

The Second Sunday in Lent

March 16, 2025

Sung Eucharist at 9:00am

*The Cathedral Church of St. James
Diocese of Toronto • Anglican Church of Canada*

Welcome to St. James Cathedral

This sacred land is the territory of several Indigenous Nations - the Wendat, the Haudenosaunee, and the Anishnaabe, and the Métis peoples, with special recognition to the Mississaugas of New Credit. We also acknowledge that we are on the shores of Niigaani-gichigami/Lake Ontario. This territory is governed by the Dish With One Spoon Wampum Belt Treaty, an agreement between the Haudenosaunee Confederacy and the Anishnaabe Confederacy to peaceably share and sustain the life of the Great Lakes. In the spirit of that Treaty we seek to place at the centre of our gatherings the values of respectful reciprocity, diversity, peace, responsibility, and mutual aid.

Liturgical Note:

In the context of Christian Liturgy, Israel does not refer to the current political state, but either to the historic Hebrews of the ancient Near East or, in Christian theology, to all people who put their faith and trust in Jesus Christ.

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A Wheelchair Accessible Washroom is located
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Coffee Hour

Join us in Snell Hall following the 9:00am & 11:00am service.

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Today at St. James

Presider & Homilist: The Very Reverend Dr. Stephen Hance

Reader: Mary Druce • Intercessor: Peter Dawes

Stewards: Irene Bailey & Sarah McKinnon • Honorary Verger: Paul Seddon, ODT

Communion Ministers: Bassel Dick, Paul Melville-Gray & Carol Kysela

Director of Music & Organist: Thomas Bell • Associate Organist (Interim): Jean-Paul Feo

Wayne Vance Organ Scholar: Joshua Duncan Lee

Sung by The Singers of St. James Cathedral

Welcome! We are glad you have joined us for worship this morning.

Please ensure that cell phones are muted.

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Our practice during this liturgy is to stand when we sing and during the proclamation of the Gospel, sit for other Scripture readings (including the Psalm) and the Homily, and stand, sit, or kneel for prayer. These are guidelines and we invite you to assume a posture that is most comfortable for you during the service.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Presider The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Almighty God,

People **to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Presider Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People **God's mercy endures for ever.**

Confession and Absolution

Presider Dear friends in Christ, as we prepare for the Paschal Feast, continuing in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers, let us make ready our hearts to renew the covenant of our baptism.

By the grace of God, we persevere in resisting evil, and we know that whenever we fall into sin, repent, and return to the Lord, God will forgive our sins. Let us now confess our sins to Almighty God.

Please kneel as you are comfortable.

Silence is kept.

Presider Holy and immortal God,

All **we confess to you, to one another, and to the whole communion of saints, that we have sinned by our own fault in thought, word, and deed; by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. In your**

**great mercy, forgive us and restore us, that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways to the glory of your name. Amen.**

Kyrie Eleison

Choir Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Presider Almighty God have mercy upon you, forgive you all your sins through our
Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the
Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life;.

People **Amen.**

*During the Hymn, children are invited to gather at the chancel steps before
proceeding to the Library for Sunday School; they will return at the offertory.*

Hymn

Tune: Melcombe

All Lord, as I wake I turn to you,
yourself the first thought of my day:
my King, my God, whose help is sure,
yourself the help for which I pray.

There is no blessing, Lord, from you
for those who make their will their way,
no praise for those who will not praise,
no peace for those who will not pray.

Your loving gifts of grace to me,
those favours I could never earn,
call for my thanks in praise and prayer,
call me to love you in return.

Lord, make my life a life of love,
keep me from sin in all I do;
Lord, make your law my only law,
your will my will, for love of you.

Text: Brian Foley, based on Psalm 5
Music: Samuel Webbe the elder

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Collect of the Day

Presider Let us pray.

Hope beyond all human hope, you promised Abraham and Sarah descendants as numerous as the stars. You promise light and salvation in the midst of darkness and despair, and redemption to a world that will not listen. Gather us in tenderness and open our ears to your word, so that we may live faithfully and confidently in your promises. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ.

People Amen.

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Please be seated.

