

Worship in the Coming Week

Please refer to the list of Holy Week Services

Coming Parish Events and Meetings this Week

Sun, Mar 25 th	5:30pm 6:00pm	Simple Supper Lenten Family Movie "Facing the Giants"
Mon, Mar 26 th	6:30pm	Simple Supper
Tues, Mar 27 th	10:00am 6:30pm	Ladies Bible Study Simple Supper
Wed, Mar 28 th	12noon 6:30pm	Lenten Bible Study Simple Supper
Thurs, Mar 29 th	8:00am 11:00am	Men's Prayer Breakfast Sunrise Assisted Living
Sat, Mar 31 st	6:00pm 9:30am	Seder meal Decorating for Easter

Rev'd Paul's Office Hours for the Coming Week

Monday – 9am – Noon
Tuesday – 9am – Noon
Wednesday – 9am – Noon
Thursday – 9am – 10:30am

Our Lectionary Readings for next Week

1 Corinthians 15:1-11
Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24
Mark 16:1-8

Our Prayer "Starters" for this Week

Almighty God, today I pray for ...

Monday: our faith walk at the start of Holy Week

Tuesday: all seniors and those who care for them

Wednesday: wisdom for those in government decision making

Thursday: Maundy Thursday – Reflection of Christ's final hours and Remembrance of the Victory before us

Friday: Good Friday

Saturday: remembering the Passover and its role in the Christian journey

... in Jesus' name I pray. Amen.

St Augustine's Parish Prayer Cycle:

June Clark & Len Myers;
Marianne Duboy;
Chris Gevaert, Lisa & Mathew Boudreau;
Wendy MacPherson;
Madelyn Schroeder.

Diocese of Huron Prayer Cycle:

St. John-in-the-Wilderness Bright's Grove;
St. Paul's Point Edward & Rev. Kristen Aikman;
Regional Ministry of Strathroy, Parkhill & Kerwood – St. John the Evangelist Strathroy, St. James Parkhill,
St. Paul's Kerwood & Rev. Karen Nelles.

Anglican-Lutheran Cycle of Prayer for Canada:

ACC:
Bishop John Meade, clergy and people of the
Diocese of Western Newfoundland.

ELCIC:
The Assistant to the Bishop and the staff of the Manitoba-
Northwestern Ontario Synod.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday (March 26th, 27th & 28th)
-a simple meal at 6:30pm followed by spoken Evening Prayer at 7pm
Maundy Thursday (March 29th)
-Seder meal at 6pm followed by worship at 7pm
Good Friday (March 30th)
-Good Friday Service at 10am. A Prayer Vigil will begin following the conclusion of the service and continuing until sundown on Saturday.
Easter Sunday (Apr 1st)
-Sunrise Service at Reaume Park (Pillette & Riverside) at 7am
-8am & 10am services at the church

PALM SUNDAY

MARCH 25th, 2018

8 A.M. HOLY COMMUNION

The service of Holy Communion begins on pg 67 in the Book of Common Prayer (BCP).

1st Lesson: *Philippians 2:5-11*

Psalms 31:9-16 (said by alternative verse)

BCP pg365

Gospel: *Mark 11:1-11 & Mark 14:1 – 15:39*

10 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST

Today we gather in the Parish Hall before our worship service begins. The service begins on pg 297 in the green Book of Alternative Services (BAS). Hymns are from the blue "Common Praise" (CP) and Worship Songs from the coil bound Song Book (WS).

Worship Prelude

Gathering of the Community *BAS pg297*

Gospel of the Palms: *Mark 11:1-11*

Blessing of the Palms *BAS pg298*

Procession to the Church

Prayer at the Door of the Church *BAS pg299*

Processional Hymn: "Ride On, Ride On in Majesty" CP#182

Collect of the Day

1st Reading: *Philippians 2:5-11* *Pew Bible pg210*

Psalms 31:9-16 (said by alternative verse) *BAS pg740*

Gradual: "Bless the Lord My Soul" CP#360

Gospel: *Mark 14:1 – 15:39* *A Community Reading*

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Sermon

Nicene Creed *BAS pg 188*

Worship Song: "Lord, I Lift Your Name on High" WS#61

Intercessions "Save us, O Lord, for your mercy is great" *Ann Archer*

BAS pg191

Confession and Absolution

The Peace

Offertory: "My Song is Love Unknown" CP#184

Eucharistic Prayer #3 *BAS pg 198*

The Lord's Prayer *BAS pg 211*

Breaking of the Bread #7 *BAS pg 213*

Communion

Music during Communion

Prayer after Communion

The Doxology *BAS pg 214*

The Blessing

Closing Hymn: "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" CP#551

Dismissal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME TO ST. AUGUSTINE! We are delighted that you have chosen to join us this morning. If this is your first time with us, we wish you a warm welcome and hope that you will feel part of our parish family.

LENTEN OUTREACH PROJECT ... this year, our Lenten outreach project has been focusing upon support to CWF (Canadian World Education Foundation) – and the Learning Centre to be built in the small village of Boma Ng’ombe, Tanzania. We know that **Solar panels** are required to provide the needed electricity to run 20 computers, 20 light bulbs and a charging telephone, and **St. Augustine’s Lenten Goal** ... to raise the funds for the purchase of the minimum number of solar panels ... **HAS BEEN MET!** But that doesn’t mean our work is done. Our lights have been lit, but we are going to keep raising funds so that those lights in Tanzania can burn even longer each night with more panels and batteries than we had originally hoped for. That means that donations are still welcome and will be accepted right up until Easter Sunday. So *“let us [keep walking] in the light as he himself is in the light and we will [continue to] have fellowship with others” (1 John 1:7)* this Lenten season. Congratulations St Augustine’s. Keep up the amazing work!

LENTEN SERIES ON SUNDAY EVENINGS ... This week – the movie *“Facing the Giants”*. Simple supper at 5:30pm followed by the movie at 6pm.

PALM SUNDAY BAKE SALE – Let the ACW do your Easter baking! Bake sale following the services this morning. Proceeds will go towards the outreach projects of the ACW.

EASTER FLOWERS ... the Altar Guild will be ordering lilies and other flowers to decorate the church at Easter. If you would like to donate one in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving, please complete the order form provided earlier (extra copies on the reception counter) – deadline is this morning. We are invited to join the *Altar Guild in decorating the church for Easter on Saturday morning, 9:30am to noon* ... all are very welcome!

ANNOUNCEMENTS cont’d

PAINT NIGHT! Here at St. Augustine on Friday, April 13th at 7pm. This is a fundraiser for our youth who will be attending CLAY in Thunder Bay this summer. Tickets are \$45 and include all supplies, beverages and snacks. Tickets available from the office or speak with Rev. Paul or Cynthia.

PARKING REQUEST ... for those of us driving to church, Parish Council is asking that we park in the “north” parking lot if at all possible. Thank you!

DEANERY GOLF TOURNAMENT ... Wednesday, June 20th at Seven Lakes Championship Golf Course. Registration forms will be available soon ... save the date!

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK ... *Today’s gospel gives us a good chunk of THE STORY, which we call our story. How much of THE STORY is familiar to you? A faithful steward has more than a passing knowledge of it*



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