



All Saints' Sunday

November 2, 2025 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.

For more information, visit our website by clicking the QR code on the right.



Questions? Our greeters wearing name tags are here to help.

Children & Families

Children of all ages are invited to participate in and help lead our service. Our volunteers are here to tell you how you can help today or in the future.

For our youngest worshipers, a soft space for wiggling and crawling is offered at the front near the altar. If you need a changing table or quiet space to sit with your child, our St. George's Chapel is available just outside the rear doors of the sanctuary.

For more information about children and family programs, contact our Children, Youth, and Family Minister Karyne Whalen at kwhalen@stjamescathedral.ca.

To learn about our Children's Community Choir, contact Director Cara Halpin at chalpin@stjamescathedral.ca.

Accessibility

An all-gender accessible washroom is located at the front of the sanctuary through the doors to the left. Assisted hearing devices are available from the greeters wearing name tags.

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Please check that devices are silenced and keep your belongings with you at all times.

We're glad you're here! At this service, people of all ages and abilities pray, sing, learn, lead, and grow in faith TOGETHER.

We know that all our brains and bodies are different, and we hope you will feel comfortable participating in the ways that are best for you.

All baptized Christians are ministers of God's Church. In this Eucharist we each contribute as co-celebrants with Christ, the Chief Celebrant, and both lay people and clergy serve in a variety of ways.

We invite you to offer your gifts by choosing a card from the "Help Us Worship Together" board or by talking with one of our clergy about pre-assigned lay roles like readers and greeters.

Today our presider is The Reverend Canon Kristen Pitts and our homilist is The Reverend Canon Dr. Stephen Fields.

While our bulletin includes suggested postures for different parts of the service, these are traditional ways that Christians have participated in the liturgy with their bodies and are not required. Please use postures that support your own prayerful engagement in the service.

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

Norman & Gladys Seagram; John & Persis Hungerford

Nancy Cizek

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Welcome

Call to Worship

Please stand.

Convener This is the day that the Lord has made.

***People* We will rejoice and be glad in it.**

Convener We will give thanks and sing praise to God.

***People* We will listen to God's Word and pray for God's people.**

Convener We will come to God's table and be fed.

***People* We will go out from this table and feed the world Christ calls us to serve.**

Convener You are here with us, Jesus. Help us to show our love for you.

***All* Amen.**

All are invited to walk in the procession if they wish! Please gather in the entrance of the Cathedral (Narthex) during the first verse to join in.

Opening Hymn

Tune: Sine Nomine

All For all the saints who from their labours rest,
who thee by faith before the world confessed,
thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might;
thou, Lord, their captain in the well-fought fight;
thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Oh may thy soldiers, faithful, true and bold,
fight as the saints who nobly fought of old,
and win with them the victor's crown of gold.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

The golden evening brightens in the west;
soon, soon to faithful warriors comes their rest;
sweet is the calm of Paradise the blest.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

But lo, there breaks a yet more glorious day—
the saints triumphant rise in bright array:
the King of glory passes on his way.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
through gates of pearl, streams in the countless host,
singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

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Collect of Purity

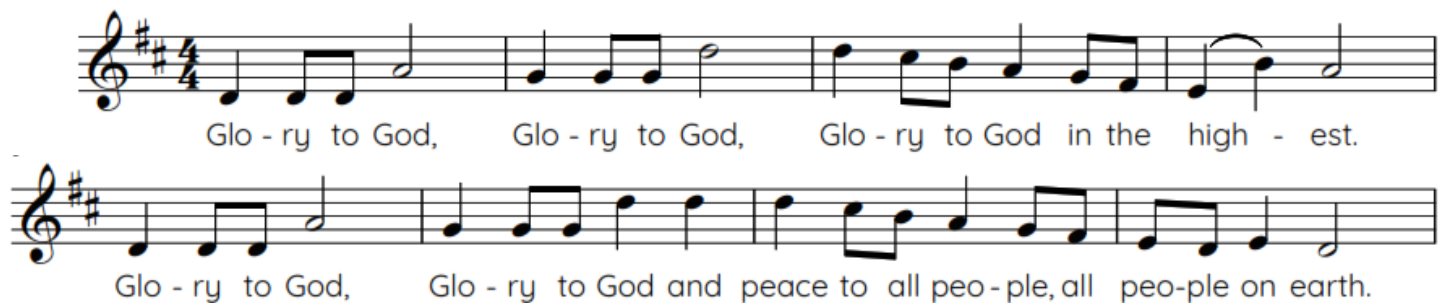
Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

All Almighty God, 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.

