

The Lord's Prayer

The Blessing

5th Sunday after Pentecost July 09, 2017

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8:00 A.M. HOLY COMMUNION

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Collect of the Day Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ has taught us that what we do for the least of your children we do also for him. Give us the will to serve others as he was the servant of all, who gave up his life and died for us, but lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.	
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IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

The Church in the World: We pray for Okinawa - (Japan) - The Rt Revd David Eisho Usehara.

Diocese of Ottawa: We pray for John, our Bishop, and for Pat, our Priest. We also pray for St Helen's, Orleans - The Venerable Susan Churchill-Lackey and The Reverend Canon Peter Lackey; For the volunteers of all Anglican Pastoral Care Teams and, in our Companion Diocese of Jerusalem, we pray for The Palestine Hospital, Amman, Jordan.

Our Mission Partners We pray for the Pikangikum Water Project working with our aboriginal neighbours to address the water needs of the 400+ homes without clean water or waste water removal in a northern Ontario community.

Our Local Community: We pray for the Local Farm Support providing various forms of support to Lanark County farm families who are having a tough time due to financial or family stress and, we pray for the people and leaders of this town of Almonte and the surrounding communities that the Lord will help us contribute to its well-being.

In Our Parish: We pray for Lucy Poaps, Robbie Anderson, Anne Wheatley, Kathy Aird, Joan Sealey, and our sponsorship family: Assad Gerges (father), Alset Jarous (mother), Lena Gerges (daughter -8) and Elias Gerges (son -6).

In our Parish Cycle of Prayer: We pray for Donnie, Lorraine and Zachary Sadler, Margaret Sadler and, The Rev. James Scanlon and Doris.

For the Whole Human Family that we may learn to live together in justice and peace. We pray for refugees and displaced persons, thinking especially of the people seeking refuge from Syria and we remember the victims of terrorism around the world. We pray for all those whose lives are impacted by social unrest, disaster & poverty.

Prayer for St. Paul's: Heavenly Father, you have welcomed us into your kingdom and your heart's desire is to draw every human being to yourself. Grant us clear eyes to see people as you see them, sensitive feet to stand in their shoes, and warm smiles to welcome them into your name. Give us generous hearts, that our church becomes a foretaste of heaven where every soul you send us finds their loving home in the community of your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

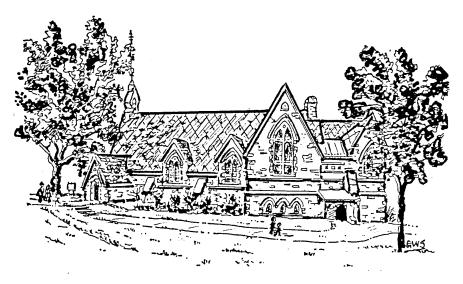
NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Genesis 25:19-34, Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

St. Paul's Anglican Church

The Rev. Pat Martin, Rector

The Right Rev. John Chapman, Bishop of Ottawa



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