

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL-CONNECTIONS - Sunday, October 27, 2024

Sunday Children's Program: Join us today at both the 9:00am and the 11:00am services.

Coffee Hour: Join us today after the 9:00am and the 11:00am services.

Reminder: *The Cathedral is a public space. Make sure you have all valuables in sight at all times.*

4:30pm: Evensong in October: Homily Series "To Hope And Act With Creation".

Daylight Saving Time ends: We go back 1hr on Sunday, Nov. 3 at 2:00am. Join us on time!

Thursday, October 31 at 8:30pm: Young Adults - Halloween movie night



Join St. James Cathedral Young Adults Group for a Halloween Movie Night in the Cathedral. Bring your best costumes, candy to share, and a friend and enjoy a classic Halloween movie with us! Please scan the QR code to register as soon as possible.



Saturday, November 2: Commemoration for our departed loved ones



10:15am: St. James-the-Less Chapel (St. James Cemetery).

12:15pm: St. James Cathedral.

Names of departed loved ones will be read aloud at the service. **To include a name,** email Serena Li at sli@stjamescathedral.ca **by Monday, October 28** or print it in the All Souls Binder in the Narthex **today, November 27.**

Sunday, November 3 at 11:00am: Holy Baptism

Please pray for candidates Vivien Zhao, Delaram Babadi, Andrea Wu, Tenzin Wangchok, Lucy Thai, Marjan Toudehkheil, Hannah Teshome, and James Danner.

Young Adult Group - Fall meetings



The Young Adult Group will be watching & discussing the Netflix Series *Midnight Mass*. **Meetings in-person:** Sunday, Nov 17 at the 11:00am coffee hour. **Meetings online:** On Wednesdays, Nov 6 & 27 at 7:00pm. To **RSVP for Wednesday meetings** and to be added to the email/WhatsApp, email: mwaterman@stjamescathedral.ca

Friday, November 8: Free Concerts at St. James – Donations Welcome!



1:00pm: Choir Concert from Conservatorio de Música Celaya, Mexico. All are welcome!

7:30pm: HMCS York Band and 7th Toronto RCA Band present: Indigenous Veterans Day & RCAF Centennial Concert. Tax-deductible donations to the St. James Drop-In program.

Saturday, November 9 at 9:30am: Wycliffe College's Women's Breakfast

This year the York Group will not be livestreaming this event. For those interested in joining in-person/online at Wycliffe College, please visit: wycliffecollege.ca/womensbreakfast

November 10 & 11: Remembrance Services - Lest we forget (Updated)



Sunday, November 10 at St. James Cathedral:

10:30am: We will gather at the Memorial Cross for the observance.

11:00am: The Royal Regiment of Canada members will join the Cathedral community for their Remembrance Day Service and Parade.

Monday, November 11 at 11:00am: St. James Cemetery

Sunday, November 10 at 4:30pm:

Celebrating Barbados 58th Anniversary of Independence



Join us as we celebrate Barbados' Independence. This interfaith service will be live-streamed on the Cathedral YouTube channel. A reception will follow.

Saturday, November 23: Annual Family Advent Fair in the Lecture Room



Come join us from 10:30am to 12:30pm for our free Annual Family Advent Fair! We will gather to welcome the Season of Advent with enjoyable activities. **To register or volunteer**, please contact Karyne Whalen, Children's Minister at kwhalen@stjamescathedral.ca or (416) 364-7865.

Wednesday, November 27 at 12:15pm: Holy Eucharist with the York Group

Please join us for Holy Eucharist in St. George's Chapel followed by a bring-your-own lunch & time of fellowship in the Lecture Room. All are welcome. We would love to see you there!

Drop-In Winter Donations



Any gently used fall or winter clothing that you no longer need would be greatly appreciated: Men's winter boots, coats, sweaters, or gloves are all needed items. Also, men's jeans in waist sizes 30 to 36, large sweatpants, and men's underwear (X and XL). For more information, please contact Kathy Biasi at kbiasi@stjamescathedral.ca or 416-364-7865 Ext. 222.

