



**St. Timothy's Anglican Church, Agincourt**  
**Sunday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025 – 10AM**  
**Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost**  
**Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev. Canon Andrea Christensen**

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**Those Assisting in our Worship Service**

**Readers:** Elaine Cassel/Raymond Cheong      **Intercessor** Raymond Cheong

**Sub Deacon:** Isolene Holder      **PowerPoint Operator:** Preethi Vinukonda

**Tech:** Ben Conn

**Music:** Raymond Cheong, Cristina Paoletta & the Contemporary Choir

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PRELUDE

SERVICE SETTING:      Mass of Communion      Matt Maher, Tam Le, Ike Ndolo

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF INDIGENOUS TERRITORY

♪ OPENING HYMN

Come, Now Is the Time to Worship

Chorus

Come now is the time to worship  
Come now is the time to give your heart  
Come just as you are to worship  
Come just as you are before your God  
Come

Verse 1

One day every tongue  
Will confess You are God  
One day every knee will bow  
Still the greatest treasure remains  
For those who gladly choose You now

Verse 2

Willingly we choose to surrender our lives  
Willingly our knees will bow  
With all our heart soul mind and strength  
We gladly choose You now

## The Gathering of the Community

### THE GREETING

Leader The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**All And also with you.**

Leader 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

**Glory to God in the highest  
And on earth peace to people of good will  
We praise You we bless You  
We adore You we glorify You  
We give You thanks for Your great glory  
Lord God heavenly King  
O God almighty Father  
Lord Jesus Christ  
Only Begotten Son  
Lord God Lamb of God  
Son of the Father  
You take away the sins of the world  
Have mercy on us  
You take away the sins of the world  
Receive our prayer  
You are seated at the right hand of the Father  
Have mercy on us  
For You alone are the Holy One  
You alone are the Lord  
You alone are the Most High Jesus Christ  
With the Holy Spirit in the glory of God the Father  
Amen, amen, amen, amen.  
Amen, amen, amen.**

### 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.**

## HEARING GOD'S WORD TO US

FIRST READING: Joel 2: 23-32

PSALM 65

Reader You are to be praised, O God, in Zion; to you shall vows be performed in Jerusalem.

**All To you that hear prayer shall all flesh come, because of their transgressions.**

Reader Our sins are stronger than we are, but you will blot them out.

**All Happy are they whom you choose and draw to your courts to dwell there! they will be satisfied by the beauty of your house, by the holiness of your temple.**

Reader Awesome things will you show us in your righteousness, O God of our salvation, O Hope of all the ends of the earth and of the seas that are far away.

**All You make fast the mountains by your power; they are girded about with might.**

Reader You still the roaring of the seas, the roaring of their waves, and the clamour of the peoples.

**All Those who dwell at the ends of the earth will tremble at your marvellous signs; you make the dawn and the dusk to sing for joy.**

Reader You visit the earth and water it abundantly; you make it very plenteous; the river of God is full of water.

**All You prepare the grain, for so you provide for the earth.**

Reader You drench the furrows and smooth out the ridges; with heavy rain you soften the ground and bless its increase.

**All You crown the year with your goodness, and your paths overflow with plenty.**

Reader May the fields of the wilderness be rich for grazing, and the hills be clothed with joy.

**All**      **May the meadows cover themselves with flocks, and the valleys cloak themselves with grain; let them shout for joy and sing.**

Reader    Let us pray: **Lord God, joy marks your presence; beauty, abundance, and peace are the tokens of your work in all creation. Work also in our lives, that by these signs we may see the splendour of your love and praise you through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

SECOND READING: 2 Timothy 4: 6-8, 16-18

♪ GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**Alleluia, alleluia  
Allelu, alleluia  
Alleluia, alleluia  
Allelu, allelu, alleluia**

THE GOSPEL: Luke 18: 9-14

**R: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ. /Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

SERMON

**THE NICENE CREED**

Leader      Let us confess our faith, as we say,

**All**      **We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

### CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

Leader 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.

*Silence is kept.*

Leader 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.**

Leader 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

Leader The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**All And also with you.**

## THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

### THE PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

Precious Lord, take my hand,  
 Lead me on, let me stand;  
 I'm tired, I'm weak, I'm worn;  
 Through the storm, through the night,  
 Lead me on to the light:  
 Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

When my way grows drear, precious Lord linger near;  
 When my light is almost gone,  
 Hear my cry, hear my call,  
 Hold my hand lest I fall:  
 Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

When the darkness appears and the night draws near,  
 And the day is past and gone,  
 At the river I stand;  
 Guide my feet, hold my hand:  
 Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

#### PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

God of constant love, you have guided your people in all times and ages. May we who offer you our praise today always be ready to follow where you lead; we ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

#### EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER #2

Leader The Lord be with you.

**All And also with you.**

Leader Lift up your hearts.

**All We lift them to the Lord.**

Leader Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Leader We give you thanks and praise, almighty God, through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Redeemer. He is your living Word, through whom you have created all things.

