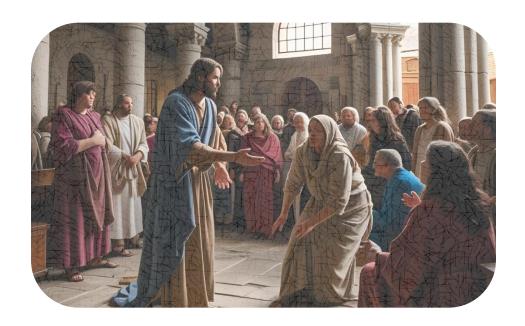
# All Saints' Cathedral Parish Eucharist



# Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost 24 August 2025 at 10:30am

Welcome to All Saints' Cathedral as we journey together through the season of Pentecost.

We acknowledge that the land on which we worship is the traditional gathering place of the Cree, Nakoda Sioux, Blackfoot, Dene, Sarcee, Saulteaux, Mohawk and Métis Nations. We commit in both prayer and action to be faithful Treaty 6 partners.

#### Welcome and Announcements

#### Hymn of Praise 1 Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty

#### The Greeting

Celebrant The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the

fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

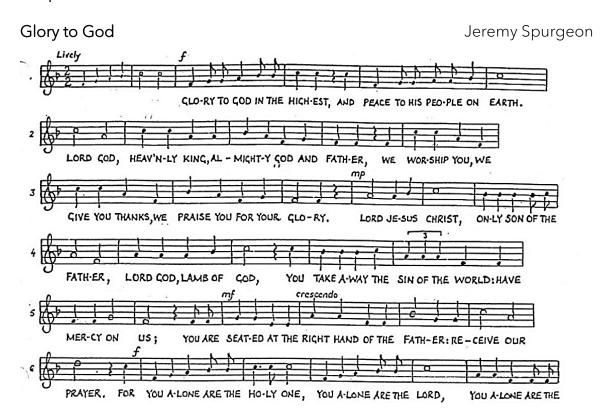
People And also with you.

Celebrant There is one body and one Spirit,

People There is one hope in God's call to us;

Celebrant One Lord, one faith, one baptism,

People One God and Father of all.





#### Collect for the Day

Celebrant Almighty God,

Αll

we are taught by your word that all our doings without love are worth nothing. Send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtue; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

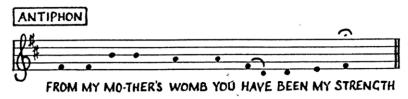
The First Reading: Jeremiah 1:4-10

Now the word of the Lord came to me saying, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations." Then I said, "Ah, Lord God! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy." But the Lord said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you, Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the Lord." Then the Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the Lord said to me, "Now I have put my words in your mouth. See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 71:1-6



Cantor: Kris Mitchell

In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge; Let me never be ashamed. In your righteousness, deliver me and set me free; Incline your ear to me and save me. **Antiphon** 

Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe; You are my crag and my stronghold. Deliver me, my God, from the hand of the wicked, From the clutches of the evildoer and the oppressor. **Antiphon** 

For you are my hope, O Lord God, my confidence since I was young. I have been sustained by you ever since I was born; From my mother's womb you have been my strength; My praise shall be always of you. **Antiphon** 

## The Second Reading: Hebrews 12:18-29

You have not come to something that can be touched, a blazing fire, and darkness, and gloom, and a tempest, and the sound of a trumpet, and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that not another word be spoken to them. (For they could not endure the order that was given, "If even an animal touches the mountain, it shall be stoned to death." Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, "I tremble with fear.") But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel. See that you do not refuse the one who is speaking; for if they did not escape when they refused the one who warned them on earth, how much less will we escape if we reject the

one who warns from heaven! At that time his voice shook the earth; but now he has promised, "Yet once more I will shake not only the earth but also the heaven." This phrase, "Yet once more," indicates the removal of what is shaken that is, created things - so that what cannot be shaken may remain. Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give thanks, by which we offer to God an acceptable worship with reverence and awe; for indeed our God is a consuming fire.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

All Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn 306 O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

#### The Holy Gospel

Gospeller The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

according to Luke (13:10-17)

People Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Now he was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, "Woman, you are set free from your ailment." When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. But the leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, "There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the sabbath day." But the Lord answered him and said, "You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to give it water? And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?" When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

Gospeller The Gospel of Christ.

People Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.



#### The Homily

The Very Reverend Alexandra Meek

#### Presentation of Ryan Hefford for Holy Baptism

Celebrant The candidate for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Sponsor I present Ryan to receive the sacrament of baptism.

The celebrant addresses the candidate.

Celebrant Do you desire to be baptized?

Response I do.

Celebrant Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness

that rebel against God?

Response I renounce them.

Celebrant Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and

destroy the creatures of God?

Response I renounce them.

Celebrant Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of

God?

Response I renounce them.

Celebrant Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Saviour?

Response I do.

Celebrant Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

Response I do.

Celebrant Do you promise to obey him as your Lord?

Response I do.

The celebrant addresses the congregation.

