



# St. James Anglican Church

October 31, 2021

All Saints Day

23<sup>rd</sup>. Sunday after Pentecost

Service of Holy Eucharist

The Book of Alternative Services

**Processional Hymn:** Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones

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**The Grace**

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

**People:** And also with you.

**The Collect for Purity**

Celebrant: Almighty God,

**People:** 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

**The Collect for the Day**

**(Together):** Almighty God, whose people are knit together in one holy Church, the mystical Body of your Son, grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you; through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

**First Reading:** Wisdom of Solomon 3: 1-9

**Psalm 24**

1 The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it, \* the world and all who dwell therein.

**2 For it is he who founded it upon the seas \* and made it firm upon the rivers of the deep.**

3 "Who can ascend the hill of the Lord? \* and who can stand in his holy place?"

**4 "Those who have clean hands and a pure heart, \* who have not pledged themselves to falsehood, nor sworn by what is a fraud.**

**Clergy**

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**Visits** - If you know of someone in this Parish who is sick or shut-in and would like a visit, please let us know! Rev Wendy would love to visit.

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5 They shall receive a blessing from the Lord \* and a just reward from the God of their salvation.”

6 **Such is the generation of those who seek him, \* of those who seek your face, O God of Jacob.**

7 Lift up your heads, O gates; lift them high, O everlasting doors; \* and the King of glory shall come in.

8 **“Who is this King of glory?” \* “The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle.”**

9 Lift up your heads, O gates; lift them high, O everlasting doors; \* and the King of glory shall come in.

10 **“Who is he, this King of glory?” \* “The Lord of hosts, he is the King of glory.”**

**(Together): Creator and ruler of all, open our hearts that the King of glory may enter, and bring us rejoicing to your holy mountain, where you live and reign, now and for ever. Amen**

**Second Reading: Revelation 21: 1-6**

**Gradual Hymn For All The Saints 1,2,6,7 & 8 RB - 501**

**Gospel: John 11: 32-44**

**Sermon**

**The Apostles’ Creed**

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

**People: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He 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.**

## Church News



**Free Flu Shot Clinics at St James,**

**Sun, Oct 31 after worship and Sun, Nov 7.**

**Kindly provided by David Ford. No appointment necessary.**

**Please bring your Medicare card.**

**High Dose Fluzone will be offered to those 65 and above.**

**All you have to do is roll up your sleeve.**



**Pumpkin Carving or Painting – October 31 Halloween –**

**Pumpkins will be provided, locally sourced or you may bring your own! Downstairs after the service while flu clinic is on.**

**Operation Christmas Child – Samaritan’s Purse boxes and brochures available on your way out. You did such a great job filling the boxes last year! Can we top last year’s total? Collection day is Sat, Nov 20 or drop at St James before that.**

**St James Christmas Bazaar Sat , Nov 20**

**Tentative date – Covid permitting**

**Do you have any Christmas baubles or decorative items to donate?**

**More details to follow.**

## Church News

**Canadian Church Calendars 2022** – Are available in the Vestibule \$5.00 each.

**Christmas Cards for Sale in the Vestibule** – Hand made in England, \$2 each. Proceeds will go to support the Youth Centre at Elsipogtog First Nations.

**Plateless Turkey Dinner** Our Annual Turkey Supper is usually scheduled for Oct 30, however due to Covid 19 we are unable to have it again this year. Most of our parishioners give generously to this Parish fundraiser. We are suggesting that our parishioners give a money donation instead of your usual food and monetary donation for the supper. Our donations will help our church meet its financial and outreach commitments. Donations can be placed on the plate marked Turkey Supper. If you require more information, please talk to Loretta, Donna or Rev. Wendy. Thank you in advance for your support.

To date we have received donations to the Turkey Dinner in the amount of \$760. Receipts will be issued for all donations. Together we can do great things. Thank you

**Communtiy Breakfast** – It is getting colder we need men's jackets, clean hoodies, hats, gloves, socks for our monthly breakfast at St Georges. Please place donations in the basket in the vestibule. Thanks for your continued generosity! Our next Breakfast will be Sat, Nov 20. Please let Donna know if you would like to volunteer!

