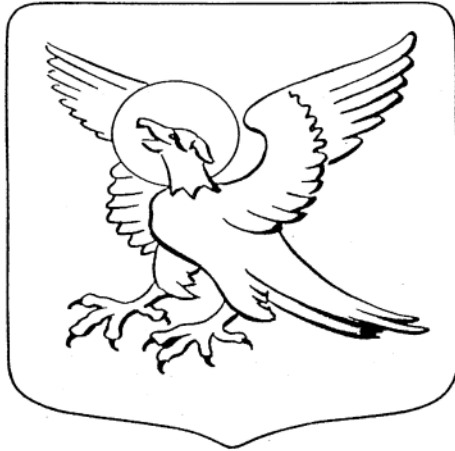


ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST ANGLICAN CHURCH

Diocese of Ottawa • Anglican Church of Canada



TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 23, 2022

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Welcome to St. John the Evangelist.

We acknowledge that we gather at St. John's on the traditional and unceded territory of the Algonquin Nation. May we dwell on this land with respect and peace.

By attending this service, you are agreeing to appear on video in our on-line worship offering through St. John's website and Facebook site.

We are in the *Green* stage of the diocesan Pandemic plan. Various safety measures are in place to help reduce the risk of COVID-19 transmission. Please show patience, kindness, respect and care for one another in these challenging times.

- Proof of vaccination is **not** required to attend worship services. All of St. John's clergy have been fully vaccinated.
- Masks are optional when in the building, but strongly recommended.
- Physical distancing and capacity limits are no longer in place, but please be respectful of other people's comfort level. Alternate pews continue to be marked off to allow for more space. Always ask someone if it is okay to sit beside them if they are not in your household or bubble.
- The offering plates will not be passed. You may place your donation in the box/bowl at the back of the church or at the exits. Thank you for your donation!
- Communion is offered in **both kinds** for those who wish to receive it. Please make your way up the centre aisle to the clergy at the chancel steps to receive the bread, and then make your way to the table at the side aisle where you may receive the wine. The Communion assistant will say to you "The blood of Christ." You may choose to pick up the chalice and drink from it, or simply bow your head in response if you do not wish to receive. Please note that intinction (dipping the wafer into the wine) is **not** permitted. Once you drink from the chalice, place it back on the table. The Communion assistant will then wipe the rim and rotate it for the next recipient. You then return to your pew via the side aisle.

SUNG EUCHARIST

Hymns are from the blue Common Praise hymnbooks unless otherwise indicated

Prelude

Announcements

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THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Greeting

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Collect for Purity

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Gloria

Tune: Darwall

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.**

**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.**

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.**

Collect of the Day

Lord God our redeemer, who heard the cry of your people and sent your servant Moses to lead them out of slavery, free us from the tyranny of sin and death, and by the leading of your Spirit bring us to our promised land; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading

Joel 2:23-32

Do not fear, you animals of the field, for the pastures of the wilderness are green; the tree bears its fruit, the fig tree and vine give their full yield. O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the Lord your God; for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before. The threshing-floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil. I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you. You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the Lord, am your God and there is no other. And my people shall never again be put to shame. Then afterwards I will pour out my spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions. Even on the male and female slaves, in those days, I will pour out my spirit. I will show portents in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke. The sun shall be turned to darkness, and the moon to blood, before the great and terrible day of the Lord comes. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved; for in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the Lord has said, and among the survivors shall be those whom the Lord calls.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 65:9-14 (please remain seated)

Tune: Puer Nobis

**You visit all the earth, O Lord,
and water it abundantly;
your stream runs full; preparing grain,
you make provision rich and free.**

**You drench the furrows, smooth the fields,
soften the ground with heavy rain;
you crown with goodness all the year
and leave rich paths across the plain.**

**May desert fields be filled with herds,
and hills be clothed with gladness, too;
may meadows, valleys, clothe themselves
with flocks and grain and sing to you.**

Second Reading

2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. At my first defence no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Hymn 606

Holy Gospel

Luke 18:9-14

Gospeller: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Gospeller: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

He also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: 'Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax-collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, "God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax-collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income." But the tax-collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, "God, be merciful to me, a sinner!" I tell you, this man went down to his home justified

rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted.'

Gospeller: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon

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Intercessions (*Please kneel or sit; response: Lord, hear our prayer.*)

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The Peace (*Those gathered may wish one another the peace of Christ.*)

Hymn 391

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Prayer over the gifts

Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer 1

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Sanctus

Tune: Land of Rest

***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. Hosanna in the highest.

The Lord's Prayer

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Breaking of the Bread

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

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

Communion

All who are baptized are welcome to receive the bread and/or the wine of Holy Communion. At the Greeter's direction, please make your way to the chancel steps to receive the bread, and then to the side aisle where you may receive the wine. Be assured that in the Anglican tradition receiving in one kind is considered full Communion. Please maintain physical distance from the person in front of you as you move to and from Communion.

Hymns during Communion: Red Song Book 68; 119; 40

Hymn after Communion: 74 (please stand)

Prayer after Communion

Doxology

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The Blessing

Hymn 423

Dismissal

Postlude

Presiding Celebrant & Preacher: The Venerable Linda Hill

Reader & Intercessor: Dawn Dunlop

Communion Assistants: Karen Bryan; Kathy Porter

Greeters: Donna & Paul Howard

All are welcome to the parish hall for tea and cookies following this service.

Ann Hare is our host today

Readings for next Sunday, October 30 ~ 21st Sunday after Pentecost
Habakkuk 1:1-4, 11-12; Psalm 119:137-144; 2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12;
Luke 19:1-10

Welcome to Archdeacon Linda Hill, our guest celebrant and preacher today. Canon Catherine is away from the parish this week. For pastoral emergencies, please contact Archdeacon Brian Kauk at (613) 518-7967.

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