Gloria

"Gloria" from St. Patrick's Eucharist by Philip Stopford



Collect of the Day

Presider Let us pray.

Holy God, in your realm, those who are poor now will receive the kingdom,
those who are hungry now will be full, and those who weep now will laugh and

leap in joy. Let this vision strengthen us, so that, with all your saints, we may help the world to live in your justice and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

All **Amen.**

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Please be seated.

The First Reading

Ephesians 1:11-23

Reader A reading from the epistle to the Ephesians, chapter 1

We have also received an inheritance in Christ. We were destined by the plan of God, who accomplishes everything according to his design. We are called to be an honor to God's glory because we were the first to hope in Christ. You too heard the word of truth in Christ, which is the good news of your salvation. You were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit because you believed in Christ. The Holy Spirit is the down payment on our inheritance, which is applied toward our redemption as God's own people, resulting in the honor of God's glory.

Since I heard about your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love for all God's people, this is the reason that I don't stop giving thanks to God for you when I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, will give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation that makes God known to you. I pray that the eyes of your heart will have enough light to see what is the hope of God's call, what is the richness of God's glorious inheritance among believers, and what is the overwhelming greatness of God's power that is working among us believers. This power is conferred by the energy of God's powerful strength. God's power was at work in Christ when God raised him from the dead and sat him at God's right side in the heavens, far above every ruler and authority and power and angelic power, any power that might be named not only now but in the future. God put everything under Christ's feet and made him head of everything in the church, which is his body. His body, the church, is the fullness of Christ, who fills everything in every way.

Reader The word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 149

From Evangelical Lutheran Worship

Reader The psalm for today is Psalm 149. Please join me in the refrain:

All **Let the faithful sing God's praise.**

Reader Hallelujah! Sing to the Lord a new song,

God's praise in the assembly of the faithful.
 Let Israel rejoice in their maker;
 let the children of Zion be joyful in their ruler.
 Let them praise their maker's name with dancing;
 let them sing praise with tambourine and harp.
 For the Lord takes pleasure in the people
 and adorns the poor with victory.

All **Let the faithful sing God's praise.**

Reader Let the faithful rejoice in triumph;
 let them sing for joy on their beds.
 Let the praises of God be in their throat
 and a two-edged sword in their hand,
 to wreak vengeance on the nations
 and punishment on the peoples,
 to bind their kings in chains
 and their nobles with links of iron,
 to inflict on them the judgment decreed;
 this is glory for all God's faithful ones. Hallelujah!

All **Let the faithful sing God's praise.**

Please stand.

Gospel Music **"Syrian Halleluia"**

All

Hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah.

3 Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah.

5 Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah!

The Gospel

Luke 6:20-31

Reader The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Reader This is the Good News of our Lord Jesus Christ as told by Luke.

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

Reader Jesus raised his eyes to his disciples and said: “Happy are you who are poor, because God’s kingdom is yours. Happy are you who hunger now, because you will be satisfied. Happy are you who weep now, because you will laugh.

Happy are you when people hate you, reject you, insult you, and condemn your name as evil because of the Human One. Rejoice when that happens! Leap for joy because you have a great reward in heaven. Their ancestors did the same things to the prophets.

But how terrible for you who are rich, because you have already received your comfort. How terrible for you who have plenty now, because you will be hungry. How terrible for you who laugh now, because you will mourn and weep. How terrible for you when all speak well of you. Their ancestors did the same things to the false prophets.

“But I say to you who are willing to hear: Love your enemies. Do good to those who hate you. Bless those who curse you. Pray for those who mistreat you. If someone slaps you on the cheek, offer the other one as well. If someone takes your coat, don’t withhold your shirt either. Give to everyone who asks and don’t demand your things back from those who take them. Treat people in the same way that you want them to treat you.

Reader The Good News of Christ.

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

Homily **Stewardship Series: Generosity in the Tradition of the Saints**

The Apostles’ Creed

Please stand.

Presider Together we declare our faith. After each question, please respond with “This we believe.”

People Do you believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth?
This we believe.

Presider Do you believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by

the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; who descended to the dead, and on the third day rose again; who ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and who will come again to judge the living and the dead?

