

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL-CONNECTIONS Sunday, March 3, 2024

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

***Coffee Hour:** Following the 9:00am & 11:00am services.

***Spring Forward:** Daylight Savings Time Begins on **Sunday, March 10 at 2:00am.**

PRE-VESTRY MEETING

A Pre-Vestry Meeting will be held online via Zoom on **Tuesday, March 5 at 6:00pm.**

The meeting is an opportunity to learn more about the 2024 budget and 2023 financial audit statements. RSVP and receive the link to attend the Pre-Vestry meeting, please visit stjamescathedral.ca/vestry-2024 The link will be sent close to the day of the meeting.

VESTRY MEETING 2024

Next Sunday, there will be **one joint service at 10:00am** followed by Vestry.

Light lunch (11:30am to 12:00pm) and Vestry Meeting (12:00pm) chaired by our Dean Stephen Hance. To RSVP, and view meeting documents, please visit stjamescathedral.ca/vestry-2024.

Vestry copies are available in the narthex.

VESTRY LIST is available for viewing at the back of the church after service or at reception from 9:00am – 4:00pm Monday-Friday. Those listed are entitled to vote in the elections for the ensuing year. Additions or modifications can be made to the list.

VESTRY NOMINATING COMMITTEE:

The Nominations committee are pleased to submit the slate of candidates to Vestry for 2024. Below you will find 2 slates, “APPOINTED” and “TO BE ELECTED”.

The APPOINTED has been selected (with the assistance of the committee) by the Dean to hold their offices for the 2024 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 (served 2 terms); Deputy Rector’s Warden: Sarah McKinnon (New); Assistant Deputy Rector’s Warden: Bob Hart (New); Cathedral Council (5 appointments): Angela David (served 1 term); Colleen Cardillo (served 1 term); Carol Kysela (served 1 term); Christian Kingsmill (New); Louis Nettleton (New).

TO BE ELECTED:

People’s Warden: David Gates (served 1 term); Deputy People’s Warden: Sandra Mowat (served 1 term); Assistant Deputy People’s Warden: Mary Hopperton (New); Cathedral Council (5 to be elected): Denny Creighton (served 2 terms); Matt Jaeger (served 1 term); Richard Harrop (served 1 term); Sarah Rodrigues (served 1 term); Stanley Baptiste (New). Synod Representatives (5 to be elected): Ruth Davis (served 2 terms); Rob Haines (served 2 terms); Irene Bailey (served 2 terms); David Hedley (served 1 term); Elizabeth Hartman (served 1 term). Alternate Synod Representatives (2 to be elected); Peter Dawes, Marie Crosta; Parochial Tribunal (2 to be elected): Edwin Hawken (served 1 term); Mary Jane Tuthill (New). To read candidate bios, please visit: stjamescathedral.ca/vestry-2024

STAY UP TO DATE

**Sunday, March 17 at 1:00pm
York Group**

Annual General Meeting

Lecture Room – Cathedral Centre

All women parishioners are warmly invited to attend the Annual General Meeting of the York Group in the Lecture Room.

A light lunch will be provided.

Please RSVP at coffee hours following services.

**Tuesday, March 19 at 2:00pm
Archives and the History of
St. James Cathedral**

Historians and archivists Nancy Mallett and Claire Wilton will be featured in the Lecture Room. *"Archives and the History of St. James Cathedral"*. No RSVP is required. Light refreshments will be served.

We look forward to an interesting afternoon with the York Group.

Sunday, March 17:



Observance of The International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination

9:00 & 11:00am services:

Guest Preacher – The Rev. Michael Blair, the General Council of the United Church of Canada as the General Secretary

4:30pm-8:00pm: Vigil for Peace and Justice
In collaboration with the Bishop's Committee on Interfaith Ministry.

