to keep St. Bart's open** during the lunch hour on weekdays: contact Father Hannam if you are able to help.

**Detailed information** about worship and programming at St. Bart's can be found online at **stbartstoronto.ca** 

# **FEATURED**

# THE BREATH BETWEEN US

LENTEN

**OPENING** 

**ART DISPLAY** 

## THREE LENTEN LECTURES

The Spiritual Practices

Storytelling; 6:00pm

of Listening, Silence and

Service in the Cathedral,

6:30pm Light Supper in the

Cathedral Centre, 7:00pm

Lecture in the Cathedral

Centre

WED, FEB 21 AT 6:00PM FEBRUARY 28 - MARCH 14

Join us as we celebrate the talented artists of the Cathedral Community at the opening reception of the Art Display. The evening will begin with remarks, prayer, poetry, and music offerings from a Cathedral Choir quartet. Refreshments and live jazz music will follow as guests have ample times to mingle and view the incredible display of artwork.

The Rev'd Dr. Walter Hannam
• Mar 7: "Silence" with

Feb 28: "Listening" with

The Rev'd Louise Peters
• Mar 14: "Storytelling"

 Mar 14: "Storytelling with The Very Rev'd Andrew Asbil

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# **VESTRY 2018**

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**The Annual Meeting of Vestry** will be held Sunday, February 25 at 1:00pm. A light lunch will be provided. Please mark your calendars.

**2017 Financial Statements, Organization Reports, and the Vestry List** are available today at the entrance to the Cathedral (and online). Those eligible to vote at Vestry are adults who have been members of this congregation for a minimum of three months. Only members present at the meeting may vote.

A Pre-Vestry Meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 20 from 6:30-8:00pm in the Cathedral Centre. The meeting is an opportunity to learn more about the 2018 budget and 2017 financial audit statements.