

***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 1, 2017

***Harvest Thanksgiving***

*Priest:* The Rev'd Andreas Thiel  
*Deacon:* The Rev'd Cathy MacKendrick  
*Pastoral Musician:* Michael Ricketts

Prelude: Simple Gifts (F. Ashdown)

Processional: #262 Come Ye Faithful People Come

Hymn of Praise: Table Prayer (see insert)

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Collect of the Day

(Children's Focus)

***Proclamation of the Word***

First Reading: Deuteronomy 8:7-18:

Psalm #65: ..... p. 785

Second Reading: Corinthians 9:6-15

Gospel: Luke 17: 11-19

Homily

Anthem: We Rejoice (MacKenzie and Snowdon)

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Prayers of the People Response: *with the choir*

Confession and Absolution .....p. 191

The Peace

***Celebration of the Eucharist***

Offering Hymn: #414 God of the Sparrow

***The Great Thanksgiving***

Eucharistic Prayer: #2 .....p.196

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread: #3 ..... p.212

*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**

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

Prayer after Communion

Doxology and Blessing ..... p.214

Parish Announcements

Recessional Hymn: #259 For the Fruit of All Creation

Postlude: Now Thank We All Our God (C. Callahan)

**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.

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

**Cantors:** John Rossi, Nicole Sussens, Richard Postovit, Margaret Kissau

**Server:** Sabrina Weir

**Intercessor:** Louise Davis

**Lectors :** Vicki Paraschak, Matt Bulley

**Communion ministers:** Alisa Yednoroz, Cora Braidford, Andy Hahn

**Collection Supervisor:** Paul Finlayson

**Sidespersons:** Pauline & Don Patterson, Virginia Schofield, Ed Levergood **Fellowship Hour:**  
volunteers

**Marlborough Breakfast:** Mark & Audrey Goldspink, Cathy MacKendrick Muffins: Danielle Richer, Gail Henderson

**Scripture Readings for Sunday: October 8, 2017** – Isaiah 5: 1-7; Psalm 80” 7-15; Phillipians 3: 4b-14; Matthew 21: 33-46

**Would You Like a Pastoral Visit?** – Please contact Rev'd Andreas (519-969-1510, church; 226-345-5085, cellphone) to arrange a convenient time.

**People Who Are Ill or in Hospital** – If you know of someone who is in hospital, please let Rev'd Andreas or Rev'd Cathy (519 966 5729) know so that they might have a pastoral visit.

**Annual Blessings of the Animals Service:** Wednesday Oct 4 at 6:30pm (Parish Hall), with friends from Glenwood United and St. James', Roseland.

**Tues. Oct. 10, 6-8 pm** - Bishop's Friends Event: An Evening with Bishop Linda, at Cooper's Hawk Vineyard. Please speak with Rev'd Andreas if you'd like to attend. Tickets are \$50 per person, with funds being directed to the Bishop's Discretionary Fund.

**Presentation on the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples** - Tues., Oct. 24, 7 pm, St. Mark's-by-the-Lake. All are encouraged to participate, as this fulfills the motion we adopted at our Annual Vestry

**St. Matthews Annual Halloween costume party** will be held Saturday October 28 from 2-4 pm. Please invite your friends and family. Last year everyone had a marvellous fun time. There will be gifts for bringing a friend or family member. Carving contest, chop sticking for apples, as well as a few favourites from last year. Categories for most original costume etc. For any details please contact Jen ☺ 519-948-1457

**Marlborough Breakfast Program** – This is the season that we gather the money to provide a hot breakfast to the kids at Marlborough School. Every year we need at least \$1800 for the programme. Thanks for supporting this worthy ministry on behalf of St. Matthew's.

**The Craft Guild Supply List:**

- Small **baby food jars**
- Fat quarter size fabric (non Christmas)
- New **large coffee or tea mugs** (need not be Christmas)
- **Single servings** of hot chocolate, Keurig/Tassimo pods
- Individually-wrapped biscotti etc.
- **Mini chocolate bars**, lollipops, tootsie pops etc (hallowe'en candy)
- New **large toy trucks** (think Tonka but cheaper versions)
- **Broken umbrellas**, any size or colour

We also need people willing to do some **sewing** – patterns and fabric provided, and **cash** – to buy bulk candy later in the year. If you can help, contact Beth Felet (519-969-3035 [efelet@cogeco.ca](mailto:efelet@cogeco.ca)) or Danielle Richer (519-972-9058 [madricher@yahoo.com](mailto:madricher@yahoo.com)).

**Turkey Pies** – This is the time of the year to pick up those turkeys that are on sale. If you would like to do that, please let Margaret Kissau know that you have done so. If you would like to contribute but not shop for either the turkey or tourtiere ingredients, money will be gratefully received. Put it in your envelope and mark it “Fund Raising Expenses – Christmas Market”