

Today's Scripture Readings		Next Sunday's Scripture Readings
Fifth Sunday in Lent		The Sunday of the Passion
Jeremiah 31:31–34	OT page 570	Mark 11:1–11
Psalms 119:9–16	BAS page 869	Isaiah 50:4–9a
Hebrews 5:5–10	NT page 172	Psalms 31:9–16
John 12:20–33	NT page 81	Philippians 2:5–11
		Mark 14:1–15:47

We Remember in Prayer Today and This Week . . .
<p>Worldwide Anglican Cycle The people and leaders of the Diocese of Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui</p> <p>Canadian Anglican-Lutheran Cycle The people and leaders of the Diocese of Quebec The people and leaders of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod</p> <p>Diocesan Cycle The people and leaders of the Holland Deanery (The Rev. Sheilagh Ashworth, Regional Dean)</p> <p>Deanery Cycle The people and leaders of St. John, Willowdale (The Rev. Canon Simon Li, The Rev. Jordan Wellington)</p> <p>Parish Ministry Cycle Diocesan Administrators: Lance Wilson ODT and Marilyn Yeung ODT Homebound Members: Muriel Skinner, Betty Spencer</p> <p>Congregation Cycle Azita Golpour * Chanda Gomes * Jingshen Gong * Dr. David Goodwill * Delacey Graham, & Kiara & Akiel</p>

Newsletters are available for pickup in the Narthex.
If you have e-mail, you would have received it Friday.
We express our thanks to our editor, Kathy Baillie.

Please join us for refreshments following the service.

This Week at St. George on Yonge

March 18, 2018

Monday

Pub Knights: We are holding a *special edition of the Pub Knights* on Monday, March 19 at 6:00 to approximately 8:00 p.m. at the "Frog & Firkin" (4854 Yonge Street, across from the Sheppard Centre on Yonge Street). The evening is our opportunity to say goodbye to the original Knight, Ruth Ross, before she leaves Toronto and St George, to move closer to family. The longest journey begins with just one small step. Take that first step and join the Knights for spirited conversation, a cold beverage, and great food. For more information on how to be knighted call (416) 225-1922.

Tuesday

ESL Conversational Classes: Tuesdays, 12:00 noon – 2:00 p.m.
 Separate beginner- and intermediate-level sections are offered. No registration needed.

Wednesday

Creating Palm Crosses: We invite you to join us in making Palm Crosses on level "M" on **Wednesday, March 21** at 10:30 a.m. Lessons will be given for beginners. All thumbs? No worry; join us for the coffee, tea, and fellowship!

Worship at Midday: 12:00 noon

Thursday

Proverbs Class: 9:30 a.m.

Mandarin Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.

Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John: This Lent, Archbishop Colin Johnson invites us in a journey of prayer through the words of St. John the Evangelist. *Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John*, created by the Society of St. John the Evangelist (SSJE) and Virginia Theological Seminary, is a springboard and a framework to immerse ourselves in scripture over six weeks.

We will meet on Thursday at 7:00 p.m. **for our last session** of group discussion.

Saturday

Mandarin Fellowship: 6:00 p.m.

Coming Soon

Save The Date! The Yorkminstrels Show Choir is returning to St. George on Yonge on Friday, May 25. They will present an entertaining programme of song, along with choreography, beginning at 7:30 p.m. **Broadway On Yonge!** This is a fundraiser for the church and we hope everyone will keep the date open so they can come, as well as invite family members, neighbours, and friends. For an event of this size, we need some people to help. We will be having a silent auction, so somebody to coordinate it, as well as donations of items, are needed. We also need people to greet and usher, help with set up, and assist with ticket sales and promotion. As well, we are looking for someone with graphic design skills. If you are able to help in any way, please contact Lorraine Baillie (lbaillie@rogers.com).

Parish Announcements

Canonical Status of St. George on Yonge: The appointments of the Administrator and the Assistant Administrators are still in place. Once Bishop Robertson and the Secretary of Synod have the names of those who will form the new corporation (Rector's Warden and People's Warden) and the Treasurer, there will be a request to Diocesan Council to recall the appointment of the Administrator and the Assistant Administrators. It is anticipated that this will happen in March and become effective April 1, 2018. The soonest this could become effective would be March 22, 2018 – the date of Diocesan Council.

