

***"We are called to share God's love
as we welcome and care for our community"***

October 25, 2015
22nd Sunday After Pentecost

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

Prelude: Nettleton (E. Englert)

Processional: #397 Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness

The Gathering of the Community p.185

Collect of the Day

Children's Focus

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Jeremiah 31: 7-9

Psalm # 126p.828

Second Reading: Hebrews 7: 23-28

Gospel: Mark 10:46-52

Homily

Anthem: Open Our Eyes, O Lord, We Pray (P. Tate-T. Dudley-Smith)

Apostles' Creed p.189

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

Confession and Absolution p. 191

The Celebration of the Eucharist

Offering Hymn: # 446 Word of God, Come Down on Earth

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer: #1 p. 193

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread: #1p. 212

Presider: "I am the bread of life," says the Lord
"Whoever comes to me will never be hungry;
Whoever believes in me will never thirst."

All: **Taste and see that the Lord is good;
Happy are they who trust in him!**

Communion Procession: Let Us Be Bread (T. Porter)

Prayer after Communion and Doxology p.214

Parish Announcements

Recessional Hymn: # 460 Lord, the Light of Your Love Is Shining

Postlude: Shine, Jesus, Shine (J. Carter)

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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 given to the glory of God as a thank offering for 65 years of marriage by Frank and Jane Stanley.

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantors: Jane Patterson, Nicole Sussens, Danielle Richer

Clarinet: Gordon Drake **Lectors:** Matt Bulley **Server:** Nicole Sussens

Intercessor: Shirley Cantle **Collection Supervisor:** Paul Finlayson

Sidespersons: Pauline & Don Patterson, Virginia Schofield, Ed Levergood

Communion Ministers: Cora Braidford, Andy Hahn, Mary Davis

Fellowship Ministers: Frank & Jane Stanley, Jen McAlpine

Marlborough School Breakfast Team: Ed Carey, Paul Allsop, Linda McDonald, Cathy MacKendrick. **Making muffins:** Pauline Patterson

Scripture readings for Sunday, November 1, 2015 – Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-9; Ps. 24; Revelation 21:1-6a; John 11:32-44.

Wednesday scripture readings discussion – Please join us at St. Matthew's on Wednesday at 10:00 am, for a weekly opportunity to engage in conversation about the upcoming Sunday's readings.

Would you like a pastoral visit? – Please let Rev'd Andreas know (519-969-1510, church; 226-345-5085, cell) to arrange a convenient time.

People who are ill and/or in hospital – If you know of someone who is in hospital, please let either Rev. Andreas or Rev. Cathy (519 966 5729) know so that they might have a pastoral visit.

Choral Evensong - Please join us **tonight at 5:30 pm** for A Service of Choral Evensong, with the choir of St. Paul's Cathedral, London (free-will offering). Pot-luck supper to follow.

Collection in Support of Our Marlborough Breakfast Program – Thank you, thank you for your generous offering to support St. Matthew's Marlborough Breakfasts. The special drive has raised over \$1000. Contributions are welcome any time. The children are grateful to start their school day with food in their tummies.

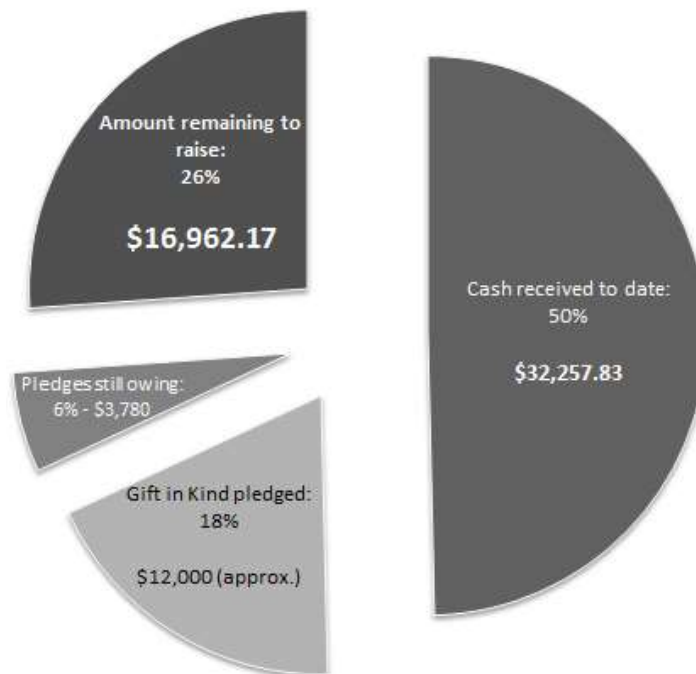
2016 Church Calendars – now available from Margaret Jemison (519-969-7584). Cost is \$6

Tourtières and Turkey Pies – orders will be taken by Cathy MacKendrick at mackenna@uwindsor.ca, 966-5729, or during hospitality hours for the next two weeks. These pies will be available after the Christmas Craft and Food Market, but no later than Dec. 1st. ***We ask that you not purchase pies on the day of the Market in order to ensure that there are sufficient pies available for sale for our guests.***

Time to Fall Back – don't forget to set your clocks back 1 hour this Saturday night (October 31st). Enjoy your extra rest!

St. Matthew's Outreach Evaluation Forum: Nov. 22 and Nov. 29, directly after the 10 am service. Your views and suggestions are requested, as we evaluate our current and future outreach initiatives.

Building Renovation Fund



Renewing Our Space and Improving Our Accessibility"

Additional envelopes for our Building Renovation Fund are available on the table in the narthex.