

# **Trinity Sunday**

Refugee Sunday

# June 15, 2025 Choral Eucharist at 11:00am

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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Please join us at Snell Hall following the 9:00am & 11:00am services.

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# **Today at St. James**

Presider: The Reverend Canon Beth Benson

Homilist: The Reverend Canon Kristen Pitts

Deacon: The Reverend Canon Kate Merriman • Sub-Deacon: Paul Seddon, ODT

Anointer: The Very Reverend Dr. Stephen Hance

First Reader: Johnny Collins White • Second Reader: Wairimu Nduati

Intercessor: Richard Harrop • Honorary Verger: Paul Seddon, ODT

Communion Ministers: Stanley Baptiste, Yvonne Joseph, Aidan Hopperton, John Hopperton and Sean Hopperton

Director of Music & Organist: Thomas Bell • Associate Organist: Jean-Paul Feo Wayne Vance Organ Scholar: Joshua Duncan Lee Sung by The Choir of St. James Cathedral

The flowers in the Cathedral are given to the glory of God in loving memory of

Archibald Macdonald Robison

Mr. Philip Noble

Mei King Cheung Naidu

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.

Mass Setting: Truro Mass by David Briggs

#### **Prelude**

#### Welcome & Announcements

Hymn Tune: Nicaea

All Holy, holy, holy, Lord God almighty!

Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee:

holy, holy, merciful and mighty, God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy! All the saints adore thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee, though our sinful human gaze thy glory may not see, only thou art holy; there is none beside thee, perfect in power, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God almighty!

All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea;

holy, holy, merciful and mighty, God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Text: Reginald Hebert, alt.; Music: John Baccus Dykes; Tune: Nicaea.

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 with thy spirit.

Presider Here in this place, there are no foreigners,

People for the love of God welcomes us all.

Presider Here in this place, there are no outsiders,

People for the love of God embraces us all.

*Presider* Here in this place, there are no strangers,

People for the love of God unites us all.

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Presider Come, let us worship God in unity and love.

Almighty God,

All

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.

# **Kyrie Eleison**

Choir

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

During the Gloria, children will proceed to the Library in the Cathedral Centre for Sunday School; they will return at the Offertory.

Gloria Merbecke

Presider

Glory be to God on high,

All

and in earth peace, good will towards all. We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesu Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

# Collect of the Day

Presider

Let us pray.

God of heaven and earth, Author of creation, eternal Word of salvation and life-giving Spirit of wisdom: guide us into all truth, so that we may proclaim Christ revealed and rejoice in his glory. Praise to you, blessed, holy and undivided Trinity, now and for ever.

People

Amen.

#### THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

# The First Reading

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Reader

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice? On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand; beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: 'To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live.

The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago. Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth. When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth— when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil. When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep, when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep, when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside him, like a master worker; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race.

Reader

The word of the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 8

Chant by J. Corfe

Choir

O Lord our governor,

how glorious is your name in all the world!

Your majesty above the heavens is praised out of the mouths of babes at the breast.

You have founded a stronghold against your foes, that you might still the enemy and the avenger.

When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars that you have ordained,

What is man, that you should be mindful of him; the son of man, that you should seek him out?

You have made him little lower than the angels and crown him with glory and honour.

You have given him dominion over the works of your hands and put all things under his feet,

All sheep and oxen,

even the wild beasts of the field,

The birds of the air, the fish of the sea and whatsoever moves in the paths of the sea.

O Lord our governor,

how glorious is your name in all the world!

# The Second Reading

*Romans 5:1-5* 

Reader

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

Reader The word of the Lord.People Thanks be to God.

# **Gospel Acclamation**

Gregory Murray

People Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Choir Holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory.

People Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

The Holy Gospel

John 16:12-15

Deacon The Lord be with you.People And with thy spirit.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

**People** Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Deacon

Jesus said 'I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.'

Deacon The Gospel of Christ.

People Praise be to thee, O Christ.

# **Homily**

The Nicene Creed Merbecke

Presider

I believe in one God

People

the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible: And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds; God, of God; Light, of Light; very God, of very God; begotten, not made; being of one substance with the Father; through whom all things were made: who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man, and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried, and the third day he rose again according to the scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And he shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead: whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceedeth from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified, who spake by the prophets. And I believe one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

# The Prayers of the People

Presider

Let us pray for the Church and the world, especially the refugees scattered across the earth saying, "Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer."

Silence

Intercessor

Lord, in your mercy,

People

hear our prayer.

At the conclusion of the prayers.

Presider

Loving God, transform your Church into a sanctuary of welcome, that together we may build communities of peace, where strangers become

neighbours, and neighbours become family.

People Amen.

