

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL - CONNECTIONS - Sunday, May 12, 2024

Children & Families: Sunday school meets every Sunday at 9:00am & 11:00am.



Today we express our gratitude for our mothers:
For their guidance, support, and love.
Blessings to you on this day!

Matthew Waterman was ordained a Deacon in the church



Last Sunday at 4:30pm, Matthew Waterman was ordained a Deacon in the church.

On Monday, May 6, we welcomed The Reverend Matthew Waterman to the Cathedral team in his capacity as Assistant Curate.

Deacon Matthew, congratulations on your ordination, welcome to the team, and we pray for God's continued blessings on your ministry!

Coffee Hour: Join us after the 9:00am and 11:00am services as we congratulate Deacon Matthew!

Today at 4:30pm: Ecumenical Evensong Service

This year, the Ecumenical community in the Greater Toronto Area is celebrating the 60th anniversary of the Vatican's "Decree on Ecumenism", the document that paved the way for the new ecumenical conversations and cooperation we have enjoyed since that time. St. James Cathedral accepted the invitation to host one of the ecumenical monthly services on behalf of the Anglican Church in Toronto. We are pleased to host that service today. All are welcome! The preacher will be Bishop Kevin Robertson.

Monday, May 13 at 7:30pm: Anti-Bias and Anti-Racism Committee



Plans are being made to reconstitute the Anti-Bias and Anti-Racism Committee that was formed following the adoption of the Vestry Motion of 2021. There will be a meeting on Zoom.

If you want to participate and receive the Zoom link, please email the Vicar by today at sfields@stjamescathedral.ca

COMING SOON

Next Sunday, May 19: Doors Open – Information Session for volunteers
May 25 & 26: Doors Open at St. James Cathedral & Cemetery, join us!



On Saturday, May 25, and Sunday, May 26, invite your family and friends to join us for Doors Open 2024! Thousands of visitors will visit us over the Doors Open weekend to learn more about us, our community, and the history of St. James Cathedral and St. James Cemetery. We will offer self-guided and guided tours (Cathedral & Cemetery); demonstrations of the new organ at the Cathedral and tours up the Bell Tower.

Are you interested in volunteering for Doors Open 2024?

Training session: Next Sunday, May 19 after the 9:00am & the 11:00am services in the East Aisle of the Cathedral.

St. James Cathedral: In need of volunteers to help out on Sunday afternoon.

Contact: (416)364-7865 – info@stjamescathedral.ca

St. James Cemetery: In need of volunteers to help out on both days.

Contact: (416)964-9194 – cemetery@stjamescathedral.ca

OTHER EVENTS

St. Bartholomew's, Regent Park news

Corpus Christi: Join St. Bart's, Regent Park for Procession & Solemn Mass on Thursday, May 30 at 6:15pm. Music will include works by J.S. Bach, William Byrd, and Claudio Casciolini.

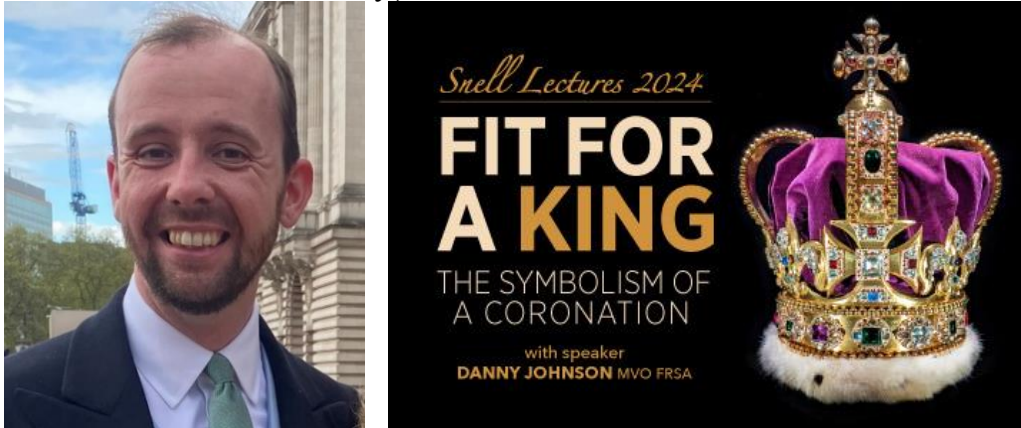
Outreach at St. Bart's, Regent Park:

Serving the disadvantaged for 150 years, St. Bart's welcomes volunteers and donations. Our thanks to S. James Cathedral for your partnership in ministry! Learn more: stbartstoronto.ca/outreach



SAVE THE DATES

Sunday, June 2: Snell Lecture



We are delighted to announce that we are bringing back the Snell Lectures! Save the date and join us for Evensong at 4:30pm **on Sunday, June 2** followed by the Snell Lecture at 6:00pm when we welcome **Danny Johnson MVO FRSA** (*Officer of The Royal Victoria Order, Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts*) as our speaker. Danny was appointed *Coronation Planning Director* in October 2022, working closely with the Archbishop of Canterbury, The Royal Household, Westminster Abbey, and a host of others on every detail of the Coronation Service. In his talk, ‘**Fit for a King: The Symbolism of a Coronation**’, Danny discusses his journey exploring the iconography of past Coronation Services, their symbolism, and what their visual language lends to the storytelling and understanding of a Coronation, as well as the monarchy today.

Sunday, June 9: Meeting to Discuss the Social Justice Advocacy Motion for 2024

At the annual Vestry Meeting on March 10, the Diocesan Social Justice Vestry Motion “*Protecting and Advancing the Right to Housing*” was passed. Richard Harrop introduced the motion and would like to invite all those interested to a meeting on **Sunday, June 9 after the 9:00am and 11:00am services** in the Boardroom in order to brainstorm and investigate ideas on how we can move forward with some real and tangible action to support our passage of this motion. Please come with your ideas. We will try to keep the meeting short and plan for additional meetings.

Scan the QR codes or follow the links to access the documents in preparing for the meeting:

The Motion:



<https://stjamescathedral.ca/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/Social-Justice-Vestry-Motion-2024-Final.pdf>

The Outreach Guide from the Diocese:



<https://www.toronto.anglican.ca/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/Updated-Parish-Outreach-Guide-2021-1.pdf>

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.

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 May 14 at 1:00pm. Jonghee Yoon (Rochester, USA)

Wednesday: The Scripture Circle gathers in the Cathedral Centre at 11:00am.

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

We welcome our guests for a nutritious meal in Snell Hall. **This week**, we bid a fond farewell to our beloved Pastoral Associate, **The Reverend Canon David Bryan Hoopes OHC**. Fr. Hoopes has so faithfully served our community, especially with his dedication to our weekly Drop-In. He will be missed! We wish him the very best as he moves back to the Mother House of The Order of the Holy Cross (OHC) in West Park, NY.

Sunday: At 9:00am & 11:00am services, **invite the little ones** to our **Sunday Children's Program**. **Info:** Karyne Whalen at kwhalen@stjamescathedral.ca

Coffee Hour after 9:00am & 11:00am services.

St. James Cemetery: Plots, services, and products available.

416-964-9194 - www.stjamescemetery.ca - 635 Parliament Street, Toronto.

Sunday Services – May 19, 2024

8:00am: Said Eucharist

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

11:00am: Choral Eucharist (*live-streamed on the Diocesan channel youtube.com/@anglicandioto and on the Cathedral channel*).

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

Readings for the Day of

Pentecost:

Ezek 37:1-14

Ps 104:25-35, 37b

Acts 2:1-21

John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15

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