

All Saints Church

Winnipeg, Manitoba
Corner of Broadway & Osborne



Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

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We acknowledge that we meet and work in the Treaty 1 Land, the traditional land of the Anishinaabe, Cree, and Dakota people and the homeland of the Metis Nation.

We are grateful for their stewardship of this land and their hospitality which allows us to live, work and serve God the Creator here.

11th Sunday after Pentecost

Parish Holy Communion

(from Reserved Sacrament)

Introit

Agnus Dei (from *Messe brève*)

Léo Delibes

*"Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, grant us peace."*

Processional Hymn:

O For A Thousand Tongues (vss. 1,2,3,5)

CP 306

1 O for a thousand tongues to sing
my great Redeemer's praise,
the glories of my God and King,
the triumphs of his grace.

3 He speaks; and, listening to his voice,
new life the dead receive;
the mournful, broken hearts rejoice,
the humble poor believe.

2 Jesus! the name that charms our fears
and bids our sorrows cease;
'tis music in the sinner's ears,
'tis life, and health, and peace.

5 My gracious Master and my God,
assist me to proclaim,
to spread through all the earth abroad
the honours of thy name.

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.

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.**

Gloria

Glory to God on High

CP 365

1 Glory to God on high,
and peace to all on earth.
We worship you, we give you thanks,
our heavenly King.
We give you praise,
almighty God and Father blessed
in glory bright.

2 Our Saviour, Jesus Christ,
the Father's only Son,
the sacrificial Lamb,
who saves the world from sin,
have mercy Lord.
Beside the Father's hand enthroned,
now hear our prayer.

3 You only are the Lord.
You only are most high.
You only are the holy one,
Lord Jesus Christ.
And now you reign
with Father and with Spirit one
in glorious light.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant Almighty God,

**People you have broken the tyranny of sin
and sent into our hearts the Spirit of your Son.
Give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service,
that all people may know the glorious liberty
of the children of God;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

First Reading

Genesis 45: 1-15

Then Joseph could no longer control himself before all those who stood by him, and he cried out, ‘Send everyone away from me.’ So no one stayed with him when Joseph made himself known to his brothers. And he wept so loudly that the Egyptians heard it, and the household of Pharaoh heard it. Joseph said to his brothers, ‘I am Joseph. Is my father still alive?’ But his brothers could not answer him, so dismayed were they at his presence.

Then Joseph said to his brothers, ‘Come closer to me.’ And they came closer. He said, ‘I am your brother Joseph, whom you sold into Egypt. And now do not be distressed, or angry with yourselves, because you sold me here; for God sent me before you to preserve life. For the famine has been in the land these two years; and there are five more years in which there will be neither ploughing nor harvest. God sent me before you to preserve for you a remnant on earth, and to keep alive for you many survivors. So it was not you who sent me here, but God; he has made me a father to Pharaoh, and lord of all his house and ruler over all the land of Egypt. Hurry and go up to my father and say to him, “Thus says your son Joseph, God has made me lord of all Egypt; come down to me, do not delay. You shall settle in the land of Goshen, and you shall be near me, you and your children and your children’s children, as well as your flocks, your herds, and all that you have. I will provide for you there—since there are five more years of famine to come—so that you and your household, and all that you have, will not come to poverty.” And now your eyes and the eyes of my brother Benjamin see that it is my own mouth that speaks to you. You must tell my father how greatly I am honoured in Egypt, and all that you have seen. Hurry and bring my father down here.’ Then he fell upon his brother Benjamin’s neck and wept, while Benjamin wept upon his neck. And he kissed all his brothers and wept upon them; and after that his brothers talked with him.

Reader The Word of the Lord
People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 133

How Good A Thing It Is

Tune: *Franconia* CP 439

How good a thing it is, how pleasant to behold,
when all God's people live as one, the law of love uphold.

As perfume, by its scent, breathes fragrance all around,
so life itself will sweeter be where unity is found.

And like refreshing dew that falls upon the hills,
true union sheds its gentle grace, and deeper love instils.

God grants the choicest gifts to those who live in peace;
to them such blessings shall abound and evermore increase.

Second Reading

Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32

I ask, then, has God rejected his people? By no means! I myself am an Israelite, a descendant of Abraham, a member of the tribe of Benjamin. God has not rejected his people whom he foreknew. For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable. Just as you were once disobedient to God but have now received mercy because of their disobedience, so they have now been disobedient in order that, by the mercy shown to you, they too may now receive mercy. For God has imprisoned all in disobedience so that he may be merciful to all.

