

Announcements

Faith on Film: A Lenten Series - Tuesdays at 7:00 pm, March 12th - April 16th. Please join us as we explore the themes of reflection, reconciliation, hope, and our call to environmental stewardship. A discussion will follow and you are invited to bring a snack to share. Our next film will be *Foster Child* (1987).

Lenten Breakfasts on Wednesdays - On Wednesdays during Lent, we have a 7:00 am service followed by breakfast. Make mid-week worship part of your Lenten discipline.

Prayer List - Please help us keep our Sunday prayer list up to date by confirming the names of those who need prayer at the end of each month. You can confirm by putting a star next to names on the prayer list, or by calling or emailing the office. Unconfirmed names will be removed.

Mental Health Support Group - "I Will Give You Rest." Our peer-run support group meets weekly on Mondays at 3pm at Peace Lutheran Church.

Artisan Market - Come and join us on Saturday May 4th from 10 am - 2 pm, as St. Martin's hosts an Artisan Market featuring many local vendors selling unique, and/or handcrafted items. There will be a small cafe to purchase refreshments as well.

Making Palm Crosses - Save the date: Thursday, April 11th, 1:00 pm.

Bay Ridges LTC - Our monthly service at Bay Ridges is on Wednesday, March 20th at 2 pm. Please join Fr. Jeff and the residents there for this important ministry of worship and song.

Helping Hands - Monday, March 18th, 1:00 - 3:00 pm.

Church Office - The office will be closed on Monday, March 18th.

*Please remember the following parishioners and their families in your prayers this week:
Betty Vella; John & Joan Vermeersch; Roger & Marg Wade; Horace & Benlah Walcott;
Yvonne Welcome; Paul Williams*

Readings for Next Sunday - Lent III

Isaiah 55.1-9 Psalm 63.1-8 1 Corinthians 10.1-13 Luke 13.1-9

ST. MARTIN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

March 17, 2019

The Second Sunday in Lent

Choral Eucharist ~ 10:30 am

Welcome to St. Martin's!

We meet God through inclusive community, relevant worship, and faithful service. Thank you for blessing us with your presence today. Please join us after the service for refreshments and fellowship.

We honour the Anishaanabe and Haudenosaunee Nations who lived, worked and played on the land upon which our church stands. These First Peoples still live and walk here among us today. We acknowledge and thank all Indigenous groups for their commitment to protect the land and its resources.



Eucharist Services
Sunday, 9:00 am & 10:30 am
Wednesdays in Lent, 7:00 am & 10:15 am

The Rev. Fr. Jeffrey Kennedy, Interim
Mr. Gary Heard, Music Director
Ms. Gillian Howard, Office Administrator
Ms. Janis Lynch, Sunday School Leader

Rector's Warden: Michelle Loftus
People's Warden: Brent Levy
Deputy Wardens: Eugene Farrugia
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The Second Sunday in Lent
10:30 am ~ Choral Eucharist

Greeters: Joe & Shelley Moore, John Loftus, Elaine Watters

Coffee Hosts: Nancy Camm and Kay McKay

Prelude

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

The Penitential Rite pg. 216

The Comfortable Words

The Confession and Absolution pg. 217

♪ Opening Hymn: **179 vs. 1-5, 6c** *Tree of Life and Awesome Mystery*
During the final verse, children are invited to meet at the back of the church to go downstairs with the Sunday school teachers.

The Collect pg. 288

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

The First Reading **Genesis 15.1-12, 17-18** Elaine Watters
When Abraham questions God's promises, God offers understanding and a covenant cemented by Abraham's ceremonial sacrifice.

♪ Psalm 27 pg. 735

♪ *The Lord is my light and my salvation.*

The Second Reading **Philippians 3.14 - 4.1** Lindis Collins-Bacchus
Paul exhorts the divided Philippians to join him in imitating Christ, explaining that glory comes not from obedience to the law ("earthly things"), but through Christ.

♪ Gradual Hymn: **505 vs. 1 & 2** *Be Thou My Vision*

The Holy Gospel **Luke 13.31-35** pg. 920
When he learns of Herod's murderous intentions toward him, Jesus reaffirms his mission and love for his people.

♪ Hymn **505 vs. 3 & 4**

The Homily

The Apostles' Creed pg. 189

The Prayers of the People Intercessor: Enid Bourner

The Peace pg. 192

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

All are welcome at the communion rail for either a blessing (indicated by crossing your arms across your chest) or, if you are a baptized Christian, the blessed bread and wine.

♪ Offertory Hymn: **337** *God, Your Glorious Presence*

Prayer over the Gifts pg. 289

Eucharistic Prayer 3 pg. 198

♪ The Lord's Prayer pg. 918

Breaking of the Bread 7 pg. 213

♪ Lamb of God pg. 226

The Communion

Chalice Bearers Debbie Cuciurean Michelle Loftus

♪ Communion Hymns **361** *Surely It Is God Who Saves Me*
94 *Wait for the Lord, Whose Day Is Near*

♪ Lent Prose



Prayer after Communion pg. 289

The Doxology & Blessing pg. 214

♪ Recessional Hymn **393** *Immortal, Invisible*

The Dismissal

Acolyte: **Go forth in the name of Christ.**

People: Thanks be to God.

*Our service of worship has now ended.
Let our worship through service begin!*