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All Saints' Westboro



Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, October 27th, 2024

8:00 am—Said Eucharist

9:30 am—Sung Eucharist

Wednesday (October 30th, 2024 - Chapel)

10:30 am—Said Eucharist

The Ven. Kathryn Otley

The Rev. Chung Yan Lam

Children and youth: Janet Currie-Kelk

Music: Deirdre Piper

Please Note: Photos are taken for parish communication. The 9:30 service is live-streamed, recorded, and posted on a public Facebook Page. Your images may be captured and used.

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Officiant: Dear friends, we gather on the ancestral territory of the Anishnaabeg Algonquin, the traditional stewards of the lands and waters on which we meet.

All: May we walk gently together on this land, seeking renewed relationship based on honour, respect, and peace.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

God, Whose Almighty Word

CP 560

**God, whose almighty Word
chaos and darkness heard,
and took their flight:
hear us, we humbly pray,
and where the gospel-day
sheds not its glorious ray,
let there be light!**

**Saviour, who came to bring
on your redeeming wing
healing and sight,
health to the sick in mind,
sight to the inly blind:
now for all humankind
let there be light!**

**Spirit of truth and love,
life-giving, holy Dove,
speed on your flight!
Move on the water's face
bearing the lamp of grace,
and in earth's darkest place
let there be light!**

**Gracious and holy Three,
glorious Trinity,
wisdom, love, might,
boundless as ocean's tide
rolling in fullest pride:
through the world far and wide
let there be light!**

CHILDREN'S TALK

*(Children are invited to come forward during the last verse of the Opening Hymn.
The children may join the Church School following the talk.)*

Officiant: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

All: And also with you.

Officiant: Almighty God,

All: to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Officiant: O Jesus Christ, teacher and healer, you heard the cry of the blind beggar when others would have silenced him. Teach us to be attentive to the voices others ignore, and, by the power of the Spirit, respond in your name to heal the afflicted and welcome the abandoned; for your sake and the sake of the gospel.

All: Amen.

The First Reading is from Jeremiah (31:7-9).

Thus says the Lord: Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob, and raise shouts for the chief of the nations; proclaim, give praise, and say, "Save, O Lord, your people, the remnant of Israel." See, I am going to bring them from the land of the north, and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth, among them the blind and the lame, those with child and those in labor, together; a great company, they shall return here. With

weeping they shall come, and with consolations I will lead them back, I will let them walk by brooks of water, in a straight path in which they shall not stumble; for I have become a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my firstborn.

Reader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

All: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 126

When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion,
then were we like those who dream.

**Then was our mouth filled with laughter, and our tongue with shouts of joy.
Then they said among the nations, "The Lord has done great things for
them."**

The Lord has done great things for us,
and we are glad indeed.

**Restore our fortunes, O Lord,
like the watercourses of the Negeb.**

Those who sowed with tears
will reap with songs of joy.

**Those who go out weeping, carrying the seed,
will come again with joy, shouldering their sheaves.**

The Second Reading is from Hebrews (7:23-28).

The former priests were many in number, because they were prevented by death from continuing in office; but he holds his priesthood permanently, because he continues forever. Consequently he is able for all time to save those who approach God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.

For it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, undefiled, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens. Unlike the other high priests, he has no need to offer sacrifices day after day, first for his own sins, and then for those of the people; this he did once for all when he offered himself. For the law appoints as high priests those who are subject to weakness, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect forever.

Reader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

All: Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL HYMN O Christ, Your Heart, Compassionate

ELW 722

**O Christ, your heart, compassionate,
bore ev'ry human pain.**

Its beating was the pulse of God;

its breadth, God's vast domain.

**The heart of God, the heart of Christ
combined in perfect rhyme**

**to write God's love in human deeds,
eternity in time.**

**As once you welcomed those cast down
and healed the sick, the blind,**

so may all bruised and broken lives

through us your help still find.

