



Announcements for Sunday, October 15, 2017

NOTE: We welcome Dave Steeves at our preacher. Dave has been a member of the Pikangikum Working Group helping to bring life and hope to the people of Pikangikum, with financial support from PWRDF. We also welcome Mark Vuorinen as our guest choir director.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday-Friday	8:45-9:15 am	Morning Prayer (in Church)
Tuesday	5:30-6:30 pm	Volunteer Choir Practice (in Church)
Wednesday	10:30 am	Holy Eucharist
Thursday	4:45-5:15 pm	Youth Choir Practice (in Church)

NEXT SUNDAY

Trinity XIX	8:00 am	Holy Eucharist
	9:00 am	Contemporary Eucharist (Pentecost 20)
	11:00 am	Choral Mattins

8:00 am Holy Eucharist (BCP)

9:00 am Contemporary Eucharist (BAS)

11:00 am Choral Eucharist (BCP)

Hearing assistive receivers (stethoscope/earphones) and large print hymn book are available from the sidespersons.

Setting *Mass for 4 Voices*

Byrd

Opening Introit *If Ye Love Me*

Tallis

*If ye love me,
keep my commandments,
and I will pray the Father,
and he shall give you another comforter,
that he may abide with you forever,
even the spirit of truth.*

Processional Hymn 396 *Hail to the Lord's Anointed*

Crüger

Collect for Purity (67)

Two Great Commandments (69)

Kyrie Eleison (70)

Gloria in Excelsis (86)

(Children are invited to go downstairs to Sunday School during the Gloria)

Merbecke

Collect for the Day (247)

Epistle (247)

Gradual Psalm 122.6-9 (498)

Plainchant

Holy Gospel (248)

Nicene Creed (71)

Hymn 206 (omit vs 5,6) *What thanks and praise to thee we owe*

Melcombe

Sermon Dave Steeves

Offertory Hymn *Go the World*

Engelberg

1. *Go the world! Go into all the earth.
Go preach the cross where Christ renews life's
worth, baptizing as the sign of our rebirth.
Alleluia!*
2. *Go to the world! Go into every place.
Go live the word of God's redeeming grace.
Go seek God's presence in each time and
space.
Alleluia!*

3. *Go to the world! Go struggle, bless, and pray;
the nights of tears give way to joyous day.
As servant church, you follow Christ's own way.
Alleluia!*
4. *Go to the world! Go as the ones I send,
for I am with you till the age shall end,
when all the hosts of glory cry, 'Amen!'
Alleluia!*

Intercession (see enclosed sheet), Thanksgiving, and Consecration (75-84)

Motet at Ablutions *Ave Verum Corpus*

Byrd

*All hail, O true Body, of the blessed Virgin born,
Which in anguish to redeem us did'st suffer upon the cross;
From whose side, when pierced by spear, there came forth both water and blood:
Be to us at our last hour the source of consolation.
O loving, O holy, O Jesu, thou Son of Mary,
O have mercy on me. Amen.*

Post Communion Prayers and Blessing (85-86)

Recessional Hymn 618 *Glorious things of thee are spoken*

Abbot's Leigh

Organ Voluntary *Excerpts from Suite du Deuxième Ton*

Clérambault

The flowers at the Altar today are to the glory of God and in loving memory of Barbro Thompson, the gift of friends.

Sidespeople	David and Barbara Watkins
Readers	Elaine Dightam, Helen Kusserow
Intercessors	Janet Knight, Doris M'Timkulu
Chalice Bearers	Ian Hornsby, Jo-Ann Martin
Altar Flowers	Betty Knight
Altar Guild	Susan Hirst, Pam Gradwell
Coffee Hour Hosts	PWRDF

CHILDREN

→ Children are invited to go downstairs to Sunday School during the Gloria.

LOOKING AHEAD

- **Fall Clean Up of Our Parish Office and Church Yards** Saturday, October 21, 9 am. Please contact Dawn (phone or text) at 519-831-8816 to let her know that you'll be coming along.
- There will be a service of **Healing and Reconciliation** at 4:00 pm on Sunday, 22 October. It will be held at Elora United Church at the kind invitation of Rev Greg Smith-Young. All are welcome to join us in this quiet, prayerful service. Peter Scott 519 846 0517
- Our **annual parish retreat** is Saturday, **October 28, 10:30 am to 2:30 pm** at the Parish Centre. This year's retreat will be led by the Very Rev'd William McKeachie, Dean Emeritus of South Carolina. If you plan to attend, please email us at stjohns@sentex.net or telephone the church office 519.846.5911.
- November 5, 3 pm Choral Evensong with remembrance of Columbarium deceased.

NEWS FOR THE PEWS

- The Requiem Eucharist for **Barbro Thompson** will be held October 17, 11 am in the church.
- **Update from Treasurer**, When considering your weekly offerings, please keep in mind general parish expenses. These include (among other things) payroll, utilities, telephone, caretaking and maintenance, office expenses and insurance. Actual general offerings trail budgeted general offerings by **\$47,341 as of Oct 8, 2017**. At this point in 2016, actual general offerings trailed budget by \$39,670. Pre-Authorized Payment plans help to ensure a consistent offering stream throughout the year to help us meet Parish expenses and also present an opportunity for the Parish to avoid significant bank fees. If you are considering enrolling for a Pre-Authorized Payment plan or if you would like to update an existing plan, please ask for the forms at the Parish Centre. Thank you.
- **St. John's Ladies dinner**, October 18th at 6pm for dinner at 6:30. Do you like coffee? At this month's gathering David Wilding-Davis will show us the coffee plantation that he owns and runs. He can tell us all the stages that our beverage needs to go through as well as answer our questions about the different levels of sustainable growth, organic, or Fair Trade labels that we see. David's plantation is the one that supplies Ashanti with their coffee. I hope you can join us for this evening. Come and meet us for a delicious dinner followed by a talk for \$15 (the cost of a fair bottle of wine). Rides can be arranged for anyone who needs one. Please RSVP Nancy Scott 519 846 0517 knance@sentex.net.
- **Visitor's envelopes** are available at the back of the church and in the pews.

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Did you know the **Quilters and Knitters** meet on Wednesday morning at 9:30 am to noon for a social and creative time in the Parish Centre? We work on prayer shawls as well as quilts and other items made for sale. Check out the cabinet in Thompson Hall to see items for sale. All monies raised through sale of crafts are returned to the church for much needed items such as new blinds and a dishwasher. Come and join us!
- Join us in prayers for the parish at 10:30 am every Sunday in the Church office.

OUTREACH

- As we give thanks for the abundance of God's blessings, we remember those who are hungry, homeless and sick. We give thanks for PWRDF, our Anglican outreach and sharer of our goods: \$20,000 has been donated for relief work among the Rohingya who have fled to Bangladesh, and through *Harvest Tea* we have contributed \$950 to famine relief and rehabilitation in the drought stricken areas of the Horn of Africa.

