St. Matthew's Church, Windsor, Ontario

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

www.saintmatthewswindsor.ca (519) 969-1510

May 15, 2022

The Fifth Sunday of Easter

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

Presider: The Rev'd Andreas Thiel The Rev'd Cathy MacKendrick Deacon: The Rev'd Glenda Fisher Deacon: Pastoral Musician: Michael Ricketts Prelude: Voluntary in D (J. Stanley) Processional Hymn: #378 Crown Him with Many Crowns (verses I & 4) Gathering of the Community: The "Easter" Greetingp. 185 Collect of the Day.......p. 340 Proclamation of the Word First Reading: Acts 11:1-18 Lector: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church All: Thanks be to God. Psalm # 148 p. 907 Second Reading: Revelation 21:1-6 Lector: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church All: Thanks be to God. Gospel: John 13:31-35 Homily The Apostles' Creedp. 189 Prayers of the People Confession and Absolutionp. 191 The Peace Offering Hymn: #486 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling (verses I & 2) Celebration of the Eucharist The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer: #3......p. 198 #732 Holy, Holy, Holy The Lord's Prayerp. 211 Breaking of the Bread: #8p. 213 Presider: Lord, we died with you on the cross. AII: Now we are raised to new life. Presider: We were buried in your tomb.

Lamb of God

AII:

Now we share in your resurrection. Live in us, that we may live in you.

Communion Hymn: To This Table, Lord, We Come (H. Hughes)

^{*} Gluten-free communion wafers are available for those who require them

Prayer after Communion & Doxologyp.214

Parish Announcements

Recessional Hymn: 602 Lift High the Cross (verses I & 3)

Postlude: This Joyful Eastertide (J. Nixon)

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, May 22, 2022 – Acts 16:9–15; Ps. 67; Revelation 21.10, 22—22.5; John 14:23–29.

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantors: Margaret Kissau, Beth Felet

Lector: Jen McAlpine **Greeter:** Flora Smith

Intercessor: Louise Davis Collection Supervisor: Carol Caverzan

Communion Minister: Alisa Yednoroz

Marlborough Nutrition Programme - Muffin Makers: Melissa Bratt, Audrey Goldspink.

Delivery: Cathy MacKendrick

Community Announcements

Easter Newsletter – Hard copies available at the back, or download full-colour PDF file at http://www.saintmatthewswindsor.ca.

Parish Hall Use – There are two Al-Anon groups meeting in the Parish Hall (Sunday, 7-9 pm, and Wednesday, 11:30 am - 2 pm). Thank you for respecting confidentiality and not entering the hall at those times.

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

People Who Are III and/or in Hospital – If you know of someone who is in hospital, please let our clergy or churchwardens know so that they might have a pastoral visit.

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

Procedures for Sunday Services – Please note that for our Sunday worship services at 8:30 AM and 10:00 AM, the following health protocols will be in place: Doors and windows will be open. The ceiling fans will not be in use during services. We will maintain our practices of frequent hand washing/use of sanitizer, mask wearing (except for children under age 2, or for people who have health conditions that prevent them from wearing face coverings). If you have questions or concerns, please be in touch with our rector.