

*St. Matthew's Church, Windsor, Ontario*  
**"We are called to share God's love  
as we welcome and care for our community"**

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February 24, 2019

*The 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany*  
**"Hymn Sing Sunday"**

Presider: The Rev'd Andreas Thiel  
Deacon: The Rev'd Cathy MacKendrick  
Deacon: The Rev'd Glenda Fisher  
Pastoral Musician: Michael Ricketts

Prelude: Prelude on 'Abbot's Leigh'(C. Callahan)

Processional: We Sing Praises

We sing praises to your name, O Lord,  
Praises to your name, O Lord,  
For your name is great and greatly to be praised. (*repeat*)

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Gathering of the Community & Responsive Call to Worship

Presider: It is good to praise the LORD and make music to your name, O Most High;

**All: to proclaim your love in the morning and your faithfulness at night,**

Presider: to the music of the ten-stringed lyre and the melody of the harp.

**All: For you make me glad by your deeds, O LORD;**

**I sing for joy at the works of your hands.**

Presider: How great are your works, O LORD, how profound your thoughts!

**All: You, O LORD, are exalted forever.**

Hymn of Praise: #416 All Things Bright and Beautiful

Collect of the Day

*Praising God Through Word & Music*

Scripture Reading: Luke 6:27-38

Spoken Reflection

Hymn: #418 Draw the Circle Wide

Hymn: #522 Rock of Ages

Collect

Hymn: #525 The Church's One Foundation

Hymn: Welcome, Happy Morning (see insert)

Collect

Hymn: # 656 She Comes Sailing on the Wind

Collect

Hymn: O God, You Search Me (see insert)

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Offering Hymn #509 Precious Lord, Take My Hand

Prayer over the Gifts

Prayers of the People      Response: **Hear our prayer**

The Lord's Prayer (sung)

Hymn: Day Is Dying in the West (see insert)

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Parish Announcements

Recessional Hymn: Thank you, Lord (see insert)

Postlude:    March in 3                      (C. Callahan)

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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).

The **flowers in the Sanctuary** are given to the Glory of God and in honour of Alison Drake, by her grandparents Mary Louise and Gordon Drake

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

**Server:** Sabrina Weir

**Intercessor:** Ann Hucal

**Lector:** Robert Weir

**Collection Supervisor:** Mark Goldspink

**Sidespersons:** Don & Pauline Patterson, Ed Levergood, Mark Goldspink

**Marlborough Breakfast:** Scott Richie, Shelley Donovan, Cathy MacKendrick;

**muffins:** Shelley Donovan

**Scripture readings for Sunday, March 3, 2019** – Exodus 34:29-35; Ps 99; 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2; Luke 9: 28-36.

**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 either Rev'd Andreas or Rev'd Cathy (519 966 5729) know so that they might have a pastoral visit.

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

**89<sup>th</sup> Scouting Group** – there are fundraising opportunities as the Scouts prepare themselves for this year's Pacific Jamboree. (See the info sheet on the table in the Narthex.) Thank you for your support!

**World Day of Prayer** this year is being held at **Glenwood United Church**. The service begins at **1:30 pm** on **Friday March 1st**. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy the service which is uniquely different every year from our fellow Christians from other parts of the world. This year the service has been developed by the committee in **Slovenia**. It is an annual service that Christians from various denominations gather to worship together which is always a delight.

**Sunday, March 3** – please join us as we formally acknowledge our covenant with St. Matthew's new deacon, the Rev'd Glenda Fisher, at the 10 am service. **There will be no 8:30 service on March 3.**

**Sunday Lenten Series** (Mar. 10 - Apr. 14) See bulletin insert.