



Prayer Chain

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Anglican & Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Mar. 4: Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo, the Most Rev. Zacharie Masimango Katanda, Archbishop. Council of the North, Territory of the People (Central Interior, BC), Bishop Barbara Andrews and the clergy and people as they work together at the process of exploring a different way to be church. Archbishop Fred Hiltz, Anglican Church of Canada. Ecclesiastical Province of British Columbia and Yukon, Archbishop John Privett and the Provincial Council. Diocese of Ho, Bishop Matthias Medadues-Badohu. Diocese of Yukon, communities of Faro and Ross River, Bishop Larry Robertson, Sheila & family. David, our Bishop, Claude, William and George, retired Bishops, and their families.

Prayers for the Churches in the Uptown Saint John area

Calvary Temple, Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Central Saint John Community Ministry

Prayers for our Political Leaders

Elizabeth our Queen, our Prime Minister, Justin Trudeau; Premier, Brian Gallant; MP, Wayne Long; MLA, Ed Doherty; Mayor Don Darling and all those who work with them for the public good.

Prayers for the Sick & Shut-in

Rod Daley, Pat Loring

(Please call Pam at the Office to include anyone who needs prayer for acute illness or those hospitalized. We must have permission from the individual to publish their name. Thank you.)

Pray for our new Canadian Families

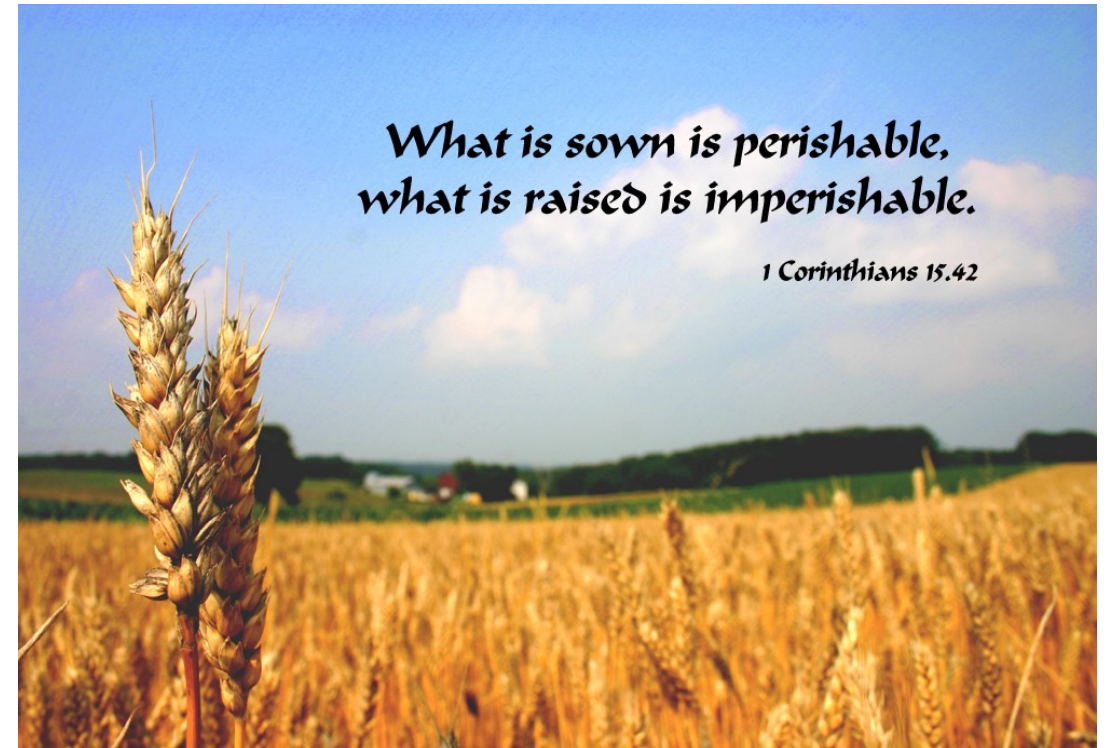
Samir Ramadan, Wedad Ilias, Ruba Ramadan, Mohammad Ramadan, Maha Mara Touk, boys Samir & Sam. Also Maha's family: Ghada Shemsiddan (mother), Omar Mara Touk (brother), Magham Girkas (sister-in-law) and their boys Zyad & Liyth. For Lubna Ramadan and her four children who we are working to bring over from their refugee camp in Turkey. And for protection and release from imprisonment for Asia Bibi and safety for her family.

St. John's (Stone) Church

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Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30-11:30 am



**What is sown is perishable,
what is raised is imperishable.**

1 Corinthians 15.42

4 March 2018

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10:00 am – Holy Communion - Lent 3

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP SET *Come, Now is the Time to Worship; Come Into the Holy of Holies, Holy is the Lord*

PRAYER FOR THE CHILDREN & SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY - page 185

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life, may we always thirst for you, the spring of life and source of goodness; through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

FIRST LESSON ! Corinthians 15:35-49 - Mel Vail
- page 1206

PSALM 95 - page 628

THE GOSPEL John 2:12-25 - Rev. Jonathan Springthorpe
- page 1111

SERMON *Who is this Jesus? “The New Adam, Second Adam, Last Adam”*
- Rev. Jonathan Springthorpe

PRAISE SONG *Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks to the Risen Lord*

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Reader: He is our God;

Response: and we are the people of his pasture.

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION - page 191

THE PEACE

OFFERINGS SONG *Praise to the Holiest in the Height*

THE LORD’S PRAYER - page 211

THE COMMUNION

COMMUNION WORSHIP *All Heaven Declares*

(service continued)

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

CLOSING HYMN

Rejoice the Lord is King

BLESSING & DISMISSAL

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March 4: Who is this Jesus? “The New Adam, Second Adam, Last Adam:” (1 Corinthians 15:35-58)

Take out your Bible and look up the scripture. Over the next week we invite you to sit down (by yourself or even better) with your small group, a friend, family member or soul-mate, and (think about) discuss the following questions:

1. What do you believe happens to someone when they die?
2. What practical concern undercut belief in the resurrection of the dead for some of the Corinthians (v. 35)?
3. What are the characteristics of the resurrection body that Christians will receive?
4. How do the analogies of the seed and the different types of bodies deal with doubts about the resurrection of the dead (vv. 35-44)?
5. What is the point of the comparison between Adam and Christ (vv. 45-49; also see 15:21-22)?

Annual Meeting

As a result of the vote from the Annual Meeting on Saturday, February 24, the following people were elected for 2018:

Wardens - Danny Marmen, Mark Slader

Vestry - Debbie Collicott, Rahul Datta, Debbie Hughes, Coralie Losier, Danny Marmen, Ruby Ranson, Mark Slader & Michael Smith

Trustees/Signing Officers: Debbie Hughes, Danny Marmen, Mark Slader, John Paul Westin

Synod Delegates: Marje Harrison, Coralie Losier

Synod Alternates: Debbie Collicott, Ruby Ranson

The Church Office will be closed March 5-7. Messages will be checked periodically during this time. John Paul will be back on March 7. In case of pastoral need please contact Jonathan Springthorpe at 343-7748 or email jon.springthorpe@gmail.com.