



*Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost*  
Sunday October 20, 2024  
8:30 am

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*The Reverend Diana Boland, Assistant Curate*

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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	

The flowers on the Altar today  
are given to the Glory of God  
in loving memory of:  
~**Orville Mussell** ~  
by Helen Mussell & Family

Join us today for the  
Outreach Lunch in support of  
The Local Community Centre.  
Following the 10:30 a.m. Service.

## NOTICES FOR OCTOBER 20<sup>th</sup>

### **Outreach Lunch This Sunday**

An autumn feast of hearty home-made soups will be waiting for you in the Lower Hall right after the 10:30 service! In keeping with the harvest season, we'll feature The Local Community Food Centre. The Local is a huge help to our Food Ministries, supplying low-cost fresh produce and meat to the Food Bank, Community Meals and Community Christmas Dinner. But it does much more than that for the Stratford/Perth community. Jenn Parsons, Manager of Food Logistics, and Tim Elliot, Board Member, will be on hand to tell you all about it. Free will donations will go to The Local's amazing work.

### **ACW MEETING OCTOBER 24, 2024**

\*10:30 - COFFEE AND CONVERSATION

#### BUSINESS:

\*Details and arrangements for Mistletoe Market

\*Decision about 2025 Variety Sale -

\*LUNCH - 12:00 NOON

Please sign up to reserve your spot or call Karen 273-5398

### **Joyful Giving**

We are called to model our giving after God's unconditional generosity to us. Our gifts become sacrificial when we give from what we feel we need; when we give something that we thought we needed for ourselves. Then we realize our security lies not in material goods but in God.

## **Food Bank Wish List**

Here are some things the Food Bank needs this week. (The Food Fund does not pay for these items, but they also are much needed): Hand Soap, Laundry Detergent, Toothpaste, Kleenex, Paper Towels.

## **Fall Food and Faith Tuesdays (Christian Education Series)**

Join us in the Lower Hall at St. James on Tuesday evenings for our “Fall Food and Faith Series” starting at 5:30 p.m. Dinner with discussion to follow. Our focus is on discipleship, and we'll be discussing living a Jesus shaped life. Please join us for good food, good company, and good conversation.

## **Nothing Says Lunch Like Pizza!**

The next Pizza Lunch for Stratford Intermediate School students is Friday November 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:20 a.m. in the Upper Hall. Pop and Pizza are provided.

## **Grief Support Group**

Beginning in mid November, James Noble and Nancy Adams will lead a small group that will meet weekly over approx. 10 weeks, using “*Understanding Your Grief*” by Dr. Alan Wolfelt, a well-known grief educator and counselor, as a resource. If you or someone you know would value participating in a group with the goal of normalizing and supporting the process of grieving, please speak to either James or Nancy after church on Sundays through October, when the book will be available for sale (\$20), and your questions about the group can be answered. Questions may also be addressed to Nancy by email at [spiritworker@gmail.com](mailto:spiritworker@gmail.com).

## **Mistletoe Market November 30th**

An Important Date to Remember: Mistletoe Market 2024 on Saturday, November 30. All Crafters, Artists, Bakers and Chefs: Please consider donating to the Sale. Another Important Calendar Event: Mistletoe Market Preparation Week: Nov. 25-29 Volunteers Needed to set-up tables, arrange donations and generally help where needed.

**Upcoming Holy Day Worship**  
All Souls - November 3rd at 7:00 p.m.

**THE NEXT JAZZ VESPERS WILL BE HELD ON SUNDAY NOVEMBER 24 at 4 p.m.** featuring the Paul Shilton Quartet: Paul Shilton, piano; Larry Larson, trumpet; Mike McClennan, bass; Dave Campion, drums. Please invite your friends to this informal evening worship service.

**Upcoming Readings - Sunday October 27<sup>th</sup>**

Job 42: 1-6, 10-17

Psalm 34: 1-8, (19-22)

Hebrews 7: 23-28

Mark 10: 46-52

Chancel Team #1

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Oct. 22 - \*St. James Community Foodbank -9:30 to 11:00 a.m.  
\*” Fall Food & Faith Series” at 5:30 p.m. in the Lower Hall
- Oct. 23 - \*Wednesday morning at 10:00 a.m. BCP Service.  
\*Chimes Concert at 12:00 p.m.  
\*Christian Meditation at 4:30 p.m. in the Nave  
\*English Conversation Café at 6:30 p.m. in the Lower Hall
- Oct. 24 - \* Celtic Worship Service on ZOOM at 10:00 a.m.  
\*ACW Meeting & Luncheon at 10:30 a.m. in the Lower Hall  
\*Choir Practice at 7:00 p.m. in the Upper Hall
- Oct. 25 - \*Treasure Hunt Bible Study at 10:00 a.m.  
\*Coventry Litany of Reconciliation at 12:00 p.m.
- Oct. 26 - \*Christian Meditation at 10:30 a.m. in the Nave
- Oct. 27 - \*Holy Communion BCP Service at 8:30 a.m.  
\*Holy Eucharist at 10:30 a.m.  
\*Choral Evensong Rehearsal at 2:00 p.m.  
\*Choral Evensong Concert at 4:00 p.m.

# CHORAL EVENSONG

ST. JAMES ANGLICAN CHURCH

(41 Mornington St., Stratford)

October 27, 2024—4 pm

Sung evening prayers with beautiful music and a glorious choir.

Organist and Director: Ian Sadler

Open to all with a freewill offering.





**Mistletoe  
Market**  
at  
**St. James**

**Saturday, Nov 30th**

**9:30am to 12:30pm**  
**41 Mornington Street, Stratford**

**Come Visit Shop**

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## ENGLISH CONVERSATION CIRCLES

St. James English Conversation Café in collaboration with YMCA Immigrant Services are excited to bring newcomers together to improve their English while learning about their community.

**Location:** 6 Hamilton St, Stratford, N5A 7P4

**Every Wednesday** 6:30 p.m - 8:00 p.m.

October 2nd - December 17th, 2024

### What will you gain?

- Improve your English speaking skills
- Make new connections and friendships
- Build confidence and public speaking skills
- Learn more about your community

**For more information, contact:**

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