

THIS WEEK AT ST PAUL'S

Tuesday	10:00 am	Coffee Hour
	2:00 pm	Food Cupboard
	7:00 pm	Property and Finance
Wednesday	10:30 am	Gospel Conversation
	12:30 pm	Christian Meditation
	1:30 pm	Creative Writing circle
	4:15 pm	Choir practice
	7:15 pm	Parish Council
Thursday	1:00 pm	Mixed Media circle
	7:00 pm	Praise Team practice
Friday	1:00pm	Photography Practice circle
Sunday	8:00, 9:15 & 11:00	Sunday services

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Exodus 17:1-7

Romans 5:1-11

John 4:5-42

THE WIDER CHURCH

ECUMENICAL LENTEN SERVICES: will be held at noon at **Almonte United Church**. Each church in the community will take turns doing the service and hosting a light lunch afterwards.

- Wed March 15 Hosted by Rev Barry Carr and Almonte Presbyterian
- Wed March 22 Hosted by Fr Paul Gaudet and Holy Name of Mary
- Wed March 29 Hosted by Rev Pat and St. Paul's

When you listen to the news about our First Nations neighbours, do you feel grief or powerless? Here's an opportunity to learn more, a first step in any action: on Saturday March 25 at 1 pm, the Tay Valley Township Municipal Office, just west of Perth, will open a display of locally sourced Algonquin artifacts. The artifacts will be celebrated with song, drumming, prayers and history told by Francine Desjardins (Lanark Drum Circle), Larry McDermott, and Brenda Kennett. If you'd like a lift, contact Deane Zeeman at ([613-256-5631](tel:613-256-5631); deane.zeeman@gmail.com)

A Thoughtful Way to Commemorate the Easter Season

Thirteen Strings presents Bach's St. Matthew Passion Concert on Good Friday

Ottawa, Ontario, March 6, 2017: Thirteen Strings presents Bach's St. Matthew Passion on Friday, April 14, 2017 at 7:30 pm at Dominion-Chalmers United Church (355 Cooper Street, Ottawa)

Tickets are available at Leading Note, Books on Beechwood, Compact Music and at www.thirteenstrings.ca. For more information email info@thirteenstrings.ca.

IN OUR PARISH

The new Pascal Candle is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Ed and Isabelle Winslow Spragge - given by Paul and Sally Winslow.

NEW ON THE ST PAUL'S WEBSITE HOME PAGE: a button on the introductory image linking to Service Times; a What's New section right below the introductory banner; easier access to the Sunday Bulletins; and, Rev. Pat's sermons as readable text and downloadable pdfs. **Check it out!**

HOLD THE DATE! In consultation with Suzart, the date for a performance of the songs from Sister Act at St. Paul's is Friday, April 28 at 7:30 pm in the church.

BALES FOR THE NORTH Contributions of money to ship the goods is still helpful. Pick up a list of items at the back of our church that our Northern neighbours need and start shopping!

IN OUR COMMUNITY

PAT WILL BE CONDUCTING A SERVICE this Thursday at 10:30 am at Almonte Country Haven. A service will also be conducted at the Rosamond Wing of the Almonte Hospital on Friday at 3:00 pm. All are welcome to come and participate.