The Altar Guild will Decorate our Church for Easter season. If you wish to contribute for the purchase of lilies, please complete the "Altar Flower Request Form" (which is available from the Ushers) and place on the offertory plate in an envelope with a donation **by next Sunday, March 25**. Thank you.

DVRR needs your help! The Don Valley Refugee Resettlers is getting ready to welcome a family of four from Eritrea. They will likely be arriving in the next 2 or 3 of months. We need some hands-on helpers to get the family settled and items to furnish an apartment. Talk to Aili Maki, Max Wynter, or Chip Barkel for more information.

Community Notices

Yonge Churchill Child Care Centre: Before and after school programmes are available! Please see the flyer on the Welcome Desk for contact information.

Listening, Learning, and Living into Reconciliation: Friday, April 20 to Sunday, April 22. Experience a weekend of indigenous history, culture, food, and art. Events include: Friday night movie; Saturday keynote address by Lee Maracle, OC, celebrated author, poet, educator, storyteller, and performing artist; Kairos Blanket Exercise; Sunday morning worship featuring Jennifer Henry, Executive Director, KAIROS Canada; afternoon workshops. Everyone welcome! Come for the whole weekend, or just one or two events. Will be held at Lansing United Church (49 Bogert Avenue, Yonge & Sheppard). For more information contact Lansing United Church at lansingchurch.com or (416) 221-1722, or Cummer Avenue United Church at cummeravenueuc.ca/trc-event/ or (416) 222-5417. Registration is not required; however, for planning purposes, we would appreciate knowing if you are interested in attending.

Area Bursary Grant: Our Area Council awards bursaries to support the youth of our Area entering post-secondary school education. The deadline for application submissions is **May 30, 2018** with the grants being awarded for post-secondary education beginning in September. If you are interested in applying, please send an e-mail message to the office at office@stgeorgeonyonge.ca

8:00

Celebrant	The Rev. Leonard Leader
Preacher	Morning Wang
Readers	Maggie Sumner, Doug Heyes
Intercessor	Raj Sircar

10:30

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Preacher	Morning Wang
Subdeacon	Doug Heyes
Readers	Michael Leach, Margie Lyttle
Intercessor	Doug Heyes
Server	J-C Lewis-Pompey
Chalice	Margie Lyttle, Sangeeta Randive
Ushers	Team 1: Egan Done (leader), Betty Clennett, Jean Ferdinands, Sherwin Ferdinands
Altar Guild	Team 2: Grace Pryce, Margie Lyttle, Roshni Sircar
Coffee Hosts	Nancy and Michael Dodsworth

Holy Week & Easter at St. George on Yonge

Sunday, March 25

8:00 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

Palm Sunday

Communion with distribution of Palms

Communion with distribution of Palms & procession & children's ministry



Monday, March 26

7:30 p.m.

Monday in Holy Week

Communion Service



Tuesday, March 27

7:30 p.m.

Tuesday in Holy Week

Communion Service

with anointing prayers for healing



Wednesday, March 28

12:00 noon

7:30 p.m.

Wednesday in Holy Week

Communion with Reflection on the Way of the Cross

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Thursday, March 29

7:30 p.m.

Maundy Thursday

Communion with foot washing & solemn stripping of the Sanctuary



Friday, March 30

9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Good Friday

Family service remembering the death of Jesus

Solemn service of the Passion

with "Stations of the Cross"



Saturday, March 31

8:00 p.m.

Holy Saturday

Great Vigil of Easter with renewal of baptismal promises & 1st Eucharist of Easter



Sunday, April 1

8:00 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

Easter Sunday

Communion celebrating the resurrection

Sung Communion celebrating the resurrection with children's ministry



Wednesday, April 4

12:00 noon

Easter Wednesday

Seniors' Communion celebrating the resurrection

Christ has Risen!