

## Announcements

**Ministry Show and Tell** - explanation by Peter Davidson.

**Thank you** - to Cheryl Lake! Today is her last Sunday with us, and we are grateful for her gift of music. Next Sunday we will welcome John Terauds as our guest organist.

**Welcome Back Sunday - Next Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>**. Whether you are returning to church after the summer break, or after years away, or just wondering if church is for you, come and see what all the fuss is about at our Choral Eucharist service at 10:30 am. Then stay for lunch, taste test this year's entries for our food competition (pie!), and cast your vote for your favourite!

**Lug-a-mug Contest** - Starting today, the Coffee Hosts will be handing out coloured slips of paper to people who bring their own mugs at coffee hour. If you receive such a slip of paper, please write your name on it, and put it in the Green Team draw box on the table at the back of the church. At the end of each month the Green Team will draw a name from the box, and a prize will be awarded to that person. The more your lug your mug, the more chances you have to win!

**Bazaar Donations** - The annual Holly Bazaar is two months away! You can begin to bring in your donated items for the Granny's Attic. Lee and Denise will be accepting them on Sundays. If you have any difficulty bringing them in, please let us know and we will try and make other arrangements.

**ROAD2** - We are now looking for all the items to furnish and equip a home for our refugee family. We cannot take the items at present, as we have no storage space, but will call you when the time is imminent and we have a home for them. If you have any questions speak to Gail Henderson or Jocelyne Hammond, who will be available most Sundays. Thank you!

**Calling all photographers!** - #AdventWord is organized by the Virginia Theological Seminary and gathers prayers via a global, online advent calendar using photos and meditations from people all over the world. We will be participating again this year, and we would like to include your photos. Past meditative words have included "Prepare", "Joy", "Journey", so as you go about your daily life, try and snap a photo that may reflect a possible AdventWord. Please send your photos to [paxlux@rogers.com](mailto:paxlux@rogers.com) - we will print and use them in an interactive project during Advent!

**Office hours** - This week, the office is open Tuesday 9am - 1pm; Wednesday 11am - 3pm; and Friday 9am - 1pm.

**Advisory Board meeting** - Wednesday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 pm.

**Prayer Shawl Plus** - Thursday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, 1:00-3:00 pm.

### Readings for Next Sunday

Jeremiah 4.11-12, 22-28      Psalm 14      1 Timothy 1.12-17      Luke 15.1-10

# ST. MARTIN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

September 8, 2019

The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

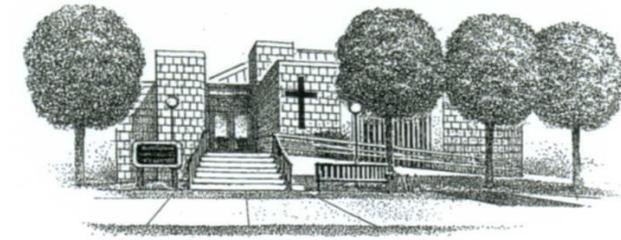
*Choral Eucharist ~ 10:30 am*

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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. 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  
Wednesday, 10:15 am

The Rev. Fr. Jeffry A. Kennedy, Interim  
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  
Erna Haller

Ministers: All of you

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**September 8, 2019**  
**The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost**  
Proper 23  
10:30 am ~ Choral Eucharist

**Organist:** Cheryl Lake

**Greeters:** Eugene Bacchus & Lindis Collins-Bacchus, Joe & Shelley Moore

**Coffee Hosts:** Nancy Camm & Kay McKay

Prelude

**Sentence:** Let your countenance shine upon your servant and teach me your statutes.  
*Psalm 119.135*

♪ Processional Hymn: 425 *Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee*  
*During the final verse, children are invited to meet at the back of the church to go downstairs with the Sunday school teachers.*

**THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY**

Our worship continues pg. 185

**The Collect** pg. 378

**THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

**The First Reading** **Jeremiah 18.1-11** Selena Sealy  
Jeremiah uses the image of a potter working and re-working clay to show how God can mould and re-mould his people.

Psalm 139.1-5, 12-17 Said antiphonally by verse, starting with congregation pg. 896  
on the right (office) side of the nave.

**The Second Reading** **Philemon 1-21** Lindis Collins-Bacchus  
Paul calls on Philemon to accept back a runaway slave asking Paul the master to love and forgive his slave, a fellow Christian.

♪ Gradual Hymn: 439 vs. 1 & 2 *Blest Are the Pure in Heart*

**The Holy Gospel** **Luke 14.25-33**  
In very vivid terms, Jesus tells his listeners that there is a cost to discipleship.

♪ Hymn 439 vs. 3 & 4

**Homily**

The Apostles' Creed pg. 189

The Prayers of the People Intercessor: Don Henderson

The Confession and Absolution pg. 191

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: 465 *Here in This Place New Light*

**Prayer over the Gifts** pg. 379

Eucharistic Prayer 3 pg. 198

♪ The Lord's Prayer pg. 211

Breaking of the Bread 1 pg. 212

♪ Lamb of God pg. 226

**The Communion**

Chalice Bearers Ellen Corbin Robert Prichard

♪ Communion Hymn 634 *Jesus, Remember Me*

**Prayer after Communion** pg. 379

The Doxology & Blessing pg. 214

♪ Recessional Hymn 433 *Lord, You Give the Great Commission*

The Dismissal pg. 215

Acolyte: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**People:** **Thanks be to God.**

*Our service of worship has now ended.*

*Let our worship through service begin!*

*Please remember the following parishioners and their families in your prayers this week:  
Christina & Adam Rosborough; Gloria Rowe; Marion Rowland; Marty Royle*