



E-News from the St. Mark's Pews 282nd Edition September 12th, 2025



Dear Friends -

My meditation this week is about how banning books never works. Thank God.

Click here to view the link:
https://youtu.be/s9_-HIYQLmE

**Grace and peace,
Leighton**



***The flowers in the church are given to the glory of God
and
In loving memory of
Mary Jane Davidson
from Joe Patchett***

***IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING
PARKING
FOR THE VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION LUNCHEON***

PRIMARY PARKING: PLEASE PARK BEHIND THE RECTORY ON THE "BACK FORTY"

OVERFLOW PARKING: PLEASE FEEL FREE TO USE THE RECTORY DRIVEWAY

This Sunday also marks the Terry Fox Run! As you arrive and exit the driveway, please exercise extra caution. There will be plenty of pedestrians on the sidewalks.



We hope ***all parishioners*** will join us
this Sunday
between 11:45 am and 2:15 p.m. in Addison Hall
to honour and thank our incredible volunteers!

**Join us for a hot lunch and enjoy a cup of coffee or tea,
soda or a glass or two of red or white wine.
Dessert will also be served.**

New and Exciting

**The Reverend Dr. Susan MacLaren
presents
an autumn seminar/workshop
for
the women of St. Mark's**

**"Is a picture worth a thousand
words...or nothing at all?"**

Join us to discuss whether this widely used proverb is actually true.

**Can a single image convey complex ideas and
emotions more effectively than a lengthy
discussion?**

**When: every Wednesday in October
Time: 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon
Place: Addison Hall**

Coffee and tea will be served

Parish Updates

In-Person Sunday Services

8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

10:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist [Watch the live stream on YouTube](#)

On Duty this Week

September 14th , 2025

Greeter(s)

8:30 a.m. - Carolyn Porter

10:30 a.m. - Chris Bjorgan and Marilyn Bardeau

Reader - Wendy Steel

Intercessor - Larry Bourk

Altar Guild - Virginia Mainprize and Jennifer Smith

Server - Virginia Mainprize

Flowers - Jennifer Smith

Order of Service

The Order of Service can be found on our website: [Order of Service Website Page](#)

Church Bells

A reminder to all that the Church Bells play on Sundays at 12:05 p.m. Enjoy!

Staying Up to Date!

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Prayer Cycles - We pray for:

In St. Mark's Parish: Deborah Paine, Joe Patchett, Susan Peacock, Gloria Petrunick, and Carolyn Porter and their families.

In the Niagara Diocese: St. Columba, St. Catharines, The Reverend William Alakas, Rector; and the people of that parish.

In the Lutheran-Anglican-Moravian Cycle of Prayer: The Most Rev. Lynne McNaughton, Metropolitan, and the clergy and people of the Ecclesiastical Province of British Columbia and Yukon; The Assistant to the Bishop and staff of the British Columbia Synod; and remembering September 16 – 1741 – at a synod (legislative assembly) in London, the delegates determined that no human being would be the head of the church; by Lot, Jesus Christ was named as "Chief Elder of the Unitas Fratrum." Today, this day is celebrated by ordained servants renewing their ordination vows in a Cup of Covenant service.



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