**Lord, join our hearts with those who weep
that none may weep alone,**

**and help us bear another's pain
as though it were our own.**

**O Christ, create new hearts in us
that beat in time with yours,**

**that, joined by faith with your great heart,
become love's open doors.**

We are your body, risen Christ;

our hearts, our hands we yield

**that through our life and ministry
your love may be revealed.**

**O Love that made the distant stars,
yet marks the sparrow's fall,**

**whose arms stretched wide upon a cross
embrace and bear us all:**

come, make your church a servant church

**that walks your servant ways,
whose deeds of love rise up to you,
a sacrifice of praise!**

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to **Mark (10:46-52)**.

All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

As [Jesus] and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" Jesus stood still and said, "Call him here." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart; get up, he is calling you." So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. Then Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man said to him, "My teacher, let me see again." Jesus said to him, "Go; your faith has made you well." Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

HOMILY

CREED

Officiant: Let us confess the faith of our baptism as we say,

All: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

One: Creator God, you call us to love and serve you through loving your creation and loving our sisters and brothers. Open our hearts to compassion and receive these petitions on behalf of the needs of the church and the world.
God of love,

All: Hear our prayer.

One: Like your servant Job, we know that you can do all things and that no purpose of yours can be thwarted. Help us to see your will, to know your purpose, and to act to bring heaven to earth. God of action,

All: Hear our prayer.

One: We pray for peace. We lift up to you in prayer all our relations dealing with the tragedy of war and conflict. We remember Ukraine, Isreal, Lebanon, Gaza, Sudan and the hundred other places around the globe where people live in fear from armed conflicts. Grant our world leaders open minds, and peaceful and just hearts, and help us to act to be stewards of peace. God of peace,

All: Hear our prayer.

One: We pray for all your faithful people. In the Anglican Church of Canada, we pray for Anne, Metropolitan of Ontario and Acting Primate, Christopher, National Indigenous Archbishop, Shane our bishop, Kathryn and Chung Yan our clergy, and all in leadership roles in this place. God of faith,

All: Hear our prayer.

One: God of mercy and healing, you hear the cries of those in need, receive our prayers that all who are troubled may know peace, comfort, and courage. We pray for:

All: Emily S.; Shari R.; Peter F.; Michael F.; Brian O.; Michael L.; Cinde C.; Rowan J.; Beryl N.; David N.; Loris J.; Allan M.; Beverley P; Lois F.; Peter C.; Anne M.; Anthony R.

One: and for those whom we name silently or aloud. We pray for those who have died, and for those who mourn. This week we remember James the Just, brother of Jesus, the first leader of the Jerusalem Church, and a radical Saint martyred for his faith. God of mercy,

All: Hear our prayer.

One: Loving God, hear our prayers and make us faithful stewards of the fragile bounty of this earth so that we may be entrusted with the riches of heaven. All this we ask in Jesus' name.

All: Amen.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Officiant: Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; God welcomes sinners and invites them to table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Silence is kept.

Officiant: Most merciful God,

All: we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

Officiant: Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

PEACE

Officiant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: And also with you.

Share a sign of peace while respecting individual preferences.

**We lift our voices
We lift our hands
We lift our lives up to You
We are an offering
Lord use our voices
Lord use our hands
Lord use our lives they are Yours
We are an offering**

**All that we have
All that we are
All that we hope to be
We give to You
We give to You**

**We lift our voices
We lift our hands
We lift our lives up to You
We are an offering
We are an offering**

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Officiant: God of constant love, you have guided your people in all times and ages.
May we who offer you our praise today always be ready to follow where
you lead; we ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER 1

Officiant: May God be with you.

All: And also with you.

Officiant: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to God.

Officiant: Let us give thanks to our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Officiant: It is indeed right that we should praise you, gracious God, for you created all things. You formed us in your own image. When we turned away from you in sin, you did not cease to care for us but opened a path of salvation for all people. You made a covenant with Israel, and through your servants Abraham and Sarah gave the promise of a blessing to all nations. Through Moses you led your people from bondage into freedom; through the prophets you renewed your promise of salvation.

Therefore, with them, and with all your saints who have served you in every age, we give thanks and raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

**All: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are
ELW in full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes
193a the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.**

Officiant: Holy God, source of life and goodness, all creation rightly gives you praise. In the fullness of time, you sent your Son Jesus Christ, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He healed the sick and ate and drank with outcasts and sinners; he opened the eyes of the blind and proclaimed the good news of your kingdom to the poor and to those in need. In all things he fulfilled your gracious will.