****Possible Scam Alert****



Please be aware that some parishioners have reported receiving fraudulent emails and text messages from someone impersonating Cathedral clergy or staff. The Cathedral will never ask for gift cards or money transfers to be sent to individual staff. If you receive an email, please first check if it comes from a St. James Cathedral email address (for example, info@stjamescathedral.ca). If the email still appears suspicious, notify us immediately before taking any further action. Thank you.

Building our Future at St. James Cathedral – Message from the Dean



I am so grateful to all those who contributed to our recent stewardship campaign which so far has raised \$375,704 in gifts and pledges. You have made possible the work to launch our Children's Community Choir, a new Canon Missioner recruitment, and necessary repairs to our organ among other things. It feels good to have played a part in seeing our beloved Cathedral move forward, doesn't it? I want everyone to have that feeling. But so far, just 78 people returned response cards, meaning that most of us did not. If you haven't responded yet, I would love to ask you to. If you can make a weekly or monthly gift, whatever the amount, you are saying "I'm in! I'm part of the team working to make this happen." Pick up a Stewardship pack at the back of the Cathedral. Think. Pray. And return the form. St. James Cathedral needs you. Will you join me in playing your part?
Dean Stephen Hance

Saturday, December 14 at 7:30pm: Messiah Concert 2024

Early bird tickets & Patron packages are available. Get yours today!



The Choirs of St. James Cathedral and Trinity College U of T, with the Orchestra of St. James perform Messiah by G. F. Handel.

Tickets: Early Bird: \$35 (Until November 15)

Add-on: \$25 Wine & Cheese reception.

Patron package: \$250 (2 tickets, reserved seating, Patron names in the program, Wine & Cheese reception included). A charitable tax receipt of \$120 will be issued at the beginning of the new year.

Get your tickets in one of these ways:

*Eventbrite.ca, E-transfer, Front Desk.

Info: stjamescathedral.ca/messiahconcert2024/

Flags at St. James Cathedral – Last call



We want St. James Cathedral to celebrate all the cultures that make up our wonderful city. This is why you notice 30 national flags on long-term display. Each flag relates to the country of origin of at least one of our parishioners. If you don't see your national flag (as recognized by the UN) please send an email to Serena Li at sli@stjamescathedral.ca and we will add them to the second phase. Thank you.

THIS WEEK AT ST. JAMES: YOU ARE INVITED

Morning Prayer – online only at 8:30am

Holy Eucharist at 12:15pm

Monday to Saturday via the Cathedral YouTube channel Monday to Saturday in St. George's Chapel.

Matthew will be away this morning preaching at St. Paul the Apostle Rexdale.
The Dean will be away from October 28 – November 3.

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

Tuesday: Organ Recital on October 29 at 1:00pm with Organist: Christopher Dawes.

Wednesday: Scripture Circle gathers at 11:00am in the Cathedral Centre. All are welcome.

Friday: Drop-In from 1:30pm to 3:30pm. We welcome our guests for a nutritious meal.

Sunday: Sunday School at the 9:00am & the 11:00am services.

Coffee Hour: After the 9:00am & the 11:00am services.

St. James Cemetery: Plots, products & services are available.

Monthly Eucharist: Wednesday, November 6 at 11:00am.

Remembrance Services: Monday, November 11 at 11:00am.

Sunday Services – November 3, 2024

8:00am: Said Eucharist

9:00am: Sung Eucharist *(also on the Cathedral YouTube channel at youtube.com/stjamescathedraltoronto)*

11:00am: Choral Eucharist *(also on the Cathedral YouTube channel at youtube.com/stjamescathedraltoronto)*

4:30pm: Choral Evensong *(also on the Cathedral YouTube channel at youtube.com/stjamescathedraltoronto)*

Readings for

All Saints' Sunday:

Is 25:6-9

Ps 24

Rev 21:1-6a

Jn 11:32-44

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