Reader The Word of the Lord
People **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual

Blessed Jesus, At Your Word

CP 559

1 Blessed Jesus, at your word
we are gathered all to hear you.
Let our hearts and souls be stirred
now to seek and love and fear you.
By your gospels pure and holy,
teach us, Lord to love you solely.

2 All our knowledge, sense and sight
lie in deepest darkness shrouded
till your Spirit breaks our night
with your beams of truth unclouded.
You alone to God can win us,
you must work all good within us.

Reader The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
People **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Gospel

Matthew 15:21-28

Jesus left that place and went away to the district of Tyre and Sidon. Just then a Canaanite woman from that region came out and started shouting, 'Have mercy on me, Lord, Son of David; my daughter is tormented by a demon.' But he did not answer her at all. And his disciples came and urged him, saying, 'Send her away, for she keeps shouting after us.' He answered, 'I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.' But she came and knelt before him, saying, 'Lord, help me.' He answered, 'It is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs.' She said, 'Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters' table.' Then Jesus answered her, 'Woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish.' And her daughter was healed instantly.

Reader The Gospel of Christ.

People Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gradual

Blessed Jesus, At Your Word
3 Glorious Lord, yourself impart!
Light of light, from God proceeding,
Open lips and ears and heart,
Help us by your Spirit's leading.
Hear the cry your church now raises;
Lord, accept our prayers and praises!

CP 559

Sermon

The Rt. Rev. Donald Phillips

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.**

Prayers of the People

Let us pray for the church, the world, and all people according to their need.

A brief silence is kept.

Creator of the universe, we give our heartfelt thanks as you watch over us and keep us in the light of your presence. May our praise continually blend with that of all creation, until we come together to the eternal joys which you promise in your love. Kindle our hearts on our way that we may recognize you in the scriptures and in the breaking of bread.

In peace, let us pray to the Lord, saying,

We pray to you, Lord.

Heavenly Father, in you we live and move and have our being. Guide and govern us by your Holy Spirit, that in all the cares and occupations of our life we may not forget you, but may remember that we are ever walking in your sight. You have brought us in safety to this new day, and you preserve us with your mighty power, that we may not fall into sin, or be overcome by adversity. In all we do, direct us to the fulfilling of your purpose.

In peace let us pray to the Lord, saying,

We pray to you, Lord.

O Creator, as you healed the Gentile woman's daughter, you show to us that your loving touch is available to all who love and have faith in you. Forgive us as we forgive each other for all the hurt we have brought into our lives. Let your healing love rest upon the wounds we have caused by our anger. Deepen our love in a new understanding for each other and for you.

In peace let us pray to the Lord, saying,

We pray to you, Lord.

Mother Spirit, grant refreshment, strength, and healing to everyone who struggles with any sort of adversity. Especially we lift before you the needs of: Chantal, Barbara, Margaret, Kay, Chris, Arthur, Jock, Manfred, Shirley, Judy, Evelyn, Lee, Lynn, Cory, Liz, Amanda, Dorothy, Jean, Elizabeth, Russ, and all who love these individuals. We pray for healing, wholeness, and a knowledge of your presence in their lives.

In peace let us pray to the Lord, saying,

We pray to you, Lord.

Most merciful Creator, comfort the hearts of all who mourn the loss of loved ones in their lives. We pray as we remember the precious ones that have gone before us. We know you hear and feel the sorrow in our hearts, and we pray for the gentle touch upon our hurting spirits. Grant to us comfort and the sense of your arms around us as we grieve. Replenish us with the gentle breezes of your Spirit across the fields of our hearts, and let your hand wipe away and dry our tears.

In peace let us pray to the Lord, saying,

We pray to you, Lord.

O God, the author of peace and lover of concord, to know you is eternal life, to serve you is perfect freedom. Defend us your servants from the assaults of those who harm us in their pain or arrogance. Help us, that we may trust in your defence, and not fear the power of any adversaries. Grant wisdom to those in authority and power, and guide them in the decisions they must take to protect the people under their care. Fill their hearts with compassion, as was in the heart of Joseph when the famine and hardship came upon the people in the lands over which he had power.

In peace let us pray to the Lord, saying,

We pray to you, Lord.

O great and loving Creator, we thank you for living in us and loving through us. Develop in us the ability to create a deeper connection with you and with all beings in order to heal our world. Help us to be a community that vulnerably shares each others' burdens and rejoices in each others' happiness. We thank you that you listen to us and hear our longings. Bless us, and make us ready for the miracles you intend to shower upon us.

In you, Creator, we give great thanks.

Amen.

(Prayers prepared by Yanna Courtney, inspired by concepts from Richard Rohr, the Book of Alternative Services and today's readings.)

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.
 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 upon 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.