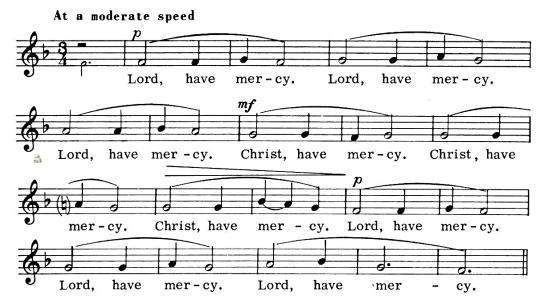
Celebrant Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support

this person in their life in Christ?

People We will.

#### Kyrie Eleison

Richard Shephard



#### Prayers of the People and Prayers for the Candidate

If you would like a name (you or someone else) added to the parish prayer list, please contact the office. If a name should be removed, please let us know.

Intercessor We lift up those for whom prayer has been requested: Joe, Kurt and Marcia, Douglas, Carol, Shawne, Jill, Jayson, Tyler, Chris, Diane, Kay, Mavis, Lynn, Linda, Benjamin, Seth and Lucy, Pio,

Vivian, Bonnie, Mel, Rebekah, Lois, Bob, Janet, Mary, June, JC, Mark, Paul, Laura, Selina, Kenneth, and those known only unto you, Lord. We give thanks for the lives of Diane and Sharon. Eternal rest grant unto Diane and Sharon, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Intercessor For the Church of the living God throughout the world, we pray for the *Anglican Church of Canada*, including Shane Parker, Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada, and Chris Harper, National Indigenous Archbishop. We also lift up the Diocese of

Ottawa and Shane Parker, Bishop.

We pray for our *Diocese of Edmonton* and Stephen, our Bishop. We pray for the canonically resident clergy G-M of the diocese including Donna Gauthier, Bishop Ken Genge, John Gifford, Neil Gordon, Sally Harrison, Karen Hunt, Daryle Kerr, Ed Kostyk, Michael Lawson, Hugh Matheson, Joyce Mellor, Rita Milne,

Charles Mortimer, and Claude Mury.

In the *Diocese of Buyé*, we pray for the Bigombo Parish and Simeon Ntirandekura, Rector.

In the *Indigenous Community*, we also lift up the Whitefish Lake First Nation.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Intercessor Let us now pray for Ryan who is to receive the sacrament of new

birth. Deliver Ryan, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Intercessor Open Ryan's heart to your grace and truth.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Intercessor Fill Ryan with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Intercessor Teach Ryan to love others in the power of the Spirit.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Intercessor Send Ryan into the world in witness to your love.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Intercessor Bring Ryan to the fullness of your peace and glory.

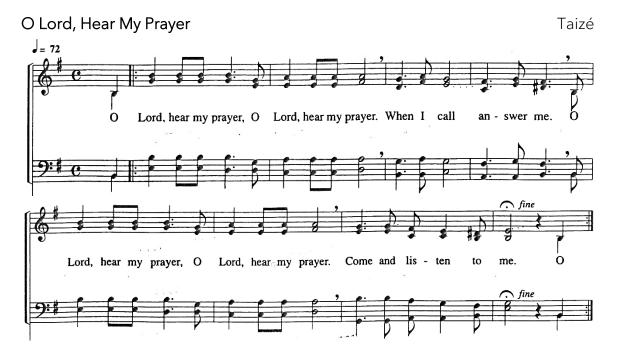
People Lord, hear our prayer.

Intercessor Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus

Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and for

ever.

All Amen.



Baptismal Hymn 45 Down Galilee's Slow Roadways

### The Celebration of Baptism

## Thanksgiving over the Water

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Celebrant We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over water the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through water you

led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In water your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the

bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Now sanctify this water by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who are here cleansed from sin and born again, may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Saviour.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, now and for ever.

All Amen.

#### The Baptismal Covenant

Celebrant Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

Do you believe in God the Father?

People I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People
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.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People I believe in God the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of

the body, and the life everlasting.

Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the

breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil and, whenever you fall into sin,

repent and return to the Lord?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the good news of God in

Christ?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your

neighbour as yourself?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect

the dignity of every human being?

People I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you strive to safeguard the integrity of God's creation, and

respect, sustain and renew the life of the Earth?

People I will, with God's help.

#### The Baptism

Celebrant Ryan, I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and

of the Holy Spirit.

All Amen.

The celebrant makes the sign of the cross on the forehead of the baptized.

Celebrant I sign you with the cross, and mark you as Christ's own for ever.

The celebrant prays over the newly baptized.

Celebrant Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit

you have bestowed upon this your servant the forgiveness of sin, and have raised them to the new life of grace. Sustain them, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give them an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works.

Amen.

#### The Giving of the Light

All

One of the ministers may then give to the newly baptized a lighted candle.

Celebrant Receive the light of Christ, to show that you have passed from

darkness to light.

People Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good

works and glorify your Father in heaven.

Celebrant Let us welcome the newly baptized.

People We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of

Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his

eternal priesthood.

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

#### The Offertory

You may place your offering in the plate as the sidespeople make their way down the centre aisle. Offering may also be placed in the offering box set in the middle aisle of the cathedral. To donate to the work of the Cathedral online, please go to our website.



