

THE VALLEY BULLETIN

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



MAY 14TH, 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 Church of the Province of West Africa. 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 Priest, Rick Durrett.
- † For the 7 million + souls who succumbed to the Covid19 Pandemic.
- † For our Community Ministries: Belong Ottawa, Centre 105 (Cornwall), Cornerstone Housing for Women, Ottawa Pastoral Counselling Centre, Refugee Ministry.
For Church of the Ascension, Ottawa and Julian of Norwich, Ottawa.
- † For St. Alban the Martyr, Mattawa, part of the Parish of Mattawa.

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

Sandra Sharp, John & Nancy Shaw, Jamie-Lynn Shaw & Adam Brace, Larry & Mary Ellen Shields, David & Susan Shields, and all members of their families.

We pray with thanksgiving for all who identify as mothers on this **Mother's Day**. We also pray for all who have lost their mothers, for those who have lost children, for those who have had difficult relationships with their mothers, and for all who have not been able to become mothers. May God's love embrace us all as we remember the ministry that is mothering.

For those who have died and all members of their families as they grieve:

Margaret Leach, Garnet Foster.

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

Alice & Petawawa: Colette, Scarlett, 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: Anice, Phyllis, Peter, Dorothy, Ethel, Paula, Marilyn, Pauline, Jim, Hanna, Scarlett, Toots, Denise, Forest, Rosemary.

Pembroke: Stephen, George, Margie, John, Mindy, Molly, Muriel, Cecil, Lynne, Rita, Susan, Ann, Lornie, Jessie.

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

READINGS

MAY 14, 2023 –Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 17.22-31; Psalm 66.7-18; 1 Peter 3.13-22; John 14.15-21

UPCOMING READINGS

May 21, 2023 –Ascension Sunday

Acts 1.1-11; Psalm 47; Ephesians 1.15-23; Luke 24.44-53

May 28 , 2023 –The Day of Pentecost

Acts 2.1-21; Psalm 104.25-35, 37; 1 Corinthians 12.3b-13; John 20.19-23

OFFERINGS

We are grateful for your ongoing support of our parish's congregations. Donations can always be placed on the offering plates located at the back of the church, or can be given during the offertory in congregations where an offering plate is passed. To learn more about Pre-Authorized Remittances (PAR), options for e-transfer, or how to donate online with credit card through *Canada Helps* or [Tithe.ly](https://www.Tithe.ly), please visit our website: www.ValleyAnglicans.ca

SERVICES IN THE PARISH OF THE VALLEY

Sunday, May 21st, 2023

- 8 & 10 am - 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 (Morning Prayer)
- 11am - Epiphany Barry's Bay
- 11:15am - All Saints Petawawa

NEWS

The latest issue of our parish newspaper, *Revelations*, is now available for pick-up.

St. Augustine's Chapel, Beachburg (1900 Beachburg Rd.) will hold its first of four services this year tonight at 7pm. Rev. Matthew will preside. All are welcome.

St. Patrick's Lower Stafford will hold its **Annual Plant Sale** beginning Thursday May 18th. The sale is self-serve at the corner of Snake River and Mountain Roads. Over 1000 plants will be available to choose from!

St. George's South Alice (2968 Doran Rd.) will hold a **Community BBQ, Yard & Craft Sale** on Saturday, May 27th from 9am to 2pm. Members of our parish and community can rent a spot to set up a table and sell your own items for only \$10! You keep the proceeds from your sales and at the end of the day you remove all unsold items. St. George's is hosting a freewill BBQ with grilled chicken & pineapple, hamburgers and jumbo hotdogs. There will also be a bake table with squares, cookies, butter tarts and more! For more information, or to rent a table spot, please contact Wanda Hilts at 613-735-4240 or hiltsw@hotmail.com.

There will be an afternoon of Traditional, Celtic and Quebecois music led by the group **Cecilia** at the Micksburg Community Hall (2769 Micksburg Road) on Sunday May 28th from 2pm to 4pm. Tickets \$25; advanced sale only. To purchase call Sam (613-732-9432) or Debbie (613-735-1637).

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