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 20, 2022

Third Sunday in Lent

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

| Presiaer: | The Rev d Andreas Thief |
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| Deacon: | The Rev'd Cathy MacKendrick |
| Deacon: | The Rev'd Glenda Fisher |
| Pastoral Music | ian: Michael Ricketts |
| Prelude: | Chaconne (J. Pachelbel) |
| Processional H | ymn: #384 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty |
| Gathering of th | e Community p.185 |
| Collect of the l | Dayp.290 |
| | Troclamation of the Word |
| First Reading: | Isaiah 55: 1-9 |
| Lector: | Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church |
| All: | Thanks be to God. |
| Psalm #63: 1-8 | p.783 |
| Second Readin | g: 1 Corinthians 10: 1-13 |
| Gospel: | Luke 13: 1-9 |
| Homily | |
| The Apostles' | Creed |

| Prayers of the People | e Response: Lord, hear our prayer |
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| Confession and Abso | olutionp.191 |
| The Peace | |
| Offering music: #5 | 65 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah |
| Celebration of t | he Eucharist |
| The Great Thanks | giving |
| Eucharistic Prayer # | 1p.193 |
| The Lord's Prayer | p.211 |
| Breaking of the Brea | nd: #7p. 212 |
| Presider: | We break this bread, |
| All: | Communion in Christ's body once broken. |
| Presider: | Let your Church be the wheat |
| | which bears its fruit in dying. |
| All: | If we have died with him, |
| | we shall live with him; |
| | if we hold firm, |
| | we shall reign with him. |
| * Gluten-free com | munion wafers are available for those who require them |
| Communion Hymn: | Bread of Life (B. Farrell) |
| Prayer after Commu | nion & Blessing |

Parish Announcements

Dismissal (we depart the church by way of the centre aisle beginning with the pews in the rear)

Postlude: Allegro (H. Scheidemann)

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantor: Danielle Richer Lector: Jen McAlpine Usher: Deb French Intercessor: Louise Davis

Collection Supervisor: Mark Goldspink

Marlborough Nutrition Programme - Muffin Makers: Melissa Bratt & Audrey

Goldspink Delivery: Louise Davis

Scripture readings for Sunday, March 27, 2022 – Joshua 5:9-12; Ps. 32; 2 Corinthians 5:16-21; Luke 15: 1-3, 11b-32

Community Announcements

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

Online (Zoom) Lenten Series "Lent from the Holy Land" – A series of video reflections provided by the Diocese of Jerusalem, followed by group discussion. Thursdays in Lent, from 7:00 to 7:45 pm: March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 and April 7.

Mid-Week Daytime Wordship – Join us every Wednesday in Lent, at 10:00 am, for a Service of Holy Eucharist. March 9, 16, 23, 30, and April 6, and 13.

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.

Meat Pies – Good news! All of our delicious meat pies have been sold. Thanks to everyone who cooked, filled, stored, purchased and enjoyed.

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.