# THE VALLEY BULLETIN 15th Sunday After Pentegost



SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2022



#### WELCOME

If you are visiting, we welcome you into our midst.

Whoever you are and wherever you are on your journey in faith, you are welcome. It is a blessing to have you worship with us today!

The Parish of the Valley respectfully acknowledges that we gather for worship on traditional Anishinabe Algonquin territory.

## LET'S PRAY

For the Church in the World we pray for Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil. For our Companion Diocese of Jerusalem. We pray for Linda Nicholls, our Primate, Anne Germond, our Metropolitan, and Sidney Black, Interim National Indigenous Bishop.

#### In our Diocese of Ottawa we pray for:

- † For Shane Parker, our Bishop; for Matthew Brown our Incumbent; for Gillian Hoyer our Associate Incumbent; for Claire Bramma our Assistant Curate, and for our Interim Associate Priests, John Wilker–Blakley and Rick Durrett.
- † COVID 19 Pray for all who are affected by this Pandemic.
- † Christ Church, Aylmer, for the Diocesan Director of Stewardship & Communication, for volunteer university & college campus chaplains, for vocations to the diaconate, the priesthood and religious life, and for The Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, Sacred Circle Events, and the ministry of reconciliation.
- † For The Parish of St. Alban the Martyr, Mattawa.

For the life & members of our Parish of the Valley Community, this week we pray for: Gary Laymann, Arthur & Linda Leach, Beth Leach, Bill Leach, Bruce Leach & Lynn Felhaber, and all members of their families.

For those who have died and for all members of their families as they grieve: George Wilcox, Jacqueline Lamarche.

For those preparing to be married: Anna Rudenko & Zavien Solianik.

For those who are being baptized today: Axel Laframboise & Leni Felhaber.

## For the sick and those who have asked for our prayers ...

Alice & Petawawa: Marion, Gerry, Kailyn, Vandela, Sharon, Minnie, Marjorie, Peter.

Barry's Bay & Whitney: Abigail, Susan, Patricia, Elspeth, Debra,

Mary-Jayne, Violet, Fern, Shirley, Marilyn, Betty, Elva, David, Susie, Freda.

Beachburg: Mac, John, Sharon, Patsy, Holly, Thyra, Anne, Sandra, Nathan, Bill.

**Killaloe/Tramore & Eganville:** Ken, Ethel, Paula, Marilyn, Pauline, Jim, Hanna, Scarlett, Toots, May, Denise, Forest, Rosemary.

**Pembroke:** Heidi, Margaret, Molly, Muriel, June, George, Stephanie, Cecil, Lynne, Rita, Susan, Ann, Lomie, Jessie.

**Stafford / Cobden:** Stephen, Beth, Agnes, Nathan, Margaret, Susan, Ryan, Haley, Ruth, James, Sharon, Dave, Nicholas, Carolyn, Hillary, Sharon, Glen.

## READINGS

SEPTEMBER 18, 2022– FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Jeremiah 8.18-9.1; Psalm 79.1-9; 1 Timothy 2.1-7; Luke 16.1-13

# **UPCOMING READINGS**

September 25, 2022— SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Jeremiah 32.1-3a, 6-15; Psalm 91.1-6, 14-16; 1 Timothy 6.6-19; Luke 16.19-31

October 2, 2022– SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Lamentations 1.1-6; Psalm 137; 2 Timothy 1.1-14; Luke 17.5-10

EPIPHANY BARRY'S BAY & ST. ANTHONY'S WHITNEY October 2, 2022 - Harvest Thanksgiving Deuteronomy 26.1-11; Psalm 100; Philippians 4.4-9; John 6.25-35

## OFFERINGS THIS WEEK

Please continue to make your regular offerings. All members of the Parish of the Valley are encouraged to place donations on the collection plate, mail in weekly offerings (cash or cheque), sign up for Pre-Authorized Remittances (PAR), or give online with credit card using *Canada Helps or Tithe.ly*. Please see our website for a list of church and treasurer mailing addresses and online giving information.

## SERVICES IN THE PARISH OF THE VALLEY

## Sunday, September 25th

8 & 10am - Holy Trinity Pembroke
9am - Ascension, Killaloe
9am - St. Patrick's Lower Stafford
9:30am - St. George's South Alice (Morning Prayer)
11am - St John's Eganville
11am - St. Paul's Cobden
11am - Epiphany Barry's Bay (Morning Prayer)
11:15am - All Saints Petawawa (Morning Prayer)

## Parish News

**Calling all who love to sing** — a diocesan massed choir will be gathering at Christ Church Cathedral Ottawa for a service of Evensong on Sunday September 25th at 4pm. No prior experience is required. A number of singers from the Parish of the Valley plan to participate. Please speak with any member of the clergy team for more information.

The submission deadline for the next issue of our parish newspaper, Revelations, is September 24th. For submissions please contact Jean Ostrom: ostrom@nrtco.net.

Sunday, September 25th will be **Orange Shirt Sunday** across the Parish of the Valley. All members of the parish are invited to wear orange on that day as we share in the important work of repentance, truth telling and reconciliation across Canada.

This year we are inviting all members of our area parish to designate the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, **Tuesday October 4th, as a Day of Prayer and Fasting for Peace**. Members of the parish are invited to take time on the day to pray for peace in our world, thinking especially of the ongoing war in Ukraine. We are also invited, each in our own way, to offer loving service on that day to further the cause of peace in our local communities. On the evening of October 4th, St. John's Eganville, St. Stephen's Micksburg, St.Paul's Cobden and Holy Trinity Pembroke will all be open between 6:30pm and 8:30pm for prayers for peace led by members of our clergy team and licensed lay readers. We are grateful to Licensed Lay Reader Wendy Cayen for her leadership in making this day possible.

A series of Parish of the Valley music events is being actively planned for this fall. The first event will be an afternoon of Praise & Gospel Music at the Church of the Epiphany, Barry's Bay, on Sunday October 23rd beginning at 2pm. Watch for more details in the weeks to come!

This October the Parish of the Valley will be partnering with Universal Portraits to create a parish wide photo directory. Representatives from Universal Portraits will be contacting members of the parish directly in the coming weeks to schedule photo shoot times for anyone wishing to to participate. We encourage all members of the parish to please take part. There is no cost to participate, and each participant will receive a free photo directory for our parish as a whole, organized by congregation, once the process is complete. Participants are free to purchase additional photographs if they wish — they make a lovely Christmas gift! Photos will be taken in Pembroke, Eganville and Barry's Bay and all members of the parish are welcome to schedule a photo session at whichever location is most convenient for their schedule.

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