

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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October 22, 2023

Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost

*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*

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

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

Prelude: How Beautiful (Paris-Carter)

Processional: We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise (Kirk Dearman)

Gathering of the Community

Hymn of Praise: God, Your Glorious Presence)

Collect of the Day

Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Isaiah 45:1-7

Psalm: 96: 1-923

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10

Gospel: Matthew 22: 15-22

Homily

Anthem: Not to Us, Lord (C. Walker)

Apostles' Creed

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

Confession and Absolution

The Peace

Offertory: Seek Ye First

The Celebration of the Eucharist

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer #1

The Lord's Prayer

The Breaking of the Bread #3

Presider: Creator of all, you gave us golden fields of wheat, whose many grains we have gathered and made into this one bread

All: **So may your church be gathered from the ends of the earth into your kingdom.**

Lamb of God

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

Communion Procession: Within the Reign of God (M. Haugen)

Prayer after Communion and Doxology

Parish Announcements

Recessional: King of Love, O Christ, We Crown You #451

Postlude: Spirit Song (Wimber-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 in the narthex/foyer.

Scripture readings for Sunday October 29, 2023 – Leviticus 19: 1-2, 15-18; Ps 1; 1
Thessalonians 2: 1-8; Matthew 22: 34-46

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantors: Laura Lavoy, Jane Patterson

Lector: Grace Lavoy **Intercessor:** Jen McAlpine

Communion Ministers: Alisa Yednoroz, Nadine Donlon

Sidespersons: Flora Smith, Deb French

Collection Supervisor: Carol Caverzan

Fellowship Hour Hosts: Thank-you Lunch - St. James' friends

Marlborough Breakfast Programme: Cooks: Mark & Audrey Goldspink, Sue Trenhaile

Muffins: Sue Trenhaile

Church Nurse: Mary Louise Drake

Community Announcements

All Saints' Liturgy, Nov. 5 – Names of our departed loved ones may be printed in the ‘Book of the Names of the Dead’ located at the front of the church, for inclusion in our service on Nov. 5.

Tourtières – HELP NEEDED for the various stages of production:

Dough rolling: Monday Oct 23, and Monday Oct 30, starting at 10 am.

Cooking the filling: Monday Oct 23, Thursday Oct 26, and Monday Oct 30 starting at 9 am.

Pie assembly: Tuesday Oct 24, Friday Oct 27 & Tuesday Oct 31 at 10am.

Job descriptions and sign-up sheets will be in the hall. See Cathy or Danielle for more information. Any time you can give is most gratefully received. **Come – join in the fun!**

Allergies - Please help us care for those who have sensitivities or allergies to fragrances by refraining from the use of scented products. **Thank you!**

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

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