## Confession and Absolution

Presider

Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

Almighty God,

All

Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all people: We acknowledge and confess our manifold sins and wickedness, which we from time to time most grievously have committed, by thought, word and deed, against thy divine majesty. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please thee in newness of life, to the honour and glory of thy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Presider

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all them that with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him: have mercy upon you; pardon and deliver you from all your sins; confirm and strengthen you in all goodness; and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People Amen.

#### The Peace

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with thy spirit.

We offer each other a sign of peace.

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#### THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

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

# **Offertory Hymn**

Tune: St. Patrick's Breastplate

All I bind unto myself today

the strong name of the Trinity, by invocation of the same,

the Three-in-One and One-in-Three.

I bind this day to me forever, by power of faith, Christ's incarnation, his baptism in the Jordan river, his death on cross for my salvation. His bursting from the spiced tomb, his riding up the heavenly way, his coming at the day of doom, I bind unto myself today.

I bind unto myself today the virtues of the starlit heaven, the glorious sun's life-giving ray, the whiteness of the moon at even, the flashing of the lightning free, the whirling wind's tempestuous shocks, the stable earth, the deep salt sea around the old eternal rocks.

I bind unto myself today the power of God to hold and lead, his eye to watch, his might to stay, his ear to hearken to my need, the wisdom of my God to teach, his hand to guide, his shield to ward, the word of God to give me speech, his heavenly host to be my guard.

Christ be with me, Christ within me, Christ behind me, Christ before me, Christ beside me, Christ to win me, Christ to comfort and restore me. Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ in quiet, Christ in danger, Christ in hearts of all that love me, Christ in mouth of friend and stranger. I bind unto myself the name, the strong name of the Trinity, by invocation of the same, the Three-in-One and One-in-Three, of whom all nature hath creation, eternal Father, Spirit, Word. Praise to the Lord of my salvation; salvation is of Christ the Lord.

> Text: Attirb. Patrick of Ireland; tr. Cecil Frances alexander Music: Melody Irish hymn; arr. Charles Villiers Stanford

# Prayer over the Gifts

Presider

God of the widows and orphans, the immigrants and refugees, you promised justice for the oppressed, food for the hungry, freedom for the prisoner, and relief to all who are burdened. In Christ, you offer life to all. Open our hearts and minds to see what you see, to love as you love, to give as you have given, so that your promised justice would become reality in our world.

People Amen.

# The Great Thanksgiving

PresiderPeoplePresiderAnd with thy spirit.Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them up unto the Lord.

Presider Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People It is meet and right so to do.

Presider

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God, creator and preserver of all things.

For with thy co-eternal Son and Holy Spirit, thou art one God, one Lord, in trinity of persons and in unity of substance; and we celebrate the one and equal glory of thee, O Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious name; evermore praising thee and saying:

#### Sanctus & Benedictus

Choir

Holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts, heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord most high. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord: Hosanna in the highest.

Presider

Blessing and glory and thanksgiving be unto thee, almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of thy tender mercy didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption; who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memorial of that his precious death, until his coming again.

Hear us, O merciful Father, we most humbly beseech thee; and grant that we receiving these thy creatures of bread and wine, according to thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed body and blood;

Who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took bread; and, when he had given thanks, he brake it; and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise after supper he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink ye all, of this; for this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the remission of sins: Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Wherefore, O Father, Lord of heaven and earth, we thy humble servants, with all thy holy Church, remembering the precious death of thy beloved Son, his mighty resurrection, and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again in glory, do make before thee, in this sacrament of the holy bread of eternal life and the cup of everlasting salvation, the memorial which he hath commanded:

# People We praise thee, we bless thee, we thank thee, and we pray to thee, Lord our God.

Presider

And we entirely desire thy fatherly goodness mercifully to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, most humbly beseeching thee to grant, that by the merits and death of thy Son Jesus Christ, and through faith in

his blood, we and all thy whole Church may obtain remission of our sins, and all other benefits of his passion; And we pray that by the power of thy Holy Spirit, all we who are partakers of this holy communion may be fulfilled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; through Jesus Christ our Lord, by whom and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end.

People Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Merbecke

Presider And now, as our Saviour Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

# The Breaking of the Bread

Presider Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

All Therefore, let us keep the feast.

#### The Communion

Presider The gifts of God for the People of God.

People Thanks be to God.

# Agnus Dei

Choir

- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us thy peace.
- All are welcome to receive the Holy Sacrament or a blessing at the High Altar or the Lady Chapel.
- Gluten-free hosts are available upon request at the Lady Chapel.
- It is not permitted to dip the bread in the wine for health reasons.
- You are welcome to come forward for a blessing by crossing your hands over your chest.

Please follow the directions of the sidespersons. Thank you.

# **Communion Hymn**

Tune: Song 1

All

Thou, who at thy first eucharist didst pray that all thy church might be forever one, grant us at every eucharist to say with longing heart and soul, "Thy will be done." O may we all one bread, one body be, through this blest sacrament of unity.