All **Amen.**

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Offertory Hymn

Lord, Enthroned in Heavenly Splendour (vss. 1,2,4)

1 Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour,
first begotten from the dead,
thou alone, our strong defender,
liftest up thy people's head.
Alleluia,
Jesus, true and living bread!

2 Here our humblest homage pay we,
here in loving reverence bow;
here for faith's discernment pray we,
lest we fail to know thee now.
Alleluia,
thou art here, we ask not how.

4 Paschal Lamb, thine offering, finished
once for all when thou wast slain,
in its fullness undiminished
shall forevermore remain,
alleluia,
Cleansing us from every stain.

Offering Prayer

Celebrant Loving God and Father,
People **you have adopted us to be your heirs.
Accept all we offer you this day
and give us grace to live as faithful children.
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Holy Communion

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**

Celebrant We give you thanks and praise, almighty God,
for the gift of a world full of wonder,
and for our life which comes from you.
By your power you sustain the universe.

People



Glo - ry to you for ev - er and ev - er.

Celebrant You created us to love you with all our heart,
and to love each other as ourselves,
but we rebel against you by the evil that we do.

In Jesus, your Son,
you bring healing to our world
and gather us into one great family.
Therefore, with all who serve you
on earth and in heaven,
we praise your wonderful name, as we sing

Sanctus

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might, heav'n and earth are
full of your glo ry. Ho - san - na in the high
est. Blest is he who comes in the name of the
Lord. Ho - san - na in the high est.

Celebrant We give you thanks and praise, loving Father,
because in sending Jesus, your Son, to us
you showed us how much you love us.
He cares for the poor and the hungry.
He suffers with the sick and the rejected.
Betrayed and forsaken, he did not strike back
but overcame hatred with love.
On the cross
he defeated the power of sin and death.
By raising him from the dead
you show us the power of your love
to bring new life to all your people.

People **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant Gracious God,
we celebrate the death and resurrection of Jesus,
and we offer ourselves to you in him.
Send your Holy Spirit on us that we may know the presence of Jesus
and share in the life of the family of your children.

People **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant Father, you call us to be your servants;
fill us with the courage and love of Jesus,
that all the world may gather in joy
at the table of your kingdom.
We sing your praise, almighty Father,
through Jesus, our Lord,
in the power of the Holy Spirit,
now and for ever.

People **Glory to you for ever and ever. Amen.**

Celebrant And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us,
we are bold to say,

**All Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Celebrant The bread that we break, is it not a sharing in the body of Christ? Because there is
one bread, we who are many are one body, for we all partake of the one bread.
(1Cor. 10 16b-17)

The Celebrant invites the people to share in communion and may say,

Celebrant The gifts of God for the People of God.

All Thanks be to God.

The people then receive communion with these words.

The body of Christ. Amen.

For those not receiving reserved sacrament.

Celebrant Thanks be to you, Lord Jesus Christ, for all the benefits you have given us in your life,
death, resurrection and eternal reign.

**People Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, I ask you to come spiritually into my
heart. O most merciful redeemer, friend and brother, may I know you more clearly,
love you more dearly, and follow you more nearly, day by day. Amen.**

(Adapted from the Church of England "Guidance on Spiritual Communion")

Celebrant Eternal God,
All may we who have been nourished by holy things
live as faithful heirs of your promised kingdom,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Celebrant 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.**

Blessing

Hymn *When All thy Mercies (vss. 1,2,4,5)* CP 343

1 When all thy mercies, O my God,
my rising soul surveys,
transported with the view, I'm lost
in wonder, love, and praise.

4 Through every period of my life
thy goodness I'll pursue;
and after death, in distant worlds
the glorious theme renew.

2 Unnumbered comforts to my soul
thy tender care bestowed,
before my infant heart conceived
from whom those comforts flowed.

5 Through all eternity to thee
a joyful song I'll raise;
for O, eternity's too short
to utter all thy praise!

Dismissal

Leader Go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Our Mission Statement

All Saints Anglican Church is dedicated to be a faithful mission, to proclaim the word of God and become a living example through love, peace, justice and equality within a diverse community.

Those celebrating birthdays this week are
Liam Courtney and Kathryn MacDonald.

Cycle of Prayer –August 16, 2020

In the Anglican Communion worldwide: we pray for the Scottish Episcopal Church The Most Rev. Mark Strange - Primus of the Scottish Episcopal Church & Bishop of Moray, Ross & Caithness.

In the Anglican Church of Canada, Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada: we pray for Linda, our Primate; Mark, our National Indigenous Archbishop; Greg, our Metropolitan; Jason, the MNO Synodical Bishop; Michael, our Companion Diocese Bishop, Bishop Geoffrey Woodcroft and the people of the Diocese of Rupert's Land.

