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Claiming God's Promises

"My grace is sufficient for you, for
my power is made perfect
in weakness."

(2 Corinthians 12:9)



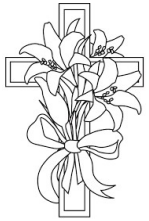

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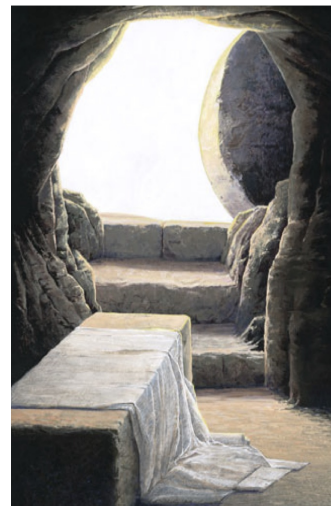


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 **Living Waters**
ANGELICAN FELLOWSHIP


**The 6th Sunday
of Easter
Sunday, May 21, 2017
10:00 AM**




**"BEYOND THE TOMB ~
RESTORING WHAT WAS
BROKEN"**

JOHN 21:15-19

**"Let anyone who is thirsty come to me, and let
the one who believes in me drink. As the
scripture has said, 'Out of the believer's heart
shall flow rivers of living water.'"
(John 7:37-38)**

Collect of the Day

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

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Baby Bottle Campaign

Kingston Pregnancy Care Centre is a non-profit agency that provides free confidential services in support of women facing an unplanned or stressful pregnancy. They offer peer counselling in a non-judgmental atmosphere where individuals can get accurate information on parenting, adoption, and abortion, in order to make an informed decision. KPCC is a Christian-based organization that exists to reduce (and eliminate)

the number of abortions in Kingston.

KPCC relies on the kindness and generosity of individuals, corporations, and churches to support its programs and participants. **The Baby Bottle Campaign** is one way that you can help! Empty baby bottles will be available in church next Sunday. Please take them home and fill them with your loose change, bills, or cheques. The campaign runs over a month—between Mother’s Day and Father’s Day. Tax receipts are available. For more information, please speak to Barb Lutz.

Ministering @ Living Waters Today



Greeters: Jenny Fern & Kate Insley

Reader: Pauline Bettney

Prayers of the People: Timothy Hutama

Chalice Bearers: Kate Insley & Kathleen Young

Computer: Ron Bettney

Prayer Team: Yolande Chan & Wayne Catel

Kid’s Zone: Annie Doering, Jerry Zabel, MJ Dove,
Jonah Doering.

Set Up/ Take Down: Jerry Zabel & Wayne Catel

Fellowship Team: Jenny Fern & Gail Sulpher

Counters: Gail Sulpher & Scott Young

Soup & Spirituality



Our Soup & Spirituality group, which ministers to clients of Frontenac Community Mental Health Services, meets Friday’s from 11:30 AM- 2:00 PM at the Kingston House of Prayer. If you are able

to make a pot of homemade soup, chilli, or stew for 15 people, please add your name to the sign up sheet or speak to Kathleen Young. We still need someone to sign up for June 16 & June 23. Thank you to everyone who provided wonderful tasting soups these past few months—it is very much appreciated! For more information about Soup & Spirituality, please speak to the Rector.

KIDZ ZONE

All children from K to Gr. 12 are welcome to join Kidz Zone--our Sunday morning children and youth program. Young people and crew are dismissed after the reading and return at Communion. We have great things planned for our K-6 class and our teen program in 2017. For more information about Kidz Zone or how to serve in this important ministry area, please speak to Brenda Windatt (Children’s Coordinator), or Allison Insley (Youth Pastor)

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The 5 'Solas' of the Protestant Reformation

500 years ago this October saw the dawn of the Reformation, as a faithful few rediscovered and re-emphasized the liberating truths of the gospel. The Reformers were guided by the conviction that the church of their day had drifted away from the essential, original teachings of Christianity, especially in regard to what it was teaching about salvation--how people can be forgiven of sin through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ and receive eternal life with God. The Reformation sought to re-orient Christianity on the original message of Jesus and the early church.

The Five "Alones" or "Solas" were five Latin phrases (or slogans) that emerged during the Reformation to summarize the Reformers' theological convictions about the essentials of Christianity: Scripture alone, Grace alone, Faith alone, Christ alone, and to God alone be the glory.

