



St. Matthew's Anglican Church



"We are called to share God's love as we welcome and care for our community."

Address:

St. Matthew's Anglican Church
1600 Norfolk St.
Windsor, Ontario
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Sunday Services

8:00 am said Holy Eucharist
10:00 am Holy Eucharist
with the Choir
Fellowship Hour to follow

The Rev'd Gilles Haché is
in office by appointment.

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The Last Sunday after Epiphany
Transfiguration Sunday
February 15, 2026



Rector: The Reverend Gilles Haché
Liturgical Musician: Michael Ricketts

"With gratitude for all stewards of the land, past, present and future, we acknowledge that the St. Matthew's community gathers on the traditional territory of the Three Fires Confederacy of First Nations, which includes the Ojibwa – keepers of the faith; the Odawa – keepers of trade; and the Potawatomie – keepers of the fire."

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

Prelude: Andante Con Moto (Warlock-Lloyd)

Processional: As We Gather at Your Table

Blue Book #61

The Gathering of the Community

Collect of the Day

Green Book p. 185

Green Book p. 418

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Exodus 24:12-18

Psalm: # 2

Green Book p. 705

Second Reading: Peter 1:16-21

The Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

Homily

Commissioning of Lay Ministers

The Apostles' Creed

Green Book p.189

Prayers of the People

Response: Hear our prayer

Confession and Absolution

Green Book p.191

The Peace

The Celebration of the Eucharist

Offertory: We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding

Blue Book #166

Prayer Over the Gifts

Green Book p. 418

Eucharistic Prayer #2

Green Book p. 196

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord

Blue Book #735

The Lord's Prayer

Green Book p. 211

The Breaking of the Bread #2

Green Book p. 212

Jesus, Lamb of God

Blue Book # 747

Communion Procession: Let Us Be Bread (T. Porter)

Prayer After Communion

Green Book p. 419

Doxology

Green Book p. 214

Recessional: Lord, the Light of Your Love Is Shining

Blue Book 460

Postlude: Shine, Jesus, Shine (Arr. J. Carter)

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 at the back.

The flowers in the Sanctuary and by the organ are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Yvonne, mother of Rev’d Gilles, in occasion of the anniversary of her passing, by Gilles Haché and Denis Authier

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantor: Danielle Richer

Clarinet: Gordon Drake

Intercessor: The Rev’d Cathy MacKendrick

Lectors: Mary Grace Weir, Danny Yascheshyn

Communion Ministers: Kyle Reeves, Bill McAdam

Collection Supervisor: Rosanne Herold

Sidespersons: Louise Davis, Deb French

Church Nurse (by appointment): Mary Louise Drake

Marlborough School Breakfast: Happy Family Day!

Next Sunday’s Readings, February 22, 2026 – Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-7; Ps. 32; Romans 5:12-19; Matthew 4:1-11.

Community Announcements

Pancake Supper – This Tuesday, February 17, 4:30-7:00 pm. Bring your friends and family. Free-will donations gratefully accepted.

Ash Wednesday Services – February 18, 11:00 am and 7:30 pm. Holy eucharist with Imposition of Ashes.

Lenten Soup Lunches – Every Sunday in Lent, after the 10 am service in the church hall. Sign up to volunteer with set-up and cleaning, bring a pot of soup, bread or butter. Free-will donations going to support Alongside Hope (formerly PWRDF).

Reflection of the Week

Sunday, February 15

There are moments in our faith when God allows us to see more clearly, not because the world has changed, but because we are being changed. The Transfiguration is one of those moments. Jesus leads Peter, James, and John up the mountain, and there, in a burst of light, they glimpse His true glory. It is a moment of awe, beauty, and holy clarity. For us at St. Matthew's, this Gospel speaks directly to who we are and who we are becoming. Our mission: "We are called to share God's love as we welcome and care for our community". This is not simply a statement on paper. It is a way of living that requires us to see Christ clearly, so that we can reflect His light to others. The disciples wanted to stay on the mountain, to hold onto the moment of glory. But Jesus leads them back down, back into the world of need, confusion, and ordinary life. In the same way, in our encounters with Christ, either in prayer, in worship, or in our community, we come down and we gather so that we can be sent. We are welcomed by Christ so that we can welcome others. We are cared for by God so that we can care for our neighbours. The light we receive on the mountain is meant to shine in Windsor, in our homes, in our workplaces, and in every corner of our community. As we stand at the doorway of Lent, this Gospel invites us to listen again to the Father's voice: "This is my beloved Son... listen to Him."

Take-Home Questions for This Week:

1. How is Jesus inviting me to "come down the mountain"?
2. Where in my daily life is He calling me to bring His presence more intentionally?
3. How can I help St. Matthew's live our mission more fully?
4. Who in my life needs the light of Christ right now and what simple act of kindness or compassion can I offer them?

**Blessings to you and yours,
Gilles+**

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