The First Reading

Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18

Reader After these things the word of the Lord came to Abram in a vision, 'Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great.' But Abram said, 'O Lord God, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?' And Abram said, 'You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my heir.' But the word of the Lord came to him, 'This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir.' He brought him outside and said, 'Look towards heaven and count the stars, if you are able to count them.' Then he said to him, 'So shall your descendants be.' And he believed the Lord; and the Lord reckoned it to him as righteousness.

Then he said to him, 'I am the Lord who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans, to give you this land to possess.' But he said, 'O Lord God, how am I to know that I shall possess it?' He said to him, 'Bring me a heifer three years old, a female goat three years old, a ram three years old, a turtle-dove, and a young pigeon.' He brought him all these and cut them in two, laying each half over against the other; but he did not cut the birds in two. And when birds of prey came down on the carcasses, Abram drove them away.

As the sun was going down, a deep sleep fell upon Abram, and a deep and terrifying darkness descended upon him.

When the sun had gone down and it was dark, a smoking fire-pot and a flaming torch passed between these pieces. On that day the Lord made a

covenant with Abram, saying, 'To your descendants I give this land, from the river of Egypt to the great river, the river Euphrates,

Reader The Word of the Lord
People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 27

Plainsong, Tune V.iii



Cantor The Lord is my light and my salvation;
whom then shall I fear?

The Lord is the strength of my life;
of whom then shall I be a[^]fraid?

All **When the wicked, even my enemies and my foes,
came upon me to eat up my flesh,
they stum-bled and fell.**

Cantor Though a host encamp against me,
my heart shall not be a-fraid,
and though there rise up war against me,
yet will I put my trust in[^]him.

All **One thing have I asked of the Lord
and that alone I seek:
that I may dwell in the house of the Lord
all the days of my life,**

Cantor To behold the fair beauty of the Lord
and to seek his will in his tem-ple.

All **For in the day of trouble
he shall hide me in his shel-ter;
in the secret place of his dwelling shall he hide me
and set me high up-on a[^]rock.**

Cantor And now shall he lift up my head
above my enemies round a-bout me;

All **Therefore will I offer in his dwelling an oblation
with great glad-ness;**

I will sing and make mu-sic to the[^]Lord.

Cantor Hear my voice, O Lord, when I call;
have mercy upon me and an-swer[^]me.

All **My heart tells of your word, 'Seek my face.'**

Your face, Lord, will I seek.

Cantor Hide not your face from me,
nor cast your servant away in dis-plea-sure.

All **You have been my help-er;
leave me not, neither forsake me, O God of my sal-va-tion.**

Cantor Though my father and my mother for-sake me,
the Lord will take me up.

All **Teach me your way, O Lord;
lead me on a level path,
because of those who lie in wait for me.**

Cantor Deliver me not into the will of my ad-ver^saries,
for false witnesses have risen up against me,
and those who breathe out vi-o[^]lence.

All **I believe that I shall see the goodness of the Lord
in the land of the liv-ing.**

Cantor Wait for the Lord;
be strong and he shall comfort your heart;

All **wait pa-tient-ly for the Lord.**

The Second Reading

Philippians 3:17-4:1

Reader Brothers and sisters, join in imitating me, and observe those who live according to the example you have in us. For many live as enemies of the cross of Christ; I have often told you of them, and now I tell you even with tears. Their end is destruction; their god is the belly; and their glory is in their shame; their minds are set on earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ. He will transform the body of our humiliation so that it may be conformed to the body of his glory, by the power that also enables him to make all things subject to himself. 1 Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

Reader The word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand.

T. Bell

Gospel Acclamation

Choir



Praise to you O Christ, King of e - ter - nal glo - ry.

All Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.
Choir If you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.
All Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory.

The Holy Gospel

Luke 13:31-35

Reader The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Reader At that very hour some Pharisees came and said to him, ‘Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you.’ He said to them, ‘Go and tell that fox for me, “Listen, I am casting out demons and performing cures today and tomorrow, and on the third day I finish my work. Yet today, tomorrow, and the next day I must be on my way, because it is impossible for a prophet to be killed away from Jerusalem.” Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing! See, your house is left to you. And I tell you, you will not see me until the time comes when you say, “Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.”’

Reader The Gospel of Christ.

People **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Homily

The Apostles’ Creed

Please stand.

