

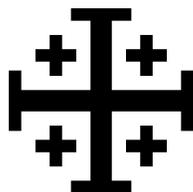
Let Us Celebrate Jerusalem Sunday!

Jerusalem Sunday is observed annually on the Seventh Sunday of Easter to celebrate companionship in God's mission with the Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem in Jerusalem, Israel, Palestine, Jordan, Lebanon and Syria. The Diocese is a historic and active member of the Christian, ecumenical and interfaith community of the Middle East. It is home to several thousand Arab Anglicans in thirty parishes and situated in one of the world's holiest destinations for Christian, Jewish and Muslim pilgrims.

Regrettably, few religious tourists to the Holy Land today encounter Palestinian and other Arab Christians, or visit a parish church, school or hospital. Jerusalem Sunday introduces us to the 'living stones' of the local Anglican church, to the ancestors of the first Christian communities indigenous to the region. Jerusalem Sunday is an opportunity to meet Arab sisters and brothers in Christ in the Anglican Communion, and hear them talk about discipleship in the 21st century.

The ministries of the Diocese of Jerusalem bring hope, skills, health; a peaceful future to those they serve. Jerusalem Sunday is also an opportunity for Anglicans in Canada to send a measure of financial support to these ministries, especially the Penman Medical Clinic, Zababdeh, in the northern area of the West Bank. The Penman Clinic, housed in the parish of St. Matthew, is a busy gathering place for townspeople, villagers and farmers seeking diagnostic tests, examinations and medical consultation. It is the only clinic for many miles around, serving thousands of families per year. Many who receive treatment in this and other diocesan institutions haven't the money to pay for tests and prescriptions. The Directors of the Diocese's medical ministries plan to relocate the Penman Clinic into its own building, refurbished with additional consultation rooms, diagnostic equipment and health care workers. This will become a reality through the generous support of local, regional and international companions.

We can support the work of the Penman Clinic in Zababdeh on Jerusalem Sunday through a special gift from parish offerings. To make your gift, please indicate the amount of the gift and note "Jerusalem" beside it on your envelope. You will receive a tax receipt and your generosity will ensure the Penman Clinic can continue to provide medical and community support to its clientele.



The Jerusalem Cross has been in use since at least the eleventh century. The large "cross potent" in the centre represents Jesus. The four smaller Latin crosses in the corners represent the four Gospels. Together, the symbol represents Jesus' command to proclaim the Gospel from Jerusalem to the ends of the earth.



THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF TYENDINAGA

To be a Spirit-filled and life-giving place where strangers become friends and friends become disciples.

SUNDAY CELEBRATION

Sunday 17 May 2015
Seventh Sunday of Easter

SUNDAY CELEBRATIONS

9:30 a.m.

All Saints' Church, 1295 Ridge Rd

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Mission Statement

Our mission, for the glory of God in Jesus Christ and through the power of the Holy Spirit, is to:

- Celebrate all that God has done for us through worship and witness with others.
- Respond to our call to be disciples of Christ by sharing our faith, rooted in the Word of God, with others and encouraging others to become followers of Christ through word and action.
- Practice good stewardship of our human, financial and environmental resources, working to ensure that all of God's Creation is viable for future generations.
- Grow ourselves and others by reaching out to our communities, following Jesus' example of generous caring, giving, and welcoming.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pentecost/Mohawk Landing Celebration—Sun 24 May. You're invited to wear red or traditional attire.

Friendly Manor Service—The next ministry team visit for the Friendly Manor is Thu 28 May at 10:30 a.m. In winter weather, please bring indoor footwear.

Walk-a-Thon—Sat 30 May. Sponsor sheets will be available this week or next. Students from Quinte Mohawk School will be joining us this year as they raise money for a school trip.

Archdeaconry 2016 Diocesan Budget Consultations—Tue 2 Jun, 7 p.m. at the QAPC. Parish leadership are invited to attend an evening session facilitated by the diocesan Finance Committee to hold discussions and invite input from parishes on diocesan priorities for the 2016 Budget.

Food Bank Donations—We gather non-perishable food items on the first Sunday of each month and donate them to the Food Bank. The Food Bank is experiencing a significant increase in the number of families it serves so this is a material way we can help our neighbours. The next Food Bank Sunday is 7 Jun.

Bishop's Dinner—Mon 8 Jun, 6:30 for 7 p.m., at the Four Points Sheraton, Kingston. Guest speaker journalist and author Lawrence Scanlan wrote *A Year of Living Generously* – a book about compassion that chronicles his 12 months of volunteering with 12 different charities, among them Habitat for Humanity, the St. Vincent de Paul Society and Canadian Crossroads. Tickets: \$100 ea or \$170/pr. See the poster for more info.

Strawberry Social—Sun 5 Jul. Save the date, more info to follow.

Summer Fruits for Souls—21-24 Jul. Sponsored by the Lay Reader's Association and the Diocese, this conference is open to all interested lay people who wish to attend. This conference will focus on training, learning and development in Christian ministry within an Anglican context. Please see Brad, Cathie or Doug for more info.

Amsterdam Trip—Our visit to St Ann's will take place 18-20 Sep. More to follow.

Rectory Rental—The rectory is available for rental on a weekly basis as a cottage for tourists, fishermen, etc (and may be rented for shorter periods in the off season). Check out the website at cottagesincanada.com/bayofquinterectorycottage and please tell your friends who might need a place to stay!

Camp Hyanto—Registrations are now open. Visit <http://ontario.anglican.ca/wp/camp-hyanto/> to register online or to financially support Camp Hyanto in order to assist with the provision of Christian camp ministry to youth.

PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Anglican Communion

The Most Rev'd and Rt Hon Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury
The Diocese of North Eastern Caribbean & Aruba (West Indies)
The Rt. Revd Leroy Brooks

Diocese of Ontario

The Rt Rev'd Michael Oulton
Trinity Parish
The Rev. John VanStone

Companions

St Ann's Episcopal Church, Amsterdam, the Very Rev'd Neal Longe
HM Chapel Royal, Hampton Court Palace, the Rev'd Canon Denis Mulliner

Parish of Tyendinaga

Parish Administrator

Pray for the families of: Bruce & Dawn Maracle; Dael & Rose Maracle; Dale Maracle; Della Maracle & Glenn Reinke; Elmer & Shirley Maracle

READINGS FOR SUNDAY 24 MAY

Acts 2:1-21
Romans 8:22-27

Psalm 104:25-35, 37b
John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15

Stewardship Reflection

The Rt Rev'd Michael Pollesel

"Keep them under your protection," asks Jesus of God. What's he asking? He's asking God to care for us, to practice stewardship, with us. How good are we at taking care?

Financial Report

Weekly Need:	\$2,459
Last week's Offering:	<u>\$2,220</u>
Shortage	\$ 239

Based on the 2015 budget and the number of identifiable givers, the following is what is required of each giver in order to meet our needs:

Weekly: \$40 Monthly: \$173