

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

The Church in the World: we pray for the Episcopal Church of the USA, the Most Revd Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop.

In Canada, we pray God's blessing on Bishop Logan McMenamie, the clergy, and people of the Diocese of British Columbia.

In the Diocese of Ottawa, we pray for John, our Bishop, and for Jonathan, our Priest; and for Christ Church, Ashton, The Reverend Canon John Bridges, The Reverend Kerri Brennan, The Reverend Ryan Boivin; for all clergy under the jurisdiction of the Bishop of Ottawa and for the provincial Synod of the ecclesiastical province of Ontario meeting in Ottawa this week.

Our Mission Partners: We pray The Rev. Ken MaLaren and the Ottawa Inner City Ministries, the staff, the volunteers, the people being helped and those who support this ministry in any way.

Our Local Community: We pray for our local satellite Food Bank providing support to local area people 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. We ask for God's wisdom as we vote in municipal elections.

In Our Parish: We pray for comfort and healing for Lucy Poaps, Anne Wheatley, Kathy Aird, Bessie Exley and Geneviève Coxon-Marshall. We pray for this parish as we take our next steps in ministry together.

In Our Parish Cycle of Prayer: Tash Mason, Karen Masson, Mike and Janet Mavis, Michael and Paula McCann, Bobbie McCormack. 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.

Welcome to St. Paul's Anglican Church

The Right Rev. John Chapman, Bishop of Ottawa

The Rev. Jonathon Kouri, Rector

GIVE
THANKS
FAMILY • FRIENDS • GRATITUDE

Music Leader: Wendy Shaw

Organist: John Black **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

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.



**Thanksgiving
October 7, 2018**

10:30 A.M. EUCHARIST

According to the *Book of Alternative Services* (BAS)

Rector and Celebrant: The Rev. Jonathon Kouri

Greeters: Richard Evans and Tom Coleman

Readers: Claire Marson and The Rev. Jim Scanlon

Prayers of the People: Dan Berg

Server: Jane Scanlon **Chalice:** Jane Scanlon, Nancy Deschenes

GATHERING SONG (*seated*) *This Is the Day (Hallelujah)*

Words of welcome

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: *Come Ye Thankful People Come* CP 262

The Grace / Collect for Purity

Collect of the day:

Creator of the fruitful earth, you made us stewards of all things. Give us grateful hearts for all your goodness, and steadfast wills to use your bounty well, that the whole human family, today and in generations to come, may with us give thanks for the riches of your creation. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading: Joel 2:21-27

SONG BEFORE THE GOSPEL *Seek Ye First*

Second Reading – The Gospel: Matthew 6:25-33

Reflection

REFLECTION MUSIC *Sing to the Lord of Harvest*
(The congregation is invited to sing the final verse)

Apostles Creed

Prayers of the People

Confession / Absolution

The Peace

OFFERTORY SONG: *We Plough the Fields and Scatter* CP 158
The congregation is invited to bring forward their food and financial offerings at this time

Prayer over the Gifts:

Source of life, the heavens and the earth are yours, yet you have given us dominion over all things. Receive the symbols of our labour and love which we offer you this day, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Eucharistic Prayer **4**
Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy) ✕ Benedictus (Blessed is He)

The Lord's Prayer (*sung*)

The Breaking of the Bread *Sentence 3*
Agnus Dei (Lamb of God) ✕ 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: *We Shall Break Bread ✕ Give Thanks*

Prayer after Communion:

God of our hope, in this eucharist we find the source of all your blessings. Nourished in these holy mysteries, may we, with our lives, give you continual thanks and praise. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Doxology (*sung*)

The Blessing

Announcements

CLOSING SONG: *All Creatures of Our God and King* CP 355

Dismissal

✕ Next Week's Readings ✕

Psalm 22:1-15 ~ Job 23: 1-9,16,17 ~ Mark 10:17-31

We welcome our new rector, the Rev. Jonathon Kouri, at to his inaugural service with us!