



**3rd Sunday of Lent
March 04, 2018**

10:30 AM Iona Healing Service with Communion

- adapted from Iona Abbey Worship book –

Invitation to a brief time of silence as we prepare for worship.

GATHERING SONG: *Purify My Heart* (seated)

WELCOME: from the back

OPENING RESPONSES

OPENING HYMN: *Holy, Holy, Holy* #1 CP

1st READING: Exodus 20: 1-7

2nd READING: Psalm 19

A brief time of reflective silence

GRADUAL HYMN: *God of Mercy* #341 CP

READING: John 2: 13-21

REFLECTION

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION:

INVITATION

HEALING SONG: *Lord Have Mercy*

Prayer before Laying on of Hands

All who wish are welcome to come forward for prayer for themselves, on behalf of someone else or a crisis in the world.

Prayer for Laying on of Hands:

**Spirit of the living God, present with us now,
Enter you, body, mind and spirit,
And heal you of all that harms you,
In Jesus name. Amen.**

Prayer after Laying on of Hands

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE INVITATION

OFFERTORY: *How firm a foundation* #527 CP

THE EUCHARIST

COMMUNION SONG: *Wind upon the Waters*

A brief time of reflective silence

THE PEACE

THE BLESSING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING OUT SONG: *Jesus put this song into our hearts*

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Numbers 21: 4-9 Ephesians 2: 1-10 John 3: 14-21

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

The Church in the World: We pray for The Most Revd Zacharie Masimango Katanda, Archbishop of the Congo & Bishop of Kindu, Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo.

Diocese of Ottawa:

We pray for John, our Bishop, and for Pat, our Priest; for the Ottawa Pastoral Counselling Centre, (one of our Diocesan Community Ministries) and the staff and clients who receive ministry there/for members of the Parish Ministry Committee and, for Peace Latvian Lutheran Church, Pastor Ilmars Zvirgzds (pronounced ILL-mars Zveer-goods).

Our Mission Partners:

We pray for Rev. Ken MacLaren and the Ottawa City Ministries.

Our Local Community:

We pray for the leaders and the development of the local hospice initiative 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 comfort and healing for Lucy Poaps, Anne Wheatley, Kathy Aird and, Bessie Exley. We pray for our sponsorship family: Assad, Alsit, Lana and Elias. And we pray for this parish; for our leaders and for today's Vestry.

In Our Parish Cycle of Prayer: We pray for Ella McPhail, Debbie McQuinn, Joie Meehan, and Monty & Barbara Milford.

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 war and persecution 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.

Welcome to St. Paul's Anglican Church

The Right Rev. John Chapman, Bishop of Ottawa
The Rev. Canon Pat Martin, Rector



10:30 am EUCHARIST

Greeters: Karen Luyendyk & Roger Menard

Server / Chalice: Bonnie McCurdy

Readers: Richard Lewis & Doris Wionzek

Intercessor: Dan Berg

Music Leader: Wendy Shaw

Organist: John Black **Assistant Organist:** Matthew Bassett

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We ask that you please refrain from wearing perfumes or colognes.

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