Presider Let us confess the faith of our baptism.

Do you believe in God the Father?

People **I believe in God, The Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Presider Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Presider Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People I believe in God the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Prayers of the People

Please adopt a posture of prayer.

Presider Led by the Spirit, let us turn to God in prayer for the church, the world, and all those in need saying, “God, in your mercy, receive our prayer.”

Intercessor God, in your mercy,
People **receive our prayer**

At the conclusion of the prayers.

Presider Receive the prayers of your people and draw all things together in your love, in the name of Jesus, who leads us from death to life.

People **Amen.**

The Peace

Please stand.

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

We offer each other a sign of peace.

An offering will now be taken to support the life and ministry of the Cathedral.

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THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn

Tune: Sharpthorne

All What does the Lord require for praise and offering?
What sacrifice, desire, or tribute bid you bring?
Do justly; love mercy; walk humbly with your God.

Rulers of earth, give ear! Should you not justice know?
Will God your pleading hear, while crime and cruelty grow?
Do justly; love mercy; walk humbly with your God.

All who gain wealth by trade, for whom the worker toils,
think not to win God's aid, if greed your commerce soils.
Do justly; love mercy; walk humbly with your God.

How shall our life fulfill God's law so hard and high?
Let Christ endue our will with grace to fortify.
Then justly, in mercy, we'll humbly walk with God.

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Prayer over the Gifts

Presider God of wisdom, may the light of the eternal Word, our Lord and Saviour
Jesus Christ, guide us to your glory. We ask this in his name.

People **Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Lift up your hearts.

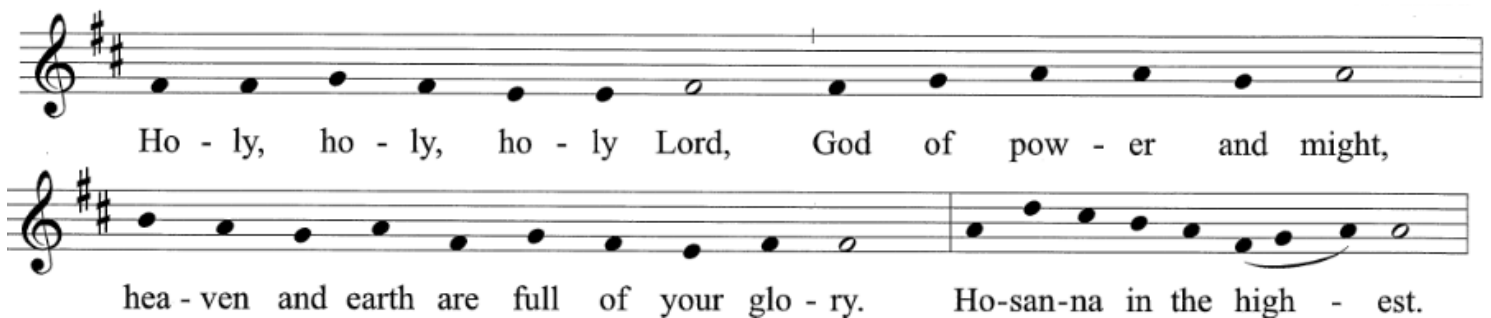
People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Presider Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth, because you
bid your faithful people to cleanse their hearts and to prepare with joy for
the paschal feast; that reborn through the waters of baptism and renewed
in the eucharistic mystery, we may be more fervent in prayer and more
generous in the works of love. Therefore we raise our voices to you in
praise to proclaim the glory of your name.

Sanctus & Benedictus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the high - est.



Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

Please adopt a posture of prayer.

Presider Blessed are you, O God of the universe. Your mercy is everlasting and your faithfulness endures from age to age. Praise to you for creating the heavens and the earth. Praise to you for saving the earth from the waters of the flood. Praise to you for bringing the Israelites safely through the sea. Praise to you for leading your people through the wilderness to the land of milk and honey. Praise to you for the words and deeds of Jesus, your anointed one. Praise to you for the death and resurrection of Christ. Praise to you for your Spirit poured out on all nations.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

With this bread and cup we remember our Lord's passover from death to life as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

People **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

Presider O God of resurrection and new life: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts of bread and wine. Bless this feast. Grace our table with your presence.

