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OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK

Open 9:30 to noon: Tuesday, Thursday and Friday
Closed on Monday and Wednesday

Please note, Mark is away May 12 – 19th. If there is a pastoral need in the community, please contact the Canon Pat Martin at 613-543-0403 or by email: revpjmartin@gmail.com.

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Holy Trinity (Chapel)

10:30 am – Holy Eucharist

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Easter 6
May 10, 2026

Celebrant: *The Rev. Mark Lewis*
Liturgical Assistant: *Graham Jacques*
Greeters: *Evette Hurst, Fay Donnelly*
Readers: *Doug Jarvis, Joyce Millard*
Chalice: *Judy Jacques, Jack Barkley*
Sound: *Tim McLaughlin*
Livestream: *Patty McLaughlin*
Power Point: *Wendy Lewis*
Counters: *Bob Ruddock, Elizabeth Irwin*

Pastoral Associate: *The Rev. Canon Pat Martin*
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Order of Service

Gathering Song: *Come and Find a Quiet Center* **SNC #3**

Welcome

Prayer for Peace

Land Acknowledgement

Opening Hymn: *Here in this Place* **CP #465**

The Gathering of the Community

The Collect of the Day

First Reading: *Acts 17:22-31*

Psalm: *Psalms 66:7-18.*

Second Reading: *1 Peter 3:13-22*

Gradual Hymn: *A New Commandment*

The Gospel: *John 14:15-21*

Sermon:

The Apostles' Creed: *I Believe in God Almighty* **CP #44**

The Prayers of the People

Shema: Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all Your mind, and with all your strength. This is the first and the Great commandment. The second is like it: Love your neighbour as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these.

Confession / Absolution

The Peace

Offertory Hymn: *Sister, Let Me Be Your Servant* **CP #500**

The Prayer over the Gifts

Eucharistic Prayer #1 Supplementary Services

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of Bread #8

Communion Songs: *Agnus Dei* **CP #745**, *Jesus the Joy* **CP #70**,

Only A Shadow, By Our Love

The Prayer after Communion

Doxology

Blessing

Closing Hymn: *How Firm a Foundation* **CP #527**

Dismissal

Prayers of the People

In the World: We pray for a just and lasting peace in our world,

especially in Ukraine and the Middle East. We pray for Kathy Lucking and the Madagascar School Project.

In our Diocese: We pray for: Kathryn, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Shane, our Primate; as well as Our Diocesan Partner: Multifaith Housing Initiative, Our Community Ministries, Belong Ottawa: Centre 454, St Luke's Table, The Well/La Source, Centre 105, Cornerstone Housing for Women, Ottawa Pastoral Counselling Centre and the Refugee Ministry Office. This week we pray for the Parish of Mattawa: St. Alban's, Mattawa, St. Margaret's, Rutherglen, with The Reverend David Shields and all who minister there.

In our Community: We pray for the Pastoral and Spiritual Care Team at Winchester Hospital, Community Food Share - Dundas and Stormont, Dundas County Hospice and Naomi House. We pray for the municipality of South Dundas and for wisdom and courage for all levels of government involved. We pray for safe shelter for the homeless and good homes for seniors seeking affordable housing.

In our Parish: We pray for: Mark our Incumbent, Pat our Pastoral Associate, the Venerable Peter Crosby, Chaplain to Holy Trinity, and for our Parish Council, Liturgical Assistants, Church Musicians, our Martha's teams, Apple Tree Ministry, Prayer Ministry, Pastoral Care Team, the Parish Building for the Future Committee and our Shape of Parish Ministry Team.

In our extended Parish family, we pray for: Alan B., Andrew F., Andy P., Angie B., Ann E., Anne H., Bev. L., Blake G., Brad M., Brandon L., Brenda B., Dan. H., David M., David W., Debra D., Dirk T., Doug M., Elizabeth O., Hailey G., Janet T., Jean C., Jessica F., Jill D., Judy J., Jim M., Judy L., Justin B., Kelly G., Larry T., Laurie L., Lawrence L., Leighsah M., Linda D., Linda H., Maddie, Marie C., Mary W., Mary Ann W., Matthew R., Mattie Z., Maverick P., Michelle L., Monique L.P., Nancy D., Nancy H., Natalie T., Peggy W., Percy M., Peter B., Phil M., Richard P., Richard W., Robby G., Robert M., Russell H., Sarah T., Shirley B., Shirley F., Shirley T., Shyanne W., Suzanne C., Susan D., Thomas D., Vivian B., Wes L., and Winston P.

