

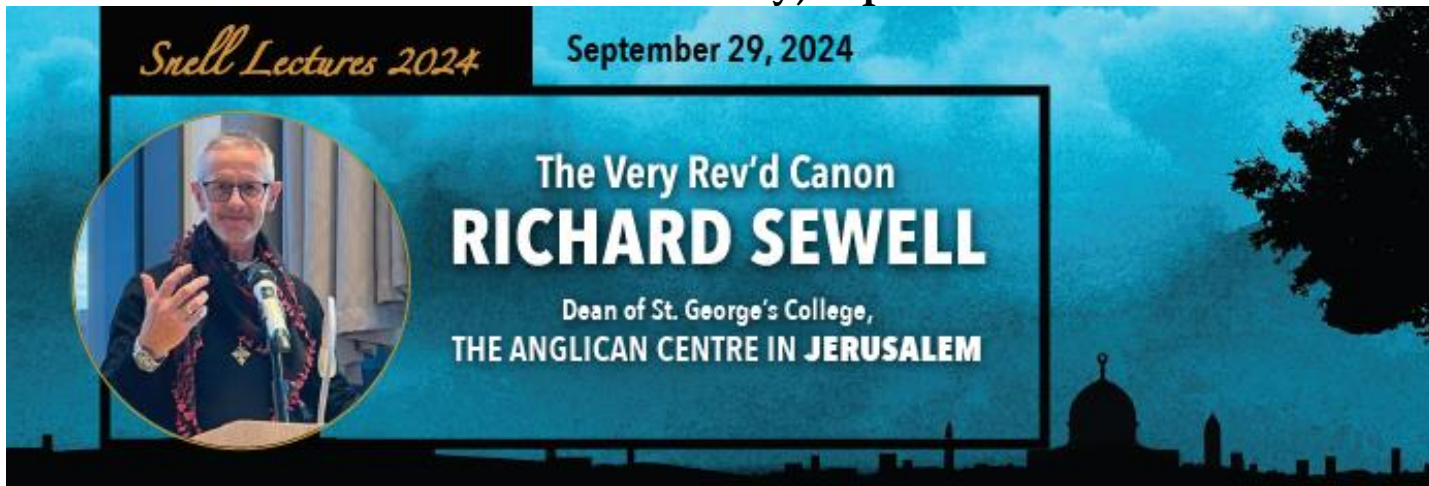
## ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL-CONNECTIONS - Sunday, September 22, 2024

**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.*

**Save the date: Snell Lectures on Sunday, September 29. Free admission.**



We welcome The Very Rev'd Canon Richard Sewell, Dean of St. George's College at the Anglican Centre in Jerusalem. He will be with us all day, with the following schedule:

**Preaching:** 9:00am, 11:00am, and 4:30pm services.

**Q&A:** During both coffee hours (after the 9:00am and 11:00am services).

**Snell Lecture:** 6:00pm in the Cathedral after Evensong.

**Admission is free, register here:** [stjamescathedral.ca/sunday-september-29-snell-lecture](https://stjamescathedral.ca/sunday-september-29-snell-lecture)

**Questions?** Call (416)364-7865 or send an email to [info@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:info@stjamescathedral.ca)

Please plan to attend and spread the word. You won't want to miss this!

**The Very Rev'd Canon Richard Sewell** is British and prior to serving in Jerusalem, he was a priest in the Diocese of Southwark in the UK. His last post there was as Team Rector of Barnes Team Ministry which comprises three churches in South West London.

As Dean of St George's College, Richard runs the Anglican centre for pilgrimage in the Holy Land. The College runs 24 pilgrimages per year which visit the holy places but also gives all pilgrims the chance to meet the people of the Land and to gain clear insights into historical and current political realities.

### **Today after the 11:00am service: Baptism preparation session**

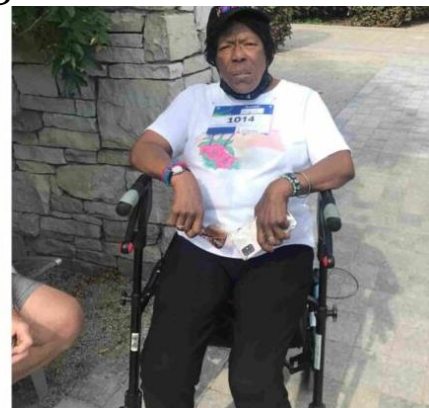


The next date for the Celebration of Baptism is All Saints' **Sunday on November 3 at the 11:00am service.**

The first in-person preparation session is today **after the 11:00am service in the Library.**

For more information, please contact Deacon Matthew Waterman at [mwaterman@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:mwaterman@stjamescathedral.ca)

## This Saturday, September 28 at 10:00am: Refugee Walk-a-thon 2024 Help Marjorie raise funds for Refugees!



Marjorie Rudder likes to walk to raise funds to support the work of the refugee committee. Help Marjorie reach our goal of raising \$35,000 to support the settlement of an individual or a young couple without children. Help us to meet the goal with your donation. We cannot continue this important form of community outreach without your help. Information: [stjamescathedral.ca/refugee-walkathon-2024/](http://stjamescathedral.ca/refugee-walkathon-2024/)

