

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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March 1st, 2020

First Sunday in Lent

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

Prelude: Just As I Am (D. Wood)

Processional: #175 Forty Days and Forty Nights

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A word about the Word

Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Genesis 2:15-17, 3: 1-7

Psalms 32 p. 742

Second Reading: Romans 5:12-19

Gospel: Matthew 4:1-11

Homily: The Rev'd Dr. Bob Roberts

Anthem: Lead Me, Lord (S. Wesley)

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Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution: Make Us Turn to You (Song of Repentance) (P. Inwood)

The Peace p. 192

Offering Hymn: # 615 Just As I Am

Celebration of the Eucharist

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer: #3 p. 198

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread: #1 p. 212

Communion Procession: Take, O Take Me As I Am (Bell/Alonso/Huck)

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Parish Announcements

Recessional Hymn: # 179 Tree of Life and Awesome Mystery

(verses 1-5, 6b)

Postlude : Rondeau (H. Purcell)

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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.

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of a very dear friend, Carole Lawn, by the Trenhaile Family on St. David’s Day.

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 advise our clergy, so that they might offer pastoral support.

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantors: Danielle Richer, John Rossi, Beth Felet

Clarinet: Gordon Drake

Server: Eddie McCabe

Lectors: Vicky Paraschak, Robert Weir

Intercessor: Andy Hahn

Collection Supervisor: John Rossi

Sidespersons: Pat Lown, Flora Smith, Megan Smith, Gail Henderson

Communion Ministers: Mary Davis, Jen McAlpine, Karen Camlis

Marlborough Breakfast: Roger Wurdeman, Louise Davis, Mark Goldspink, Meaghan Felet

Muffins: Volunteer, Gwen Alsop for week after March break

Hospitality Ministry: Abbey Yu, Sue Trenhaille

Scripture readings for Sunday, March 8, 2020 – Genesis 12: 1-4a; Ps. 121; Romans 4:1-5, 13-17; John 3:1-17.

Lent Issue of *The Journey* – Hard copies are now available on the table in the narthex. Visit our website to download the PDF file in full colour.

Listen to the **Lenten Gospels** of Lent. The PWRDF invites you to join them on an audio journey through the Gospels of Lent. It started on Ash Wednesday and continues to Easter Sunday. Register on the PWRDF website. Any questions please ask Jen your PWRDF representative.

St. Matthew’s **Chili cook off and Games Night** is Saturday March 28 at 5 pm. Bring family and friends! Free will offering to support St. Matthew’s 89th Scout Troop. Poster in parish hall to sign up to bring your best pot of Chili. Prizes, trophies and a whole lot of fun. Bring your games as well for some after Chili fun. Any questions ask Jen 519-551-7012.

World Day of Prayer – This year it is being held at **Roseland-Trinity United Church (3919 Howard Ave.)** The service begins at **1:30 pm, on Friday March 6.** 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 **Zimbabwe.** It is an annual service for which Christians from various denominations gather, to worship together. To volunteer, please contact Rev’d Cathy.