

# ST. MATTHEW'S

The Anglican Church in the Glebe

Fifth Sunday in Lent



# LENT

March 17, 2024

# THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Service Setting:

*Merbecke*

**Prelude:** Bunessan

arr. *David Schack*

**Processional Hymn:** 3 Morning Has Broken

*Bunessan*

## THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

We worship this morning upon the traditional and unceded territory of the Algonquin Anishnaabeg people. **May we live upon this land in peace, truth and love.**

*The service begins on **page 185** of the Book of Alternative Services (BAS).  
The music is taken from the blue book Common Praise.*

**Kyrie:** 678

*Merbecke*

### Collect of the Day

Most merciful God, by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ, you created humanity anew. May the power of his victorious cross transform those who turn in faith to him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God , now and for ever.

## THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

**First Reading:** Jeremiah 31: 31-34

**Psalms** 51: 1-13

*Tone II.1*

**Second Reading:** Hebrews 5: 5-10

**Gradual Anthem:** Adoramus te

*Lassus*

**Gospel Acclamation:** 717

Anyone who serves me must follow me, says the Lord, and where  
I am, there shall my servant be also. *John 12:26*

**The Holy Gospel:** John 12: 20-33

**Sermon:** The Reverend Geoffrey Chapman

**Apostles' Creed** *pg 189*

**Prayers of the People**

**Confession and Absolution** *pg 191*

**The Peace** *pg 192*

## **THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

**Offertory Hymn: 436** I Bind Unto Myself Today *St. Patrick's Breastplate*

**The Prayer over the Gifts**

Eternal God, your only Son suffered death upon the cross to bring the world salvation.  
Accept the praise and thanksgiving we offer you this day, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

**The Great Thanksgiving:** Eucharistic Prayer 2 *pg 196*

**Sanctus: 683** *Merbecke*

**The Lord's Prayer: 684** *Merbecke*

**The Breaking of the Bread** *pg 212*

**The Communion** *pg 213*

**Agnus Dei: 685** *Merbecke*

**Communion Hymn: 65** Here, Lord, We Take the Broken Bread *St. Columba*

**Anthem:** Jesu, Grant Me This I Pray *Orlando Gibbons*

## Prayer after Communion

Merciful God, you have called us to your table and fed us with the bread of life. Draw us and all people to your Son, our savior Jesus Christ.

## The Blessing

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## Announcements

## Recessional Hymn: 506 Lord of All Hopefulness

*Slane*

## Dismissal

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## Postlude: Prelude on an Irish Air

*Carl Simone*

**Musical Notes:** On March 17 we pay homage to our Irish heritage of song and hymnody. All four of the hymns today have their sources in either Gaelic or Irish melodies.

## Liturgical Calendar

Thursday	Mar 21	10:00am	Said Holy Eucharist	4 <sup>rd</sup> Week of Lent
Sunday	Mar 24	8:00am	Said Holy Eucharist	Palm Sunday
Sunday	Mar 24	10:30am	Sung Holy Eucharist	Palm Sunday
Monday	Mar 25	10:00am	Said Holy Eucharist	
Tuesday	Mar 26	10:00am	Said Holy Eucharist	
Tuesday	Mar 26	7:00pm		Stations of the Cross
Wednesday	Mar 27	10:00am	Said Holy Eucharist	
Thursday	Mar 28	12:00pm		Devotional Recital
Thursday	Mar 28	7:00pm		Maundy Thursday
Friday	Mar 29	11:00am		Good Friday
Saturday	Mar 30	8:00pm		Easter Vigil
Sunday	Mar 31	8:00am	Said Holy Eucharist	Easter Sunday
Sunday	Mar 31	10:30am	Sung Holy Eucharist	Easter Sunday