People **Come, Holy Spirit.**

Presider Reveal yourself to us in the breaking of the bread. Raise us up as the body of Christ for the world. Breathe new life into us. Send us forth, burning with justice, peace, and love.

People **Come, Holy Spirit.**

Presider With James, our patron, past members of our cathedral, and your holy ones of all times and places, with the earth and all its creatures, with sun and moon and stars, we praise you, O God, blessed and holy Trinity, now and forever.

People **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

McNeil Robinson

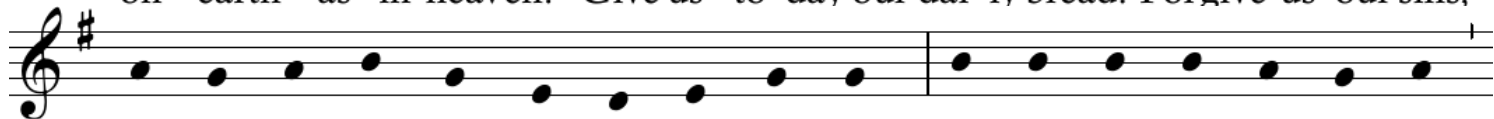
Presider As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,



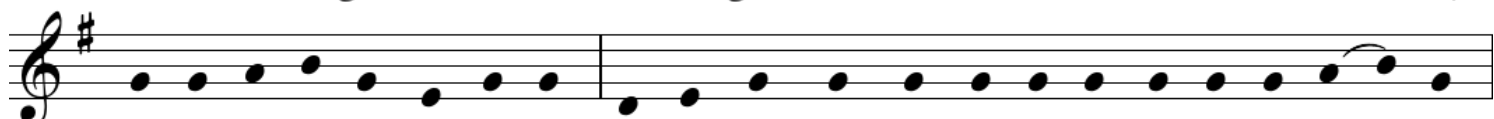
Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done,



on earth as in heaven. Give us to-day our dai-ly bread. Forgive us our sins,



As we for-give those who sin a-gainst us. Save us from the time of trial,



and de-liv-er us from e-vil. For the kingdom, the pow-er and the glo-ry are yours,



now and forever. A - men.

Silence

The Breaking of the Bread

Presider We break this bread,

All **Communion in Christ's body once broken.**

Presider Let your Church be the wheat which bears its fruit in dying.

All **If we have died with him, we shall live with him; if we hold firm, we shall reign with him.**

The Communion

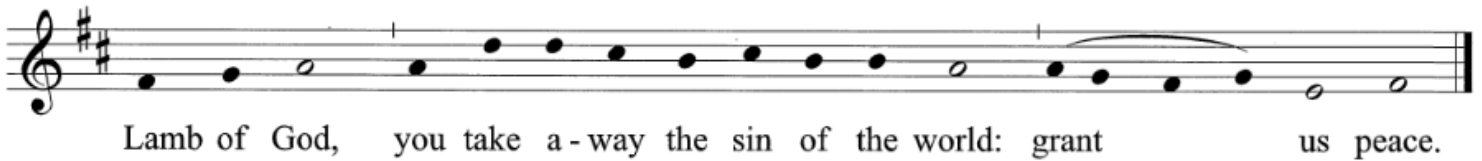
Presider The gifts of God for the People of God.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Agnus Dei



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world: have mer-cy on us.



All are welcome to receive Holy Communion or a blessing.

Gluten-free hosts are available upon request. It is not permitted to dip the bread in the wine for health reasons. If you choose not to receive communion, you are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing. Simply cross your hands over your chest to indicate this to the priest.

Communion Hymn

All God is forgiveness.
Dare to forgive and God will be with you.
God is forgiveness.
Love, and do not fear.

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Communion Hymn

All In God alone my soul can find rest and peace, in God my peace and joy.
Only in God my soul can find its rest, find its rest and peace.

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Prayer after Communion

Please stand.

Presider Let us pray.

