NOTICES FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 16, 2022 TRINITY XVIII

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Mattins at 7:30 am:

Ps. 105, Pt 1; Ezekiel 34.1-16; Te Deum; Luke 11.37-end; Ps. 100

Low Mass at 8:00 am:

Page 247; Introit: Psalm 122.1-5; Gradual: Psalm 122.6-9

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

TODAY	TRINITY XVIII 7:30 am Mattins 8:00 am Low Mass (no music) 9:30 am Sung Mass (BAS) 11:00 am High Mass (BCP) 5:00 pm Evensong and Devotions
Tues. Oct 18	Society of Mary – 6:45 pm (see article)
Wed. Oct 19	Reading Biblical Hebrew – 7:00 pm Young Adult Ministry – 7:30 pm (see article)
Sat. Oct 22	Benedictine Day – 10:30-1:00 pm (see article)
Sun. Oct 23	TRINITY XIX
Sat. Oct 29	HIGH MASS OF REQUIEM FOR HER LATE MAJESTY $-4:00~\mathrm{pm}$
Sun. Oct 30	TRINITY XX
Tues. Nov 1	ALL SAINTS' DAY – 6:30 pm Mass
Wed. Nov 2	ALL SOULS' DAY – 12:15 Mass & 6:30 pm Faure Requiem
Sat. Nov 5	Standard Time Returns – set clocks back 1 hour at bedtime

COME TO COFFEE HOUR!

Refreshments are available in the Parish Hall following the 9:30 and 11:00 Masses. All are welcome to share in the food and fellowship!

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 per Diocesan guidelines, communicants are asked *not* to dip the consecrated host into the chalice with their hand 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 disease. When approaching for communion, please inform the priest that you require a low-gluten host.

INTERCESSIONS AT THE 9:30 SUNG MASS

Do you attend the 9:30 sung mass and want to participate more in the liturgy? We are looking for volunteers who would like to write and lead the intercessions at the 9:30 sung masses. For people new to the practice, Fr James Shire will be holding a training session on Tuesday, October 25 at 6:00 pm to introduce the practice, show examples of different forms of intercessions, and to explain the logistics to people serving in this ministry. Intercessors play a major role in leading the people's prayers during the mass, and we invite all who are interested to join in this ministry. To sign-up for the training session, or if you have any questions, please email Fr James Shire at *frshire@stthomas.on.ca*.

ST. THOMAS'S UNIVERSITY AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

We are excited to announce the return of the University and Young Adult Ministry at St. Thomas's, and we warmly invite all young adults and university students, whether newcomers or familiar faces, to join us in fellowship. Our hope is to offer a place of bonding and support for the shared experiences, questions, and struggles that face in their journey of faith, even as we are enriched by each other's unique paths and by our study.

The University and Young Adult Ministry will be organized around Scripture, socials, and service. We will meet weekly on **Wednesdays at 7:30 pm, in the Undercr**oft for Bible Study. (Our first sessions will run through the Epistle to the Galatians.) No prior expertise is needed: we will read as a group and discuss our thoughts freely.

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On **Sundays at 6:00 pm, after the Choral Evensong service**, we invite any curious souls to join us at a nearby restaurant! We will gather by the statue of Christ in the narthex after the service. Friends are welcome too.

We hope to serve the needs of the church and community as a group: for instance, cleaning, organizing, putting up posters, or baking treats for the parish. These will be announced beforehand to the group.

If you're interested, feel free simply to drop in to our social or Bible Study night. Or reach out to Fr. Shire at *frshire@stthomas.on.ca* if you have any questions. We look forward to welcoming you.

SOCIETY OF MARY - Discussion, Rosary, & Benediction

Tuesday, October 18, beginning at 6:45 pm

Curious to learn more about the Rosary? Looking for a group to connect and pray with? On Tuesday, October 18, the Our Lady of Hope Ward of the Society of Mary -- a Marian devotional society that includes members from various parishes - will gather right here in St. Thomas's undercroft to chat about our experiences with this venerable devotion to Mary and her Son, Jesus. Then at 7:30 pm we'll head up to the chancel and say the Rosary itself, followed by a short service of Eucharistic Benediction. Newcomers welcome! Feel free to reach out to Jess Nee <code>jess.nee@gmail.com</code> or Matthew Neugebauer with any questions.

BENEDICTINE DAY AT ST. THOMAS'S

Saturday, October 22 from 10:30 am to 1:00 pm

Please mark your calendars for our Benedictine Day on October 22. We will be cleaning up the parish hall, the undercroft, and other spaces, and tidying the flowerbeds. It's always a fun day, and there will be homemade soup afterward. Please let Rob Kennedy, *kennedy@bell.net*, know if you will be able to come and help.

REQUIEM FOR THE QUEEN

A High Mass of Requiem for Her Late Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, will be offered on Saturday, October 29 at 4:00 o'clock. The choir will sing the *Requiem in D minor, Op. 48* by Gabriel Fauré.

DAILY MASSES THIS WEEK

(BCP pages 67-86, 240, Tr 18, Pr 29, Yr 2C)

Ordinary Weekday Introit: Psalm 17.6,8,1 I have called upon thee, O God, for thou shalt hear me / incline thine ear to me, and hearken unto my words. Keep me as the apple of an eye; hide me under the shadow of thy wings. (Ps) Hear the right, O Lord, consider my complaint. Glory be... [Repeat Antiphon]

MONDAY (17) *Commem.* (Green) 12:15 pm *Etheldreda, Abbess of Ely, 679* Ephesians 2.1-10; Ps 100; Luke 12.13-21

TUESDAY (18) *Holy Day* (Red) 5:30 pm *Saint Luke the Evangelist* BCP Propers, page 295 Introit: Ps 45.1-4; Gradual: Ps 37.31-32

WEDNESDAY (19) Memorial (Red) 12:15 pm Jean de Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues, and their Companions, Missionaries and Martyrs in New France, 1642-1649 Introit: Ps 119.161-168; Romans 8.28-39 Gradual: Ps 116.11-17; Luke 12.8-12

THURSDAY (20) *Feria* (Green) 5:30 pm Ephesians 3.14-21; Ps 33.1-11; Luke 12.49-53

FRIDAY (21) *Feria* (Green) 12:15 pm Ephesians 4.1-6; Ps 24.1-6; Luke 12.54-59

SATURDAY (22) *Feria* (Green) 10:00 am Ephesians 4.7-16; Ps 122; Luke 13.1-9

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