St. Matthew's Church, Windsor, Ontario

"We are called to share God's love as we welcome and care for our community" www.saintmatthewswindsor.ca (519) 969-1510

April 23, 2023

The Third Sunday of Easter

We gather for worship on the traditional lands of the Three Fires Confederacy of First Nations, which includes the Ojibwa, the Odawa, and the Potawatomie

Presider: The Rev'd Andreas Thiel

Deacon: The Rev'd Cathy MacKendrick

Deacon: The Rev'd Glenda Fisher

Pastoral Musician: Michael Ricketts

Please Note: Free-offerings may be placed in the collection plate at the rear of the church.

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Prelude: We Behold the Risen Lord (C. Callahan)

Processional: The Day of Resurrection (Blue Book #205)

Presider: Opening Sentences and Collect for Purity

Glory to God (Green Book p. 186)

Collect of the Day

Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Acts 2: 14a, 36-41

Psalm #116: 1-3, 10-17 (Green Book p. 864)

Second Reading: 1 Peter 1: 17-23

Gospel: Luke 24: 13-35

Homily

Anthem: Christ is Risen, Christ is Living (A. Lovelace)

Apostles' Creed (Green Book p.189)

Prayers of the People Response: Led by the Choir

Confession and Absolution (Green Book p.191)

The Peace

Offertory Hymn: Sing a New Song (Blue Book #312)

The Celebration of the Eucharist

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer #3 (Green Book p.198)

The Lord's Prayer (Green Book, p.211)

Breaking of the Bread: #8 Lamb of God

* Please indicate if you require a gluten-free communion wafer

Communion Hymn: Come and Eat this Bread (Marty Haugen)

Prayer after Communion and Doxology (Green Book, p.214)

Parish Announcements

Recessional: Alleluia No. 1 (Blue Book #405)

Postlude: Praise Him! Praise Him! (C. Callahan)

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.

Scripture readings for Sunday, April 30, 2023 – Acts 2: 42-47; Ps. 23; 1 Peter 2:

19-25; John 10: 1-10

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Lector: MaryGrace Weir Intercessor: Ann Hucal

Cantors: Beth Felet, Jane Patterson Clarinet: Gordon Drake

Communion Minister: Bill McAdam

Sidesperson: Flora Smith **Collection Counter:** Gail Henderson

Collection Supervisor: Deb French

Marlborough Breakfast Programme - Patti Paraschak, Roger Wurdemann, Louise

Davis Muffins: Louise & Mary Davis

Outreach Ministries – Remember your gifts to Hiatus House, our Food Cupboard, the Marlborough Nutrition Programme, and the ministry to the Southwest Detention Centre.

St. Matthew's Photo Directory 2023 – Mark your calendars, photo shoots coming from June 20 to 24. For information, call Jen at 519-551-7012.

St. Matthew's Choir – If you are interested in joining the choir, please contact our Pastoral Musician, Michael Ricketts, at 519-996-1049.

Parish Hall Use – There are two Al-Anon groups meeting in the Parish Hall (Sunday, 7-9 pm, and Wednesday, 11:30 am - 2 pm). Thank you for respecting confidentiality and not entering the hall at those times.

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

People Who Are Ill and/or in Hospital – If you know of someone who is in hospital, please let our clergy or churchwardens know so that they might have a pastoral visit.