Creator of heaven and earth, we thank you for these holy mysteries, which bring us now a share in the life to come, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People **Amen.**

Presider Glory to God,

People **whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Blessing

Presider May the God of mercy transform you by his grace, and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

People **Amen.**

Hymn

Tune: Cwm Rhondda

All

Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak but thou art mighty; hold me with thy powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more,
feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain whence the healing stream doth flow;
let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through.
Strong deliverer, strong deliverer, be thou still my strength and shield,
be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;
death of death, and hell's destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side:
songs of praises, songs of praises, I will ever give to thee,
I will ever give to thee.

Text: William Williams; tr. Peter Williams, alt.
Music: John Hughes

Dismissal

*Deacon of
the Mass
People*

Followers of Jesus Christ, inspired by the Holy Spirit, serve the world that
God loves.
Thanks be to God.

Postlude

PRAYER CYCLE	PASTORAL CARE
<p><i>This week, please pray for: The Church of the Province of Central Africa; Etobicoke-Humber Deanery and Lay Pastoral Visitors</i></p>	<p>If you know anyone who would benefit from a call from our pastoral care team, please be in touch with our Sub-Dean & Vicar, The Rev'd Canon Dr. Stephen Fields: sfields@stjamescathedral.ca; 416-364-7865, ext. 235 and The Reverend Matthew Waterman: mwaterman@stjamescathedral.ca, 416-364-7865, ext. 254</p>

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ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL - CONNECTIONS - Sunday, March 16, 2025

Children & Families: Sunday school meets after the 9:00am & 11:00am services.

Coffee Hour: Please join us after the 9:00am & 11:00am services.

Today at 12:45pm in the Library: Baptism preparation classes begin.

Today at 1:00pm: York Group Annual General Meeting in the Lecture Room.

Today at 4:30pm: Observance of The International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination. We will inaugurate "*The Marley Mass*".

March 22 at 2:00pm: Lift Up Our Hearts at St. James Cathedral



SEASON OF SPIRITUAL RENEWAL

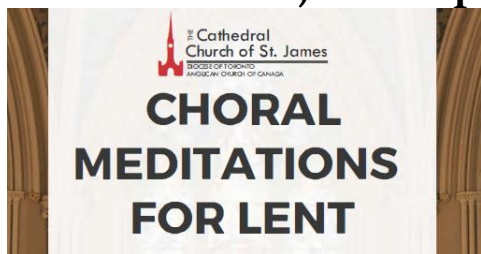
LIFT UP OUR HEARTS

Saturday afternoons at 2 p.m.

MARCH 22	St. James Cathedral The Rev. Molly Finlay, preacher
MARCH 29	Trinity Church Streetsville The Rev. Canon Stephanie Douglas, preacher
MAY 31	All Saints, Whitby The Rev. Gerlyn Henry, preacher
SEPT 27	St. James, Orillia The Rev. Dr. Rob Hurkmans, preacher
OCT 25	St. Paul's Bloor Street The Rev. Dr. Alvarado Adderley, preacher

In 2025 we're coming together as a diocese to worship God at five distinct Eucharistic services throughout the year. The Cathedral will host the first of five Diocesan Services marking our journey through the Season of Spiritual Renewal on March 22 at 2:00pm. We will turn to God in humility as God's people, seeking to know and love God more deeply. Each service will include wonderful music, inspirational preaching, a joyful lay witness talk, and the opportunity for prayer and anointing, followed by a reception that will offer delicious food and plenty of time to reconnect with friends from other parishes. Join us! Reception follows.
Preacher: The Rev. Molly Finlay
Presider: Bishop Andrew Asbil.

March 20, 27 & April 3 at 1:00pm: Choral Meditations for Lent



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CHORAL MEDITATIONS FOR LENT

St. James Cathedral presents *Settings of the Lamentations of Jeremiah and Seasonal poetry readings*. Music by William Byrd, Robert White, and Thomas Tallis. Poetry by George Herbert, T. S. Eliot, Gerard Manley Hopkins, and others. Sung by members of the Cathedral Choir and friends. Invite your friends. Admission free & donations welcome.

Engage in the Lenten Journey to Easter: Opportunities Every Wednesday



1. **The Scripture Circle:** In person at 11:00am in the Cathedral Centre.
2. **A Sermon Discussion Group:** Online at 7:30pm. To register, please contact info@stjamescathedral.ca, call 4163647865 or visit our website.
3. **Becoming the Story We Tell:** In person/online at 7:30pm. To register, please email bst@stjamescathedral.ca with your name and your preference (in-person gathering or online).