People **This we believe.**

Presider Do you 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?

People **This we believe. Amen.**

The Prayers of the People

Please adopt a posture of prayer.

Leader In peace let us pray together, saying "God of love, hear our prayer."
God of love,

People **Hear our prayer.**

At the conclusion of the prayers.

Presider Holy God, you have heard our prayers. Now give us grace to work for those things we have asked of you, and answer our prayers in the way that you know is best for us; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

Confession

Presider Dear friends in Christ, God's love and mercy are limitless. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

All **Loving God, we know that we have done wrong. We have not loved you with our whole heart. We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry. Have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may walk in love always. Amen.**

Presider Truly God's love and mercy are limitless. Know that you are forgiven, and Christ will help you to follow his ways. Amen.

The Peace

Please stand.

Peace The peace of Christ be always with you!

Proclaimer

People **And also with you.**

We offer each other a sign of peace.

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory

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

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Offertory Hymn

All O God, you search me and you know me.
All my thoughts lie open to your gaze.
When I walk or lie down you are before me:
Ever the maker and keeper of my days.

You know my resting and my rising.
You discern my purpose from afar,
And with love everlasting you besiege me:
In ev'ry moment of life or death, you are.

Before a word is on my tongue, Lord,
You have known its meaning through and through.
You are with me beyond my understanding:
God of my present, my past and future, too.

Although your Spirit is upon me,
Still I search for shelter from your light.
There is nowhere on earth I can escape you:
Even the darkness is radiant in your sight.

For you created me and shaped me,
Gave me life within my mother's womb.
For the wonder of who I am, I praise you:
Safe in your hands, all creation is made new.

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Prayer over the Gifts

Presider Holy and mighty God, we thank you for the triumph of Christ that we see in the lives of all his saints, who have shown us how to walk in faith. Accept all we offer you this day and help us to walk our path in faith, that we may live in your eternal kingdom. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

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 We give you thanks and praise, almighty God, for the gift of a world full of wonder, and for our life which comes from you. By your power you sustain the universe.

People **♪ Glory to you for ever and ever. ♪**

Presider You created us to love you with all our heart, and to love each other as ourselves, but we rebel against you by the evil that we do.

In Jesus, your Son, you bring healing to our world and gather us into one great family. Therefore, with all who serve you on earth and in heaven, we praise your wonderful name, as we say,

All **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Presider We give you thanks and praise, loving Father, because in sending Jesus, your Son, to us you showed us how much you love us. He cares for the poor and the hungry. He suffers with the sick and the rejected.

Betrayed and forsaken, he did not strike back but overcame hatred with love. On the cross he defeated the power of sin and death. By raising him from the dead you show us the power of your love to bring new life to all your people.

People **♪ Glory to you for ever and ever. ♪**

Presider On the night before he gave up his life for us, Jesus, at supper with his friends, took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, saying, "Take this, all of you, and eat it: this is my body which is given for you."

After supper, Jesus took the cup of wine, said the blessing, gave it to his friends, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is the cup of my blood, the blood of the new and eternal covenant, which is shed for you and for many, so that sins may be forgiven. Do this in memory of me."

People ♪ **Glory to you for ever and ever.** ♪

Presider Gracious God, with this bread and wine we celebrate the death and resurrection of Jesus, and we offer ourselves to you in him.

Send your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts, that we may know the presence of Jesus in the breaking of bread, and share in the life of the family of your children.

People ♪ **Glory to you for ever and ever.** ♪

Presider Father, you call us to be your servants; fill us with the courage and love of Jesus, that all the world may gather in joy at the table of your kingdom. We sing your praise, almighty Father, through Jesus, our Lord, in the power of the Holy Spirit, now and for ever.

People ♪ **Glory to you for ever and ever.** ♪

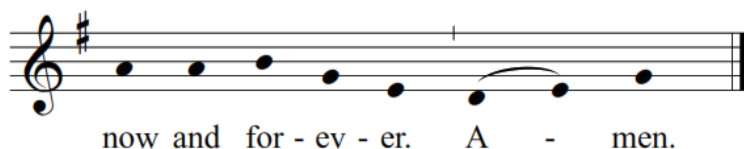
The Lord's Prayer

McNeil Robinson

Presider As our Saviour taught us, let us pray.