Homilist - The Very Rev. Dr. Robert Willis, Dean Emeritus of Canterbury Cathedral

March 23 & March 24:



Annual Palm Sunday Hot Cross Bun Fundraiser

You are invited to join us for the 10th Annual Palm Sunday Hot Cross Bun Fundraiser in support of the essential work of the Drop-in Centre. Don't miss the joy of our Saturday dough and bun-making sessions on March 23 or help us bake, frost, and sell on Palm Sunday morning, March 24. If you would like to volunteer, contact Carol Kysel at mckysel@gmail.com

Friday, March 22 from 9:00am-12:00pm: Palm Cross Making

Please join the members of the Altar Guild on Friday, March 22 from 9:00am-12:00pm, in the West Aisle of the Cathedral to help make the crosses for Palm Sunday.

Join the fun! We will provide scissors. Light refreshments will be provided.

To RSVP, please contact Yosola Sholagbade-Adeoye at yosiegal@hotmail.com

LOOKING AHEAD

Spring Forward:

Daylight Savings Time Begins on Sunday, March 10 at 2:00am.

Next Sunday we will set our clocks forward to mark the beginning of daylight savings for 2024. Don't forget to set your clocks forward one hour before you go to bed on Saturday, March 9 as we allow for more daylight in the spring and summer months.

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 Serena Li at sli@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 or by cheque on the offering plate/by mail. The deadline for submitting memorial names is **Monday, March 18.**

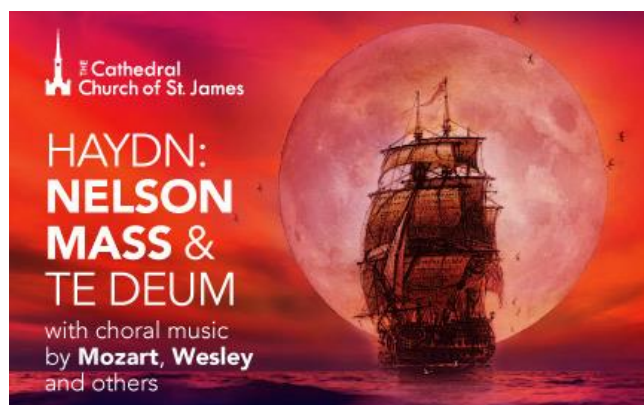


An invitation from the Children's Ministry on Sunday, March 31 from 12:30pm-1:30pm

The Children's Ministry is looking for 8 volunteers to help with the Easter Egg Hunt on Sunday, March 31 right after our 11:00am service to no later than 1:30pm.

Responsibilities include hiding the eggs in the Cathedral, crowd control, monitoring a section of the Cathedral as children search for the eggs, and sampling the eggs!

If you want to help, please contact Karyne Whalen at kwhalen@stjamescathedral.ca by March 15. Thank you so much!



Saturday, May 11 at 7:30pm Haydn: Nelson Mass & Te Deum

St. James Cathedral choir & Orchestra presents Haydn: Nelson Mass & Te Deum With Music by Mozart, Wesley & others.

Join us, do not miss this opportunity! You are invited to become a patron of the concert. More information will come, stay tuned!

For further details contact Thomas Bell Director of Music at tbell@stjamescathedral.ca

THIS WEEK AT THE CATHEDRAL

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.

***Clergy Away: Canon Beth** – Vacation (March 3-10) **Canon Stephen** - serving as a peer evaluator in the accreditation process of the Dickerson-Green Theological Seminary, South Carolina. For Pastoral Care or emergencies, contact Serena Li: sli@stjamescathedral.ca; 416 364-7865, ext. *229 to be put in touch with The Rev. Jo-Anne Billinger.

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 **March 5 at 1:00pm. Organist: Aaron James.**
Admission is free and donations are encouraged.

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

FRIDAY: Drop-In from 1:30pm to 3:30pm: We welcome our guests in Snell Hall for a nutritious meal.

SUNDAY:

***Children & Families:** Our **Sunday Children's Program** meets at both the **9:00am** and **11:00am** services. ***Coffee Hour:** Following 9:00am & 11:00am services.

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

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

Sunday Services – March 10, 2024

8:00am: Said Eucharist

10:00am: Choral Eucharist *(also live-streamed on the Diocesan YouTube channel at youtube.com/anglicandioto).*

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

Readings for March 10, 2024:

The Fourth Sunday in Lent

Num 21:4-9

Ps 107:1-3, 17-22

Eph 2:1-10

Jn 3:14-21

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