On the night he freely gave himself to death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Gracious God, his perfect sacrifice destroys the power of sin and death; by raising him to life you give us life for evermore.

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith.

All: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Officiant: Recalling his death, proclaiming his resurrection, and looking for his coming again in glory, we offer you, God, this bread and this cup. Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts, that all who eat and drink at this table may be one body and one holy people, a living sacrifice in Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory is yours, almighty God, now and for ever.

All: Amen.

Officiant: And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us, we pray together,

All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Officiant: "I am the bread of life," says the Lord. "Whoever comes to me will never be hungry; whoever believes in me will never thirst."

All: Taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are they who trust in him!

Officiant: The gifts of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Officiant: With those joining us online, I will lead the Prayer for Spiritual Communion: In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, I desire to offer to you praise and thanksgiving. I remember your death, O Christ; I proclaim your resurrection; I await your coming in glory. Since I cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come.

All: Amen.

As the deer pants for the water,
so my soul longs after you;
you alone are my heart's desire
and I long to worship you.

Refrain

You alone are my strength, my shield
to you alone may my spirit yield;
you alone are my heart's desire,
and I long to worship you.

" I want you more than gold or silver,
only you can satisfy;
you alone are the real joy-giver
and the apple of my eye. **Refrain**

You're my friend and you are my brother,
even though you are a king;
I love you more than any other,
so much more than anything! **Refrain**

*Rice wafers are available. Receiving in one kind is receiving the fullness of God's grace. The Common Cup is available for those who wish to receive it. **Please Note: Intinction is not allowed.***

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Officiant: God our guide, you have fed us with bread from heaven as you fed the people of Israel. May we who have been inwardly nourished be ready to follow you all our days; we ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

DOXOLOGY

Officiant: Glory to God

All: whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.

Officiant: *and the blessing...*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Blessing Song:

May the Lord rejoice with you,
may the Lord bless you,
and make his face to shine upon you,
the God of Heaven loves you.

SENDING HYMN

O Saviour, Precious Saviour

ELW 820

**O Saviour, precious Saviour,
whom yet unseen we love;
O name of might and favor,
all other names above:
we worship thee; we bless thee;
to thee alone we sing;
we praise thee and confess thee,
our holy Lord and King.**

**O bringer of salvation,
who wondrously hast wrought,
thyself the revelation
of love beyond our thought:
we worship thee; we bless thee;
to thee alone we sing;
we praise thee and confess thee,
our gracious Lord and King.**

**In thee all fullness dwelleth,
all grace and pow'r divine;
the glory that excelleth,
O Son of God, is thine.
We worship thee; we bless thee;
to thee alone we sing;
we praise thee and confess thee,
our glorious Lord and King.**

**Oh, grant the consummation
of this our song above,
in endless adoration
and everlasting love;
then shall we praise and bless thee
where perfect praises ring,
and evermore confess thee,
our Saviour and our King!**

DISMISSAL

LM: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Join us for refreshments in Steacy Hall for fellowship after the 9:30 a.m. service.

Readings for Next Sunday, November 3rd, 2024

Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-9; Psalm 24; Revelation 21:1-6a; John 11:32-44

Please pray this week for:

- Parish of Mattawa St. Alban's, Mattawa St. Margaret's, Rutherglen. The Reverend David Shields.
- Our sister parishes in the area, our ecumenical fellowship, our Muslim friends at the Scott St. Mosque, and other interfaith friends.

