ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL - CONNECTIONS - Sunday, March 12, 2023

*Coffee Hour: Please join us today after the 9:00am and 11:00am services in Snell Hall. *Children & Families: Sunday school meets every Sunday at both the 9:00am and 11:00am services. Email Karyne Whalen at <u>kwhalen@stjamescathedral.ca</u> for more information. *The Annual Meeting of Vestry will be held today, Sunday, March 12 at 1:00pm in Snell Hall. A light lunch will be provided.

VESTRY MEETING NOMINATIONS

The Nominations Committee presents the current list of names of nominees and appointments for Vestry.

Below you will find 2 slates of candidates, "APPOINTED" and "TO BE ELECTED".

The APPOINTED have been selected by the Dean to hold their offices for the 2023 year. The ELECTED are the names being nominated by the committee for your review and election. Further nominations for the "TO BE ELECTED" slate can come from the Vestry floor.



APPOINTED

Rector's Warden – Kate Uchendu (2nd term)

Deputy Rector's Warden – Don Solomon (2nd term)

Assistant Deputy Rector's Warden - Christian Kingsmill (1st term)

Cathedral Council (5 appointments): Graham Scott (2nd term); Sybil Wilkinson (3rd term); Angela David (1st term); Colleen Cardillo (1st term) and Carol Kysela (1st term).

TO BE ELECTED

People's Warden – David Gates (1st term)

Deputy People's Warden – Joan Peters (1st term)

Assistant Deputy People's Warden – Sandra Mowat (1st term)

Cathedral Council (5 to be elected): Denny Creighton (2nd term); Yosola Sholagbade-Adeoye (3rd term); Matt Jaeger (1st term); Sarah McKinnon (1st term) and Sarah Rodrigues (1st term).

Synod Representatives (5 to be elected): Ruth Davis (2nd term); Rob Haines (2nd term); Irene Bailey (2nd term); David Hedley (1st term) and Elizabeth Hartman (1st term).

Alternate Synod Representatives (2 to be elected): Peter Dawes and Marie Crosta.

Parochial Tribunal (2 to be elected): Angela Carroll (2nd term) and Ted Hawken (1st term).

To read the candidate bios, visit: https://stjamescathedral.ca/vestry-2023/

TODAY AT ST. JAMES

Evensong at 4:30pm

We are delighted to welcome The Trinity College Choir, The Reverend Canon Andrea Budgey, Humphrys Chaplain at Trinity College, and Organist Peter Bayer to today's Evensong service, sung jointly with The Evensong Choir of St. James Cathedral.

Baptism

Anyone interested in being baptized at this year's Easter Vigil on April 8 at 9:00pm is invited to contact the Vicar, Canon Stephen, at sfields@stjamescathedral.ca by today, March 12. Participation in three preparation meetings will be required.

STAY UP TO DATE

The World Day of Prayer 2023

This service was held on Friday, March 3 in downtown Toronto.

The country of focus and discussion this year was Taiwan.

St. James has been a part of this service for years. Thank you to the group of St. James Cathedral parishioners, who attended.

This service is organized by the Women's Interchurch Council of Canada (WICC).

PWRDF is accepting donations

The Primate's World Relief and Development Fund (PWRDF) is accepting donations in response to the earthquake in Turkey/Syria. For more information visit https://pwrdf.org/

St. Bartholomew's, Regent Park News

*Music for Lent at St. Bart's Regent Park: All the beautiful details are here: https://stbartstoronto.ca/music-for-lent-2023/

*Join us on Laetare Sunday for Gabriel Fauré's Messe Basse and Ave Verum, sung by a luminous women's quartet (March 19 at 11:00am).

*"The Sounds of Penitence": A Talk with Q&A by Robert Busiakiewicz at St. Bart's, Regent Park on Wednesday, March 29 at 7:00pm. Further details at: stbartstoronto.ca/thesounds-of-penitence.



THIS WEEK AT THE CATHEDRAL

Sunday, March 19: International Day for the Elimination of Racism service



The International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination is observed annually on March 21. It is the day the police in Sharpeville, South Africa, opened fire and killed 69 people at a peaceful demonstration against apartheid "pass laws" in 1960.

In 1979, the General Assembly adopted a programme of activities to be undertaken during the second half of the Decade for Action to Combat Racism and Racial Discrimination.

On that occasion, the General Assembly decided that a week of solidarity with the peoples struggling against racism and racial discrimination, beginning on 21 March, would be organized annually in all States.

