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### Office Hours

Monday to Friday  
8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

### Sanctuary Hours

Sundays: 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

### Parking

Parking is free on Sunday mornings at the Manulife building located on the north side of Bloor Street at the top of Ted Rogers Way. To gain access to Manulife's parking, press the intercom button and inform the security attendant you are attending a service at St. Paul's.

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## Our Current Sermon Series: The Stories Our Windows Tell

Sunday, September 3

The Jarvis Window:  
Paul testifying to King Agrippa  
(Acts 26:12-23)  
*North of the west rose window.*

## Next Sunday's Preaching Passage

James 1:2-4, 12-18

Topic: The Book of James - Temptation



*What's Happening at St. Paul's this Fall...*

## Upcoming Events

**Welcome Sunday** - September 10. Help us kick off a new season of ministry, connect with friends and have fun!

**Organ Recital** - Sunday, September 10. Pick up a card in the Atrium for more dates.

**Opens Streets TO** - Sunday, September 17. Join us as we serve lemonade to passersby on Bloor Street.

**Ministry Fair** - Sunday, September 24. Find out how you can serve in the church and the community.

**Cornerstone Dinner** - Saturday, October 14. Help serve dinner to the Regent Park community.

**Invitation Sunday** - Sunday, October 15. Bring a friend, take a tour of the church and enjoy some special treats.



## ***Fall Programs and Courses***

**Wednesday Night Youth Program** - Starts Wednesday, September 13 at 7 p.m.

**Divorce Care** - Starts Tuesday, September 19 at 7 p.m. A support group for those suffering from the pain of separation or divorce.

**Alpha Experience** - Starts Wednesday, September 20 at 6:30 p.m. Involves a meal and conversation where those with no understanding of the Christian faith can ask questions about life, faith and God.

**The Money Course** - Starts Tuesday, September 26 at 7 p.m. Learn money management skills including budgeting and a simple cash-based system.

**Music for Health** - Starts Friday, September 29 at 10 a.m. These exercise sessions use Neurologic Music Therapy techniques to help improve physical fitness in a fun and supportive environment.

**Marriage Preparation** - Starts Wednesday, October 11 at 7 p.m. While based on Christian principles, this course is relevant to any engaged couple, regardless of religious background.

**Grief Share** - Starts Monday, October 16 at 7 p.m. If you have lost a loved one through death, this series offers support and fellowship through the grieving process.

**ESL Café** - Starts Monday, October 16 at 7 p.m. Learn English for free through casual conversation.

**Stepping Into Faith** - Starts Sunday, October 22 at 10:45 a.m. Built on the foundation of the baptism promises, this course aims to prepare families for the baptism of their children.

**Pilgrim Course** - Starts Sunday, October 29 at 12:15 p.m. Reflective and conversational, this course explores life as a Christian learning to follow Jesus.

**Drop-In Sports** - For adults ages 16 and over. Saturday mornings starting soon. Stay tuned.

*Our courses and programs are listed on our website.*

*For more information or to register, visit [stpaulsbloor.org/programs-courses](http://stpaulsbloor.org/programs-courses).*



## Prayer List

### September 3 - This week we pray for:

The poor, hungry, and neglected all over the world, may their cries be a call to action for those who have so much. All people who are tortured, held prisoners for having a living faith. Everyone gathered today to worship in the Anglican Diocese of Ontario, which includes Prince Edward, Hastings, Lennox & Addington counties. The following members of our community: Patsy, Robert, Joyce, Nasif, Majeda, Sandra, Ricardo, Selena, Faith, Tania, Gan.

### Prayer for those returning to school:

Heavenly Father, as both young and old return to school this year, we ask you to keep them safe every day. Help them to remember you are right there with them always. Help them treat others with kindness and respect, and to guard their hearts with the armour of Your Word. Give them joy and peace as they put their trust in you. Amen.



### **The Flowers Today**

The flowers in the Church are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of:

At the High Table: The Pitfield Family given by Beryl Pitfield.

In the Chapels: Richard Helmstadter given by the Helmstadter Family.

## What's Happening This Week

### **Every Sunday**

#### **Worship Services**

8:15 a.m. | *Chapel Of The Good Shepherd*

9:30 a.m. **the bridge** | *Sanctuary*

11 a.m. | *Sanctuary*

Prayer Ministry - 9 a.m., 10:20 a.m. & 12 p.m. |  
*St. Paul's Chapel*

Nursery - beginning at 9:15 a.m. | *2nd Floor*

Children's Ministry - 9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. | *2nd Floor*

Youth Group - 9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. | *Youth Room*

Prayer Time - 10:20 a.m. | *Room 7*

Prayer Time - 10:50 a.m. | *St. Paul's Chapel*

Community Lunch - 12:15 p.m. | *Great Hall*

### **Monday, September 4 - Labour Day**

Facility Closed

### **Tuesday, September 5**

Holy Communion - 12:10 p.m. | *St. Paul's Chapel*

### **Sunday, September 10 - Welcome Sunday**

Organ Recital with Thomas Bell - 3 p.m. | *Sanctuary*

### **St. Paul's Organ Recitals**

Join us for our 2017-2018 series of organ recitals. These free one-hour concerts provide an opportunity to listen to wonderful music and reflect on God.

#### **Sunday, September 10 at 3 p.m.**

*Thomas Bell*

#### **Sunday, October 1 at 3 p.m.**

*Matthew Whitfield*

#### **Sunday, November 12 at 3 p.m.**

*Choir of St. Paul's Bloor Street  
with Gerald Loo on Organ*

Pick up a card at St. Paul's Central for more dates.

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