## **Worship Leaders & Volunteers**

8:00am

Celebrant and Preacher: The Reverend Geoffrey Chapman

Server: Cathy Simons

Reader: Mary Glen

*10:30am*

Celebrant: The Reverend Geoffrey Chapman

Honourary Assistant: Katie Tait

Greeters: Sue Rayner and Janice Sonnen

Sidesperson: Marg Terrett

Servers: Leslie Jones

Readers: Veronica Dickson and Georgie Dickson

Communion Ministers: Peter Rider and Catherine Thurlow

Prayers of the People: Reverend Geoffrey Chapman

Prayer Support: Mary Glen and Judy Maxwell

Altar Guild: Janice Sonnen, Dale MacKenzie, Elizabeth MacMillan, Ruth Frayne and Judy

Billingsley (flowers)

Coffee Hour: Claire and John Schofield

The Rev. Geoff Chapman: 613-854-0643, [revgeoffchapman@stmatthewsottawa.ca](mailto:revgeoffchapman@stmatthewsottawa.ca)

Honourary Assistants: The Most Rev. Barry Curtis, The Rev. Katherine (Katie) Tait and The Rev. Dana Rodgers

Director of Music: Dr. Robert Hall

Parish Administrator: Catherine James McGuinty 613-234-4024

Rector's Warden: Charles Nixon

People's Warden: Denis Martel

Deputy Wardens: Debora Fleming and Kevan Pipe

## **Clergy Home Visits**

Our clergy are happy to visit you. To arrange for a home visit with one of our clergy members please contact the office at 613-234-4024.

## **Pastoral Care Emergencies**

For Pastoral Emergencies please contact Rev. Geoff Chapman at 613-854-0643.

## **This Week, Please Pray For:**

**In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer:** The Church in Wales

**In our Diocesan Prayer Calendar:** We pray for Shane, our Bishop, Anne, our Metropolitan, Linda, our Primate, The Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, Sacred Circle, The Ministry of Reconciliation and our National Indigenous Archbishop, The Most Rev. Christopher Harper, The Area Parish of South Carleton, St. John the Baptist, Richmond, The Reverend Allan Budzin and Deacon Tamara Connors.

**In our Parish:** Our Rector, The Reverend Geoffrey Chapman and our Honorary Assistants: The Most Reverend Barry Curtis, the Reverend Katherine Tait and the Reverend Dana Rodgers.

**For those who are in need of our prayers and those who are ill:** Susan, Maureen, Eleanor, James, Grant, Amir, Kathryn, Michael, Tim, Jane, Isabelle, David, Curtis, Ian, Jane, Barbara, Baby Lachlan and his family.

**Please give prayers of thanksgiving for the lives of those who have died, may their souls rest in peace eternal, and may all who mourn know God's comfort and peace.**

- This morning we pray for the faith-filled, generous life of **Arthur Bousquet**, who died to new life, peacefully surrounded by family on March 8, and for God's comfort and loving presence for his devoted children **Antoine, Stephanie, Elizabeth, George** and **Mary**, their families and friends, especially **Jill**.

## **Announcements**

Sunday, April 7, 9:00-10:00am	Inquirers' Course begins
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**New! A Celebration of the life for Arthur Bousquet:** The Bousquet family invites friends and family to join them in celebrating the faith-filled life of Arthur Bousquet, a long-time member of St. Matthew's and an active volunteer in its activities for many years. The service will take place on Saturday, March 23, at 10 am at St. Matthew's Church.

**New! Easter Flowers:** If you would like to make a flower dedication for Easter, please contact the church office before Thursday, March 28th. All the flower dedications will be included in the Easter bulletin.

**Introduction to our Faith and Life Together:** Rev. Geoff will be offering an Inquirers' Course aimed at orienting new members of our parish to the faith and life of our community. Each session will take place on Sunday mornings, beginning with the Second Sunday of Easter on Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am to 10:00am in the chapel. Rev. Geoff will be leading each of these sessions. There will be a reading package accompanying this course. If you are new to this parish, new to the faith, or a long-time member wishing for a deeper understanding of our faith tradition, this course is an excellent opportunity to explore the deep roots of our faith with your fellow parishioners.

