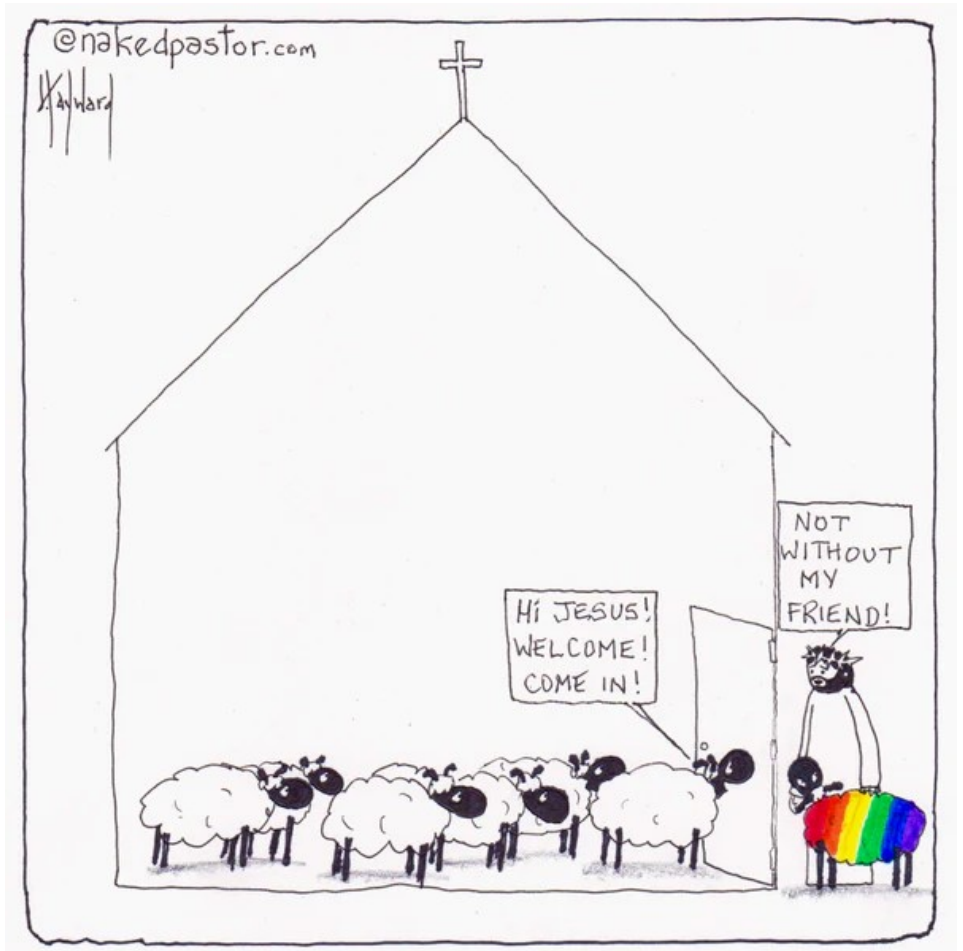


THE VALLEY BULLETIN

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



JUNE 18TH, 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 Australia. We pray for our companion Diocese of Jerusalem. We pray for the Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, Sacred Circle, the ministry of reconciliation and National Indigenous Archbishop, Christopher Harper. We pray for Linda Nicholls, our Primate & Anne Germond, our Metropolitan.

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.
- † St. John the Baptist, Richmond, the Parish of Maberly-Lanark, and all church musicians serving our Diocese.
- † For St Thomas, Rankin, part of the Parish of the Valley.

We pray with thanksgiving for all who identify as fathers on this **Father's Day**. We also pray for all who have lost their fathers, for those who have lost children, for those who have had difficult relationships with their fathers or children, and for those who have not been able to become fathers. May God's love embrace us all as we give thanks for the ministry of fatherhood.

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

Jennifer, Greg, Eva & Simon Splinter, Jean Spriggs, John Stecko, Roger & Karen Steinke, John & Joan Sterling, and all members of their families.

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

McCrea (Mac) McCauley, Allan Massey (brother in law to Orville Kranz).

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

Alice & Petawawa: Scarlett, Terry, Brittany, Donna, Shawn, Gerry, Vandela, Sharon, 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: Sue, Richard, Anice, Phyllis, Peter, Dorothy, Ethel, Paula, Marilyn, Pauline, Jim, Hanna, Scarlett, Toots, Denise, Forest, Rosemary.

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

Stafford / Beachburg/Cobden: Ruby, Janice, Shalynn, 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

JUNE 18, 2023 –Third Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 18.1-15, (21.1-7); Ps 116.1, 10-17; Romans 5.1-8; Matthew 9.35—10.8-23

UPCOMING READINGS

June 25, 2023 – Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 21.8-21; Psalm 86.1-10, 16-17; Romans 6.1b-11; Matthew 10.24-39

July 2, 2023– Canada Day (Observed)

Isaiah 32.1-5, 16-18; Psalm 85.7-13; Colossians 3.12-17; John 15.12-17

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*, please visit our website: www.ValleyAnglicans.ca

SERVICES IN THE PARISH OF THE VALLEY

Sunday, June 25th, 2023

- 8 & 10 am - Holy Trinity Pembroke
- 9am-St Thomas Rankin
- 9am –St John's Tramore
- 9:30am -St George's South Alice
- 11am - St John's Eganville
- 11am - St Paul's Cobden
- 11am - Epiphany Barry's Bay (Morning Prayer)
- 11:15am - All Saints Petawawa
- 7pm - St Augustine's Chapel Beachburg

Upcoming Cemetery Memorial Services

- St. John's Eganville — Today at 11am (in the church)
- St. Stephen's Micksburg — Sunday June 25th at 2pm

NEWS

Today is a **Food Bank Sunday** across the Parish of the Valley. Thank you for your kind donations of non-perishable foods and cash in support of our local food banks across Renfrew County.

All members of the parish are invited to an outdoor prayer service celebrating **National Indigenous Peoples' Day** on Wednesday, June 21st at 4pm at the Eganville Centennial Park Bandshell. The service will include local Indigenous leaders and is being organized by the Eganville and Area Ecumenical Ministerial Group. Rev. Claire, Rev. Matthew and Rev. Nick will all share in the service.

The Alice General Store will host a free **Community Appreciation BBQ** on Thursday, June 22nd from 3pm to 6pm (10679 Round Lake Rd.) Come for fellowship and wonderful free food prepared by the congregation of St. George's South Alice. Donations will be accepted to benefit St. George's.

The Parish of the Valley is delighted to host the **Choir of Christ's College, Cambridge University (UK)** for a very special mid-summer concert as part of their upcoming North American tour: Saturday, July 8th at 7pm in Holy Trinity Church Pembroke (68 Renfrew Street). Tickets are \$25 and can be reserved in advance by emailing office@valleyanglicans.ca or telephoning 613-732-4658. Please note that all ticket payments, including payment for all reserved tickets, will take place at the door on the night of the concert. Payments will be **cash only**. Please reserve your seats early as we anticipate that the concert will be sold out. We are also still searching for **billets** to host choristers in pairs during their visit on the night on July 8th. If you are interested in extending hospitality as a billet please contact Rev. Matthew by calling the above number or by emailing matthewbrown@valleyanglicans.ca.

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