

NOTICES FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 11, 2022

TRINITY XIII

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Mattins at 7:30 am: Ps. 72; Jeremiah 30.1-3,10-22; Te Deum; Luke 6.20-38; Ps. 100

Low Mass at 8:00 am: Page 237; Introit: Psalm 90.1-13; Gradual: Psalm 90.14-18

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

TODAY	TRINITY XIII
	7:30 am Mattins
	8:00 am Low Mass (no music)
	9:30 am Sung Mass
	11:00 am High Mass
	5:00 pm Evensong and Devotions
Sun. Sept 18	TRINITY XIV – with Bishop Asbil, and Confirmations at 11 am
Sun. Sept 25	TRINITY XV
Thurs. Sept 29	MICHAELMAS – 6:30 pm
Sun. Oct 2	FEAST OF DEDICATION – Combined Mass at 10:30 am
Wed. Oct 5	Reading Biblical Hebrew 7:00 pm (<i>see article</i>)
Sun. Oct 9	HARVEST THANKSGIVING
Mon. Oct 10	Thanksgiving Day – Office Closed
Wed. Oct 12	Reading Biblical Hebrew 7:00 pm
Sun. Oct 16	TRINITY XVIII

THANKSGIVINGS

Do you have a birthday, anniversary, or other thanksgiving you would like included in our prayers? Please send requests to prayerandcare@stthomas.on.ca; both one-off and annual thanksgivings are welcome. We want to share your joys as well as support you in times of trial.

SAINT THOMAS'S PUBLIC WORSHIP at 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am, and 5:00 pm

All morning Masses are in-person, and the 9:30 and 11:00 am Eucharists are all livestreamed on YouTube, as is the 5:00 pm Evensong and Devotions.

The Common Cup & Low-Gluten Hosts

As has always been the case, communicants may choose to receive communion in one kind only (i.e. no one should feel obligated to receive both the bread and the wine).

As per Diocesan guidelines, communicants are asked *not* to dip the consecrated host into the chalice with their hand (the practice known as intinction) as an alternative to drinking from the chalice.

St. Thomas's offers low gluten communion hosts for those who have gluten allergies, sensitivities, or celiac. These hosts are approved for liturgical use in the Catholic Church in the United States and Canada and contain less than 20 parts per million of gluten. Hosts like these have been deemed safe for consumption for those with Celiac Disease.

The baking of the low gluten hosts is done in a dedicated bakery using positive air pressure to create a room that is free of contaminants. The equipment used in their production is also dedicated to the low gluten baking and is not used for regular altar bread production.

The low gluten hosts are kept in a dedicated pyx in a small bowl to prevent cross-contamination.

When approaching for communion, please inform the priest that you require a low gluten host, and the priest will present the pyx to you.

CHRISTINE IS ON VACATION, returning on Monday, September 26. Fr. Ipema will be looking after routine things while she is away.

FOUNDATION COURSE FOR READING BIBLICAL HEBREW

October–November 2022

This fall we will be offering an introductory program that lays the foundations of a basic competence in reading Biblical Hebrew. The course will consist of eight sessions held on Zoom, beginning on October 5 and continuing Wednesday evenings 7-9 p.m. until November 23.

The course will bring participants to a knowledge of the core elements of Biblical Hebrew grammar through the scrutiny of Genesis, chapters 1-8. While no prior knowledge is necessary, participants who do not know the Hebrew alphabet should contact John Stuart at *john_oh_usa@yahoo.com* for materials that will introduce them to the alphabet and one other critical element of Hebrew, Functors.

John will be our course guide and is happy to field any questions or inquiries from those considering signing up for the program. He is also prepared to help people relate to the alphabet and the material on Functors prior to the program's commencement if necessary.

There is an online form to register for the program. You will find it at *www.stthomas.on.ca/events*.

If you would like to know more about the program before committing yourself, then please send an inquiry note to John Stuart, who will provide more details.

COVID VACCINE CLINIC AT ST STEPHENS-IN-THE-FIELDS - 103 Bellevue Avenue

The next community vaccine clinic is scheduled for **Friday, September 16th, from 6 pm to 9 pm**. This is a walk-in clinic, so no appointment is necessary. Pediatric doses will also be available.

DAILY MASSES THIS WEEK

(BCP pages 67-86, 237, Tr 13 Pr 24, Yr 2C)

Ordinary Weekday Introit:

Ecclus 36.21; Ps 122

Reward those who wait for you and let your prophets be found trustworthy / Hear, O Lord, the prayer of thy servants, according to thy goodwill toward thy people. (Ps) I was glad when they said unto me, "We will go unto the house of the Lord." Glory be... [Repeat Antiphon]

MONDAY (12) *Feria* (Green) 12:15 pm
1 Corinthians 11.17-28,33;
Psalm 40.9-14; Luke 7.1-10

TUESDAY (13) *Memorial* (Red) 5:30 pm
Cyprian, Bishop of Carthage, Martyr, 258
Introit: Ps 119.161-168; Philippians 3.7-11
Gradual: Ps 116.11-14; John 10.11-16

WED. (14) **HOLY DAY** (Red) 12:15 pm
Holy Cross Day
Introit: Ps 43.1-6; 1 Corinthians 1.18-24
Gradual: Ps 98.1-6; John 3.13-17

THURSDAY (15) *Feria* (Green) 5:30 pm
1 Corinthians 15.1-11; Psalm 118.14-29;
Luke 7.36-50

FRIDAY (16) *Memorial* (White) 12:15 pm
Ninian, Bishop in Galloway, c.430
Introit: Ps 96.1-9; Romans 10.14-17
Gradual: Ps 96.10-13; Matthew 28.16-20

SATURDAY (17) *Feria* (Green) 10:00 am
1 Corinthians 15.35-49; Psalm 30.1-5;
Luke 8.4-15

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