April 7<sup>th</sup> - Session 1: Introduction and Overview

April 14<sup>th</sup> - Session 2: The Bible and Its Importance

April 21<sup>st</sup> - Session 3: The History of the Faith

April 28<sup>th</sup> - Session 4: Sacraments and Symbols

May 5<sup>th</sup> - Session 5: Prayer and Worship

May 12<sup>th</sup> - Session 6: The Church's Mission and Service

May 19<sup>th</sup> - Session 7: Christian Ethics and Living

May 26<sup>th</sup> - Session 8: Conclusion and Review

**Creation Matters:** Climate change heat waves, droughts, rising sea levels, and extreme storms disproportionately affect women. In Canada, we do not see this disparity as greatly as we do in developing countries where women are often responsible for growing food for the family. Changes in climate directly influence the success of their crops. Women of the world often live in poverty and lack basic human rights. We must learn to Live Lighter for the whole world.

**Pulse of the Parish Due Dates:** Submissions for the April Pulse are due on March, 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

**Untoast Your Marmalade:** St. Matthew's marmalade is delicious on toast, but its flavour can be enjoyed in many other ways. For instance, it makes a wonderful glazing on ham. To get more ideas on how marmalade can be added to your culinary repertoire, check [www.allrecipes.com/gallery/recipes-with-orange-marmalade](http://www.allrecipes.com/gallery/recipes-with-orange-marmalade), or similar web sites. While supplies last, St. Matthew's marmalade can be purchased at our online Treasures Boutique. Go to [www.auctria.events/stmatthewsboutique.com](http://www.auctria.events/stmatthewsboutique.com).

**This is your Cathedral - April 7 for youth ages 12 to 19:** The Diocese is organizing a youth event to discover Christ Church Cathedral, 414 Spark St. This free event takes place Sunday morning April 7 from 10:30 am to 2:30 pm. Includes lunch and lots of fun (ring the bell, walk the labyrinth, scavenger hunt, etc). You can join for the 10:30 am service or after. We are hoping to have a group from St. Matthews. For information, talk to Roland Kuehn or Denis Martel. For registration, please email Donna Rooke, Animator of Youth Ministry/ YIP at the Anglican Diocese of Ottawa ([donna-rourke@ottawa.anglican.ca](mailto:donna-rourke@ottawa.anglican.ca)).

**Contemplating Creation During Lent:** The next stage of certification of St. Matthew's as a green church, which will add medium green leaves to our tree, calls for individuals, as well as the church as a whole, to take action. During Lent we are collecting a list of things you already do to be a good steward of the environment. We welcome the input of all the parishioners. The ballot form is provided and you are asked to fill it in and deposit in the box labeled "Your Environmental Action Ballots" at the back of the church. We will collect them until Palm Sunday. Look forward to the results at the Souper Sunday in April.

**Christian Meditation:** The Christian Meditation group meets weekly on Wednesdays at 11 AM. We meet on Zoom and occasionally in person, in the chapel. Each meeting begins with a time of informal chatting. At 11:15 we listen to a short, recorded talk by a recognized spiritual guide, followed by 20 minutes of silence and closing prayer. For more information about the group, and/or to receive a Zoom invitation to our meeting, please call Sue Rayner 613-558-7899 or email me at [m.s.rayner@sympatico.ca](mailto:m.s.rayner@sympatico.ca).

**Wednesday Bible Study:** Rev. Geoff hosts a Bible Study over Zoom on Wednesdays at 12:00pm for one hour. You are invited to join the zoom call. The focus of the discussion will be the gospel reading for the upcoming week. Here's the link:  
<https://zoom.us/j/9274494655?pwd=SDg0enV1VXVGTzhDN0E3Q0JxU0lkdz09> Meeting ID: 927 449 4655 Password: 8qTqYJ

**Online Sunday Service:** St. Matthews is live streaming our Sunday Worship Service. The link to this service is:  
[https://youtube.com/channel/UCRKL\\_pwbbZ\\_FN2YFPAVdG1g/live](https://youtube.com/channel/UCRKL_pwbbZ_FN2YFPAVdG1g/live)  
You can watch it live or view it at a later date.

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