

# 4th Sunday of Easter



# WELCOME

If you are visiting, we welcome you into our midst.

Whoever you are and wherever you are on your journey in faith, you are welcome.

It is a blessing to have you worship with us today!

The Parish of the Valley respectfully acknowledges that we gather for worship on the unceded territory of the Algonquin Anishinabeg people.

## LET'S PRAY

**For the Church in the World** we pray for The Nippon Sei Ko Kai.

We pray for our Companion Diocese of Jerusalem. We pray for Linda Nicholls, our Primate, Anne Germond, our Metropolitan, and Mark MacDonald, National Indigenous Archbishop.

**In our Diocese of Ottawa we pray for:**

- For Shane Parker, our Bishop; for Michael Bird, Honourary Assistant Bishop and our Incumbent; for our Associate Incumbents, Matthew Brown, Susan Clifford, and Gillian Hoyer; and for Rick Durrett, Interim Assisting Priest.
- COVID 19 - Pray for all who are affected by this Pandemic.
- For St. Mark the Evangelist, Ottawa, the Parish of Pakenham and for the Chaplain of the Ottawa Fire Department.
- For St. Patrick's, Lower Stafford, part of the Parish of the Valley.

**For the life & members of our Parish of the Valley Community, this week we pray for:**

Brian Phelan, Gene & Susan Phillion, Gilbert & Beverly Pleau, Mark & Lee Ann Plummer, Janet Plummer, and all members of their families.

**For the sick and those who have asked for our prayers ...**

*Alice & Petawawa:* Claire, Stanley, Susan, Brian, Minnie, Al, Dave, Laura, Joan, Darren, Barclay, Laurie, Jannette, Jill, Debbie, Gracie, Kinsley.

*Barry's Bay & Whitney:* Gerry, Patricia, Elspeth, Debra, Mary-Jayne, Violet, Fern, John, Shirley, Karen, Marilyn, Betty, Elva, David, Susie, Freda, Andrew.

*Beachburg:* Ernie, Thyra, Anne, Sandra, Nathan, Bill.

*Killaloe/Tramore & Eganville:* Bob, Sue, Pauline, Jim, Hanna, Scarlett, Toots, May, Denise, Forest, Dwayne, Rosemary.

*Pembroke:* Lois, Doris, Joyce, Peter, Susan, Françoise, Isabel, Bob, Kevin, Anne, Gale, Lomie, Rob, Rolla, Jessie.

*Stafford / Cobden:* Stan, Margaret, Susan, Heather, Ryan, Dakota, Haley, Ruth, Iris, James, Sharon, Dave, Nicholas, Peggy, Carolyn, Hillary, Sharon, Glen, Andrew, John.

# READINGS

APRIL 25, 2021– FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER  
Acts 4:5-12, Psalm 23, 1 John 3:16-24, John 10:11-18

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## UPCOMING READINGS

MAY 2, 2021– FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER  
Acts 8:26-40, Psalm 22:25-31, 1 John 4:7-21, John 15:1-8  
MAY 9, 2021– SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER  
Acts 10:44-48, Psalm 98, 1 John 5:1-6, John 15:9-17

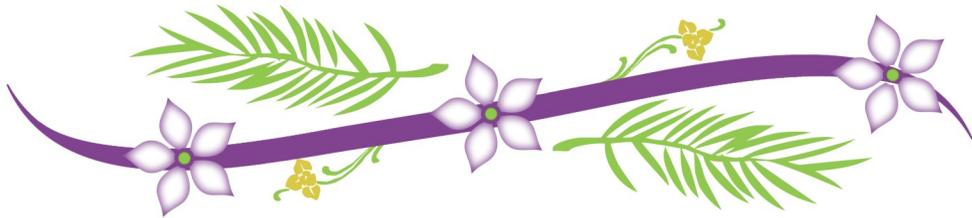
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## OFFERINGS

Please continue to make your regular offerings, as our major expenses continue during this time of pandemic. All members of the Parish of the Valley are encouraged to mail in weekly offerings (cash or cheque), sign up for Pre-Authorized Remittances (PAR), or give online with credit card using the website *Canada Helps*. Please see our website for a list of church and treasurer mailing addresses and online giving information.

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## IN PERSON SERVICES TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED



THE SHEPHERD IS GOOD  
BECAUSE HE "LAYS  
DOWN HIS LIFE FOR HIS  
SHEEP." I LIKE THAT.



WWW.AGNUSDAY.ORG

YES, AND BECAUSE HE  
HAS THE POWER TO  
TAKE IT UP AGAIN.



OOOH! THAT IS  
GOOD!



JOHN 10:11-18

# PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

## **Physically, yet never spiritually distanced.**

In the midst of countless service and activity suspensions in Anglican churches across the country, Canadian Anglicans demonstrate their resilience, love for God and love for one another as they forge new pathways of prayer and community through online worship and gathering.

**For Parish of the Valley Online Worship visit:**

<https://www.valleyanglicans.ca/podcasts/media>

**Other Anglican Resources & Services:**

**Online Worship from Christ Church Cathedral Ottawa:**

<https://www.ottawacathedral.ca>

**For Current Health Information:**

Canada: [www.canada.ca/en/public-health](http://www.canada.ca/en/public-health)

Ontario: <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/>

County: [www.rcdhu.com](http://www.rcdhu.com)

**\*\*\*NEW\*\*\*** Covid-19 Vaccine Screening and Consent forms (to take with you when you get vaccinated) are available at the Holy Trinity Church Office for anyone who needs one. Please call Gail at 613-732-4658.

*Cover: Christ as the good shepherd, Lucas Cranach, ca. 1540*

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