

ST. OLAVE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
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Announcements for September 16, 2018

T O D A Y A T S T . O L A V E ' S

SERVICE OF MORNING PRAYER IN THE CHAPEL at 10:00 a.m.

(Ps 90:1-13; Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-3nd; Luke 9:46-end)

SPECIAL CELEBRATION! Visitors and parishioners, please join us downstairs following the 10:30 a.m. service as we celebrate the 90th birthday of our beloved parishioner, **Robert C. Ragsdale**. Among his many notable contributions to St. Olave's, he served as Warden for many years and was a founding member of the Second Century Mission Fund. In 2017, he was named a Member of the Order of the Diocese of Toronto. His career as a professional photographer has been well documented in the National Archives, and we will never forget the outstanding Photographic Art Show he presented a few years ago as a benefit for the Second Century Mission Fund. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY, BOB!**

WORSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING in Wardens' Vestry 12:15-2:30 p.m.

T H I S W E E K A T S T . O L A V E ' S

WE ARE SORRY TO REPORT that Janet Sayer passed away on Wednesday September 12. Her funeral will be held at St. Olave's on Tuesday September 18 at 11 a.m. There will be visitation at Turner & Porter on Monday September 17 from 2-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m.

BEGINNINGS AND ENDINGS - WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY:

The Wednesday morning Bible Study has resumed on Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. in the Ethel Brown Room. All are welcome to join us for this hour long, weekly time of fellowship and learning. The theme of this year's study is Beginnings and Endings, and we will be looking at selected passages in both Genesis and Revelation. Our session this week will continue to study the Creation Story (Genesis 1.1 - 2.25). Join us any Wednesday!

WEDNESDAY HOLY COMMUNION:

Our Wednesday morning Communion service has resumed at 11:15 a.m. Holy Communion is offered each week, observing the commemorations and feasts of the BCP calendar. Everyone is welcome to attend this brief (25 minutes), said service in the Chapel. Try out this refreshing mid-week worship and mark the middle of your week in the "beauty of holiness."

MEETINGS THIS WEEK:

Tuesday, September 18

- ACW Executive Meeting at 10:00 a.m.
- Mary & Martha Group – Informal meeting following funeral reception.
- Advisory Board Meeting **POSTPONED** until October 2

SERVICES THIS WEEK:

Tuesday, September 18

8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
11:00 a.m. Funeral Service for Janet Sayer

Wednesday, September 19

8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
11:15 a.m. Holy Communion
(Autumn Ember Day)

Thursday, September 20

8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
(John Coleridge Patteson, Martyr, 1871)

Friday, September 21

8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
(St. Matthew's Day)

Sunday, September 23

8:30am Holy Communion
10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
(Trinity 17)

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

WANTED! St. Olave's wants your finest and favourite recipes for our new ACW cook book. **Deadline: October 1st.** Dig out those secret recipes and bring to church or email: Siobhan at Siobh4n.c@gmail.com. Send as many as you wish and don't forget to include your name!

NEWS FLASH: MUSIC OF THE OXFORD MOVEMENT

Clement Carelse has just announced the music details for Choral Evensong on Sunday 30th September at 4 p.m., in which he will direct the **Choir of St. Peter's, Erindale**.

- The *Evensong Responses* are by **Heathcote Statham (1889-1973)**.
- The *Magnificat* and *Nunc Dimittis* are by **Thomas Attwood Walmisley (1814-56)**, using his wonderful D minor setting.

The anthems are:

- *Save us, O Lord* by **Edward Bairstow (1874-1946)**; and
- *Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace* by **Samuel Sebastian Wesley (1810-76)**.

The choir will be accompanied by our music director, **John Stephenson**, at the organ. Then stay after the service for our annual **Peach Tea**, with fresh peaches and pies from the Etobicoke Farmers Market, during which Clement will present a special feature on the *Music of the Oxford Movement*. As Clement will explain and demonstrate, it had a profound effect on Anglican church music. He will focus on the distinguished composers whose glorious choral works are included in the service. So join us at St. Olave's on **30th September** for the first in our new season of special events, opening with Choral Evensong at 4 p.m.

ADVISORY BOARD MEETING: Tuesday October 2 at 7:30 p.m.
Reports due by: Tuesday September 25.

DO YOU LIKE TO SING? The choir is always welcoming new singers to its ranks. Previous choir experience and an ability to read music is helpful, but it doesn't need to be recent experience. We meet Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 9:15 p.m. (excluding the summer) and Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m. before the 10:30 a.m. service. Contact Director of Music, John Stephenson, for more information after the service or via stolaves@stolaves.ca.

AUGUST GREETERS: Thank you to the following people who volunteered to greet people with bulletins and provide other assistance during the August services: Caroline Audet, Michael Ball, Karen Bennedsen, Janice Douglas, Sheila Tait, Annis Tebbutt. **Greeters are needed for the weeks ahead.** Please add your name to the clipboard on the table in the Narthex (the entry space off Windermere) or speak to Janice Douglas about volunteering.