On **Sunday, March 19 at 4:30pm**, St. James Cathedral presents a Service of Readings and Songs of Justice and Freedom Sung by The Choir of St. Cathedral to mark this day. All are welcome, please bring a friend.

Join us in person or watch the live stream on the Diocesan YouTube channel at <u>youtube.com/tordio135</u>

To learn more, read the full article on our website stjamescathedral.ca

Easter Memorial Flowers



A beautiful way to remember a loved one at Easter is through the memorial flowers that will be placed in the Cathedral for the season. Names can be emailed to Lisa at lscapillato@stjamescathedral.ca or called in to at 416-364-7865, ext. *229. We are asking for donations of \$40 (minimum) per name or per couple. Donations will be designated to the Cathedral Flower Fund and are tax-receiptable.

Please indicate whether you will be making your payment by credit card online, by cheque on the offering plate/by mail, or by e-transfer to <u>gifts@stjamescathedral.ca</u> **The deadline for submitting memorial names is Wednesday, March 22.**

SAVE THE DATE: COME WITH YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

HOLY WEEK & EASTER SERVICES AT THE CATHEDRAL



April 2: Palm Sunday - services at 8:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am and 4:30pm April 3-5: The Way of the Cross at 6:00pm April 4: Holy Tuesday - Chrism Mass at 10:30am April 6: Maundy Thursday service at 7:00pm April 7: Good Friday service at 12:00pm April 8: Holy Saturday – Easter Vigil at 9:00pm April 9: Easter Day - services at 8:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am and 4:30pm

Holy Week services and the 11:00am services on Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday will also be live-streamed on the Diocesan YouTube channel at <u>www.youtube.com/tordio135</u> You can also watch The Way of the Cross on the Cathedral YouTube channel after Palm Sunday. For more information, visit our website at <u>stjamescathedral.ca/easter2023</u>

St. James Cathedral Gala Coronation Concert tickets are now available!



The Choir of St. James Cathedral presents a gala concert with orchestra of the Coronation Anthems by G. F. Handel on Saturday, May 6, 2023 at 7:30pm.

We celebrate both the coronation of King Charles III and the unveiling of the magnificent new organ console.

Invite your family and friends. Do not miss this opportunity and get your tickets now! Each ticket is \$25 (not tax-receiptable).

For ticket information, visit our website stjamescathedral.ca

Become a Patron: We are asking for your kind support of this concert by considering becoming a patron. For a donation of \$200, patrons will receive acknowledgement in the programme, two tickets, and our deepest gratitude for allowing us to share this magnificent music with the community. A charitable tax receipt will be issued in the amount of \$150 (net of value of tickets) at the beginning of the new year.

Visit our website for more information.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE AT THE CATHEDRAL: YOU ARE INVITED

Morning Prayer – online only at 8:30am

Monday to Saturday via the Cathedral YouTube channel Holy Eucharist at 12:15pm Monday to Friday in the Cathedral - St. George's Chapel.

Night Prayer: Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 8:30pm during Lent via the Cathedral YouTube channel.

Interim Associate Priest away: Canon Beth Benson is away until March 21. For pastoral needs in Canon Beth's absence please contact the Vicar at <u>sfields@stjamescathedral.ca</u>

VISIT US:

The Cathedral is open Monday-Friday from 10:00am–3:00pm. The Cathedral Centre offices are open Monday-Friday from 9:00am–4:00pm.

TUESDAY: Organ recital on March 14 at 1:00pm.

Organist: Thomas Bell. Admission is free and donations are encouraged.

WEDNESDAY: Scripture Circle continues on Wednesday at 11:00am in the Cathedral Centre. We are participating in the Cathedral's *Become the Story we Tell* initiative, reflecting on the upcoming Sunday Gospel reading. *Becoming the Story We Tell* small groups meet throughout the week. If you are still interested in joining, email <u>bst@stjamescathedral.ca</u>

FRIDAY: Drop-In from 1:30pm to 3:30pm.

Our Cathedral opens its doors for guests to come in for a meal in Snell Hall.

SUNDAY: Coffee Hour: After the 9:00am & 11:00am services in Snell Hall.

SUNDAY SERVICES – Sunday, March 19

8:00am: Said Eucharist
9:00am: Sung Eucharist
11:00am: Choral Eucharist

(also live-streamed on the Diocesan
YouTube channel at <u>youtube.com/tordio135</u>).

4:30pm: Special service to mark The International

Day for the Elimination of Racism.

Readings for next Sunday, March 19: The Fourth Sunday in Lent 1 Samuel 16: 1-13 Psalm 23 Ephesians 5: 8-14 John 9: 1-41

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