

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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May 1, 2022

The Third 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 Bill Bradley
Deacon: The Rev'd Cathy MacKendrick
Deacon: The Rev'd Glenda Fisher
Pastoral Musician: Michael Ricketts

Prelude: Arioso (J.S. Bach)

Processional Hymn: #312 Sing a New Song unto the Lord (verses 2 & 3)

Gathering of the Community: The "Easter" Greeting p. 185

Collect of the Day p. 337

Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Acts 9:1-6, 7-20

Lector: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church

All: Thanks be to God.

Psalm # 30 p. 739

Second Reading: Revelation 5:11-14

Lector: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church

All: Thanks be to God.

Gospel: John 21:1-19

Homily

The Apostles' Creed p. 189

Prayers of the People **Response: As announced**

Confession and Absolution p. 191

The Peace

Offering Hymn: #207 At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing (verses 1 & 4)

Celebration of the Eucharist

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer: As announced

#732 Holy, Holy, Holy

The Lord's Prayer p. 211

Breaking of the Bread: #8 p. 213

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

All: Now we are raised to new life.

Presider: We were buried in your tomb.

All: Now we share in your resurrection.

Live in us, that we may live in you.

Lamb of God

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

Communion Hymn: Heart of a Shepherd (Rory Cooney)

Prayer after Communion & Blessing

Parish Announcements

Recessional Hymn: #405 Alleluia No. 1

Postlude: Fantasia (J.S. Bach)

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.

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantors: Beth Felet, Danielle Richer, Nicole Sussens

Lector: Alisa Yednoroz

Greeter: Nadine Donlon

Intercessor: Jean Muhleisen

Collection Supervisor: Deb French

Marlborough Nutrition Programme – Muffin Makers: Danielle Richer and Cathy MacKendrick. **Delivery:** Vicky Paraschak

Scripture readings for Sunday, May 8, 2022 – Acts 9:36–43; Ps. 23; Revelation 7:9–17; John 10:22–30.

Community Announcements

Easter Special Offering Envelopes – May be found on the table in the Narthex.

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

Parish Hall Use – A reminder that 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 the confidentiality of members by 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 Ill 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.