THE CHURCH BY THE RIVER

CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN BELLEVILLE

160 Years of Ministry

Christ Church, Belleville, with St. Paul's, Roslin
March 30, 2025
The Fourth Sunday of Lent
Mothering Monday

"We are a Christian community nurtured by the grace of Jesus, the Christ, and strengthened by prayer and the sacraments. Witnessing to Christ's love, we are united in our desire to serve others with compassion, respect and understanding."

We acknowledge that we are gathered on the traditional territory of the Anishinaabeg, Haudenosaunee, Algonquin and Huron Wendat peoples. Nations who have sought to walk gently on this land. We seek a new relationship with the original Peoples of this land, one rooted in and based on honour and deep respect.

Today we welcome the baptismal family,
particularly baby Oliva Meara Johnston who joins God's church through the waters of baptism. Please make them feel welcome.

Weekly Services, Belleville
Sunday 10:00 a.m. BAS Eucharist
Wednesday 10:00 am. BCP Eucharist
St. Paul's, Roslin
1st and 3rd Sunday, Eucharist – 10:00 a.m.

Collect of the Day:
Gracious Father,
whose blessed Son Jesus Christ came from heaven
to be the true bread which gives life to the world,
evermore give us this bread,
that he may live in us, and we in him,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.
Amen

Today's readings
2 CORINTHIANS 5:16-21, PSALM 32;
LUKE 15:1-3, 11B-32

This Week in the Parish.
Tuesday April 1
Soup Making.
Staff Meeting- 10:00 a.m.
Community Residence Communion
Bridge Street- 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday April 2
BCP Eucharist 10:00 a.m.
Lenton Studies 11:00 a.m.
Jesus' words from the cross
Thursday April 3
Community Residence Communion
Arabella- 10:30 a.m.
Friday April 4
Knitting group 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Next Sunday April 6
Fifth Sunday in Lent
Morning Prayer 10:00 a.m.

Next Week's Readings
ISAIAH 43:16-21; PSALM 126; PHILIPPIANS 3:4B-14; JOHN 12:1-8

We ask your prayers for members of our community:
Joan, Donna Goodfellow, Beth Carson, Jim, Laura, Bill, Jack, Jamie, Win, Matt, Ken, Gwen Wright, Rick Verrell, Freda Spice, Brianna, Bob, William, Alan, Paul, David, Nancy, Lance, Rhonda Carter, Ryker and for any others that are not named, that they know they are in our hearts and prayers.
We pray for those in need and those who are not well in the silence of our hearts.

For your Diaries
Holy Week and Easter

Palm Sunday April 13
10:00 am. Sung Eucharist and procession and blessing of the psalms.

Holy Week
Monday April 14
5:30 p.m. Holy Communion, Reserved Sacrament
Tuesday April 15
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist BAS
Wednesday April 16
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist BCP
Maundy Thursday April 17
7:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist, including feet washing and followed by the Stripping of the Altar and extinguishing of lights
Good Friday April 18
10:00 a.m. Good Friday Liturgy, including the reading of The Passion narrative, worship at the foot of the cross.
The great intercessions for Good Friday, and Holy Communion.
Morning coffee and hot cross buns to follow.
Easter Day Sunday April 20
10:00 a.m. Eucharist of the Risen Christ, renewal of Baptismal vows.
Brunch celebration following the service.

Colds, Flu, Covid

If you are suffering any of these, please stay at home and rest. Let us know if you are unwell. Please be aware, if you are sick with:
Flu- 5-7 days

Covid- 5 to 10 days
RSV- 3 to 8 days
Strep- with antibiotics, 24 to 48 hours, without antibiotics 2-3 weeks
This is how long you are contagious, meaning you can spread your illness to others during this time.

Gleaners Food Bank

Hunger does not take a vacation. Families are in need here in Belleville. Please consider bringing non-perishable food and place it in the collection bin here at the church.

The first Sunday of every month will be Caring &Sharing Sunday to support Gleaner's Food Bank. Please donate a food item of your choice.

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