By the power of the Holy Spirit he took flesh of the Virgin Mary and shared our human nature. He lived and died as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

In fulfilment of your will he stretched out his hands in suffering, to bring release to those who place their hope in you; and so he won for you a holy people.

He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows, and to give up his life on the cross, that he might shatter the chains of evil and death, and banish the darkness of sin and despair. By his resurrection he brings us into the light of your presence.

Now with all creation we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

♪ SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of hosts.  
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.**

Leader Holy and gracious God, accept our praise, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; who on the night he was handed over to suffering and death, took bread and gave you thanks, saying, "Take, and eat: this is my body which is broken for you." In the same way he took the cup, saying, "This is my blood which is shed for you. When you do this, you do it in memory of me."

Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, we offer you this bread and this cup, giving thanks that you have made us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you.

We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering of your holy Church. Gather into one all who share in these sacred mysteries, filling them with the Holy Spirit and confirming their faith in the truth, that together we may praise you and give you glory through your Servant, Jesus Christ.

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    The Lord's Prayer (It's Yours)  
Father let your kingdom come  
Father let your will be done  
On Earth as in Heaven  
Right here in my heart

Give us this day our daily bread  
Forgive us forgive us  
As we forgive the ones who sinned  
Against us forgive them  
And lead us not into temptation  
But deliver us from the evil one  
Let your kingdom come

It's yours, it's yours  
All yours, all yours  
The kingdom the power  
The glory are yours  
It's yours, it's yours  
All yours, all yours  
Forever and ever  
The kingdom is yours

Father let your kingdom come  
Father let your will be done  
On Earth as in Heaven  
Right here in my heart

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## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD #2

Leader We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**All We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

## THE COMMUNION

Leader The gifts of God for the People of God.

**All Thanks be to God.**

## ♪ AGNUS DEI

**Lamb of God You take away the sins of the world, Miserere nobis**  
**Lamb of God You take away the sins of the world, Miserere nobis**  
**Lamb of God You take away the sins of the world,**  
**Dona nobis pacem**  
**Dona nobis pacem.**

Remembrance (The Communion Song)

**Verse 1**

Oh how could it be  
That my God would welcome me  
Into this mystery  
Say take this bread take this wine  
Now the simple made divine  
For any to receive

**Pre-Chorus**

By Your mercy we come to Your table  
By Your grace You are making us faithful

**Chorus**

Lord we remember You  
And remembrance leads us to worship  
And as we worship You  
Our worship leads to communion  
We respond to Your invitation  
(We respond to Your invitation)  
We remember You

**Verse 2**

See His body His blood  
Know that He has overcome  
Ev'ry trial we will face  
And none too lost to be saved  
None too broken or ashamed  
All are welcome in this place

**Bridge**

Dying You destroyed our death  
Rising You restored our life  
Lord Jesus come in glory  
Lord Jesus come in glory  
Lord Jesus come in glory  
Lord Jesus come in glory

## Let Us Break Bread Together

Let us break bread together on our knees  
Let us break bread together on our knees  
When I fall on my knees  
With my face to the rising sun  
O Lord have mercy on me

Let us drink wine together on our knees  
Let us drink wine together on our knees  
When I fall on my knees  
With my face to the rising sun  
O Lord have mercy on me

Let us praise God together on our knees  
Let us praise God together on our knees  
When I fall on my knees  
With my face to the rising sun  
O Lord have mercy on me

Let us praise God together on our knees  
Let us praise God together on our knees  
When I fall on my knees  
With my face to the rising sun  
O Lord have mercy if You please

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## #54 Bread of the World, In Mercy Broken

Bread of the world, in mercy broken,  
Wine of the soul, in mercy shed,  
by whom the words of life were spoken,  
and in whose death our sins are dead:  
look on the heart by sorrow broken,  
look on the tears by sinners shed;  
and be thy feast to us the token  
that by thy grace our souls are fed.

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

God our guide, you have fed us with bread from heaven as you fed the people of Israel. May we who have been inwardly nourished be ready to follow you all our days; we ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## DOXOLOGY

Leader      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 peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord: And the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit be amongst you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## ♪ CLOSING HYMN

Every Praise

### Chorus

Every praise is to our God  
Every word of worship with one accord  
Every praise every praise is to our God  
Sing hallelujah to our God  
Glory hallelujah is due our God  
Every praise every praise is to our God

### Bridge

God my Savior  
God my Healer  
God my Deliverer  
Yes He is yes He is  
(Yes He is yes He is)

Ending  
Every praise is to our God  
Every word of worship with one accord  
Every praise every praise  
Every praise every praise  
Every praise every praise  
Every praise every praise  
Every praise every praise  
Every praise every praise  
Every praise every praise is to our God

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#### THE DISMISSAL

Leader We are followers of Jesus, inspired by the Holy Spirit, serving  
the world God loves!

**All Thanks be to God.**

#### POSTLUDE