

Church of the Ascension

Sudbury, Ontario

'With thee is the well of life : and in thy light shall we see light.'
(Psalm 36.9, Coverdale)

-Bishop's motto for 2015

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In our prayers ...

Please pray for the following people for God's continued healing and strength during the coming week., especially Ken Walsh, Doug Wilson, Tammy, Cathy Walton, Bill Craig, Brian, Joyce Laking, Naina, Christina, Joanne, Joe, Mags Gill, Leila Dunlop, Jean Aceti, Quinton Doveton, Beryl Cole, Christine Metzler, Ivan Cutler, Isabel Smith, Mike Dolan, Nancy Turner, Abraham (Bob) Peters, Beryl Styles.

We pray for those who are living in retirement residences or nursing homes, or who find it difficult to join us for church on Sundays; Milt Fleming, Aileen Haslam, Ron Little, Margaret Villeneuve, Velma Tansley, Karin Hoffman Daryl Keen. and Edna Bailey. May they always feel God's presence in their lives.

In our parish we pray for our wardens and leaders and in our parish family, for John & Jennifer Caruso, Chris Cawte & Molly Roberts, Harry Challis, and their families.

We give thanks for the ministry of St. Mark's parish and for the clergy and laity who served there faithfully over the years. We pray that as the building is sold this week, that God will continue to lead God's people to new pastures and places of worship where their souls will be nurtured.

We give thanks for Philip Balson, our organist, and for his ministry in our congregation. We give thanks for the choir and for our contemporary music group, EK, that through their music ministry our worship will be enriched.

We give thanks for the ministry of the Monday Quilters and Crafters, whose hands have made the beautiful friendship quilts that will be blessed this morning and taken to The Elgin Street Mission for distribution

In the Diocese of Algoma, we pray for Northern Lights Parish, St. Paul's and St. John's, Haileybury, St. James', Cobalt, Christ Church, Englehart, Val Paterson, Pastoral Assistant

In the Anglican Church of Canada, we pray for our Primate, Archbishop Fred Hiltz, for our Metropolitan, Archbishop Colin Johnson, for our Diocesan Bishop, Bishop Stephen Andrews; for our Archdeacon Anne Germond and for our parish clergy Rev. Anne, Fr. Bob and Rev. Rhonda.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for Missouri - (VI, The Episcopal Church) The Rt Revd Wayne Smith.

Attendance on Sunday 8th March was 39 at 9am and 86 at 11am

Fourth Sunday in Lent
9 and 11 am Holy Eucharist

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

Year B

All Hymns from the Blue Book
The Gathering of the Community

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Proclamation Of The Word

Old Testament Lesson	Numbers 21:4-9
<i>The lifting up of the serpent</i>	
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<i>The LORD delivered them from their distress .</i>	
New Testament Lesson:	1 Ephesians 2:1-10
<i>Saved by grace through faith for good works .</i>	
Gradual	# 371
Holy Gospel:	John 3:14-21
<i>The lifting up of the Son of Man .</i>	
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The Celebration of the Eucharist

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The flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Joseph Pancel, by his dear wife Phyllis and children Chris, Pam, Paul, Peter and Richard. May Joseph's soul rest in peace and rise again in glory.

During 2015 the members of the board will be the greeters at the door on Sunday mornings. As they welcome you, please introduce yourself so that we may get to know each other. We extend a warm welcome to anyone who is joining us as a guest.

We have gluten free hosts for those who have wheat allergies. Please let one of the sidespeople know before the offertory if you would like a gluten free host.

The Church of the Ascension is striving to be accessible to everyone. We have a number of assistive hearing devices at the back of the church. Please ask one of the sidespeople who will help you get set up ahead of the service

In the Parish This Week

Today at 1:15pm: Being Christian - Book study on Eucharist.

Monday 10am: Quilters and Crafters meet for fellowship and quilting.

7pm - Contemplative Prayer Course at the Church of the Epiphany.

Tuesday 17th March: Stand Up! At 9:30am. Rev. Anne will not be in the office today.

Wednesday 18th March: 9:30am Holy Eucharist and Bible Study.

11:30am: Anti Racism Day Lunch at the Caruso Club.

Thursday 19th March 10am: Hearing Mark in Lent - read from the New Revised Standard Version.

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