

NOTICES FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 20, 2023

THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

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Mattins at 7:30 am: Psalm 65 (BCP 407) & 67 (BCP 409), Hosea 6.1-6;

Te Deum; Romans 1.1-25; Psalm 100 (BCP 457)

Low Mass at 8:00 am: Page 234; Introit: Psalm 111 (BCP 477);

Gradual: Psalm 51.15-17 (BCP 395)

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

TODAY	TRINITY XI 7:30 am Mattins 8:00 am Low Mass (no music) 10:30 am Sung Mass (BAS) 5:00 pm Evensong & Adoration (BCP)
Sun. Aug 27	TRINITY XII (BCP Service at 10:30)
Sun. Sept 1	Friday Food Ministry 3:00 to 7:30 pm (see article)
Sun. Sept 3	TRINITY XIII (BCP Service at 10:30)
Mon. Sept 4	Labour Day – Office Closed; normal service schedule
Sun. Sept 10	TRINITY XIV
Sun. Sept 17	TRINITY XV
Sun. Sept 24	TRINITY XVI EVENSONG OF MICHAELMAS
Fri. Sept 29	MICHAELMAS at St Mary Magdalene at 6:30 pm
Sun. Oct 1	DEDICATION FESTIVAL Combined BAS Mass at 10:30 am
Sun. Oct 8	HARVEST THANKSGIVING
Mon. Oct 9	Thanksgiving Day – Office Closed; normal service schedule

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.*)

All Sunday morning Masses are in-person, and all services featuring choral music are livestreamed on YouTube.

For the rest of the summer, Sunday Services at St. Thomas's will be at 8:00 am, 10:30 am, and 5:00 pm. The BAS and BCP services will continue to alternate, with August 20 being BAS, and August 27 & September 3 BCP. After Labour Day, we will return to our regular Mass schedule.

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, Thursday

THE FRIDAY FOOD MINISTRY NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Fr James Shire will be on vacation for the second half of August, and while he is away the FFM will still be cooking. We will need additional volunteers for the September 1 meal services. You can volunteer through any or all of these vehicles:

- Shopping for groceries
- Boiling eggs at home and bringing them to St. Thomas's
- Making sandwiches at home and bringing them to St. Thomas's
- Volunteering at the Thursday Bee on August 31
- Volunteering for the FFM meal service on September 1

Please let Fr James Shire know how you would like to help with the Friday Food Ministry by emailing him at fridayfoodministry@gmail.com.

ALTAR MEMORIAL FLOWERS – Dates Available!

Please contact the office if you are interested in having memorial flowers from August 27 until the end of the year.

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 August 27 (Trinity XII – both the High Altar and Lady Altar); September 17 (Trinity XV – Lady Altar); September 24 (Trinity XVI – Lady Altar); October 15 (Trinity XIX, Lady Altar); November 19 (Trinity XXIV – both the High Altar and Lady Altar); November 26 (The Sunday Next Before Advent – both the High Altar and Lady Altar); and December 31 (Christmas I – both the High Altar and 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.

HAVE YOU BEEN RECEIVING ST. THOMAS’S WEEKLY E-MAIL OF THE THURIBLE?

If not, would you like to? The easiest way to get on our mailing list is through our website, at www.stthomas.on.ca/newsletter-signup. Just fill in the form and click ‘subscribe,’ and you will be included on our next mailing (usually on Saturdays).



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/smokytoms. 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, 234, Tr XI, Pr 20, Yr 1A)

Ordinary Weekday Introit Psalm: 84

(Antiphon) Behold, O God, our shield, and look upon the face of thine anointed / For one day in thy courts is better than a thousand. (Psalm) O how lovely are thy dwellings, thou Lord of hosts! Glory be... (Repeat antiphon)

MONDAY (21) *Memorial* (White) 12:15 pm

Bernard, Abbot of Clairvaux, 1153

Introit: Ps 1.1-4 (BCP 331); Romans 5.1-5

Gradual: Ps 37.31-32 (BCP 376);

John 15.7-11

TUESDAY (22) *Feria* (Green) 5:30 pm

Judges 5.11-24a; Ps 85.8-13 (BCP 439);

Matthew 19.23-30

WEDNESDAY (23) *Feria* (Green) 12:15 pm

Judges 9.6-15; Ps 21.1-6 (BCP 353);

Matthew 20.1-16a

THURSDAY (24) **HOLY DAY** (Red) 5:30 pm

Saint Bartholomew the Apostle

BCP Propers, page 291

Introit: Ps 116.11-18 (BCP 482);

Gradual: Ps 97.10-12 (BCP 455)

FRIDAY (25) *Feria* (Green) 12:15 pm

Ruth 1.1-22; Ps 146 (BCP 517);

Matthew 22.34-40

SATURDAY (26) *Feria* (Green) 10:00 am

Ruth 2.1-11,4.13-17; Ps 128 (BCP 501);

Matthew 23.1-12

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