

*Welcome to
St. Paul's Anglican Church*

*The Right Rev. John Chapman
Bishop of Ottawa*

*The Rev. Karen Coxon
Interim Priest-in-charge*

**WELCOME
BACK TO
CHURCH**



8:30 a.m. HOLY COMMUNION

Greeters: Lynda Bennett and Joan Scott

Reader: Lois Rochon

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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

A full list of contacts for St Paul's can be found at the back of the church.

We gather today on the traditional and unceded territory of the Algonquin Anishnabe Nation. May we dwell on this land with respect and peace.



Pentecost 17
September 16, 2018

8:30 A.M. HOLY COMMUNION
according to the Book of Common Prayer

I do not glory except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ,
by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world.

Galatians 6.14

Collect for Purity p. 67

Hear, O Israel p. 69

Collect of the Day

Almighty God, you call your Church to witness that in Christ we are reconciled to you. Help us so to proclaim the good news of your love that all who hear it may turn to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Psalm 19 p. 351

First Reading: James 3:1-12

Gospel: Mark 8:27-38

Sermon

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The Blessing

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Psalm 1 ~ James 3:13-4:3,7-8a ~ Mark 9:30-37

The flowers in the sanctuary today are to the glory of God and in loving memory of George and Edith Thompson and their son, Robert Thompson.

Given by their daughter, Marg Stanford

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

The Church in the World: We pray for the Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan The Most Revd Ezekiel Kumir Kondo Archbishop of the Province of Sudan & Bishop of Khartoum.

In Canada, we pray God's blessing on Archbishop John Privett, people, and clergy of the Ecclesiastical Province of British Columbia and Yukon.

In the Diocese of Ottawa, we pray for John, our Bishop, and for Karen, our Priest. For Christ Church, Aylmer, The Rev. Eric Morin; for the Diocesan Stewardship and Development Officer, Jane Scanlon; for volunteer university and college campus chaplains; for vocations to the priesthood and religious life ; and, for the upcoming annual Diocesan Clergy Conference.

Our Mission Partners: We pray for everyone involved in 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 our local satellite Food Bank providing support to local area people and 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 Geneviève Coxon-Marshall. We pray for Jackson Jason LaRiviere, baptized today and for his parents and Godparents. And we pray for the Reverend Jonathan Kouri, as he prepares to join us in ministry

In Our Parish Cycle of Prayer: We give thanks for and pray God's blessing on our members Debby Johns, Pat Kennedy, Jessica Kennedy, Martin Firth and Pamela Kirkpatrick, and Ann Ladouceur. 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 and 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.