

NOTICES FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 7, 2024

EASTER I

Saint Thomas's Church

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Mattins at 7:30 am: Psalms 56 (BCP 399) & 57 (BCP 400); Ezekiel 37.1-14;
Te Deum (BCP 7); Luke 24.13-35; Psalm 100 (BCP 457)

Low Mass at 8:00 am: Introit: Psalm 81.1-4 (BCP 434); Collect & Propers
(BCP 190); Gradual: Psalm 118.22-25 (BCP 484)

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

TODAY

EASTER I

7:30 am Mattins

8:00 am Low Mass (no music)

9:30 am Sung Mass (BAS)

11:00 am High Mass (BCP)

Friends of Music / Elinor Frey Concert – 1:30 pm

5:00 pm Evensong, Choral Recital & Benediction

Mon. Apr 8 **FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION** – 7:00 pm at St. Mary Magdalene

Sun. Apr 14 **EASTER II**

Sun. Apr 21 **EASTER III**

Sun. Apr 28 **EASTER IV**

Sun. May 5 **EASTER V – ROGATION SUNDAY**

Thur. May 9 **FEAST OF THE ASCENSION** – 6:30 pm Procession & High Mass

Sat. May 11 **FESTIVAL OF MARY at St Thomas's** – 10:00 am High Mass

Sun. May 12 **SUNDAY AFTER THE ASCENSION**

Sun. May 19 **PENTECOST** – 10:30 am Combined Mass & Luncheon

Sun. May 26 **TRINITY SUNDAY**

WEEKEND WORSHIP (*unless otherwise advertised*)

Saturday Services: Morning Prayer at 9:30 am; Low Mass at 10:00 am
(*No public Evening Prayer on Saturdays.*)

Sunday Services are at 7:30, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am, and 5:00 pm.

All Sunday morning Masses are in-person. The 9:30 and 11:00 am Masses are livestreamed on YouTube, as is Evensong and Adoration at 5:00 pm.

Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall follows the 9:30 and 11:00 Masses.

WEEKDAY WORSHIP (*unless otherwise advertised*)

Morning Prayer: 8:30 am, Monday-Friday

Evening Prayer: 5:00 pm, Monday-Friday

Low Mass at 12:15 pm: Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Low Mass at 5:30 pm: Tuesday (Healing Mass), Thursday

ALTAR MEMORIAL FLOWERS – Dates Available!

Please contact the office if you are interested in having memorial flowers from Easter Day through Patronal.

The cost for High Altar flowers is \$125.00, and the Lady Altar is \$75.00. You will get a charitable receipt for memorial flower donations.

Dates available include April 21 (Easter III, Lady Altar); April 28 (Easter IV, High Altar); May 5 (Easter V, Lady Altar); May 26 (Trinity Sunday - Lady Altar); and June 2 (Corpus Christi – Lady Altar)

Please contact Christine at office@stthomas.on.ca if you are interested in one of the dates listed above, or are looking for a specific date at another time of the year.

ELINOR FREY – The Bach Cello Suites

Join us **Sunday, April 7 at 1:30 pm** for an afternoon with the award-winning Elinor Frey. Elinor will play Bach Cello Suites no. 3, 2 and 6 (in that order). This is a fantastic opportunity to hear this outstanding and engaging artist. Admission is pay what you wish (\$40 suggested).

Elinor Frey is a leading American-Canadian cellist, gambist, and researcher. She is the artistic director of Accademia de' Dissonanti, an organization for performance and research. She has performed throughout the Americas and in Europe in recital and with numerous chamber ensembles and orchestras. The recipient of dozens of grants and prizes supporting performance and research, including the US-Italy Fulbright Fellowship (studying with Paolo Beschi in Como, Italy) and a recent research residency at the Orpheus Institute in Ghent, Elinor holds degrees from McGill, Mannes, and Juilliard. She teaches Baroque cello and performance practice at McGill University and the Université de Montréal and is a Visiting Fellow in Music (2020–2023) at Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford University.

Elinor's albums on the Belgian label Passacaille and Canadian label Analekta – many of which are world premiere recordings – include Giuseppe Clemente Dall'Abaco Cello Sonatas, winner of a Diapason d'Or, and Early Italian Cello Concertos, winner of the 2023 JUNO Award for Classical Album of the Year (small ensemble).

For more about the artist, visit www.elinorfrey.com.

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St. Thomas's relies on the generosity of those whose offerings reflect gratitude for God's own generosity to us. To make a secure gift online, simply scan the QR code with your phone's camera

app, or visit qrco.de/smokytops. Scroll to the bottom of the webpage to fill out the online form. **We no longer pass the plate, so if you want to give the old-fashioned way, an alms basin is available in the narthex.**

DAILY MASSES THIS WEEK

(BCP pages 67-86, 190, Easter I, Year 2B)

Ordinary Weekday Introit: 1 Peter 2.2,
Psalm 81

(*Antiphon*) Like newborn infants, Alleluia /
Long for the pure spiritual milk, Alleluia,
Alleluia, Alleluia. (*Psalm*) O sing merrily
unto God our strength; make a cheerful
noise unto the God of Jacob. Glory be...
(*Repeat Antiphon*)

MONDAY (8) Annunciation (White) 12:15 pm
Introit: Ps. 45.10-15 (BCP 387); Collect &
Propers (BCP 271); Gradual: Psalm 131
(BCP 503)

TUESDAY (9) Commem. (White) 5:30 pm
William Law, Priest and Spiritual Leader, 1761
Acts 4.32-37; Psalm 93 (BCP 450); John
3.7-15

WEDNESDAY (10) Feria (White) 12:15 pm
Acts 5.17-26; Psalm 34.1-8 (BCP 369);
John 3.16-21

THURSDAY (11) Commem. (White) 5:30 pm
Leo the Great, Doctor, Bishop of Rome, 461
Acts 5.27-33; Ps 34.15-22 (BCP 370);
John 3.31-36

FRIDAY (12) Feria (White) 12:15 pm
Acts 5.34-42; Psalm 27.1-6, 15-16 (BCP
360); John 6.1-15

SATURDAY (13) Feria (White) 10:00 am
Acts 6.1-7; Ps 33.1-5, 18-22 (BCP 367);
John 6.16-21

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