

Update from All Saints'

Email to the Parish from The Venerable Christopher Dunn

10 October 2020

I'm back—hard to believe that four months have gone by. Where has the time gone? Blanche and I did have a chance to do a little travel; we did two trips in Ontario, and we spent six weeks on the road driving across Canada to BC. While we did not get to all the places we had hoped to see (like the Maritimes), we did enjoy our travels, and most important of all, our period of rest. For all of this we are very thankful.

While I was away, you were very well cared for by Simone who has worked with so many people to lead the parish through all the changes that have been required in this Pandemic period. We will be having in-person worship this Sunday for those who have already registered and it will be my first time back in the Church since all of the required changes have been implemented. I want to say thanks to the members of the Pandemic Response team for all of their work to make this possible.

So, there are a few things to share with you today

First, my thanks to Julie Newlands who has stepped in to work with the **Children and Youth**. She and Jamie and Ayla have produced the next in the series of videos—this one for Thanksgiving. You can find that up on our Parish Facebook page now at: <https://www.facebook.com/allsaintswestboro/videos/344568213476505>

Second, is the link to our **Sunday morning worship service** for those who will participate in it from home. Here is the link for **the bulletin for tomorrow's service**: <https://www.allsaintswestboro.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/11-October-2020-Thanksgiving.pdf> (Please be sure to update your Zoom app before Sunday to ensure that this works for you). You can join in the service by clicking this link at 9:30 am tomorrow (Sunday): <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8741442482?pwd=eWc4QjRDLzVZdThDUkxWMVJQbGQzQT09>

The Service Meeting ID is: 874 144 2482 and the Passcode: 123456.

I trust that you have been staying well and taking all the steps necessary to help others stay well also.

Take Care,

Chris