

# ST. MARTIN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

March 17, 2019

The Second Sunday in Lent

*The Holy Eucharist ~ Book of Common Prayer 9:00 am*

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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.

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. Jeffry Kennedy, Interim

Mr. Gary Heard, Music Director

Ms. Gillian Howard, Office Administrator

Rector's Warden: Michelle Loftus

People's Warden: Brent Levy

Deputy Wardens: Eugene Farrugia

Erna Haller

Ministers: All of you

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The Liturgy Begins pg. 67

The Collect pg. 143

**The First Lesson                    Genesis 15.1-12, 17-18**

When Abraham questions God's promises, God offers understanding and a covenant cemented by Abraham's ceremonial sacrifice.

**The Second Lesson                Philippians 3.14 - 4.1**

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.

Psalm 27 pg. 360

**The Holy Gospel                    Luke 13.31-35**

When he learns of Herod's murderous intentions toward him, Jesus reaffirms his mission and love for his people.

**The Homily**

The Creed pg. 71

The Intercession pg. 75

**The Great Thanksgiving** pg. 78

The Liturgy Concludes pg. 85

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

*Announcements*

**Faith on Film: A Lenten Series** - Tuesdays at 7:00 pm, March 12<sup>th</sup> - April 16<sup>th</sup>. 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 4<sup>th</sup> 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 11<sup>th</sup>, 1:00 pm.

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

**Helping Hands** - Monday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 1:00 - 3:00 pm.

**Church Office** - The office will be closed on Monday, March 18<sup>th</sup>.

*Please remember the following parishioners and their families in your prayers this week:  
Betty Vella; John & Joan Vermeersch; Roger & Marg Wade; Horace & Beulah 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