#### The Offertory Hymn 520 The King of Love My Shepherd Is

#### The Celebration of the Eucharist

#### Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant God of glory,

All receive all we offer this day as a symbol of our love, and increase

in us that true and perfect gift. We ask this in the name of Jesus

Christ our Lord. Amen.

# The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

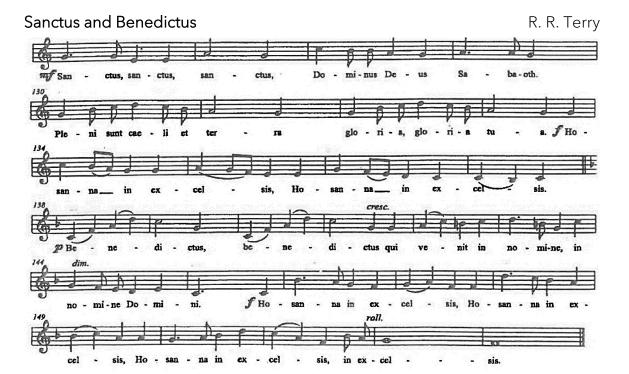
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Celebrant Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; by

water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a holy people in Jesus Christ our Lord; you renew that mystery in bread and wine and nourish us, to show forth your glory in all the world. Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the holy people who have served you in every age, we raise our voices to proclaim the glory

of your name.



Celebrant

We give thanks to you, Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, a death he freely accepted, 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."

Therefore, Father, according to his command,

#### People

we remember his death, we proclaim his resurrection, we await his coming in glory;

#### Celebrant

and we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that they may be the sacrament of the body of Christ and his blood of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we, made acceptable in him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation;

by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, now and for ever.

## People

Amen.



#### The Breaking of the Bread

Priest "I am the bread which has come down from heaven," says the

Lord.

ΑII Give us this bread for ever.

"I am the vine, you are the branches." Priest All

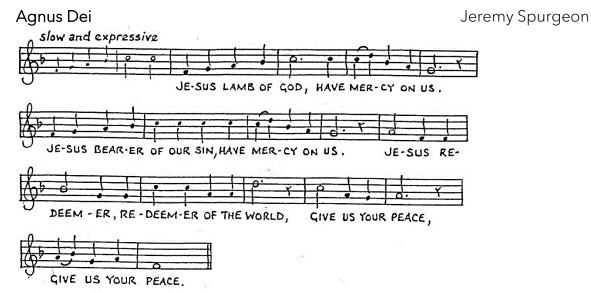
May we dwell in him, as he lives in us.

#### The Communion

Celebrant These are the gifts of God for the people of God.

All Thanks be to God. Please come forward to receive communion. You may receive both the bread and the wine, or if you prefer, you may receive in one kind only, the bread. Intinction (dipping the bread) is not permitted. The communion bread is gluten, dairy, egg, and yeast free. To receive a blessing in place of communion, please cross your hands over your chest.

# Music During Communion



#### Communion Hymn 505 Be Thou My Vision

#### Prayer after Communion

Celebrant

Living God,

Αll

increase in us the healing power of your love. Guide and direct us that we may please you in all things, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

# The Doxology

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

The Benedictory Hymn 434 The Love of Jesus Calls Us

#### Dismissal

Leader Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit!

People Thanks be to God!

#### Organ

'Trinity' Fugue in E flat BWV 552

Johann Sebastian Bach

Compassionate Parishes: Strengthening How our Churches Support People who are Seriously Ill, Dying and Grieving

Join us for a day of learning how to be compassionate communities for people living with a serious illness, dying, caregiving or grieving.



This session is open to clergy, laity and all community members interested in expanding their knowledge and confidence to provide compassionate support. The day will include presentations from the Covenant Health Palliative Institute and the Alzheimer Society of Alberta & Northwest Territories, a panel conversation, and small group discussion.

**Date and time:** Thursday, Sept. 25, 2025, 9:30 AM – 3 PM **Location:** All Saints Anglican Cathedral, 10035 103 St NW,

Edmonton, AB

Cost: \$15 (lunch provided)

**Registration required.** Please register through the link below: https://synodoffice.breezechms.com/form/678d30









**September-December Service Roster** - The September through December volunteer schedule was sent out with this week's newsletter. If you are scheduled but unable to volunteer for and particular date, please let RJ know. If you would like a paper copy of the schedule, please contact the office and RJ will print one for you.

New Service Volunteers Welcome - Are you interested in volunteering for services at the Cathedral? We are always welcoming new readers, intercessors, sidespeople (ushers), and altar guild helpers. If you are interested in serving in any way, please contact the Office or speak with Dean Alex.

**No Thursday Eucharist for Summer -** Thursday Eucharist services will resume on September 4.

New Sunday Morning Parking Permits - Annual Sunday morning parking permits for the Impark lot South of the Cathedral are available for purchase. If you would like to purchase one, please contact the Office for details.

Corporation/Lock Up This Week: Dean Alex

**Readings for Next Sunday:** Jeremiah 2:4-13; Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16; Luke 14:1, 7-14

Bishop, The Right Reverend Stephen London
Dean, The Very Reverend Alexandra Meek
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