For all thy church, O Lord, we intercede: make thou our sad divisions soon to cease; draw us the nearer each to each, we plead, by drawing all to thee, O Prince of Peace. Thus may we all one bread, one body be, through this blest sacrament of unity.

So, Lord, at length when sacraments shall cease, may we be one with all thy church above, one with thy saints in one unbroken peace, one with thy saints in one unbounded love; more blessed still, in peace and love to be one with the Trinity in Unity.

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# Motet Libera nos, salva nos

John Sheppard

Choir

Libera nos, salva nos, justifica nos, O beata Trinitas

Free us, save us, defend us, O blessed Trinity.

# **Prayer after Communion**

Presider

Let us pray.

Gracious Host, we are aliens and sojourners in this world, but you invite us to share in the abundance of your kingdom. May we who have shared in this Eucharistic banquet, seek to provide hospitality to friend and stranger, knowing that just as we do it to one of the least of these, we do it to you.

# 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* As you have been loved – love. As you have been welcomed – welcome.

As you have been fed – feed. As you have been given – give: 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: Randolph

All Holy, holy, holy One, Love's eternal Trinity;

we who hear your call, respond: 'Here I am, my God, send me.'

Holy Source of all that lives, through creation's mystery,

your love speaks and we reply, 'Here I am, my God, send me.'

Holy Lamb, Love's sacrifice, mighty in humility,

overawed we humbly say, 'Here I am, my God, send me.'

Holy Spirit, Deathless Joy, though we face Love's agony,

touch our lips and we will cry, 'Here I am, my God, send me.'

Three Times Holy, loving God, call our name, and we will be

each Love's living sacrifice: Here I am, my God, send me!

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## **Dismissal**

Deacon Followers of Jesus Christ, inspired by the Holy Spirit, serve the world that

God loves.

People Thanks be to God.

## Postlude

#### PRAYER CYCLE

This week, please pray for:

La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico, our Companion Diocese of Brasilia (Bishop Mauricio Andrade) the Cathedral Drop-in Centre and our staff team on their away day on Tuesday

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## ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL - CONNECTIONS - Sunday, June 15, 2025

Sunday School: At 9:00am & 11:00am. Coffee Hour: After 9:00am & 11:00am.

**Summer Services:** From July 6 to September 1, services at 8:00am, 10:30am, and 4:30pm.

**Happy Father's Day:** We are grateful for the care, nurture, and love of our fathers! For some of us, this is a most difficult day because our fathers are no longer with us.

May you find comfort in our worship today.



# Refugee Sunday

Today, we recognize the continuing and combined pressures of conflict, global economic and political instability that have led to an ever-increasing number of refugees and Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) around the world, all while borders are closing and the "stranger" is increasingly scapegoated.

This fall marks 10 years of work by the Refugee Committee in sponsoring individuals and families to begin a new life where they can feel safe, become employed, increase their skills and education, and be contributors to Canadian society.

The committee will be announcing a series of activities throughout the year to recognize its work and seek donations to continue sponsoring individuals or families to resettle in Toronto. Join the Committee members at coffee hour after 9:00am & 11:00am services.

# Today at 4:30pm: Jazz in the Cathedral - Jazz, Jesus and Justice



*Kalabash*, a jazz band, and the Choir of St. James will lead a special evening of Jazz and Gospel music as we celebrate and take part in the Toronto Jazz Festival. Scripture, secular readings, a brief reflection, and powerful music will bring our shared concerns for peace and justice into sharp focus.

# Friday, June 20 at 6:00pm: Family Fun Night + Call for Volunteers



Join us in the Cathedral & the West Lawn. The Children's Ministry is offering a fun activity for the whole family.

Register here: stjamescathedral.ca/familynight/

Call for volunteers: If you want to help, please get in touch with

Karyne Whalen at <a href="mailto:kwhalen@stjamescathedral.ca">kwhalen@stjamescathedral.ca</a>

# Saturday, June 21 at 7:30pm: Queer Faith - ReplayStorytelling at St. James



Join us for a powerful evening of true stories exploring spirituality and faith in the queer community.

Let's listen, learn, and grow together in faith and inclusion. For more information: stjamescathedral.ca/queerfaith

Sunday, June 22 at 4:30pm: Snell Lecture at St. James



Join us as we celebrate National Indigenous Day of Prayer and National Indigenous History Month! This is a wonderful opportunity to engage with meaningful themes and deepen our understanding of Indigenous history and spirituality. The Most Rev. Chris Harper, National Indigenous Anglican Archbishop, will preach at the 9:00am and the 11:00am services. At 6:00pm, following Choral Evensong, he will offer his talk, "Truth Telling and Reconciliation

in the Age of Transition," in the Cathedral as part of the Snell Lecture series.

