

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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April 3, 2016

The 2nd Sunday of Easter ("Holy Humour")

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

Processional: # 211 Good Christians All, Rejoice and Sing
Gathering of the Community p.185
Collect of the Day

Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Acts 5:27-32

Psalm #150.....p 909

Gospel: John 20:19-31

Homily/Holy Humour

Anthem: Christ is Risen, Christ is Living (A. Lovelace)

Apostles' Creed p. 189

Prayers of the People Response: **led by the choir**

Confession and Absolution p. 191

The Peacep. 192

Offering Hymn: G&P 48 Sing to the Mountains

Celebration of the Eucharist

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer #5 p. 204

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread: # 8p. 213

Celebrant: Lord, we died with you on the cross.

People: **Now we are raised to new life.**

Celebrant: We were buried in your tomb.

People: **Now we share in your resurrection.**

Celebrant: Live in us, that we may live in you.

Communion Procession: Come and Eat This Bread (M. Haugen)

Prayer after Communion p. 214

Parish Announcements

Recessional Hymn: #231 That Eastertide with Joy Was Bright

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Welcome visitors – we are blessed you are with us.

If you desire, there are “Visitor’s envelopes” available for your use.

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantors: Jane Patterson, Richard Postovit, Margaret Kissau

Lector: Alisa Yednoroz **Collection Supervisor:** Patti Weir **Intercessor:** Jennifer McAlpine

Server: Erica Rossi **Communion Ministers:** Vicki Paraschak, Doug Warford, Josh Canty

Sidespersons: Patti Weir, Josh Canty, Don & Pauline Patterson

Fellowship Hour: Sandra Hall, Jeff Wilkinson, Marg & Bob Kissau

Marlborough Breakfast: Ed Carey, Paul Allsop, Linda McDonald, Cathy MacKendrick.

Making Muffins: Sunday School

Scripture readings for Sunday, April 10, 2016 – Acts 9:1-6,7-20; Ps. 30; Revelation 5:11-14; John 21: 1-19.

Wednesday scripture readings discussion – are cancelled during the renovations.

Monday Apr. 4, 6:30 pm – all are invited to a livestream discussion, at Glenwood United Church, featuring “seven leading thinkers” who share their views on the role of spirituality in our secular society. Discussion and refreshments to follow.

Saturday, Apr. 16 – A Service of Celebration and Welcoming for the Right Rev’d Linda Nicholls, Coadjutor Bishop of Huron at the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul, London @ **1:00 pm**.

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.

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

Outreach Ministries – Remember your gifts to Hiatus House, the Downtown Mission, the Marlborough Breakfast Programs, and the ministry to the Southwest Detention Centre.

Saturday Apr. 23, 9am to noon: Essex Deanery Anglican Church Women annual meeting at St. Andrew's, LaSalle. Guest speaker: Jo-Dee Brown, Advanced Care Planning. Cost for lunch is \$7.00

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