



**Pentecost
May 20 2018**

10:30 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST

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

GATHERING SONG: *Spirit Fall On Us*

OPENING HYMN: *Come Down O Love Divine* 645 CP

The Grace BSS p. 7

Collect of the Day:

Almighty and ever-living God, who fulfilled the promises of Easter by sending us your Holy Spirit and opening to every race and nation the way of life eternal, keep us in the unity of your Spirit, that every tongue may tell of your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. AMEN

First Reading: Ezekiel 37: 1-14

Second Reading: Acts 2: 1-21

A brief time of reflective silence

GRADUAL SONG: *There is a Redeemer*

Gospel: John 15: 26-27; 16: 4b-15

Guest speaker Jane Scanlon, Today 4 Tomorrow

REFLECTION SONG: *Spirit of God in the Clear Running Water*

Prayers of the People

Alternate Confession and Absolution

Includes a brief time of silence

THE PEACE

OFFERTORY SONG: *Gracious Spirit* 653 CP

Prayer over the Gifts:

Giver of life, receive all we offer you this day. Let the Spirit you bestow on your Church continue to work in the world through the hearts of all who believe. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. AMEN.

Eucharistic Prayer 2 BSS p. 17
with Sanctus (sung)

The Lord's Prayer (sung)

The Breaking of the Bread *Sentence 2*

Agnus Dei / This is the Body of Christ

COMMUNION

All are welcome at our Lord's table once musicians have received.

For hygiene reasons, please refrain from dipping the bread in the wine.

COMMUNION SONG: *Spirit of Gentleness*

A brief time of reflective silence

Prayer after Communion:

Father, may we who have received this Eucharist live in the unity of your Holy Spirit, that we may show forth his gifts to all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

Doxology (sung)

The Blessing

Announcements

CLOSING SONG: *Shine Jesus Shine*

Dismissal

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NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Isaiah 6:1-8 ~ Psalm 29 ~ John 3:1-17

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TODAY are given by Carman James and Family to the glory of God and in loving memory of Wilbert and Myrtle Brydges, Isabel, Katherine and Francis, Keith, Mary and Doreen, Robert, Armer and Sterling, Edith and Ivan, Marion, Cecil and Shirley

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

The Church in the World: We pray for the Episcopal Church in the United States, Diocese of Colorado, The Rt Revd Robert O'Neill, bishop. In the Canadian church, we remember before God Bishop Michael Oulton, the clergy, and people of the Diocese of Ontario.

Diocese of Ottawa: We pray for John, our Bishop, and for Pat, our Priest; for St. Bede's Nolan's Corners, the Reverend Dr. Ron Hunt. We give thanks for the work of custodial staff serving in parishes and ministries, remembering especially Bonnie Everitt. And we pray God's blessing on vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Our Mission Partners: We pray for the Rev. Ken MacLaren and the staff and clients of Ottawa Inner City Ministries.

Our Local Community: We pray for our local satellite Food Bank providing food security support to our neighbours in need. We pray for the people and leaders of this town of Almonte and the surrounding communities that the Lord will help us all 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 the Reverend Karen Coxon as she prepares for her interim ministry with us and we pray for this parish as we begin the process of seeking a next rector.

In Our Parish Cycle of Prayer: Anthony & Theresa St. Dennis, Allen & Peggie Stewart, Ralph & Pat Stratford, Richard & Melissa Stroud, Gord Teskey, and Frank & Julia Thomas. We remember our sponsorship family: Assad, Alsit, Lana and Elias.

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



PENTECOST SUNDAY

10:30 a.m. EUCHARIST

Greeters: Irene Emig and Roger Menard

Server: Bob Bassett

Chalice: Nancy Deschenes

Readers: Karen Luyendyk and Katrina Ayling

Prayers of the People: Michael Mavis

Music Director: Wendy Shaw

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

Accompanist: Dan Berg

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

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Rector's Warden: Wendy Shaw People's Warden: Bob Bassett

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