



Holy Trinity Anglican Church
Third Sunday of Easter
Sunday April 19, 2026
11:00 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

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Prelude *Trumpet Tune (from 'King Arthur') – H. Purcell*

Processional Hymn #529 *God, My Hope on You Is Founded*

Opening Prayers *BAS p. 185*

Land Acknowledgement

Celebrant We gather here today on the ancestral hunting grounds of the Anishinabek, Haudenosaunee and Attawandaron peoples, in the territory of the Dish with One Spoon Covenant Wampum and the Huron Tract Treaty.

People **From many places and peoples, we come together as one for prayer and worship.**

Celebrant We acknowledge the injustices that Indigenous Peoples have endured since colonization.

People **We commit ourselves to justice and reconciliation.**

Celebrant We honour Indigenous Peoples' wise stewardship of land and water.

People **We will strive to sustain and renew the life of the earth. Amen**

Collect for Purity *BAS p. 185*

Gloria #686

The Collect of the Day



THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn #374

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus

Prayer over the Gifts

The Great Thanksgiving - Eucharistic Prayer #3

BAS p. 198

Sanctus and Benedictus

#689

The Lord's Prayer

BAS p. 211

Breaking of the Bread #8

BAS p. 212

Agnus Dei

#690

The Communion

All Christians of any age are welcome to receive communion with this community of God's people. Gluten-free wafers are available. You are invited to drink from the common cup. If you are uncomfortable drinking from the cup, you may pass by the chalice bearer or stop and touch the cup or bow your head briefly. If you are not receiving communion but wish to receive a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest and the priest will bless you.

Communion Hymn #74

For the Bread Which You Have Broken

Prayer after Communion

Doxology

BAS p. 214

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn #330

O Praise Ye the Lord

Dismissal

Postlude:

Carillon in B flat – L. Vierne

NOTICES FOR APRIL 19th

Join us after the 11:00 a.m. Service for
“The Outreach Lunch”
Guest Speaker: Michelle Cutts
Proceeds to benefit:
Shelterlink Youth Services

Parking

In order to aid those with mobility difficulties, there will be 4 marked accessible parking spots: 2 on Hamilton Street, one of which will be near Mornington and the other near the ramp door. As well, the two parking spots in our small lot on Hamilton near William will be designated for accessible parking.

If parking on Hamilton, please avoid parking in a way that blocks the walkway leading to the ramp as that makes it difficult for those using walkers or wheelchairs.

Deadline for the weekly newsletter

If you would like to make an announcement or advertise an upcoming event for the Parish, please make sure to submit it to the office by Wednesday at 12pm to ensure it makes it into the weekly e-mail. office@holytrinitystratford.ca

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.

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.

Upcoming Readings – Sunday April 26th

Acts 2: 42-47

Psalm 23

1 Peter 2: 19-25

John 10: 1-10

Chancel Team #1

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Apr. 19 - *Outreach Lunch following the 11:00 a.m. service
- Apr. 21 - *Breakfast Club from 8:00-10:00 a.m. at the Holy Trinity Outreach Centre – 9 Douro Street
*Holy Trinity Community Food Bank from 9:30-11:00 a.m. in the Upper Hall
*Truth & Reconciliation Book Club at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom.
- Apr. 22- *Wednesday Morning BCP Service at 10:00 a.m.
*English Conversation Café at 6:30 p.m. at the YMCA
- Apr. 23 - *Breakfast Club from 8:00-10:00 a.m. at the Holy Trinity Outreach Centre – 9 Douro Street
*Celtic Worship Service on ZOOM at 10:00 a.m.
*Choir Rehearsal at 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary
- Apr. 24 - *Friday Food Bank from 10:00-11:30 a.m. at the Holy Trinity Outreach Centre – 9 Douro Street
*Treasure Hunt Bible Study at 10:00 a.m. in the Club Room
*The Coventry Litany of Reconciliation at 12 p.m.
*Chimes Concert at 7:00 p.m.
- Apr. 25 - * Christian Meditation at 10:30 a.m. in the Nave
- Apr. 26 - *Holy Communion BCP Service at 8:00 a.m.
*Contemporary Holy Eucharist Service at 9:30 a.m.
*Choral Holy Eucharist BAS Service at 11:00 a.m.
*Choral Evensong: Holy Trinity Choir & Friends at 4:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.



H.A.R.T. PRESENTS:

TRIVIA

Game Night?



APRIL 22ND AT
6:30PM

AT JOBSITE BREWERY
45 CAMBRIA ST,
STRATFORD, ON N5A 1G8

PIZZA AND DRINKS TO PURCHASE



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Holy Trinity Anglican Church Plant Sale

May 9, 2026
8:00 – 10:00 am
Rain or shine!

Lower Parish Hall
(Entry off Hamilton Street)

Perennials, house plants, native plants
and more!

Donations welcome to support the gardens for the enjoyment of all!