

Worship

April 15 3rd Sunday of Easter

9 a.m. St. Patrick's, Snake River Line (HE)

11 a.m. St. Augustine's, Beachburg (HE)

11 a.m. St. Paul's, Cobden (MP)

April 22 4th Sunday of Easter

9 a.m. St. Stephen's, Micksburg (HE)

11 a.m. St. Paul's, Cobden (HE)

April 29 5th Sunday of Easter

9 a.m. St. Thomas, Rankin (HE)

11 a.m. St. Paul's, Cobden (HE)

Anglican Parish of Stafford-Whitewater

Second Sunday of Easter

April 8, 2018

9 a.m. St. Thomas, Rankin; 11 a.m. St. Paul's, Cobden

Parish Incumbent: Rev. L. Wheeler (613-735-3373)

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Alleluia! Christ is risen.

Christ is risen, indeed. Alleluia!

Opening Sentence *Have you believed, Thomas, because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet believe. (John 20:29)*

Hymn #397 *Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness*

The Gathering of the Community *(BAS, 185)*

Collect of the Day

The Proclamation of the Word

Acts 4:32-35; Psalm 133 *(BAS, 890)*; 1 John 1:1-2:2

Gradual Hymn #219 *The Glory of Our King was Seen*

Gospel Proclamation: John 20:19-31 Reflection

The Nicene Creed *(BAS, 188)* **Prayers of the People**

The Peace

The Celebration of the Eucharist

Offertory Hymn #374 *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*

The Prayer Over the Gifts

Eucharistic Prayer 3 *(BAS, 198) Preface: 222*

(Sanctus #719) **The Lord's Prayer** *(sung)*

The Breaking of the Bread #8 *(BAS, 213)*

(P) Lord, we died with you on the cross. **(All) Now we are raised to new life.**

(P) We were buried in your tomb. **(All) Now we share in your resurrection.** *(P)* Live in us, that we may live in you.

Lamb of God

Prayer After Communion Doxology (*BAS, 214*)

Closing Hymn #460 *Lord, the Light of Your Love*

Dismissal and Blessing

Prayers

Companion Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem: Saviour Church, Kufr-Yasif, Israel.

In our diocese: The people of God of the Church of the Resurrection (Ottawa) and Christ Church (Bells Corners).

In our Parish: Sandra Hansen (St. Aug.); Bill & Dianne Siebarth (St. Pat.); Elaine & Miles Davidson (St. Paul); Carol Leach (St. Stephen); Ron & Debbie McGinnis (St. Thomas).

For those who have asked for our prayers: Heather, Jack, Ryan, Dakota, Haley, Sherry, Ruth, Lepha, Donna, Iris, James, Sharon, Dave, Nicholas, Donald, Phil, Jordanne, Ed, Peggy, Carolyn, Michael, Annemarie, Roy, Harry, Lloyd, Olive. For family, friends and community mourning recent deaths and losses. For all those in need: those we hold in our hearts and those known only to God. For our indigenous brothers and sisters throughout Canada. For refugees and all who are homeless. For victims of violence, terrorism and natural disaster. For lasting peace throughout our world. For all of God's creation.

Mark your calendars now:

April 15, 7 p.m. St. Paul's, Cobden. The parish's annual music night in support of the Cobden & District Food Bank.

April 22 7 p.m. Week of Prayer for Christian Unity service, Cobden Pentecostal. The 2018 Whitewater Region Ministerial's Ecumenical Choir: **CHOIR PRACTICES: April 17 & April 19** (7 p.m.) at Cobden Pentecostal. Come to one practice ... or come to both! Everyone welcome!

Readings

April 15 (*3rd Sunday of Easter*) Acts 3:12-19; Ps. 4; 1 John 3:1-7; Gospel: Luke 24:36b-48

April 22 (*4th Sunday of Easter*) Acts 4:5-12; Ps 23; 1 John 3:16-24; Gospel: John 10:11-18

April 29 (*5th Sunday of Easter*) Acts 8:26-40; Ps. 22:24-30; 1 John 4:7-21; Gospel: John 15:1-8

May 6 (*6th Sunday of Easter*) Acts 10:44-48; Ps. 98; 1 John 5:1-6; Gospel: John 15:9-17

May 13 (*7th Sunday of Easter, Jerusalem Sunday*) Acts 1:15-17, 21-26; Ps. 1; 1 John 5:9-13; Gospel: John 17:6-19

May 20 (*Day of Pentecost*) Acts 2:1-21; Ps. 104:25-35, 37b; Romans 8:22-27; Gospel: John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15

May 27 (*Trinity Sunday*) Isaiah 6:1-8; Ps. 29; Romans 8:12-17; Gospel: John 3:1-17

June 3 (*2nd Sunday after Pentecost*) Deuteronomy 5:12-15; Ps. 8:1-10; 2 Corinthians 4:5-12; Gospel: Mark 2:23-3:6

June 10 (*3rd Sunday after Pentecost*) Genesis 3:8-15; Ps. 130; 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1; Gospel: Mark 3: 20-35

June 17 (*4th Sunday after Pentecost*) Ezekiel 17:22-24; Ps. 92:1-4, 11-14; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17; Gospel: Mark 4:26-34c

June 24 (*The Birth of Saint John the Baptist, White*) Isaiah 40:1-11; Ps. 85:7-13; Acts 13:14b-26; Gospel: Luke 1:57-80