March 31: Easter Memorial Flowers - Submission deadline



Remember a loved one at Easter through the memorial flowers that will be placed in the Cathedral for the season.

Please email names to Serena Li at sli@stjamescathedral.ca or call 416-364-7865, Ext. 229.

Donations of \$45 (min) per name/couple. Payments: E-transfer to gifts@stjamescathedral.ca or cheque. *(Please include "Easter Memorial Flowers" in your message).* Please submit names by March 31.

April 11: Palm Cross Making & Brass Cleaning



Join the members of the Altar Guild from 9:00am-12:00pm in the West Aisle of the Cathedral to help make the crosses for Palm Sunday & to clean the Brass appointments in the Cathedral.

Scissors and light refreshments will be provided.

RSVP: Yosola Sholagbade-Adeoye - yosiegal@hotmail.com

April 12 & 13: Annual Hot Cross Bun Fundraiser to support the Drop-In



Volunteers wanted: April 12 (dough/bun-making sessions); **April 13** (bake, frost, and sell on Palm Sunday).

Volunteers wanted: Please contact the office at 416-364-7865, info@stjamescathedral.ca, or visit our website.

Palm Sunday sales: 3 buns for \$5 after the 9:00am & 11:00am services in the South West Porch and in Snell Hall.

Please bring cash. We will also have tip-tap machines available for credit/debit card payments. Thank you!

Thank you for attending the Vestry!

We had a great turnout and received valuable input and support at the Vestry on Sunday. All the motions presented at the meeting were approved. If you would like to review the financial and other information shared at the meeting, please visit:

stjamescathedral.ca/vestry-2025/

Two appointments to the musical staff at St. James



We are pleased to announce that Jean Paul Feo, previously Wayne Vance Organ Scholar has stepped into the position of Associate Organist and Joshua Duncan Lee has been appointed Organ Scholar. These positions are interim, until August 31st. Their music will enhance our worship and musical life at St. James in profound and delightful ways. Please introduce yourself to them.

Mark your calendars: Holy Week & Easter Services (April 13-20)



- **April 13:** Palm Sunday (8:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am & 4:30pm)
 - **April 14:** Holy Eucharist (8:00am) & Morning Prayer (8:30am)
 - **April 15:** Holy Eucharist (8:00am), Morning Prayer (8:30am) & Chrism Mass (11:00am)
 - **April 14 & 15:** The Way of the Cross (6:00pm)
 - **April 16:** Holy Eucharist (8:00am), Morning Prayer (8:30am) & “TeneBrass” *A Service of Shadows, Tenebrae & Brass* (6:00pm)
 - **April 17:** Virtual Morning Prayer (8:30am) & Maundy Thursday Liturgy (7:00pm)
 - **April 18:** Confessions (11:00am and 3:00pm) & Good Friday Liturgy (12:00noon)
 - **April 19:** The Great Vigil of Easter with Holy Baptism at 9:00pm
 - **April 20:** Easter Day (8:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 4:30pm) & Easter Egg Hunt (1:30pm)
- Our services will be in-person & live-streamed on the Cathedral YouTube Channel.
Detailed schedule: stjamescathedral.ca/holyweek2025/

April 20 at 1:30pm-2:30pm: Annual Easter Egg Hunt



Join us for a fun-filled Easter Egg Hunt! Let's find lots of Easter eggs in the Cathedral and learn more about our Children's Ministry. Share this free event with your family, friends, and invite the little ones in the neighborhood. It's a delightful experience for the whole family. Stay tuned! For more information, please contact Karyne Whalen, our Children's Minister at kwhalen@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.

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 18 at 1:00pm. Organist: William O'Meara.
Admission is free & donations are encouraged.

WEDNESDAY: The Scripture Circle gathers at 11:00am (Community Room).

FRIDAY: Drop-In from 1:30pm to 3:30pm. We welcome our guests 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 – March 23, 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 March 23:

Third Sunday in Lent

Isaiah 55.1-9

Psalm 63.1-8

1 Corinthians 10.1-13

Luke 13.1-9

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