



Holy Trinity Anglican Church
Second Sunday of Easter
Sunday April 12, 2026
8:00 am

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The Right Reverend Dr. Todd Townshend, Bishop of Huron
The Venerable Rob Lemon, Rector
The Venerable Tanya Phibbs, Associate Rector
The Reverend Canon Tom Patterson, Deacon
The Reverend Stephanie Donaldson, Deacon
The Reverend Diana Boland, Vicar
The Reverend Tianna Gocan, Curate
Ian Sadler, Organist and Director of Music
Neil F. Young, Contemporary Musician

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Gathering of the Community

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Proclamation of the Word

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We invite all Christians who are baptized in the name of the Holy Trinity, regardless of denomination, to join with us in receiving the church's highest offering of praise to God, the Holy Eucharist.

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Blessing	



Join us later today at 4p.m. for
Jazz Vespers Featuring:
**“The Jazz Combo from
Stratford District Secondary School”**
All are welcome. Free will offering.

NOTICES FOR APRIL 12th

ACW SPRING MEETING – Thursday April 16th

Be sure to sign up at the back of the church for the ACW Spring meeting at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday April 16th in the Lower Hall. To confirm your attendance and allow our cook time to purchase and prepare our food. Or you can contact Karen Haslam at 519-273-5398. Yours in Christ, Karen Haslam, President - ACW – Holy Trinity.

Men's Breakfast - Saturday April 18th

- Coffee, tea and juice available at 8:15 a.m.
- Fellowship and great food at 8:30 a.m.
- INVITE a friend, family member or stranger!
- Join us then- see YOU there.

Outreach Lunch April 19th

Youth who are homeless or at risk are of ever-greater concern in our community. Shelterlink Youth Services is a local agency that is working hard to “transform a future” for these young people. Michelle Cutts, Development & Community Engagement Manager at Shelterlink, will be our guest presenter at the Outreach Lunch, right after the 11:00 am service. The menu will be a variety of delicious home-made soups. All freewill donations received at the lunch will go to Shelterlink. Everyone is welcome!

Cheques

We now have a bank account in the name of Holy Trinity Anglican Church. Please ensure that all cheques are now made out to Holy Trinity Anglican Church as the former bank accounts of our three founding churches will be closed in the next short while.

Hearing God's Call: A Day of Discernment

Are you wondering where God might be calling you?

The Diocese of Huron is holding a day of listening, reflection, and conversation for those who are exploring a sense of vocation in their lives. This may be a sense of call to ordained ministry (deacon or priest), religious life or as a lay leader in the church. All are welcome! Please register through the Event Brite link: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/hearing-gods-call-a-day-of-discernment-tickets-1985825843555>

Date: Saturday, April 18th

Location: St. James Westminster

Time: 10am- 2:30 pm

Gift Cards for Holy Trinity Food Bank

Thanks to all who ordered gift cards. We made \$189.90 for the food banks. Next order due June 7th.

Tuesday Food Bank Wish List

Canned tomatoes are always in demand among our customers, and our stock is getting low. Help us fill that shelf with diced, crushed and whole tomatoes – especially diced and crushed.

March was the second busiest month we've ever had – even when you take the fifth Tuesday out of the numbers. Many thanks for your generous support that makes it possible for us to keep on serving our food-insecure neighbours!

Pastoral Visits

If you would like a pastoral visit (either in person or by phone), please contact The Ven. Rob Lemon at: 519-271-3572 (ext,102), home phone 519-305-2338 or rlemon@holytrinitystratford.ca. Alternatively, please contact Mother Tianna at 519-271-3572 (ext. 104), 226-791-0150 or tgocan@holytrinitystratford.ca, or Archdeacon Tanya at 226-927-3632 or tphibbs@holytrinitystartford.ca.