

# *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 3, 2019

## *The Last Sunday after Epiphany The Celebration of a New Ministry*

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

Prelude: Here I Am, Lord (Schutte-Carter)

Processional: We Sing Praises (Terry MacAlmon)

Gathering of the Community .....p.185

Hymn of Praise: #: 560 God, Whose Almighty Word

Collect of the Day .....p. 418

### *Proclamation of the Word*

First Reading: Exodus 34:29-35

Psalms: # 99 ..... p. 837

**Refrain:** The Lord our God is the Holy One.

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2

Gospel: Luke 9: 28-36

Homily

Anthem: Christ's Own Body (M. Tucker)

### *Covenant in Ministry with the Rev'd Glenda M. Fisher*

(The Deacon comes forward with the Churchwardens)

Presider: Let us affirm the ministry of our baptism.

All: **We are the household of God.  
We confess the faith of Christ crucified,  
we proclaim his resurrection,  
we share in his eternal priesthood.**

Sung Refrain: **"Amen, we praise your name, O Lord."**

Prayers of the People: **Hear our prayer**

The Peace ..... p. 192

Offering Hymn: #166 We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding

## *Celebration of the Eucharist*

### *The Great Thanksgiving*

Eucharistic Prayer: #5..... p. 204

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread: #1 ..... p. 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 (Thomas J. Porter)

Prayer after Communion

Doxology and Blessing ..... p. 214

Parish Announcements

Recessional Hymn: #598 Go to the World

Postlude: Allegro Maestoso (F. Peeters)

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**The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God**  
and in celebration of Rev'd Glenda's ministry among us.

**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" in the narthex/ foyer.

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

**Cantors :** Danielle Richer, Nicole Sussens, John Rossi

**Clarinet:** Gordon Drake

**Server:** Erica Rossi

**Lectors:** Margaret Kissau, Dianna Iannicello

**Communion Ministers:** Vicky Paraschak, Doug Warford, Louise Davis

**Intercessor:** Mike Herrington

**Collection Supervisor:** John Rossi

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

**Marlborough Breakfast:** Bill & Ginny McAdam, Sue Trenhaile

**Muffins:** Bev Chantler and Gwen Allsop (for after March Break)

**Ash Wednesday Service** – March 6, 2019 7:30 pm. Holy Eucharist with the Imposition of Ashes.

**Scripture readings for Sunday, March 10, 2019** – Deuteronomy 26:1-11; Ps 91:1-2, 9-16; Romans 10: 8b-13; Luke 4: 1-13.

**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 let either Rev'd Andreas or Rev'd Cathy (519 966 5729) know so that they might have a pastoral visit.

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

**Lent Newsletter** – Hard copies of “The Journey” are now available on the table in the narthex, or visit our website for the PDF file in full colour.

**Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper at St. Matthew's - March 5, 2019; 4:00-7:00 PM.** Many opportunities to donate and volunteer (sign-up sheet in the parish hall). Bring your family and invite friends to a delicious meal in the church hall! We will be serving the BEST pancake supper in town: pancakes, sausages, bacon, desserts and beverages. **FREE-WILL OFFERING.**

**Forward Day by Day** – the latest edition of this daily devotional is available on the table in the Narthex. (Free-will donations are appreciated.)

**89<sup>th</sup> Scouting Group** – there are fundraising opportunities as the Scouts prepare themselves for this year's Pacific Jamboree. (See the info sheet on the table in the Narthex.) Thank you for your support!

**Sunday Lenten Series** – Sundays: March 10, 17, 24 and 31, and April 7 and 14. Following the 10:00 am service; 45-minute sessions immediately after the Lenten Soup lunches. For our Lenten series, we will focus on the “40-Day Journey with Joan Chittister”, a Benedictine nun in Erie, Pennsylvania who is best known for her spiritual writing and her powerful actions for peace and justice. **Please let Rev'd Andreas know if you are interested in participating.**