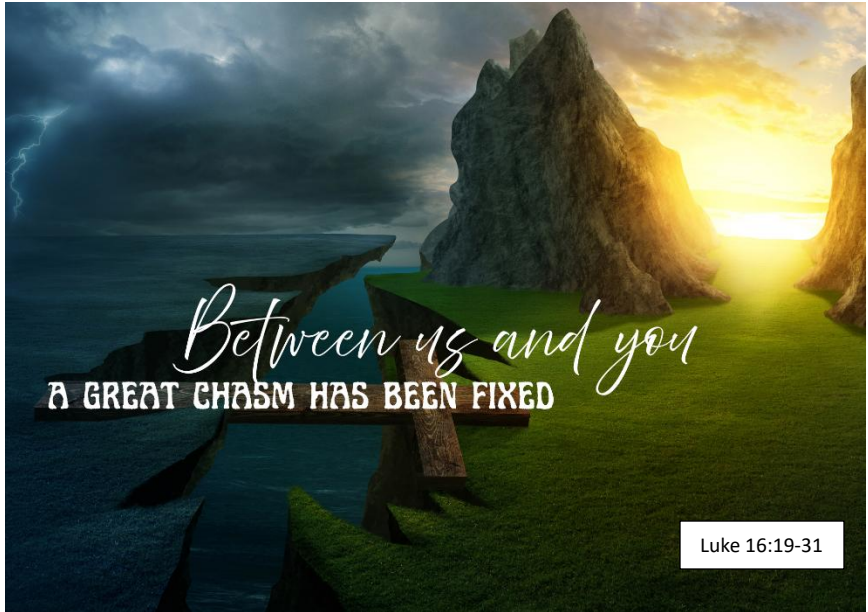


# *St. Thomas Anglican Church*

*sets its heart toward being a Christian home that welcomes,  
encourages, and seeks to inspire **all people**.*

**Sunday, September 28, 2025 – 9:30 am**



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	<b>Sunday Service:</b> Holy Eucharist – Sundays @ 9:30 AM	
	<b>God's Garden</b> – Sundays @ 9:30 AM (Ages 4-12)	

# ***Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost***

*You know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich.*

*~ 2 Corinthians 8.9~*

Prelude: *Bonnie MacDiarmid*

Welcome

Processional Hymn: **#384 Praise to The Lord, The Almighty (vs 1-3)**

Children's Talk

The Gathering of the Community Pg. 185

*The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ...*

Glory to God Pg. 186

*Glory to God in the highest,*

***And peace to his people on earth...***

Collect of the Day Pg. 383

The Proclamation of the Word: Pg. 187

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** *Jeremiah 32:1–3a, 6–15*

**Psalm** *91 (vs1–6, 14–16)* Pg. 828

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: **as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.***

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** *1 Timothy 6:6–19*

Gradual Hymn: **#500 Sister Let Me Be Your Servant (vs1,2,6)**

**Holy Gospel:** *Luke 16:19–31*

Homily: The Venerable Rob Davis

Anthem

Apostle's Creed Pg. 189

Prayers of the People

Prayers for the Parish:

This week we pray for members of our Parish Family: **Ray, Deb, Allison, Scott, & Samuel Quintal; Moira Reade; and Pierre & Mary Anne Reinhard,**

For those needing healing: **Ashlee, Doreen, Fred, Rev. Grant, Joan, Ken, Lorna, Mary, Samantha, and all those whose names are written in our book of prayer...**

Confession and Absolution: Pg. 191

The Peace Pg. 192

Celebration of the Eucharist – Preparation of the Gifts Pg. 192

Offertory Hymn: **#394 Eternal Unchanging**

Prayer over the Gifts Pg. 383

Eucharistic Prayer #4 Pg. 196

Preface of Holy Week Pg. 221

The Lord's Prayer Pg. 211

Breaking of the Bread #2 Pg. 212

Communion Pg. 213

*Our Prayer Ministry for healing or other concerns is available in the prayer nook during Communion. Curtains are closed for privacy.*

Prayer After Communion Pg. 383

Doxology Pg. 214

*Glory to God...*

Blessing

Announcements

Recessional Hymn: **#572 Let There Be Light (vs 1,5 & 6)**

Benediction: **Go Now in Peace**

Dismissal

Postlude: *Bonnie MacDiarmid*

*Thank you to the Altar Guild for your quiet and thoughtful ministry in preparing this sacred space for our worship; and thank you to our service assistants: Maureen, Jane, Diane, Pat, Ewan, Sally & Bonnie*

## ***Announcements***

**Coffee Hour:** Please join your hosts, **Steve and Sue**, downstairs in the hall after the service for some tasty treats, juice, coffee or tea.

**St. Thomas Choir:** Please consider joining our Choir? New voices are always welcomed and wanted. **Practices run on Thursday evenings at 7 pm and started on September 18<sup>th</sup>.** For more information, please speak with Bonnie MacDiarmid.

**People's Pulpit:** Today **Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup> at 9 pm**, is the last day to email Mary Anne Reinhard at [mareinhard1@outlook.com](mailto:mareinhard1@outlook.com) your contribution for our next People's Pulpit edition..

**Thanksgiving Flowers:** Anyone wishing to provide a donation for **flowers may do so until Tuesday, October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025.** Please use the white envelopes found in the Narthex (beside the bulletin board). Fill in the information and return it to the office, put it on the collection plate, or give it directly to Arlene.

**Assistance Request:** Thank you to those who have volunteered to host one of the open weeks for Coffee Hour. We still have **October 5<sup>th</sup> and December 21<sup>st</sup> open.** If no volunteer is available for October 5<sup>th</sup>, Coffee Hour will be postponed until Sunday, October 19<sup>th</sup>. **Please speak to Susan Clark-Dow (613-292-3187 or [scdow61@gmail.com](mailto:scdow61@gmail.com)).** Training provided!

**2026 Church Calendars:** The **deadline for ordering the 2026 Church Calendars is Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup>.** The cost is \$6.00 each and you pay on delivery, which will be early in October. Please sign the sheet in the narthex or call Diane at 613-825-6223 or email her at [bill.di@sympatico.ca](mailto:bill.di@sympatico.ca). **\*\*\*IMPORTANT\*\*\*:** If you emailed or phoned Diane while she was on vacation, please contact her again, as they were not received.

**Prayer and a Pint:** Prayer and a Pint: Our men's group will be meeting on Thursday, 2nd October 2025 at 7.15pm in the Council Room. Our speaker will be Michael Agyn-Frimpong. His topic is "My Faith and My Ministry." All men are welcome to attend. Please contact William at 613-836-2876 for more information.

**Food Bank Donations:** Donations received by October 4<sup>th</sup> will be used by the Altar Guild to decorate the church. Tables will be set up on Thanksgiving Sunday for further donations to be sent to the Stittsville Food Bank.