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August 27, 2017

The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

Priest:	The Rev'd Andreas Thiel
Deacon:	The Rev'd Cathy MacKendrick
Pastoral Musician:	Michael Ricketts

Prelude: Pastorale (J. Linker)
Processional: #388 Glorious Things of The Are Spoken
Gathering of the Community p. 185
Collect of the Day

Troclamation of the Word

First Reading: Isaiah 51:1-6	
Psalm #138	p. 895
Second Reading: Romans 12:1-8	
Gospel: Matthew 16:13-20	
Homily	
Anthem: Make Us One (S. DeFord)	
The Apostles' Creed	p. 189
Prayers of the People	
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The Peace	

Celebration of the Eucharist

Offering Hymn: #525 The Church's One Foundation

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer: # 2	.196
The Lord's Prayer	
Breaking of the Bread: #1 p.	.212

Communion Procession: All Who Hunger (Dunstan-Moore)

Prayer after Communion

Doxology and Blessing p.214

Parish Announcements

Recessional Hymn: #502 You Are Salt for the Earth

Postlude: Trumpet Tune (J. Linker)

Welcome visitors – We are blessed you are with us. Please let us know how we can serve you. If you desire, there are "Visitor's Envelopes" on the table in the narthex (foyer) for your use.

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God

and in honour of the 31st anniversary of Mary Louise and Gordon Drake.

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantors: Beth Felet, Margaret Kissau, Danielle Richer, Nicole Sussens, Mary Grace Weir Server: Sabrina Weir Intercessor: Jean Muhleisen Lector: Jen McAlpine Collection Supervisor: Patti Weir Communion ministers: Alisa Yednoroz, Cora Braidford, Andy Hahn Sidespersons: Patti Weir, Andy Hahn Fellowship Hour: volunteers Green Team (August 28 – Sept 3): Richer/Finlayson Family

Scripture Readings for Sunday, September 3, 2017 – Jeremiah 15:15-21; Ps. 26:1-8; Romans 12:9-21; Matthew 16:21-28.

Special Lecture: Islamic View of Christianity, August 30, 7 pm (Parish Hall) with Dr. Sushil Jain. All are welcome.

Would You Like a Pastoral Visit? – Please contact Rev'd Andreas (519-969-1510, church; 226-345-5085, cellphone) to arrange a convenient time.

People Who Are III or in Hospital – If you know of someone who is in hospital, please let Rev'd Andreas or Rev'd Cathy (519 966 5729) know so that they might have a pastoral visit.

Coffee hour co-ordinator - after several years, Jen McAlpine is stepping aside from this role. Thank you Jen! We'd appreciate having someone to co-ordinate our Sunday morning coffee/fellowship time. If you're able to help with this, please speak with Rev'd Andreas or the churchwardens.

Marlborough Breakfast Program – On St. Matthew's Day in September, your loose change, bills or cheques will be gratefully received to provide the children at Marlborough Public School with a hot breakfast every Monday during the upcoming school year. Thanks for supporting this ministry.

Backpacks – School supplies are on sale! Now is the time to pick up those backpacks and coloured pencils. Last year we took about 10 pounds of coloured pencils into the Detention Centre. Can we do even more this year? Thanks for being a blessing to the forgotten.

Craft Guild Meetings – We are holding our weekly Thursday night sessions, 6:30 - 9:30 pm, throughout the summer. <u>Our last Thursday session on August 31</u>. The next weekend session is this Friday, Aug 25 6:30 - 9:00 pm, and Saturday August 26, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm.

The Craft Guild is looking for donations of the following items: small **baby food jars**, fat quarter sized fabric (non-Christmas), battery-operated **tea lights**, **sea glass** in green shades, new **large coffee or tea mugs** (need not be Christmas), **single servings** of hot chocolate, Keurig/Tassimo pods, individually-wrapped biscotti etc., **mini chocolate bars**, lollipops, tootsie pops etc., (e.g., Hallowe'en candy), new large **toy trucks** (think Tonka[©] but cheap versions), broken **umbrellas**, any size or colour. We also need people willing to do some **sewing** – patterns and fabric provided, and **cash** – to buy bulk candy later in the year. If you can help, contact Beth Felet (519-969-3035 <u>efelet@cogeco.ca</u>) or Danielle Richer (519-972-9058 <u>madricher@yahoo.com</u>).