

THE VALLEY BULLETIN

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT



Lazarus, Come Out!

MARCH 26TH, 2023

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 traditional Anishinabe Algonquin territory.

LET'S PRAY

For the Church in the World we pray for The Anglican Church of South America. We pray for our Companion Diocese of Jerusalem. We pray for Linda Nicholls, our Primate, Anne Germond, our Metropolitan, and Christopher Harper, National Indigenous Anglican Archbishop.

In our Diocese of Ottawa we pray for:

- † For Shane Parker, our Bishop; for Matthew Brown our Incumbent; for Gillian Hoyer & Nicholas Forte our Associate Incumbents; for Claire Bramma our Assistant Curate, and for our Interim Associate Priests, John Wilker–Blakley and Rick Durrett.
- † COVID 19 - Pray for all who are affected by this Pandemic.
- † For staff at Ascension House, vocations to the priesthood, for all in our diocese living under religious vows, and for the area Parish of the Valley. We pray for all pilgrims from our diocese currently travelling in the land of the Holy One.
- † For the Parish of St. Barnabas, Deep River.

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

Emma Rabishaw, Denise Rikley, Doug, Arlene, Trevor & Justin Riley, Dekota Risser, Marilyn Roberts, and all members of their families.

For those preparing for baptism: Ryker Warmerdam.

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

Alice & Petawawa: Terry, Jim, Arthur Jr., Brittany, Donna, Shawn, Gerry, Vandela, Sharon, Minnie, Peter.

Barry's Bay & Whitney: Anna, Morley, Michael, Cathy, Abigail, Susan, Patricia, Elspeth, Debra, Mary-Jayne, Violet, Fern, Shirley, Marilyn, Betty, David, Susie, Freda.

Killaloe/Tramore & Eganville: Phyllis, Peter, Dorothy, Ethel, Paula, Marilyn, Pauline, Jim, Hanna, Scarlett, Toots, Denise, Forest, Rosemary.

Pembroke: John, Mindy, Molly, Muriel, Stephanie, Cecil, Lynne, Rita, Susan, Ann, Lomie, Jessie.

Stafford / Beachburg/Cobden: Dale, Mike, Gavin, Agnes, Nathan, Margaret, Susan, Ryan, Haley, Ruth, James, Sharon, Dave, Nicholas, Carolyn, Hillary, Sharon, Glen, Ralph, Scott, John, Sharon, Patsy, Holly, Thyra, Anne, Sandra, Nathan, Bill.

READINGS

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Ezekial 37.1-14; Psalm 130; Romans 8.6-11; John 11.1-45

UPCOMING READINGS

April 2, 2023 –Palm Sunday

Matthew 21.1-11; Isaiah 50.4-9a; Psalm 31.9-16; Philippians 2.5-11;

Matthew 26.14-27:66

April 7, 2023-Good Friday

Isaiah 52.13-53.12; Psalm 22; Hebrews 10.16-25; John 18.1-19.42

April 9, 2023 –Easter Sunday

Acts 10.34-43; Psalm 118.1-2, 14-24; Colossians 3.1-4; Matthew 28.1-10

OFFERINGS

Please continue to make your regular offerings. All members of the Parish of the Valley are encouraged to place donations on the collection plate, mail in weekly offerings (cash or cheque), sign up for Pre-Authorized Remittances (PAR), or give online with credit card using *Canada Helps or Tithe.ly*. Please see our website for a list of church and treasurer mailing addresses and online giving information.

SERVICES IN THE PARISH OF THE VALLEY

Palm Sunday, April 2nd, 2023

8 & 10am - Holy Trinity Pembroke

9am - St Anthony's Whitney

9am -Ascension Killaloe

9:30am -St George's South Alice

11am - St John's Eganville

11am - St Paul's Cobden

11am - Epiphany Barry's Bay

11:15am - All Saints Petawawa



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today is **Food Bank Sunday**. Thank you for your donations of non-perishable foods or cash to support the important work of our local food banks.

Rev. Garry Engler, spiritual care coordinator at the Pembroke Regional Hospital, will be offering a 2 hour **Pastoral Care Training Workshop** at Holy Trinity Pembroke this Thursday, March 30th from 12pm to 2pm. A soup lunch will be provided. This session is ideal for anyone interested in learning more about the ministry of pastoral care and pastoral visiting. Please RSVP to Rev. Nick at nickforte@valleyanglicans.ca or by calling 613-629-9498.

The Parish of the Valley clergy team will be leading a **Confirmation Class** this spring during Eastertide (mid-April to early June). Anyone interested in receiving the sacrament of Confirmation, being formally received into the Anglican Communion, or desiring to reaffirm their faith is encouraged to speak with any member of the clergy team. Please help our parish to identify candidates in the next few weeks to assist the clergy team in better planning the format and curriculum for the classes.

Holden Evening Prayer — Wednesdays at 7pm, **St. Timothy's Evangelical Lutheran Church** (503 Alfred Street, Pembroke) — final session March 29th.

Lenten Learning — Weekly Lenten study sessions, Thursdays at 7pm via ZOOM — final session this March 30th.

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