

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL-CONNECTIONS - Sunday, January 19, 2025

Sunday Children's Program: Invite the little ones to the 9:00am & 11:00am services.

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

Reminder: Pick up your 2025 offering envelopes today in the West aisle. Thank you.

January 22 at 2:00pm: York Group event with the Refugee Committee



Join the York Group and Rebecca McTaggart, Co-Chairperson of the St. James and Community Refugee Committee to hear about some individuals currently being assisted through this important and life-changing work. No RSVP is needed.

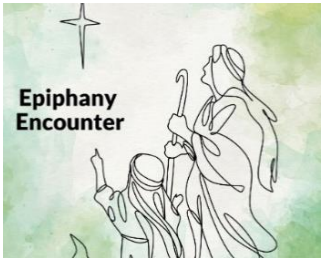
Our Young Adult Discipleship Series has started



Join Rev. Matthew and the St. James Cathedral young adults for a new in-person discipleship series: *Acts of the Apostles: Witnesses of Jesus Christ*. They will have meetings from January through June on selected Wednesdays. To register scan the QR code, visit our website, or contact the Rev. Matthew Waterman.



Until March 2: Scripture Circle - Epiphany Encounter with Christ



Enjoy a Scripture Circle series designed for anyone looking to encounter Christ afresh!

The Scripture Circle will meet today, on January 22 at 11:00am and will resume gatherings on February 5 at 11:00am.

Mark your calendars for Wednesdays at 11:00am (Community Room) & Sundays after the 11:00am service (Library).

Sunday, February 2: Matthew's Ordination



Deacon Matthew Waterman will be ordained a priest on Sunday, February 2 (The Feast of the Presentation of the Lord) at 4:30pm in the Cathedral. The preacher will be The Rev. Dr. R. Leigh Spruill, Rector; St. John the Divine, Houston.

A reception will follow in Snell Hall.

All are welcome!

Sunday, February 23:

30th Anniversary of the First Diocesan Black History Service

Join us at 4:30pm as the Diocese celebrates the 30th Anniversary of the first Diocesan Black History Service (February 26, 1996). Preacher: The Vicar. Stay tuned for more information.

March 4 at 6:00pm: Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper



Mark the last day before Lent with a parish pancake supper. There will be food, a crafts table for kids, and music! We are also looking for volunteers to help to set-up, serve and clean-up anytime between 4:00pm - 9:00pm on March 4. If you are interested in helping on March 4, please send us an email at info@stjamescathedral.ca

March 5: Ash Wednesday Services + Children & Youth Exploration Day



Regular services at 7:30am, 12:15pm, 6:30pm. All services include the Imposition of Ashes. The Cathedral will also be open for prayer on Ash Wednesday from 7:30am – 7:30pm.

Ash Wednesday Children & Youth Exploration Day:

10:30am-2:30pm in the Cathedral and Event Centre.

Bring your own lunch. More information to come.

Sunday, March 9: Vestry Meeting



Our next Vestry Meeting will be held on Sunday, March 9, 2025 in Snell Hall chaired by our Dean the Very Rev'd Dr. Stephen Hance. There will be one combined service at 10:00am and the Vestry meeting will follow after the service.

More information will come.

Sunday, March 16 at 4:30pm:

International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination



As we observe the International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, we will inaugurate "The Marley Mass", a service inspired by the theology and lyrics of Reggae Superstar, Robert Nesta Marley and written by The Rev. Canon Dr. Stephen Fields.

The service features seven of Marley's iconic songs.

Invite your friends to be part of the Cathedral's team!

**We are hiring:
Join our team.**

APPLY NOW!

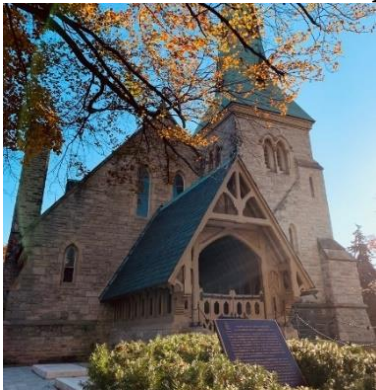
We are hiring an **Events Manager & Operations Manager**. If you or someone you know might be a great fit for either of these positions, please help us to spread the word!

To apply, please email resume and cover letter to: HumanResources@stjamescathedral.ca

To learn more about these positions, please visit: stjamescathedral.ca/about/careers/

St. James Cemetery & Crematorium announcements

Preplan your funeral and cemetery services



Preplanning gives you peace of mind and the opportunity to make your wishes known.

Cathedral clergy are available to assist with funeral plans and our cemetery staff would be pleased to help you preplan your interment and other cemetery services.

Protect yourself from future inflationary increases, too.

For more information, please get in touch with the Vicar at sfields@stjamescathedral.ca, or George Vrozos our Cemetery Manager at cemetery@stjamescathedral.ca, or 416-964-9194.

Monthly Eucharist at St. James Cemetery

Wednesday, February 5 at 11:00am at St. James Cemetery.

On the first Wednesday of the month, all are welcome to a celebration of the Holy Eucharist in the Chapel of St. James-The-Less.

Other events

St. Bartholomew's, Regent Park news

The Conversion of St. Paul:

Saturday, January 25, Sung Mass at 10:30am.

Celebrating Charles I, King & Martyr:

Thursday, January 30, Choral Evensong at 6:15pm.

Outreach: Serving the disadvantaged for 150 years, St. Bart's welcomes volunteers and donations. Learn more:

stbartstoronto.ca/outreach



Thursday, January 23 at 6:00pm: Week of Prayer for Christian Unity



The Fellowship of St. Alban & St. Sergius and the Sisterhood of St. John the Divine invite you to a gathering to celebrate the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity on Thursday, January 23 at 6:00pm at St. John's Convent (233 Cummer Ave., North York). To attend and for more information contact the Convent Guest House at guesthouse@ssjd.ca or 416-226-2201 ext. 305.

The evening begins with Orthodox Vespers sung by members of the choir of Holy Myrrhbearers Orthodox Mission, followed by a light supper, and a talk by Dr. Tiffany Robinson on "The Shape and Architecture of the Sacred."

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.

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 January 21 at 1:00pm. Organist: Emmanuel Wong (U of T).
Admission is free and donations are encouraged.

WEDNESDAY: The Scripture Circle will take a break on Wednesdays, January 29 & Sunday, February 2, and resume gatherings on February 5 at 11:00am (Community Room).

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

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

Sunday Services – January 26, 2025

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 January 26:

Third Sunday after the Epiphany

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10
Psalm 19

1 Cor 12:12-31a
Lk 4:14-21

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