Our Fath-er in hea-ven, hal-low-ed be your name, your king-dom come, your will be done,
on earth as in hea-ven. Give us to-day our dai-ly bread. For-give us our sins,
as we for-give those who sin a-gainst us. Save us from the time of trial,
and de-li-ver us from e-vil. For the king-dom, the po-wer and the glo-ry are yours,



Silence

The Breaking of the Bread

Presider This is the true bread which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world. Whoever eats this bread will live for ever.

The Communion

Presider The gifts of God for the People of God.

People **Thanks be to God.**

You are invited to receive communion or a blessing. To receive communion, hold your hands out as you approach the server. To receive a blessing, cross your arms over your chest. If you require a gluten-free wafer, let the priest know. You may either sip from the chalice of wine or pause in prayer in front of it; dipping the wafer in the wine is not permitted for health reasons.

Communion Music

Tune: je Louerai L'Éternel

Choir Je louerai l'Éternel de tout mon coeur,
Je raconterai toutes tes merveilles, je chanterai ton nom.
Je louerai l'Éternel de tout mon coeur,
Je ferai de toi le sujet de ma joie. Alleluia!

Praise, I will praise you, Lord, with all my heart.
O, God, I will tell the wonders of your ways, and glorify your name.
Praise, I will praise you, Lord, with all my heart.
In you I will find the source of all my joy. Alleluia!

Love, I will love you, Lord, with all my heart.
O, God, I will tell the wonders of your ways, and glorify your name.
Love, I will love you, Lord, with all my heart.
In you I will find the source of all my joy. Alleluia!

Serve, I will serve you, Lord, with all my heart.
O, God, I will tell the wonders of your ways, and glorify your name.
Serve, I will serve you, Lord, with all my heart.
In you I will find the source of all my joy. Alleluia!

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Communion Hymn

All Take, O take me as I am;
summon out what I shall be;
set your seal upon my heart
and live in me.

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Prayer after Communion

Please stand.

Presider Let us pray.
Loving God, we thank you for feeding us here with the Bread of Life and the Cup of Salvation. May we who share this sacrament be witnesses to the risen life of Christ and the salvation you offer to the world.

People Amen.

Doxology

Presider Glory to God,
All 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 The blessing of God almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be among you this day and remain with you always. Amen.

Announcements

Closing Hymn

Tune: Randolph

All God be with you till we meet again;
By his counsels guide, uphold you,
With his sheep securely fold you,
God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again;
 'neath his wings protecting hide you.
 Daily manna still provide you:
 God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again;
 When life's perils thick confound you,
 Put his arm unfailing round you:
 God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again;
 Keep love's banner floating o'er you.
 Smite death's threatening wave before you:
 God be with we till we meet again.

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Dismissal

Sender Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

PRAYER CYCLE

*This week, please pray for:
 The Church of the Province of West Africa; Bishop's Committee on Right Relations
 and the Readers & Intercessors*

PASTORAL CARE

If you know someone who would appreciate a call from our pastoral care team, please contact:

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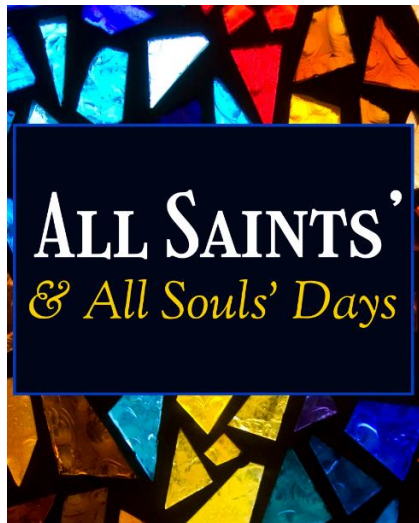
ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL-CONNECTIONS - Sunday, November 2, 2025

Regular services at 8:00am, 9:00am (*Worship Together*), 11:00am, and 4:30pm.

Children & Families: Sunday school at 11:00am. **Coffee Hour:** After 9:00am & 11:00am.

Today at 4:30pm: Evensong Sermon Series with The Rev. Canon Kristen Pitts.