**Food Bank Sunday – First Sunday of the Month – Next Sunday.**

Thanks for your donations and continued support!!!

**Prayer Shawls Available** – Please ask if you would like a prayer shawl to give to someone. Rev Wendy, Loretta or Donna.

## Prayers of the People All Saints Day

**Priest:** Eternal God, we come before you, not to be counted with those most noble saints and martyrs, but as those ordinary Christians who know you and serve you in our daily affairs. May we at the end of our lives be gathered to that choir of the redeemed whose joy and praise is unending. As we worship, our response will be: Sing to the Lord a new song... **Sing his praise in the assembly of the faithful.**

**Reader 1:** Loving God, you have given your people the confidence to come before you through the new and living way that Jesus Christ has opened for us. Grant your church grace to provoke one another to love and good deeds, encouraging one another in Christ. In the church we pray for David our Archbishop, Brent our Archdeacon, Wendy our Priest and all in leadership roles. May they lead us to understand the love of Jesus and His message. Bless your Church and her members as we labour in your vineyard, that we may be fruitful, as we live our lives in a manner worthy of the gospel, and live faithfully in your loving presence. Almighty God, you have put all things under your Son and made him head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all things. May your church be enlightened that we may know the hope to which we have been called. Sing to the Lord a new song... **Sing his praise in the assembly of the faithful.**

**Reader 2:** Lord God, your Son is at your right hand in heavenly places far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named. May all those in authority govern by your command to do to others as you would have them do to you. In the world we pray for those in the war-torn countries of the middle east, the innocent who suffer with lack of food, water, and safe homes. Guide the rulers and all those in authority to find a peaceable solution. Sing to the Lord a new song... **Sing his praise in the assembly of the faithful.**

**Reader 3:** Loving God, may our community be a place where the poor are rich, the hungry full and where those who weep laugh. In our community, we pray for the single parents, the elderly and those who are unemployed. Sing to the Lord a new song... **Sing his praise in the assembly of the faithful.**

**Reader 4:** Healing God, may your blessedness and healing hand be upon those for whom we pray that they may be rich in your kingdom especially for all those on our parishes prayer lists,(Add Parish List)  
Faithful God, we give thanks for those who have died, may their names be counted with all the saints, who have found favour in your sight from earliest times. Sing to the Lord a new song... **Sing his praise in the assembly of the faithful.**

**(Together): God of all holiness, in your realm of glory, those who are poor now will receive the kingdom, those who are hungry now will be filled, and those who weep now will laugh and leap in joy. Strengthen us by this vision, so that, with the saints before us, we may bring near your justice and peace; through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord. Amen.**

#### Confession and Absolution

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

Celebrant; Most merciful God,

**People: 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.**

Celebrant: 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.

**People: Amen.**

#### Musical Selection

#### Prayer Over the Gifts:

**(Together): Holy and mighty God, we give you thanks for the triumph of Christ in the lives of all his saints. Receive all we offer you this day, and help us, like them, to run our course with faith, that we may come to your eternal kingdom. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

#### **Eucharistic Prayer #2**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Celebrant: We give you thanks and praise, almighty

God,..... / .....to proclaim the glory of your name.

**People: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

#### The Lord's Prayer

#### The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant: We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All: **We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

#### The Communion

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the People of God.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

#### Musical Selection:

#### Prayer after Communion:

**(Together): Lord of hosts, we praise your glory reflected in your saints. May we who share at this table be filled with the joy of your eternal kingdom, where Jesus is Lord, now and for ever. Amen**

#### Doxology:

Celebrant : Glory to God,

**People: 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.**

#### The Blessing

#### Announcements

#### The Dismissal

Guide Me o Thou Great Jehovah

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**Prayer Requests: Susan Goguen, Trisha Corner, Joan Dennison, Bill, Ann, Gert,**