#### Schedule:

9:00am & 11:00am: Preaching

4:30pm – 5:30pm: Choral Evensong

5:30pm – 6:00pm: Reception in the Cathedral

**6:00pm** – **7:00pm:** Snell Lecture + Q&A with Dean Hance

**Information & RSVP:** <u>stjamescathedral.ca/june-22-snell-lecture/</u> Thanks to the Anglican Foundation of Canada for their support.

# Scan to RSVP on Eventbrite:

# Sunday, June 29: Toronto Pride Parade



Proud Anglicans will be part of the Toronto Pride Parade this year. **Important:** Please note that the assembly area for marchers has changed from previous years. The parade will not go anywhere near St. Paul's Street. This year, we will gather on Aylmer Avenue, which runs east from Yonge Street. Aylmer is the first road south of Rosedale Subway Station. More details will be shared as soon as they become available. For more information, please email Chris at <a href="mailto:info@proudanglicans.ca">info@proudanglicans.ca</a>

# SUMMER SERVICE

#### **Summer Service Hours**

From July 6 to Sunday, September 1 (Labour Day weekend), services will be held at 8:00am, **10:30am**, and 4:30pm.

Mark your calendars and join us on time

- 8:00am and 4:30pm services: remain unchanged.
- 10:30am service: includes Sunday School and Coffee Hour. Regular 9:00am & 11:00am services will resume on Sunday, September 7.

# Tuesday, July 1: Canada Day BBQ Celebration at St. James Drop-In Invitation & Call for Volunteers

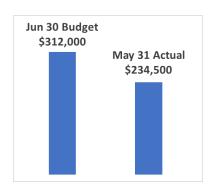




This year, the Canada Day BBQ will be preceded by mid-day Eucharist in St. George's Chapel at 12:15pm, and the Drop-In will host a Canada Day celebration and BBQ on the West Lawn from 12:30pm to 3:00pm.

Call for Volunteers: The Drop-In needs helping hands! Shifts start at 9:30am and run through cleanup. Help is needed in the kitchen, with setup, serving, and cleanup. If you're interested in volunteering or would like more information, please contact: Kathy Biasi, Outreach Manager at 416-3647865 Ext. 222 or <a href="mailto:kbiasi@stjamescathedral.ca">kbiasi@stjamescathedral.ca</a> Please note: On the Canada Day holiday, the Cathedral will be open from 12:00pm to 3:00pm, and the Cathedral Centre Offices will be closed.

# Stewardship Update



We're excited to share that we've received \$234,500 toward our \$312,000 Stewardship Offerings goal as we approach our June 30 fiscal year-end – that's 75% achieved! **We need just \$77,500 more to reach our target.** If you typically donate in December, please consider a mid-year gift to help us finish strong. Planning summer travel? Join our Pre-Authorized Giving program to maintain your support while away and help us manage cash flow effectively. Your faithful generosity makes our ministry possible,

and we're grateful for your continued partnership in serving our community and fulfilling our mission together. Donate here: <a href="mailto:stjamescathedral.ca/donate/give-online/">stjamescathedral.ca/donate/give-online/</a>

# Important Update: King St. East & Church St. Construction



The City of Toronto has closed the King Street East and Church Street intersection to vehicles and bicycles for additional water repairs and TTC track work. Reopening expected by mid-August.

Please pre-plan your trip to the Cathedral, as it may be affected. Find parking options outside the closure zone at stjamescathedral.ca/contact/

For updates: toronto.ca/KingChurch

#### 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 from Monday to Friday from 10:00am–3:00pm. The Cathedral Centre offices are open from Monday to Friday from 9:00am–4:00pm.

**Online Morning Prayer:** Join our clergy and fellow members of the Cathedral from Monday to Friday for Morning Prayer in our **Zoom Chapel**. To access, please follow this link: <a href="https://bit.ly/MPatSJC">https://bit.ly/MPatSJC</a> or scan the QR code. For more information, visit: <a href="mailto:stjamescathedral.ca/morningprayer/">stjamescathedral.ca/morningprayer/</a>



Tuesday: Recital on June 17 at 1:00pm. Organists: Jean-Paul Feo & Joshua Duncan Lee.

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

Friday: Drop-In from 1:30pm to 3:30pm. We welcome our guests for a nutritious meal. Sunday: Children's school: At 9:00am & 11:00am. Coffee Hour: After 9:00am & 11:00am.

# Sunday Services – June 22, 2025

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 the Cathedral channel).

**4:30pm:** Choral Evensong (live-streamed on the Cathedral YouTube

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Readings for Second Sunday after Pentecost 1 Kings 19:1-4, (5-7), 8-15a Psalm 43 Galatians 3:23-29

The Cathedral Church of St. James exists today through the gifts of time, talent, and treasure of both past and present members of the Cathedral community.



Thank you for your support! St. James Cathedral, a symbol of God's presence and love in the city.

Luke 8:26-39

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