



The ***Giving Our Thanks & Praise Workshop*** coming up on **March 30, 2019**. Explore the theology of stewardship, learning about the *Giving Our Thanks & Praise* Parish Giving Program and *I Intend*, an introductory discipleship program. Parish teams will

leave with the tools to begin implementing the program including a free program guide and workbook. **If you are interested in attending, please speak to Rev. Jonathon.**

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

The Church in the World: We pray for Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America The Rt Revd Julio Murray Thompson, Primate of IARCA and Bishop of Panama.

In Canada: We pray God's blessing on Bishop David Edwards, clergy, and people of the Diocese of Fredericton.

In the Diocese of Ottawa: We pray for John, our Bishop on medical leave, for Michael, our Bishop *pro tem*, and for Jonathon, our Priest. We remember in our prayers the work and ministry of the Refugee Ministry Working Group, and its Chair, Don Smith; and our Diocesan Refugee Ministry Officer, Joyce Couvrette; for the work of The Primate's World Relief and Development Fund, Jane Maxwell, Ottawa representative; and for all parish representatives to PWRDF. We ask God's blessing for St. John's Lutheran Church Pastor Joel Crouse.

Our Mission Partners: We pray for The Ottawa Inner City Ministries – for the Rev. Ken MacLaren, the staff, volunteers and for the people they care for.

Our Local Community We pray for the volunteers of our local satellite Food Cupboard providing food security for local people in need. We ask God's blessing on local Christian churches in Mississippi Mills and on their ministries. We pray for the people and leaders of this town of Almonte and the surrounding communities.

In Our Parish: We pray for comfort and healing for Lucy Poaps, Anne Wheatley, Bill Aird, Bessie Exley, Geneviève Coxon-Marshall, Sally Gentry, and Dorothy Berg.

In Our Parish Cycle of Prayer: We give thanks for and pray God's blessing on our members Duane and Brenda Cole, Thomas and Joanna Coleman, Sharon Crawford, Garry Dalgity and Nancy Deschênes We remember our sponsorship family: Assad, Alsit, Lana and Elias.

Welcome to

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February 24, 2019

Epiphany 7

8:30 a.m. Holy Communion (BCP)

Greeters: Eloise and Jack Caverson

Reader: Jack Caverson

10:30 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST

Greeters: Ron Ayling and Roger Menard

Server: Katrina Ayling

Readers: Judith and Rodney Senior

Prayers: Michael Mavis

Music Director: Wendy Shaw

Organist: John Black

Accompanist: Dan Berg

We ask that you please refrain from wearing perfumes or colognes.

Gluten-free bread is available upon request

We gather today on the traditional and unceded territory of the Algonquin Anishnabe Nation. May we dwell on this land with respect and peace.

This Week's Readings

1st Reading: Genesis 45:3-11, 15 **2nd Reading:** 1 Cor 15:35-38, 42-50

Psalms: 37:1-11, 39-40 (BCP p. 379) **Gospel:** Luke 6:27-38

8:30 a.m. HOLY COMMUNION

According to the *Book of Common Prayer* (BCP), beginning on p.67

Collect for the Day

Almighty God, your Son revealed in signs and miracles the wonder of your saving love. Renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

10:30 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST

According to the *Book of Alternate Services* with Eucharistic Prayer 6

NOTE: The words of the liturgy, the songs and hymns are projected on the screen at the front of the church.

Next Week's Readings

1st Reading: Exodus 34:29-35

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2

Psalms: 99

Gospel: Luke Luke 9:28-36

THIS COMING WEEK AT ST PAUL'S

Monday	6:30 p.m.	Yoga
Tuesday	1:30 p.m.	Contemplative Painting
	2:00 p.m.	Food Cupboard
Wednesday	1:30 p.m.	Contemplative Writing
Thursday	noon	Prayers in the Church
	1:00 p.m.	Contemplative Mixed Media
	4:15 p.m.	Music Team Practice
Friday	10:30 a.m.	Yoga
	1:00 p.m.	Contemplative Photography
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion, BCP (spoken)
	10:30 a.m.	Iona Healing Service with Eucharist, (with music)

*BCP=Book of Common Prayer BAS = Book of Alternate Services BSS = Supplement to the BAS

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Our Ash Wednesday Service this year will be on Wednesday March 6 at 11:00 a.m. All are welcome. *Note that there will be NO soup lunch following. Ecumenical Lenten services and lunch plans are underway with the Ministerial. Stay tuned!*



The outdoor steps down to the Hall (lower yellow doors) are a hazard.

While the cold icy conditions persist, **the upper (main) yellow doors will be open during the week.** To access the Hall, remove boots at the back of the church before proceeding through the church and down the indoor stairs. Thank you.

PRAYER & PRAISE The Ottawa Anglican Cursillo Movement hosts a Prayer & Praise (Ultreya) Church Service here at St. Paul's **TODAY, February 24th from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.** Come enjoy music, faith and community. Everyone Welcome!



WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2019, honouring Women and Children in Slovenia. Hosted by Almonte Baptist Church, 207 Reserve St. with support from other local church communities. **Friday March 1 at 1 p.m. ALL ARE WELCOME.**

Sunday March 10, following the 10:30 a.m. service. Potluck lunch 11:50 a.m. in the church.

Meeting begins at 12:30 p.m. Beverages and snacks will be provided.

Let the office know your email address so you can receive the report electronically (and save a tree!).



Your Palm Crosses from last Year

are needed for use as ashes on Ash Wednesday. **Please bring them to church next Sunday.** Thank You!

System and Laptop Volunteers from the 8:30 am and 10:30 am services who can help out on an as-needed basis. **TRAINING** will be held in the church at **7:00 pm on Thursday February 28th.** Members of the Clergy are strongly encouraged to attend! If interested, please contact Michael Mavis at 613-256-2431.

R3* Group kick-off meeting. Let's get together on **Sunday March 24** at 12 noon for some food and fellowship followed by an open discussion (at about 12:30) on all the ways in which we can repurpose our rectory. Bring your bagged lunch for some fellowship after church.

Let's spend time dreaming together about all the good we can do with our rectory. There's no such thing as a bad idea!

*Rectory Renewal and Refurbishment