

# St. Matthew's Anglican Church

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March 2, 2014

## *Last Sunday after Epiphany The Transfiguration of the Lord*

*Presider:* The Rev'd Andreas Thiel  
*Deacon:* The Rev'd Cathy MacKendrick  
*Organist:* Michael Ricketts

Prelude: Fuga (T. Dupuis)

Processional: # 374 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus

The Gathering of the Community.....p. 185

Collect of the Day

Children's Focus

### *The Proclamation of the Word*

First Reading: Exodus 24: 12-18

Psalm #2 p.705 (said)

Second Reading: 2 Peter 1: 16-21

Gospel: Matthew 17: 1-9

Homily

Anthem: Christ Be Our Light (B. Farrell)

Apostles' Creed ..... p. 189

Prayers of the People

Response – **Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer**

### *The Celebration of the Eucharist*

Offering Hymn: Songs of Praise, Bk 1, #29 God of Endless Life Unfolding

### *The Great Thanksgiving*

Eucharistic Prayer # 2..... p. 196

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread: #1 .....p. 212

*Presider:* "I am the bread of life," says the Lord.  
"Whoever comes to me will never be hungry;  
whoever believes in me will never thirst."

All: **Taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are they who trust in him!**

Communion Procession: Now in This Banquet (M. Haugen)

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Recessional Hymn: # 166 We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding

Postlude: Andante (T. Dupuis)

**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.

**Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:**

**Cantors:** Nicole Sussens, Kim MacKendrick

**Lectors:** Alisa Yednoroz, Sue Bernard

**Sidespersons:** Pat Lown, Joyce Durocher, Bob Kissau, Chuck Boyd

**Communion Ministers:** Carole Lawn, Paul Allsop, Alisa Yednoroz

**Servers:** Ted Felet, Erica Rossi

**Intercessor:** Jennifer McAlpine

**Collection Supervisor:** Paul Finlayson

**Hospitality:** Alisa Yednoroz

**Marlborough School Breakfast Program** – Carole Lawn, Kim Sussens, Cathy MacKendrick.  
Baking muffins: Bev Chantler and Gwen Allsop (for March Break).

**Scripture readings for Sunday, March 9, 2014** – Genesis 2: 15-17, 3:1-7; Ps. 32; Romans 5:12-19; Matthew 4: 1-11.

**Upcoming Sunday’s scripture readings** – Please consider coming to St. Matthew’s on Wednesday at 10:00 am, for a weekly opportunity to engage in conversation about the upcoming Sunday’s scripture readings.

**Wednesday evening sessions in Lent** ("Our Story, Our Calling") – will be offered on March 12, 19, 26 and April 2, from 7:30 to 8:30 pm. All are welcome.

**Contacting Rev’d Andreas** - if you have a concern of any kind that you would like to discuss with Rev’d Andreas please call him at 226-345-5085 to arrange a time to get together for a conversation.

**People who are ill and/or in hospital** – If you know of someone who is in hospital, please let either Rev. Andreas or Rev. Cathy (519 966 5729) know so that they might have a pastoral visit from the clergy.

**Outreach Ministries** – Remember your gifts to Hiatus House, the Downtown Mission, the Marlborough Breakfast Programs, and the ministry to the Windsor Jail.

**Forward Day by Day** – the latest edition of this is available on the table in the Narthex – small donations are appreciated.

**Out of the Cold Ministry** – for the homeless at the Downtown Mission. Please see the form in the Parish Hall for opportunities to participate.

**Windsor Jail Ministry** – looking for: paperback books, Sudoku & Find-A-Word puzzle books, dictionaries, colouring books, non-toxic crayons, dice, jigsaw puzzles (100-300 pieces), decks of cards, unused greeting cards–valentines, birthday, anniversary, thinking of you & blank. We will be purchasing stamps. Thanks for your support of this valuable ministry.

**Craft Guild** – A printout of the crafts that we wish to pursue this year is in the narthex. Included with the pictures is a list of items that we will require to complete those projects. If you have any of the items listed and would like to donate them, please let Beth Felet know ([mickey@uwindsor.ca](mailto:mickey@uwindsor.ca) or 519-969-3035). If you borrow the printout, please return it to the narthex table when you are finished so that others have the chance to look. We will meet the third Friday/Saturday of each month where at all possible, and we welcome the whole parish community (and their friends too!) to join us.

**World Day of Prayer** – Friday March 7<sup>th</sup>, this World Day of Prayer service, designed by women from Egypt, will be held at 2 pm at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church at Mt. Royal and Cousineau Road. Our participants will be Jen McAlpine and Pauline Patterson. **Everyone is encouraged to participate.**

**Soup's on!** – St. Matthew's is looking for your favourite soup recipes. Submit them by email to Sandra Hall ([shalljeffrey@cogeco.ca](mailto:shalljeffrey@cogeco.ca)) or deposit them in the box in the narthex (please make sure your printing/writing is legible so that we don't get it wrong). We will be publishing a cookbook so that the St. Matthew's family can all enjoy our tasty soups. For legal reasons, if your recipe is directly from another cookbook, please alter it in some way (add another seasoning, etc.) to make it your own. Deadline for submissions is April 30, 2014.

**Bring your plastic milk bags** – we will continue to collect plastic milk bags for the ladies of St. Stephen's ministry of woven mats for Third World Countries. Thanks, Margaret Kissau.

**Pancake Supper** – Don't forget to join the crowd on **Tuesday March 4 starting at 4:30 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.** in the church hall for the BEST pancake supper in town. All-you-can-eat pancakes, sausages, bacon, desserts and drinks. Adults \$8.00; Children (5-12, \$4.00; under 5, FREE). Bring your family and friends.

**Update from Parish Council** – January was a difficult month for the parish finances; we spent over an additional \$1,100 on snow removal and salting. Donations in the month (\$8,950) were below our average monthly budget of \$11,000, finishing January with a deficit of \$2,782. Our meetings are usually held the second Wednesday of the month, starting at 7:30 pm in the choir room, and everybody is welcome to attend. **Next meeting: March 12.**