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Following Jesus, Serving People

FEAST OF ST MATTHIAS / ASCENSION OF THE LORD

May 13, 2018

8:30AM Holy Eucharist (BCP)

10:00AM Holy Eucharist (BAS)

2:00PM Holy Eucharist (BAS) Filipino Anglican Congregation Edm @ St M

Mondays (bi-weekly) 12:30 pm *Music Collective*

Tuesday 9:00-noon: *Common Threads – A knitting ministry*

Tuesday 7:30 pm *Choir Practice*

Wednesday 9:30-11:00am: *Bible Study*

Sunday School & Children's Corner: Shortly into the 10am service, children grades 1-6 will be invited forward during a "Children's Refrain" for a short prayer and then go to our Spark Sunday School, returning in time for Communion. Students grade 7 and older are invited to gather twice/month in the Blue Room for a discussion. Caregivers of children 5 and under are welcome to sit together in the Children's Corner, where there are a number of books and supplies for quiet play.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

GLASS BLOCKS: Today we give thanks for a new glass block, given in loving memory of David Hinchliffe by Kathleen and Daniel Bilodeau. Let light perpetual shine upon him. Glory be to God!

BCP DEDICATIONS: Today we dedicate new Books of Common Prayer for use in the 8:30 service. Thank you to the Prayer Book Society's Edmonton Branch for the generous gift subsidizing half the cost of these!

YARD CLEANUP SUNDAY MAY 27TH: We are planning our annual yard cleanup after church on Sunday, May 27th. There will be pizza for lunch once we get going! Please mark your calendars...

BOOKS & BREAKFAST SAT JUNE 16: Henri Nouwen's small book called *Aging: The Fulfillment of Life* is our next collective read. The Rev. Joanne Webster will lead the discussion. Twenty books are on the way. Cost: \$20 includes both book and breakfast. To sign up: let Tracey know in the office...

PARISH BBQ SUNDAY JUNE 10: Annual Spring BBQ coming up! Please mark your calendars and if you can help coordinate, please let it be known!

RECTOR HOLIDAY: The rector will be out of the parish on holiday this week.

DRUMHELLER PASSION PLAY: Cindy Bouw is organizing a bus trip to Drumheller on Saturday, July 14th to see the Passion Play. For more information please see the bulletin board or speak to Cindy.

UPCOMING EVENTS (also see the monthly Parish Calendar on the bulletin board and the St Matthias website!)

- *Seniors Collective Kitchen:* Wednesday, May 23rd at 12 pm.
- *Community Collective Kitchen:* Friday, May 25th at 3 pm.
- *St Matthias Foot Clinic:* Monday, May 30th. Please note change in date. Call Tracey to book an appointment.
- *Books & Breakfast:* Saturday, June 16th 9:30 am. Aging: The Fulfillment of Life by Henri Nouwen.
- *Vestry Meeting:* Wed May 30, 7:00pm. (NOTE DIFFERENT DATE)

AROUND THE DIOCESE

- *Bishop Jane's 10th Anniversary Celebration as Bishop of Edmonton:* A festive Eucharist will be held the evening of Friday, May 18th at 7pm at All Saints' Anglican Cathedral.; reception to follow.
- *Jesus Shaped Justice Workshop:* Saturday, June 2nd at 3pm at the PrayerWorks Hall, St. Faith's Anglican Church. How do we move from social service to Jesus Shaped, gospel based social justice? How do we graft the idea of social justice onto our social service initiatives? The Dioceses of Edmonton Social Justice Committee is planning a workshop to explore the issue. Participants will develop a deeper understanding of the theology of social justice, enabling us all to become a more effective "change agent" in God's world. There will be opportunities to network with other like-minded individuals as we learn to ask the right questions. As justice seekers, we will empower people to do something small and manageable, becoming part of a greater change. Lunch to follow - \$10. Register by email at socialjustice@edmonton.anglican.ca

WEEKLY PRAYER CYCLE

CHURCH: In the worldwide Anglican Communion we pray for Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury, and for the work of the Anglican Centre in Rome and for Christchurch - (Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia). In the Anglican Church of Canada we pray for the Diocese of British Columbia. In the Diocese of Edmonton we pray for Bishop Jane and for the clergy and people of St. Paul, Leduc. In our partner Diocese of Buyé we pray for Nyamabuye Parish and for our twinned parish Buringanire.

WORLD: for this City, Province, Country, and for the world. In Treaty 6 territory we pray for the Paul First Nation.

PARISH: We pray for our Office Manager & Sunday School Coordinator: Tracey Ross. We pray for the Garipey neighbourhood and for the Johnston/Reece and Johnston households. We pray for the Khairzada family, refugees in Turkey.

SICK OR SUFFERING: Dale, Sean, Terry David, John, Krista, Gela, Belle, Annika, Jillianne, Dianne, Russell, Margaret, Dion, Bill, Sharon, Debbie, Trent, Raegan, John, Paul+, George

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: PENTECOST SUNDAY, MAY 20, 2018

Acts 2:1-21; Psalm 104:25-35, 37b; Romans 8:22-27; John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15