Sharing in our liturgical ministry today at 8:00 am:

Sidesperson: Ken McMillan

Readers: Sylvia Shortliffe and Michael Norman

Liturgical Min: John Merrit

Sharing in our liturgical ministry today at 9:30 am:

Sidespeople: Elizabeth Harris and Larry Broome

Readers: Lynda Dredge and Marcie Taylor

Intercessor: Catrina Tapley

Liturgical Min: Chris Kirch

Euch. Mins: Craig Thomas and Janet Holgate

Servers: Hannah, Sera and Gideon

Hospitality: Scott Sorenson, Sally Lees and Sue Wise

Saints Alive

Weekly News from All Saints' Westboro October 28th – November 2nd

This Week

Monday	10:00 am to 1:00 pm		Food Bank
Tuesday	1:00 pm to 4:00 pm		Food Bank
Wednesday	9:30 am	Quilters	Room 7/8
	10:00 am to 2:00 pm		New-to-You Shop
	10:30 am	Eucharist	Chapel
Thursday	1:00 pm to 3:00 pm	Choir	Sanctuary
	4:00 pm to 7:00 pm		Food Bank
	4:30 pm	Centering Prayer	Chapel
Saturday	10:00 am to 2:00 pm		New-to-You Shop

Upcoming Events

Vespers: Sung BCP Sunday, November 3rd at 4:30 pm in the Chapel.

Men's Breakfast is on Tuesday, November 5th at 8:15 am will gather at Allo! Mon Coco at College Square (1377 Woodroffe Ave).

Bible On Tap - Wednesday, November 6th at 7:00 pm will be in All Saints' Westboro, Room 5/6. We will begin our study of "The Negro Bible - The Slave Bible: Select Parts of the Holy Bible, Selected for the use of the Negro Slaves, in the British West-India". You are recommended to have the book to assist in the Bible Study. If you cannot find a copy, please be in touch with the Parish Office.

Reading Circle is on Wednesday October 13th at 7:00 pm at the Chapel. *Soil: The Story of a Black Mother's Garden* by Camille T. Dungy.

Youth Group Dinner Night, Wednesday November 13th

Soup for the Soul Tuesday, November 19th at 7:00 pm, Room 5/6. RSVP with Parish office.

Conference at Saint Paul University on Friday, November 1st and Saturday, November 2nd. The Centre on the Churches, Truth, and Reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples is hosting a panel discussion on Friday night and then workshops on Indigenous epistemologies and theological pedagogies on Saturday. The panel on Friday is free, while the workshops on Saturday are \$20 for the day (that includes lunch). You can register at this link: <https://forms.gle/ZggQAXiCYup91VJN8>

All Saints' Westboro Village Fair Saturday, November 2nd, 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

We are still looking for:

- Baking: items for the table and people to help - please contact Sally at sallybaycroft@gmail.com
- One-of-a-kind table: items for the table - please contact bazaar@allsaintswestboro.com
- Café: Apple crisps, coffee cakes, server help, help with the entrance table, cleanup - please contact Lamar lamarmason4@gmail.com or Barb familyrobertson1201@gmail.com
- Jewelry: items for the table (by 30 October) - please contact Marcie marcie.taylor@hotmail.com
- Crafts: items for the table and people to help - please contact Patricia F. bazaar@allsaintswestboro.com
- Secret shopping room: small items that children will buy (to be sold for \$1.00/gift) and help with wrapping and help with children picking and wrapping gifts - please contact bazaar@allsaintswestboro.com
- Greeters/security: people to stand at the entrances to greet people, guide them to parking and the sale, etc. - please contact bazaar@allsaintswestboro.com
- Setup and cleanup: strong people to help with setting up the tables and items on Friday, November 1st, from 12:00 to 6:00 pm - please contact bazaar@allsaintswestboro.com

Housing with Heart. Please consider sharing information with friends, family and colleagues. Here are some suggested posts for social media channels:

1. Help Build more affordable housing in Ottawa! Enjoy a music concert and charcuterie reception in support of Multifaith Housing Initiative. Saturday November 16 at All Saints Westboro Church (347 Richmond Road). A portion of each ticket is eligible for a charitable tax receipt. More information here: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/housing-with-heart-tickets-1010180817017>
2. Come for the music, stay for the food, and help build more affordable housing in Ottawa! All Saints Westboro Church is hosting a fundraising concert and reception in support of Multifaith Housing Initiative. Saturday November 16 at All Saints Westboro Church (347 Richmond Road). A portion of each ticket is eligible for a charitable tax receipt. More information here: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/housing-with-heart-tickets-1010180817017>

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