In the Diocese: we pray for the people of the parish of St. Helen and for our congregations and communities.

In our parish family: we pray for Chantal, Barbara, Margaret, Kay, Chris, Arthur, Jock, Manfred, Shirley, Judy, Evelyn, Lee, Lynn, Cory, Liz, Amanda, Dorothy, Jean, Elizabeth and Russ.

Announcements for August 16 Bulletin

Planning for the Fall – The Corporation knows that many of you are wondering what we will be doing regarding services in the fall. We have no news yet, but you should know that we are meeting with Don Phillips to determine what is feasible and when. It may take us a little time to sort this out but stay tuned to the Bulletin for more news as it becomes available. It would be so wonderful to see each other again, but we must do it safely.

Brent's Retirement Purse – Corporation and Vestry have jointly agreed to create a Retirement Purse for Brent to recognize and thank him for his service, caring and community-building during his time in our Parish. You can send cheques to All Saints Church, 175 Colony Street, Winnipeg MB, R3C 1W2, Attention: John Van Benthem. Please write on the cheque that it is intended for Brent's Retirement Fund. Please note that this is considered a gift, rather than a donation and, as such, there will be no tax receipts issued. The Purse will be open for your gifts until September 12. The total amount will be presented to Brent without attribution of names or amounts.

A New Exterior Sign for All Saints! – The Corporation is happy to announce that the West Broadway Commons Joint Venture has agreed to pay the entire \$27,000 cost of a new 9-foot high and 8-foot wide sign for the church. It will be erected at the corner of Broadway and Osborne, visible by westbound Broadway traffic and northbound Osborne Street traffic. It will have an engineered stone base that looks like Tyndall stone, a digital sign with a black background and amber lettering that can be programmed with messages from the church office and a top identifying our building as All Saints Anglican Church. The sign will be installed approximately 10 weeks from now. Thanks to David Wilson for arranging to have West Broadway Commons pay for this and to Julie Fast who has created a simple, beautiful new font and design for our name!

Prayers for Parishioners: Please be sure to email Catherine at allsts@mymts.net or call the office at 204 786 4765 if you wish to have names added to this list. The list is updated on a weekly basis.

Prayer Group: this week the Prayer Group is praying for Gloria Reid, Phyllis Sampson, Barbara Shoomski and their families.

Diocesan Update: Please continue to follow Bishop Geoff's most current Directive on the Diocesan Website. <http://www.rupertsland.ca/>

Our church office continues to remain closed. In order to support the Worship Team as they work hard to film and provide the weekly services to the parish, Catherine has agreed to change her days of employment. Till the end of August Catherine will be working from home on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Catherine will continue to oversee the office phone on Mondays and Fridays and will take Sundays and Tuesdays off. When leaving a message or sending an email please indicate if it is an urgent matter.

Church Expenses: Unfortunately, the costs associated with running a parish continues, which means it is important that we try and maintain our weekly offering to the church. The request from both the Treasurer and Corporation is to reach out to our community and remind them of this ongoing need. If you would like to be put on preauthorized payments it will make your efforts much more seamless. We can provide the forms to make this happen. Simply contact the office and someone will get back to you.

News for those interested in renting a unit in West Broadway Commons - WBC will be open for tenants starting in December 2020. While marketing with official rental rates will not start until the fall, you can put your name on a waiting list by emailing our Property Manager, Crystal Wels at c.wels@uwinnipeg.ca if you think you would be interested. Please make sure to say that you are part of our congregation. There is a lot of early demand for the affordable suites, in particular, and units will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis, so get your name in quickly. If you are interested in an affordable suite, you will have to be prepared to provide the following information:

- Each adult (18+) years of age must complete the application form.
- Provide verification of your income such as the last two pay stubs or a confirmation letter from your current employer or budget letter.
- A current copy of your Certified Income Summary issued by CRA is mandatory In order to qualify for the discount.
- Provide Government issued photo I.D such as a driver's license or passport.
- Provide a copy of your Manitoba Health Card if you have dependent(s).
- Provide your last landlord's contact information in order for the office to do a reference check.
- \$25.00 credit check fee must be paid in advance before we will process your application. If you have a recent copy (within the last 8 weeks) you may provide the office a copy of that document.
- International Students must provide a study permit as well as 3 months of printed bank statements. Bank statements must show deposits and current balance.
- Unverifiable income will NOT be considered.
- In cases where rent will be more than 30% of income, a co-signer will be requested.

Next Weeks Readings: Exodus 1:8-2:10; Romans 12:1-8; Matthew 16:13-20