

The Third Sunday after Epiphany

Presider: The Rev. Andreas Thiel
Deacon: The Rev. Cathy MacKendrick
Organist: Michael Ricketts

Prelude: Andante (C.V. Stanford)

Processional: #397 Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness

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

Collect of the Day

Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Isaiah 9:1-4

Psalms #27: 1, 5-13

Second Reading: I Corinthians 1:10-18

Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23

Homily

Anthem: Follow Me! (Fisherman Peter) (Spiritual arranged by J. Carter)

Apostle's Creed p. 189

Prayers of the People Response – **Lord, have mercy**

Celebration of the Eucharist

Offering Hymn: # 430 Will You Come and Follow Me

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer # 3..... p. 198

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread: #6p. 213

Presider: We break the bread of life,
And that life is the light of the world.

All: **God here among us,
light in the midst of us,
bring us to light and life.**

Communion Procession: In Unity and Peace (J. Chepponis)

Prayer after Communionp.214

Recessional Hymn: Bk 1, #26 City of God

Postlude: Trumpet Tune (F. Ashton)

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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 celebration of Erica Rossi’s 13th birthday from her loving family. **The Flowers on the Organ** are given to the glory of God and in celebration of Max’s 4th birthday and Ella’s 2nd birthday this week by Katie and Andy Hahn.

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantors: Nicole Sussens, Danielle Richer, Beth Felet, Jane Patterson, Kim MacKendrick
Gordon Drake

Clarinet:

Server: Matt Bulley Lectors: Matt Bulley, Shirley Cantle

Sidespersons: Chuck Boyd, Joyce Durocher, Shirley Cantle

Communion Ministers: Vicky Paraschak, Mike Chantler, Doug Warford

Intercessor: Hal Sullivan Collection Supervisor: Paul Finlayson

Hospitality: Shirley Cantle

Marlborough School Breakfast Program: Jennifer McAlpine, Sue Bernard, Cathy MacKendrick. Making Muffins – Sue Bernard

Scripture readings for Sunday, February 2nd 2014: Malachi 3:1-4, Ps. 84, Hebrews 2:14-18, Luke 2:22-40

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.

Contacting Rev’d Andreas - if you have a concern of any kind that you would like to discuss with 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, could you 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 of St. Matthew’s – Remember your gifts to Hiatus House, the Downtown Mission, the Marlborough Breakfast Programs, and the ministry of the chaplain of the Windsor Jail.

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

Kitchen Cleanup – On **Tues. Jan. 28th** we will be having a get-together at 10:30 am in our Parish Hall to discuss de-cluttering our kitchen and hopefully to make arrangements to do a good cleaning before our pancake supper on March 4th. All are invited (men & women) to attend–coffee, tea & maybe timbits will be provided. Please come, even if it’s just for a coffee and a visit.

Talent Night Thank You – Thank you to all who entertained us with their numerous talents at our 4th annual talent show and potluck dinner on Jan. 18th, and to all who were able to attend and share in the fun.

World Leprosy Day – **Today** is World Leprosy Day. There are brochures in the Narthex for you to consider.

There is also a DVD which explains this organization's functions. If you borrow it, please bring it back for someone else to view.

Vestry Meeting: The Vestry Meeting is **Feb. 2, 2014** after the 10:00 service. Please come for a light lunch, and to discuss the upcoming reports and budgetary concerns for this year.

Journey Newsletter Deadline – Deadline for submission of contributions is Sunday Feb. 2, 2014 at 11:00 am. Please send all materials to Shirley (davidcandle@sympatico.ca) or Irene (Irene.savva@bell.net) or deposit in the box provided in the Narthex. Thank you!

Games Night – Saturday Feb. 8th will be our next family and friends event. Join us at 5 p.m. for a pot luck dinner, followed by a fun evening of playing games. Please come out with your games, cards, etc. to share with everyone. Invite a friend or two. This is always loads of fun. Remember, the parish that plays together, stays together. Any questions, please call Jen at 519-948-1457.

Our Suffragan Bishop, The Rt. Rev'd Terry Dance, will be leading worship at St. Matthew's on **Sunday, February 16, 2014**. Please note that there will be one service only, at 10:00 am. Bishop Terry will be preacher and celebrant for this special service.

Pancake Supper Convener Needed – I had expected to be coordinating the Pancake supper again next year, but I shall be away from town for the event. Shrove Tuesday is March 4th 2014. I am asking anyone or group to volunteer to take this job on. It is an enjoyable one and all falls into place, as we have a book of instructions. I was pleasantly surprised as to the number of folks who had been around for many years with lots of experience and made the momentous task easier than I believed it could be. Please help out, it is Fun. Thanks from Shirley Candle