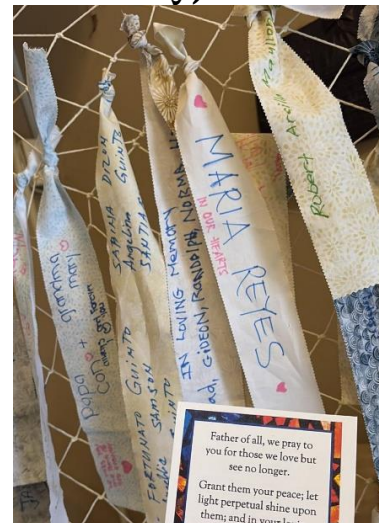
Nov. 3: All Souls' Day Services (Cathedral & Cemetery)



Join us as we gather in remembrance and thanksgiving for the faithful departed. As we observe All Saints' Sunday today and All Souls' Day tomorrow, we come together in prayer and reflection during this sacred time, recalling before God those we love but see no longer, and offering prayers for all who mourn.

10:30am: St. James Cemetery

12:15pm: St. James Cathedral



Message from our Dean Stephen Hance



Our morning preaching series scheduled until Nov. 9 is called *Abundant Grace, Faithful Response: Stewardship for God's Mission*. Financial stewardship is our response to God's goodness and generosity to us. We are being invited to examine our own stewardship of the resources God has entrusted to us and to consider how we might give back joyfully. Let me encourage you to join us on this journey and

to prayerfully consider your own response. **Ready to begin your journey of generosity with us?** Fill out the blue pamphlet or visit stjamescathedral.ca/community/stewardship/ to submit your Giving commitment.

Nov. 9 & 11: Remembrance Day Services - Lest We Forget

Sunday, Nov. 9:

10:15am: We will gather at the Memorial Cross for observance.

11:00am: The Royal Regiment of Canada members will join the Cathedral community for their Service and Parade.

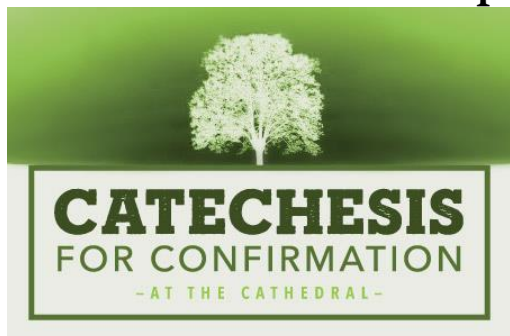
1:00-2:30pm: The Governor General's Horse Guards' Service & Parade.

Tuesday, Nov. 11:

St. James Cemetery at 10:00am.



Nov. 9 – Mar. 22 at 1:00pm: *Living the Vows* - Catechesis for Confirmation



Join us for a learning series designed to prepare participants for confirmation this Spring.

The program will consist of 8 sessions (on selected Sundays) beginning Nov. 9 from 1:30pm to 4:00pm.

Follow the link to register for the program and see the schedule: stjamescathedral.ca/confirmation

For more information, please contact the Rev. Canon Kristen Pitts at kpitts@stjamescathedral.ca

Nov. 23 at 1:00pm: The York Group's Annual General Meeting



All parishioners are warmly invited to attend the York Group's AGM in the Lecture Room. Dean Stephen Hance will be our speaker.

He will address the topic "*What I learned from the Church of England*".

There will be a short business agenda with a light lunch, followed by a time of fellowship. Please RSVP to info@stjamescathedral.ca or by calling 416-364-7865, Ext. 221 to register.

Until Nov. 23 at 4:30pm: Evensong Sermon Series - *A Renewed Church*



As the two-year *Season of Spiritual Renewal* in our Diocese nears its climax in Epiphany 2026, the Cathedral invites the Diocese to a sermon series. At Evensong, we have a sermon series on engaging the topic "*A Renewed Church: What happens when we live out the 'Marks of Mission'*".

Info: stjamescathedral.ca/arenewedchurch

Beginning on Nov. 24 at 7:30pm: Baptism Preparation for Holy Baptism



Holy Baptism will be celebrated on the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, on Jan. 11. Preparation sessions will begin on Nov. 24 and will take place online at 7:30pm each week.

To register, please follow this link:

stjamescathedral.ca/worship/baptism-and-weddings

Once you register, the online meeting link will be sent to you by email.

St. James Drop-In – Updates

Want to give back in a simple and meaningful way?

No skills needed—just a positive attitude!

Call for volunteers: We need a few friendly helpers ready to wipe tables, clean the kitchen, and dry dishes on Fridays.