## Tuesday, October 1 at 1:00pm on Zoom: Season of Spiritual Renewal



Earlier this year Bishop Andrew called communities across the Diocese into a 2-year *Season of Spiritual Renewal*. A variety of workshops are being offered over the next several weeks - one of them is October 1 at 1:00pm on Zoom: *Healing in the Landscape of Prayer: What is Anointing?* At the Cathedral prayers for healing and anointing are offered during the Eucharist at 11:00am and occasionally at 9:00am. An outward sign of the inward healing presence of the Holy Spirit, anointing is also a sign of forgiveness and reconciliation.

To learn more and register for the workshop, visit: [www.toronto.anglican.ca/diocesan-life/season-of-spiritual-renewal/season-of-spiritual-renewal-workshops/](http://www.toronto.anglican.ca/diocesan-life/season-of-spiritual-renewal/season-of-spiritual-renewal-workshops/)

Questions? Contact the Rev'd Matthew Waterman at [mwaterman@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:mwaterman@stjamescathedral.ca)

## Saturday, October 5 at 10:30am: Blessing of the Animals



Join us on the Cathedral's West Lawn as we celebrate the feast day of St. Francis of Assisi by taking part in a special service for pets and their friends and family.

### Demonstrations following the service:

Canadian Guide Dogs for The Blind; Pet Valu; The Police Mounted Unit and Keynote speaker: Dr. Nigel Skinner - CEO of Shoreview Veterinary Hospital.

All are welcome!

## Friday, October 11: Donate for St. James Drop-In on Thanksgiving Day



Every year St. James Drop-In provides special meals for our guests. Thanksgiving is one of those meals that we celebrate with the Drop-In community. Second Harvest has assisted by providing support and free ham and turkey, but they ended that practice 2 years ago. This year, the Drop-In will have its community meal on **Friday, October 11**. We will be buying the hams or turkeys that will be enjoyed for Thanksgiving. If you can offer support in this effort, it will be appreciated by our guests. Please contact Kathy Biasi our Outreach Manager at [kbiais@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:kbiais@stjamescathedral.ca) or 416-364-7865, Ext. 222 and leave a message.

## Saturday, October 19: Catechesis for Confirmation (6-month course)

Every year during Eastertide, the Sacrament of Confirmation is administered in the Cathedral. Beginning on October 19, the Cathedral will be offering a 6-month course of preparation. The course will be online, with a monthly in-person session at the Cathedral, and will be facilitated by the cathedral clergy and postulant for ordination.

All parishes/persons are welcome. Enjoy this opportunity to share with other Anglicans! If you are interested, please get in touch with The Rev'd Matthew Waterman, Assistant Curate at [mwaterman@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:mwaterman@stjamescathedral.ca). Share it with your family and friends!

## Flags at St. James Cathedral



We want St. James Cathedral to celebrate all the cultures that make up our wonderful city. That's why you will notice 30 or so national flags now on long-term display. Each flag relates to the country of origin of at least one of our parishioners, and there is room for more! So if you don't see your national flag (as recognized by the UN) please send an email to Serena Li at [sli@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:sli@stjamescathedral.ca) and we will add them to the second phase. Thank you.

**Our Messiah Concert is back and Early Bird tickets are now available!**

Celebrate Christmas Season with us. Join us on **Saturday, December 14 at 7:30pm.**

**For more information:** [stjamescathedral.ca/messiahconcert2024/](http://stjamescathedral.ca/messiahconcert2024/)

**Questions?** Contact [info@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:info@stjamescathedral.ca) / Call (416)364-7865 and leave a message.

## 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.

The Dean is away this weekend preaching at St. James Cathedral in Chicago, USA.  
Canon Beth is away from September 18 – October 16. For Pastoral Care, please contact  
The Rev'd. Canon Dr. Stephen Fields or the Rev'd Matthew Waterman.

**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 **September 24 at 1:00pm** with MOSAIC Canadian Vocal Ensemble and Organist David Alexander Simon.

**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:

**Blessing of the Animals:** Celebrate the feast day of St. Francis of Assisi at St. James Cemetery on **Friday, October 4 at 10:00am.**

**Plots, products & services are available.** Contact: 416-964-9194 / [www.stjamescemetery.ca](http://www.stjamescemetery.ca)  
[cemetery@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:cemetery@stjamescathedral.ca) / 635 Parliament Street Toronto, Ontario

### Sunday Services – September 29, 2024

**8:00am:** Said Eucharist

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

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

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

**Readings for the Saint Michael and All Angels:**

Gen 28:10-17

Ps 103:19-22

Rev 12:7-12

Jn 1:47-51

**Donation envelopes 2025:** If you want to renew your envelopes, please contact Serena Li at [sli@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:sli@stjamescathedral.ca) or call (416)364-7865 Ext. 229.

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