

8:30 a.m. EUCHARIST

Book of Alternative Services - Green Book

THE GATHERING

The Grace (Book of Alternative Services)	230
The Collect for Purity	
The Summary of the Law	231
The Collect of the Day (See Readings & Prayers insert)	

THE WORD

1st Reading Genesis 9:8-17	Brigitta Boudreau
2nd Reading I Peter 3:18-18-22	Gwen Valliere
Gospel Mark 1:9-15	Gwen Valliere
Sermon	The Rev'd Canon Lynne Thackwray
The Nicene Creed	234

The Prayers of the People

(In response to "Lord in Your Mercy", please respond with "Please Our Prayer")

Confession & Absolution	238
The Peace	240

THE EUCHARIST (All Christians are welcome to receive communion. If you would just like to receive a Blessing, please cross your arms in front of you, and you will receive one from the Priest. Those not receiving wine will be offered the words, but not the chalice).

Prayer Over the Gifts (See Reading Insert)

Eucharist Prayer A	241
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The Lord's Prayer	245
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The Breaking of the Bread	246
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The Communion

Prayer after Communion (See Reading Insert)

Doxology	247
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Blessing	248
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Dismissal	249
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DATES TO MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR

Feb 19 FAMILY DAY, OFFICE CLOSED

12:30 p.m. The Beacon

Feb 20 2:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry

Feb 21 12:00 p.m. St. Mark's at the Lenten Lunch

12:30 p.m. The Beacon

Feb 22 10:00 a.m. Eucharist

10:45 a.m. Bible Study

11:00 a.m.. Lord Dufferin Centre

7:30 p.m. Choir Practice

Feb 25 8:30 a.m. Eucharist

Lent 2 10:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist

Nursery & Sunday School



READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

February 25, 2018 - Lent 2

Genesis 7:1-7, 15-16, Romans 4:13-25; Mark 9:2-9

OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK

Tuesday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to noon

WORSHIP

Eucharist 10:00 a.m. every Thursday with Bible Study immediately following the service. Everyone is welcome.

Lenten Book Study Every Monday Night in Lent at 7 pm, there will be a book study of "The Reluctant Disciple: Daring to Believe" by David Wells: "a humorous and engaging account of the author's journey to faith". There is a sign up sheet in the Narthex if you wish to attend.

Lenten Lunch Series at Tweedsmuir Presbyterian Church each Wednesday in Lent. Service begins at 12:00 noon, Lunch at 12:30. Everyone is welcome. This Wednesday, St. Mark's is leading the service.

World Day of Prayer Friday, March 2 at 1:30 p.m. at Tweedsmuir Presbyterian Church. This year we focus on the 'Republic of Suriname' in South America. The theme is: "All God's Creation is Very Good".



OUTREACH

Food Cupboard We are deeply appreciative of the generosity of St. Mark's congregation in keeping our food cupboard stocked. Almost every day we serve people in our community with the basics that they require. We are now in need of jam, adult cereal, juice boxes, tea, coffee, tuna, salmon, tinned meats & pastas ,

baked beans, dish & laundry soap. Our fridge has room for yogurt, cheese, apples, eggs & bread, We thank you for your continuing support of this valuable ministry.

Prayer Shawl ministry is a group of parishioners who meet to knit prayer shawls to bring comfort to people who are ill or in hospital. They meet on Tuesdays at 2 pm in the Elizabeth room. Newcomers welcome! If you know someone who would appreciate a shawl contact Doreen at 941-0697 or Carman at 941-7555.

THANK YOU to Bill Robertson who has lovingly resurfaced, sanded and painted the stairwell and hallway up to the church offices. It is a great face lift for us!



THANK YOU to all who contributed food for the Vestry lunch. Many thanks to Deacon Richard, Cathy Wilson, and those who helped with the Pancake supper on Shrove Tuesday. Thanks also to those who brought desserts to sweeten up the feast. The Pancake supper was another fun and tasty St. Mark's meal!

DID YOU KNOW... At St. Mark's we have an active Server's Guild. Another name for server is *acolyte*, which means "assistant". Servers at St. Mark's assist in all parts of the service and usually serve about once a month. The position of server in the liturgy of the Church is very old. In the Anglican Church it largely fell out of use after the Reformation but was revived in the nineteenth century. Anyone, young or old, may become a server. Thank you to all the servers for their dedication and hard work in assisting in our services of worship. If you are interested in serving please speak to Archdeacon Peter Scott.

COMMUNICATIONS

Facebook: St. Mark's has a Facebook page!

With over 70 members and growing! This adds another way to find out what is happening at the church and our ongoing ministry. Go to www.facebook.com/group/19137981779 and click "Join Group" in the top right hand corner, or you can send an email to the rector@saintmark.ca and we will add your name.

Free Wi-Fi at St. Mark's has been updated. Our WIFI system is easier to connect to. At different locations in the church, your WIFI network will appear as either StMarksWIFI1, StMarksWIFI2, or StMarksWIFI3. The password for all of these is the same: 1837mark.



CHORAL EUCHARIST

10:00 a.m.

