



7th Sunday of Easter
May 13, 2018

8:30 A.M. HOLY COMMUNION

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Collect of the Day

Almighty God, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven. Mercifully give us faith to know that, as he promised, he abides with us on earth to the end of time; who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

First Reading: Acts 1:15-17, 21-28

Gospel: John 17:6-19

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NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Ezekiel 37: 1-14 ~ Acts 2: 1-21 ~ John 15: 26-27, 16: 4b-15

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

The Church in the World: We pray for the work of the Anglican Centre in Rome; and for the Diocese of Christchurch - (Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia)

Diocese of Ottawa: We pray for John, our Bishop, and for Pat, our Priest; for St. John the Evangelist, Ottawa, The Reverend Canon Beth Bretzlaff The Venerable John Fletcher and The Reverend Deacon Caroline Ducros In our Companion Diocese, the Diocese of Jerusalem, we pray for St. Phillip Church, Nablus, West Bank.

Our Mission Partners: We pray for the Vidas Mission in Ayacucho, Peru, Pastors Max and Raquel Candia.

Our Local Community: We pray for the nonprofit corporation, The Hub 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 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. We pray for Mackenzie Iva Rose who will be baptized this morning, and for her parents John and Carolyne Cutts, sponsors Sheryl and Keven Cutts and honorary sponsor Caitlin Devon Macgregor Cutts.

In Our Parish Cycle of Prayer: Elaine Shea, Alan & Heather Sheffield. John & Sue Smith, Myra Smith, and Sarah Spinks. 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



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Greeters: Cathy and Michael Gallagher

Reader: Joan Scott

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

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