READINGS and SONG WORDS

First Reading: Acts 17:22-31

Paul stood in front of the Areopagus and said, "Athenians, I see how extremely religious you are in every way. For as I went through the city and looked carefully at the objects of your worship, I found among them an altar with the inscription, 'To an unknown God.' What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you. The God who made the world and everything in it, he who is Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in shrines made by human hands, nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mortals life and breath and all things. From one ancestor he made all nations to inhabit the whole earth, and he allotted the times of their existence and the boundaries of the places where they would live, so that they would search for God and perhaps grope for him and find him - though indeed he is not far from each one of us. For 'In him we live and move and have our being'; as even some of your own poets have said, 'For we too are his offspring.' Since we are God's offspring, we ought not to think that the deity is like gold, or silver, or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of mortals. While God has overlooked the times of human ignorance, now he commands all people everywhere to repent, because he has fixed a day on which he will have the world judged in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed, and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead."

Psalm: 66, verses 7-18.

Leader: Bless our God, you peoples;

All: make the voice of God's praise to be heard;

Leader: who holds our souls in life,

All: and will not allow our feet to slip.

Leader: For you, O God, have proved us;

All: you have tried us just as silver is tried.

Leader: You brought us into the snare;

All: you laid heavy burdens upon our backs.

Leader: You let enemies ride over our heads;

we went through fire and water;

All: but you brought us out into a place of refreshment.

Leader: I will enter your house with burnt-offerings

All: and will pay you my vows,

Leader: which I promised with my lips

All: and spoke with my mouth when I was in trouble.

Leader: I will offer you sacrifices of fat beasts with the smoke of

rams; **All: I will give you oxen and goats.**

Leader: Come and listen, all you who fear God,

All: and I will tell you what the Lord has done for me,

Leader: The One to whom I called out with my mouth

All: and whose praise was on my tongue.

Leader: If I had found evil in my heart,

All: the Lord would not have heard me;

Leader: But in truth God has heard me

All: and has attended to the voice of my prayer.

Leader: Blessed be God, who has not rejected my prayer,

All: nor withheld steadfast love from me.

All: Glory to God, Source of all being, eternal Word,

and Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning,

is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Second Reading 1 Peter 3:13-22

Now who will harm you if you are eager to do what is good? But even if you do suffer for doing what is right, you are blessed. Do not fear what they fear, and do not be intimidated, but in your hearts sanctify Christ as Lord. Always be ready to make your defence to anyone who demands from you an accounting for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and reverence. Keep your conscience clear, so that, when you are maligned, those who abuse you for your good conduct in Christ may be put to shame. For it is better to suffer for doing good, if suffering should be God's will, than to suffer for doing evil. For Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God. He was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit, in which also he went and made a proclamation to the spirits in prison, who in former times did not

obey, when God waited patiently in the days of Noah, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were saved through water. And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you not as a removal of dirt from the body, but as an appeal to God for a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers made subject to him.

Gradual Song: A New Commandment

A new commandment I give unto you:
that you love one another as I have loved you,
that you love one another as I have loved you.
By this shall all know that you are my disciples:
if you have love one for another.
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Gospel Reading: John 14:15-21

Jesus said, "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you. I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them."

Only A Shadow

The love we have for you, O Lord,

is only a shadow of your love for us;
only a shadow of your love for me, your deep abiding love.

The bread we take and eat, O Lord,
is your body broken and shared with us,
your body broken and shared with us,
the gift of Your great love.

***Refrain:** Our lives are in your hands; our lives are in your hands.
Our love for you will grow, O Lord: your light in us will shine.*

Our own belief in you, O Lord,
is only a shadow of your faith in us;
only a shadow of your faith in us; your deep and lasting faith.

The dreams we have today, O Lord,
are only a shadow of your dreams for us;
only a shadow of your dreams for us; if we but follow you.

The joy we share today, O Lord,
is only a shadow of your joys for us;
only a shadow of your joys for us;
when we meet face to face. *(repeat refrain)*

By Our Love *Christy Nockels*

Brothers, let us come together
Walking in the Spirit, there's much to be done...
We will come reaching, out from our comforts
And they will know us by our love...
Sisters, we were made for kindness
We can pierce the darkness as He shines through us...
We will come reaching, with a song of healing...
And they will know us by our love!

*The time is now, Church arise...
Love with His hands, See with His eyes...
Bind it around you, Let it never leave you,
And they will know us by our love...*

Children, you are hope for justice,
Stand firm in the Truth now, set your hearts above
You will be reaching, long after we're gone,
And they will know you by your love!