

**ST. OLAVE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH**

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## **Announcements for April 8, 2018**

### **TODAY AT ST. OLAVE'S**

**COFFEE HOUR:** Visitors and parishioners, please join us downstairs after the 10:30 a.m. service for fellowship and light refreshments. Thank you to Jon Ingall and Siobhan Carmichael hosting this morning's coffee hour.

### **THIS WEEK AT ST. OLAVE'S**

#### **TUESSDAY APRIL 10**

- ACW Executive Meeting at 10:00 a.m.

#### **WEDNESDAY APRIL 11**

- Bible Study at 10 a.m. followed by mid-week Eucharist at 11:15 a.m.
- Eastertide Series begins at 6:00 p.m.

#### **LANGUAGE OF THE KING JAMES BIBLE: Wednesdays at 6 p.m.**

Evening Prayer for Eastertide at 6 p.m., followed by light supper at 6:30. From 7 to 8 p.m. the Rev. Dr. Schuyler Brown leads discussions of writings which explore the emotional power of the KJV's poetry and its heightened language.

April 11 How it all started: Why words matter?

April 18 The power of words; Linguistics 101

April 25 Relational thinking

May 2 *Hearing Through*: The poetics of the soul.

For more details, please see yellow handout available in the Narthex.

#### **FRIDAY APRIL 13**

- Youth Group Movie Night

#### **SUNDAY APRIL 15**

- Service of Holy Communion at 8:30 a.m.
- Service of Morning Prayer at 10:00 a.m.  
Psalm 135:1-7; Numbers 13:1-2, 17-end; Mark 5:21-end.
- Service of Holy Communion at 10:30 a.m.

**PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**BISHOP JENNY LENTEN SERIES:** The six-week series Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John, led by Bishop Jenny Andison, has concluded. The Wardens and Rector would like to thank the members of the ACW for serving the meals every Wednesday, as well as all of the other volunteers who supported the entire program. It was truly a St. Olave's team effort and a wonderful chance for us to offer our brand of hospitality to other churches.

**THANK YOU** to the following people who served as greeters in March: Paul Scrivener, Carol Ambler, Sarah Munding, Caroline Audet, Annis Tebbutt, Anesu Machoko, Jelana Duncan and Jim Shapland. Volunteers are needed to serve in this very important ministry of St. Olave's for the next three months. Please see the sign up sheet on the clipboard in the Narthex or speak with Janice Douglas if you are able to help out.

**GIVING TO ST. OLAVE'S:** The Wardens are pleased to report that Doug Hewitt is our new Envelope Secretary. If you would like a box of dated "duplex" envelopes, would like to register for Pre-Authorized Givings (PAG) through your bank or credit card, or would like to change your PAG donation amount, please contact him at 519-240-2769 or [envelopesecretary@stolaves.ca](mailto:envelopesecretary@stolaves.ca). Thank you!

**THE BEST OF CANADIANA: Sunday April 22 (Eve of St. George's Day)** Join us at 4 p.m. for **Choral Evensong**, followed by St. George's Tea. At 5 p.m. **St. Olave's Guild** and guests will present drama, poetry, comedy and song! The year-long celebration of **Canada 150** continues with the music of Joni Mitchell and Neil Young! For more details, please see the green handout available on the table in the Narthex or visit our website at [www.stolaves.ca](http://www.stolaves.ca).

**GUEST PREACHER FOR ROGATION SUNDAY:** On May 6 we will be joined by the Rev'd Chris Harper, Indigenous Native Priest of the Diocese of Toronto. Born and raised in Saskatchewan, Chris is Plains Cree. A lifelong Anglican and the son of a residential school survivor, he studied at James Settee College in the Diocese of Saskatchewan, earning a Certificate of Indigenous Anglican Theology, before going to Wycliffe College. He was ordained a deacon at St. Thomas, Huron Street in Toronto in 2005 and priest at St. Alban's Cathedral in Prince Albert later that year. As Rogation Sunday centres on the blessings of the land, Chris will focus his sermons at 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. on the wisdom of Indigenous cultures as it relates to the land. Following the service, Chris will stay and participate in a 90-minute workshop developed by The Primate's World Relief and Development Fund called Mapping the Ground We Stand On. Your homework is to know the approximate arrival year to Canada of one of your ancestors. Join us as we learn what it's like to walk onto a map!

**FAITH AND FICTION: Thursday May 10 (Ascension Day)**

Ascension Communion at 6 p.m., followed by light supper at 6:40.

From 7 to 8 p.m., **David Brinton** discusses theological themes in contemporary fiction by many famous and lesser-known authors, including Muriel Spark, Flannery O'Connor and Marilynne Robinson. For more details, please see season brochure available on the table in the Narthex or visit our website at [www.stolaves.ca](http://www.stolaves.ca).



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