Book of Alternative Services & Book of Common Praise

THE GATHERING

Processional Hymn #175 'Forty Days and Forty Nights'
The Grace (Book of Alternative Services - Green Book) 185
The Collect of the Day (See Readings Insert)

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

1st Reading Genesis 9:8-17 Jim Jordan
2nd Reading I Peter 3:18-18-22 Patrick Hendley
Gradual Psalm #25:1-9 Cantors: Jim Coupland, Nancy Claridge
(see insert)
Gospel Mark 1:9-15 Marg Coupland
Sermon The Rev'd Canon Lynne Thackway
The Nicene Creed 188
The Prayers of the People 110
(In response to "Aware of your Grace", please respond with "We pray to you Lord")
Confession & Absolution 191
The Peace 192

THE EUCHARIST (All Christians are welcome to receive Communion. If you would just like to receive a Blessing, please cross your arms in front of you, and you will receive one from the Priest. Those receiving the cup are asked to assist the cup bearer by holding the base and guiding the chalice to their lips).

Offertory Hymn #628 'O Love, How Deep, How Broad'
Prayer Over the Gifts
Eucharistic Prayer #2 196
The Lord's Prayer 211
The Breaking of the Bread #7 213
The Communion (Hymns during Communion: 'O Love that Wilt Not Let Me Go', 'Great is Thy Faithfulness', 'Stay With Us')
Prayer after Communion (See Insert)
Doxology 214
Blessing
Lion's Tale Archdeacon Peter Scott
Dismissal
Recessional Hymn #438 'O Jesus I Have Promised'

WELCOME TO SAINT MARK'S

If you think that this is the church for you and wish to join our community please fill out a "Visitor's Envelope", or speak to one of the Priests. All Christians are welcome to receive communion at St. Mark's. Intinction (dipping) of wafers in the chalice is not permitted by order of the Bishop. Cushions for the pews and Assistive Listening devices are available. Please ask a Greeter.

ASSISTING IN TODAY'S SERVICES: **Lay Readers, Chalice Bearers & Readers:** Gwen Valliere, Charlie Hogben & Brigitta Boudreau at 8:30 a.m., Marg Coupland, Patrick Hendley & Jim Jordan at 10 a.m. **Greeters:** Brigitta Boudreau & Bob Valliere at 8:30 a.m. Marita Bainbridge, Wilma Potter, Chris & Jane Little at 10:00 a.m. **Servers:** Charlie Hogben at 8:30 a.m. Christine Robinson & Trish McKibbon at 10 a.m. **Presentation of Gifts:** Richard & Cathy Beaudoin **Altar Guild:** Diane Smith, Sharon Fudge, Janet Speers, Pauline Oliff & Penny Berry **Warden on duty:** Donald Grant.



Coffee & Conversation
after the 10:00 a.m. service.
ALL WELCOME.

Our thanks this week to
Doreen White, Marita Bainbridge, Peter & Cathy Campbell



Kelvin VOO
Lina VOO



Earl & Marion WAGAR
Richard & Lena Wagner: Sebastian & Mitchell
Kenneth & Courtney WAGSTAFF: Kenton & Grayson

PRAYERS Please remember the following people in your prayers during the week ahead:

Cynthia & Andy Clark: Johanna Parker; Ryan; Clarke & Gail Campbell; Carol; Sharon; Keith McKibbon; Brendan & Sara O'Shea; Lily Willis; The Rev'd Deacon Rod McDowell; Lorraine Clark; Morley Watson; Marion Wagar; The Venerable Wallace Sparling; The Rev'd Canon Bryon Nash; Mark Coupland.

St. Mark's Ministry Prayer Cycle We pray for our Parish Council

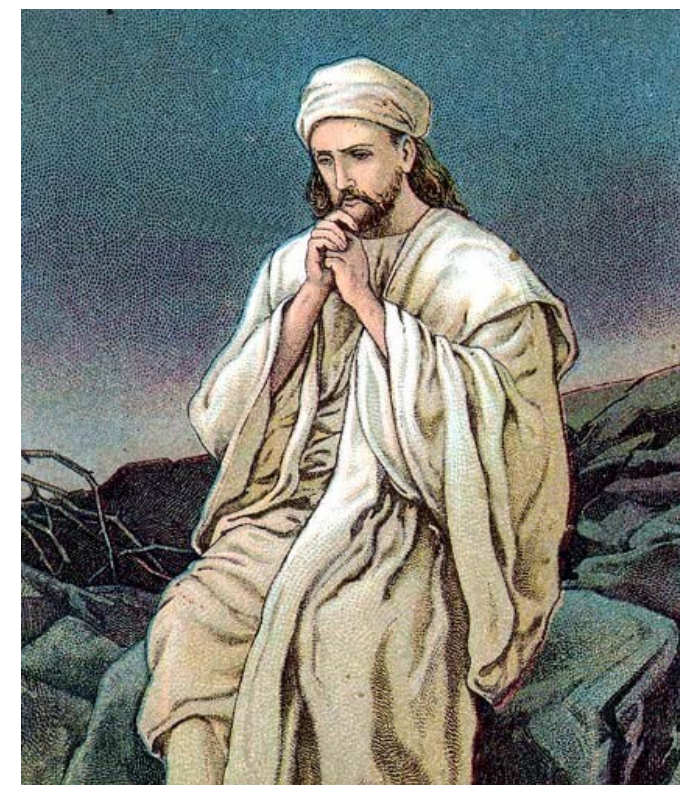
In order to keep our prayer list as accurate and current as possible please use the white prayer request forms at the back of the church. Names will remain on the list for four Sundays and will be removed after that time.

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THE FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

FEBRUARY 18, 2018



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