Paid position: Dishwasher on Fridays - 12:00pm-5:00pm approx.

Info: Kathy Biasi - kbiasi@stjamescathedral.ca, 4163647865 Ext. 222.



Upcoming Events: There's so much happening here at St. James. Join us!

November:

- Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29 at 9:30am: Children's Community Choir Rehearsal (All ages 8-16)
- Nov. 9: Remembrance Services - St. James Cathedral
- Nov. 9-Mar. 22: Catechesis for confirmation. RSVP: stjamescathedral.ca/confirmation/
- Nov. 11 at 10:00am: Remembrance Day - St. James Cemetery
- Nov. 11 at 1:00pm: Recital by Organist Ian Sadler (Stratford, Ontario)
- Nov. 16: FaithWorks Sunday/Refugee Committee Anniversary (after 9:00/11:00am)
- Nov. 18 at 1:00pm: Recital by Organist Imre Olah (Richmond Hill Presbyterian Church)
- Nov. 20 at 1:00pm: Early Music at St. James (St. George's Chapel)
- Nov. 22 from 9:30am to 1:00pm: Music Open House (Celebrating St. Cecilia's Day)
- Nov. 23: Santa Claus Parade – Toronto. Expect road closures. Plan your trip to Church
- Nov. 23 at 1:00pm: The York Group's AGM. Please RSVP: stjamescathedral.ca/agm
- Nov. 24 at 7:30pm: Online Baptism Prep. Sessions. RSVP: stjamescathedral.ca/worship/
- Nov. 25 at 1:00pm: Recital by Organist Peter Nikiforuk (Kitchener)
- Nov. 28 at 6:00pm: Family Fun Night
- Nov. 30 from 4:30pm to 5:30pm: Advent 1 – Lessons & Carols Service

December:

- Dec. 6, 13, 20 at 9:30am: Children's Community Choir Rehearsal. Back on Jan. 10, 2026
- Dec. 6 at 10:00am: Community Playdate. RSVP stjamescathedral.ca/playdate/
- Dec. 9 at 6:30pm: Blue Christmas – A Service of Remembrance and Hope
- Dec. 13 at 7:30pm: *Messiah*. Get tickets here: stjamescathedral.ca/messiahconcert2025
- Dec. 16, 18 & 20: Merry Moments - 30 Min. of Holiday Spirit. More info to come.
- Dec 19 at 7:30pm: Messiaen's "*Nativité*" with organist Rashaan Allwood
- Dec. 21 at 4:30pm: Advent 4 – Christmas Lessons & Carols Service
- Dec. 24 & Dec. 25: Christmas Eve & Christmas Day services. More info to come.

Dec.13 at 7:30pm: *Messiah* - Regular/Patron tickets available. RSVP today.

Join us for our traditional Messiah Concert & celebrate the joy of Christmas with us.



The Choirs of St. James Cathedral and Trinity College, U of T, with the Orchestra of St. James perform *Messiah*.

Patron packages:

\$300 (2 tickets, reserved seating, names in the program, Wine & Cheese, tax receipt of \$170 issued in January).

\$150 (1 ticket, reserved seating, name in the program, Wine & Cheese, tax receipt of \$85 issued in January).

To become a Patron: (416)364-7865 Ext. 258 or

bookkeeper@stjamescathedral.ca or

Regular ticket: \$45 per person

More info: stjamescathedral.ca/messiahconcert2025

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:

The Dean is participating in the Presidential Inauguration at Asbury Theological Seminary this weekend.

The Rev. Matthew Waterman (until Nov. 4).

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.

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: <https://bit.ly/MPatSJC> or scan the QR code. For more information, visit: stjamescathedral.ca/morningprayer/



Tuesday: Organ Recitals at 1:00pm in the Cathedral. Free admission, donations welcome!

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.

Saturday: Children's Community Choir Rehearsal from 9:30am to 10:30am.

Sunday Services – Nov. 9, 2025

8:00am: Said Eucharist

9:00am: Worship Together*

11:00am: Choral Eucharist*

4:30pm: Choral Evensong*

**Live-streamed on the Cathedral YouTube channel at youtube.com/stjamescathedraltoronto*

Readings for

Remembrance Sunday

Hag 1:15b—2:9

Ps 145:1-5, 18-22

2 Th 2:1-5, 13-17

Lk 20:27-38

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