

Image: People around the globe. Unity. Togetherness
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Prayer

God of Hope, Help us to remember that you are with us in our suffering. Help us to embody hope for one another when hopelessness is a frequent unwelcomed guest in our hearts. Grant us the gift of being grounded in your loving Spirit as we work together to eradicate all forms of oppression and injustice. Give us the courage to love what, whom and how you love, and to express this love in our actions. Through Christ Our Lord.

Amen.

2023 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity – Canadian Resources
Biblical Reflections and Prayers for the 8 Days
<https://www.weekofprayer.ca/2023-wpcu-resources>



We acknowledge that in Kingston we are situated on traditional Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee territory. We are grateful to be able to live, learn, and play on these lands.

WORSHIP

Service Clergy:

Sunday, January 22, Third Sunday after the Epiphany, both services: Dean Doug Michael, Presider; The Venerable John Robertson, Preacher

Sunday, January 29, Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany, 8 am service: Dean Doug Michael, Presider & Preacher; 10:30 am service: Canon Barbara Stewart, Presider; Dean Doug Michael, Preacher.

Sunday, February 5th, Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany, both services: Presider: Dean Doug Michael; Canon Barbara Stewart, Preacher.

Readings:

Sunday, January 22, Third Sunday after the Epiphany: Isaiah 9:1-4, Psalm 27:1, 5-13, 1 Corinthians 1:10-18, Matthew 4:12-23

Sunday, January 29, Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany: Micah 6:1-8, Psalm 15, 1 Corinthians 1:18-31, Matthew 5:1-12

Sunday, February 5th, Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany: Isaiah 58:1-9a (9b-12), Psalm 112:1-9 (10); 1 Corinthians 2:1-12 (13-16), Matthew 5:13-20

Prayers of the People

We Pray For:

Bob Gardiner, John Weatherall, John Bate, Mary Cuthbert, Rev'd Don Goodwin, Bill McCready, Gill Cleghorn, George Turcotte, Barbara Fox, Allison Belyea, Annette Hayward, Carolyn & Geoffrey Pratt, Wendy Fisher, Sister Marjorie Swarthout, Linda Goldstein, Janet Gray, Sandy, Carmen Mason, John Prickett, Marilyn Treddenick, David Plummer, The Rev. Georgina Stewart, John Cruikshank, Lyla Powers, Peter Anderson, Hazel Wilkinson, Arlie Campbell, Dee Padfield, Rhonda, Derek, and Meghan Macaulay and for the repose of the soul of Rev. Brian Freeland

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS *in-person and online*

Choral Evensong
Wednesday, February 15th at 7pm

Bach Marathon
RCCO Kingston Centre Event
Saturday, March 25th from 9 am to 5 pm

January 14th, 2023 Visioning Workshop



The Rev'd Dr. Grahame Robert Bowcott with
St. George's Cathedral
Dean Douglas Michael, Parish Council
and Executive.

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ST. GEORGES CATHEDRAL OFFICE

Office Administrator: Christina Lord The church office is open 9:30 am to 1 pm Tuesday to Friday. For arrangements at other times please phone (613-548-4617) or email (office@stgeorgescathedral.ca) in advance.

Contributions to St. George's Cathedral: Your generosity is invited and most welcome.

Contributions may be via e-transfer to finance@stgeorgescathedral.ca, mailed, dropped, or donated online through <https://www.stgeorgescathedral.ca/give> or <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/st-georges-cathedral/>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

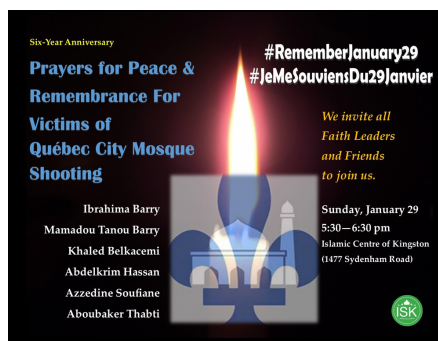
St. Paul's Anglican, Melos' Chantuary series - Joseph Haskour: As Catherine Mora and Joseph Haskour prepare to move to Ottawa, we are especially pleased to have Joseph, a member of Melos' ensemble, leading a chant workshop with Holly Gwynne-Timothy on the Syriac Lord's Prayer - Abun d'bashmayo. Please come and sing this beautiful chant with Joseph and others from the broader community: Chantuary, Saturday, January 21st, 7:00 p.m.; St. Paul's Anglican Church. (registration and COVID testing first). Enter on Montreal Street side. Chanting starts at 7:30. If you prefer simply to listen, that is great, too! \$10 participation fee; or free-will offering, if able, greatly appreciated. More information at www.melos-earlymusic.org

Updates from the Sponsorship Committee:

The Homs Family: Rim, Fathi, Rita and Bassil have concluded their first year with us and in that time they have made remarkable progress. The children are eager and good students at their French Catholic schools, and their English language is excellent. Rita is learning to play the violin with weekly instruction from Ruth Oliver, and even performed a small, in-house recital a few weeks ago. Bassil is interested in sports, particularly in the recent Football World Cup. Even though there has been much progress, Fathi and Rim are finding that their English skills are not yet up to the level required for them to secure jobs in Kingston. Fathi has a wide range of hands-on skills like painting, gardening, machine repair and general construction. In Aleppo and Beirut he was a bus driver and would very much like to apply that experience to truck driving. He has his full G license and the family now owns a car. Rim would like to find work as a clerk in a grocery store or perhaps fast food outlet. If anyone in our St George's community has a need for help at their home or business, that does not require complete English skills, and could provide some financial please call Jann VanVugt at 613-548-7003 or email jnnvan@gmail.com, to connect you to Fathi and Rim.

Youssef Mora: In December 2019, the Sponsorship Committee applied to sponsor Youssef Mora, a 28 year old cousin of Catherine and Avedik Mora. He fled Aleppo at that time and has been living in Beirut in precarious circumstances since then. We have received word that he has recently passed his Canadian immigration interview and is waiting for the physical exam, the last step in the approvals process before traveling to Canada. We are hopeful that he will be here before summer. We will be looking for household kitchen items and furniture for Youssef very soon, so if you have any items in very good condition, please consider donating to the Sponsorship Committee. Contact is Heather Buchan at 613-549-3076.

Caritas Service (second Tuesday of the month): Next Caritas is on Tuesday, February 14th, 2023



Prayers for Peace & Remembrance For Victims of Quebec City Mosque Shooting.

Sunday, January 29th, 2023 - 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Islamic Centre of Kingston (1477 Sydenham Road)

Dean Douglas Michael will be in attendance offering a prayer and reflection from St. George's Cathedral.