The 5 Solas will be the subject of five consecutive sessions of *Faith Explored*, beginning **next Sunday, May 28**, from **9:00 AM - 10:00 AM**, facilitated by Earle Briard.

Is Scripture alone the basis for our faith and practice? What about church traditions? What is the meaning of faith? Can we merit the grace of God? Is Jesus Christ the only way to Heaven? Why is God "jealous" of His glory?

These foundational principles of our faith are critical for us to appreciate and understand. And in our present era of doctrinal decay and compromise we need to remind ourselves once again of the unchanging standards of our holy and great God.

Join our discussions on these issues and bring your own questions! For more information, please speak to Earle Briard or the Rector.



For Your Prayers

Please hold the following people, places, and petitions in your prayers this week.

The World: Pray for an end to all violence and unrest; for countries in conflict and for the people who live in them--that the whole world would know the peace, justice, and freedom of God.

- For Israel, Palestine, Iraq, Afghanistan, Syria, and parts of Africa.
- For the vulnerable: for women, children, those lost in the sex-trade, refugees, prisoners, and captives.

The Church: Pray for Christians throughout the world as they seek to proclaim the gospel--that Jesus would be known, worshipped, and obeyed.

- For the persecuted church: for Christians in the Middle East, Pakistan, China, and parts of Africa.
- For our Province (ACNA) and Primate: for Archbishop Foley Beach (& Allison).
- For our Diocese: for our Diocesan Bishop Charlie Masters (& Judy); our Suffragan Bishops: Stephen Leung (& Nona); Trevor Walters (& Dede); and retired Bishop Don Harvey (& Trudy).
- For ANiC congregations in Ottawa: for St. Peter & St. Paul, Ottawa; the Canon Brent Stiller, the Rev. Michelle Terwilliger, the Rev. Jared Driscoll; and for all who work and worship in that parish.
- For our brothers and sisters in Christ ministering with us in Kingston: for the Strathcona Park Presbyterian Church.
- For our parish & the families of: Roy & Fern Vopni, Derek & Heather Waddingham, Mark & Brenda Windatt, Emily Wood, Scott & Kathleen Young.
- For missionaries at home and abroad--for their safety and protection, as they spread the good news. Pray for Samaritan's Heart Ministries and for David Naseer as he travels to India. Pray for Kyle & Adriane Joudry ministering in Nepal and Bangladesh.
- **Our Country, Province, and City:** for all those in authority--that they would lead with righteousness and truth.
- Pray for Prime Minister Justin Trudeau; Premier Kathleen Wynne; and Mayor Bryan Paterson.

The Sick and Suffering: Pray for all those who cry out for healing in body mind or spirit.

- Pray for those in our parish: Harry, Barb, Ann, Barbara.
- Pray for our family & friends: Larry, Carolyn, Lowell, Brenda, Roger, Christina, John, Brian, Margo, Christine, Greta.



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Genesis Bible Study Genesis 12-33: The Father of Israel

Abraham is known as the “father of Israel” because God appeared to him and promised that his descendants would become a great nation. Yet Abraham is much more than just the patriarch of a select group of ancient people. Through Abraham’s descendants, God’s own Son, Jesus, was born. And so, Abraham can be considered the father of all people. This study, based on Genesis Chapters 12-33, will take an in-depth look at the historical period beginning with Abraham’s call, continuing through his relocation to the land of Canaan, and concluding with the story of his grandsons Jacob and Esau. Join us **Friday mornings from 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM** at the Kingston House of Prayer (447 Division St.). If you have any questions, please speak to the Rector.

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Living Waters Softball Team

Our softball team has its first game this coming **Thursday, May 25**. To get ready we are having a practice this **Monday, May 22 at 2:00 PM** at the Westbrooke field, where we will have all our Monday games. There is still some room on the team, so if you would like to play, please contact Ross Underhill (p.ross.underhill@gmail.com) as soon as possible. No previous experience necessary. If softball isn't for you, please come out and cheer our team on!



Missed last week's sermon?

Want to know what's happening at *Living Waters*?

Need information about baptisms or weddings?

Interested in a little light reading?

Why not check out our *Living Waters* website?

www.livingwaterskingston.com