



WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS' ANGLICAN CHURCH

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Sunday, September 10, 2017
Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Prelude

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Hymn 330 O Praise Ye The Lord

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.**

Collect for Purity

Celebrant 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.**

Gloria (on card in pew rack) *Gregory Murray*

Collect of the Day

Celebrant Stir up, O Lord,
All **the wills of your faithful people, that richly bearing the fruit of good works, we may by you be richly rewarded; through Jesus
Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading (please sit) Exodus 12: 1-14

Reader A Reading from the Book of Exodus.

The Lord said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt: This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. Tell the whole congregation of Israel that on the tenth of this month they are to take a lamb for each family, a lamb for each household. If a household is too small for a whole lamb, it shall join its closest neighbour in obtaining one; the lamb shall be divided in proportion to the number of people who eat of it. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a year-old male; you may take it from the sheep or from the goats. You shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month; then the whole assembled congregation of Israel shall slaughter it at twilight. They shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. They shall eat the lamb that same night; they shall eat it roasted over the fire with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted over the fire, with its head, legs, and inner organs. You shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn. This is how you shall eat it: your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and you shall eat it hurriedly. It is the passover of the Lord. For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike down every firstborn in the land of Egypt, both human beings and animals; on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgments: I am the Lord. The blood shall be a sign for you on the houses where you live: when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague shall destroy you when I strike the land of Egypt. This day shall be a day of remembrance for you. You shall celebrate it as a festival to the Lord; throughout your generations you shall observe it as a perpetual ordinance.

Reader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 149 *Wareham*

1. Hallelujah! Sing praise to God, Let all the faithful raise their voice; Let Israel, Zion's children too,
In their Creator now rejoice.

2. In dances praise God's Name and sing With harp and timbrel joyfully,
For God takes pleasure in our praise, Adorns the poor with victory.

3. Let faithful saints rejoice in bed, Let them be joyful in the Lord;
Let praise of God be in their throat
And in their hand a two-edged sword,

4. To wreak God's vengeance on all lands, The punishment which God ordains:
To bind their rulers fast with iron
And place their nobles, too, in chains;

5. To levy and inflict on them
The judgment God decreed by law;
For this is glory which God's own Will yet receive. Hallelujah!

Second Reading Romans 13: 8-14

Reader A Reading from Paul's Letter to the Romans.

Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, "You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet"; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, "Love your neighbour as yourself." Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law. Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armour of light; let us live honourably as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Hymn 362 Tell Out My Soul

Gospel
Deacon The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew 18: 15-20
People **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Jesus said, "If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them."

Deacon: The Gospel of Christ.
People **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Sermon (*please sit*) Pastor Jim Halmarson

The Apostles' Creed (*please stand*)

Celebrant 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, 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 (*please take a position of prayer*)

Confession and Absolution

Silence is kept.

Celebrant 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.**

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.**

The Peace (*please stand*)

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

Offertory Hymn 645 Come Down, O Love Divine

Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant Great and holy God,
All **accept our offering of labour and love. May we bring you true and spiritual worship and be one with you. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the 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.

All (sing) **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.**

Celebrant Holy and gracious God, accept our praise...
...All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and for ever.
All **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant As our Saviour taught us, let us pray:
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 for ever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant Creator of all,
You gave us golden fields of wheat, whose many grains we have gathered and made us into this one bread.

All **So may your Church be gathered from the ends of the earth
into your kingdom.**

Celebrant The gifts of God for the People of God.
People **Thanks be to God.**

The Communion

Anthems Pie Jesu *Webber*
O Sing Joyfully *Batten*
Sung by Tonya-Leah Watts and Hannah Wease

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant Father,
**Your word and sacrament give us food and life. May we who
have shared in holy things bear fruit to your honour and
glory, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.**
All **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.**

The Blessing

Hymn 485 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Dismissal

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
All **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Our Prayers Today

ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER: We pray for Seychelles **ANGLICAN CHURCH OF CANADA:** We pray for Archbishop John Privett, people and clergy of the Ecclesiastical Province of British Columbia and Yukon

DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER: We pray for School Chaplains

DEANERY CYCLE OF PRAYER: We pray for St Johns, Ida and Christ Church Omemee

PARISH CYCLE OF PRAYER: We pray for Walter Booth, Johanna Bousfield, Karen Bradley and Arthur and Jill Bromley

PARISHIONERS IN HOSPITAL and THOSE REQUESTING

PRAYER: Dorothy Keats, Ivy Buott, Arv Wilson, Shirley Robinson and Addie Jackson

FLOWERS IN THE CHURCH today given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of: **Roy Dunlop** from daughter Carol Druce and Family

Ministering Through Liturgy

Lectors: The Rev Suzanne McMillan, Russell Cook Servers: Kate Gregg, Deanna Hurford
Eucharist Ministers: Peggy & Dave Watton, Russell Cook and Marilyn Sutherst

Intercessor: Diana Lehman

Celebrant: Pastor Jim Halmarson

Preacher: Pastor Jim Halmarson

Deacon: The Reverend Suzanne McMillan

Chancel: Lynda Mercer, Mary Edwards, Dianne Pagett, Doreen Taylor, Shirley Trussler

Sidespeople: Tracy Gemmiti, Lloyd Hutchinson, Cheryl Baker, Graham Hart, Joan McKinley