



Eblast for October 29, 2025

Please join us **SUNDAY** for In Person Worship



All Saints' Day (transferred)

Sunday, November 2, 2025

Holy Eucharist – 10:30AM

**Presided by: The Rev. Brendon Bedford,
Rector**



We invite you to light a candle as we offer prayers for loved ones who have passed on during the year and to add the name(s) of those, during the service, in the Book of the Departed which will be on a lectern at the front of the church.

The readings are: Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18; Psalm 149; Ephesians 1:11-23; Luke 6:20-31.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **The Midweek Said BCP Eucharist is offered today** and every Wednesday, beginning at 12:00noon in the chapel. All are welcome.



2. **FOLLOWING THE MIDWEEK EUCHARIST, TODAY, Wednesday, October 29, 2025, the ongoing Bible Study, on the Letter of James, begins at 1pm, following the Midweek Eucharist.**

If you plan to come to both, consider bringing a lunch and a Bible with you (if you have one)– there will be time to grab a bite between the service and the Bible session. No registration or cost to this is required. Bibles can be supplied, if you don't have one.



3. UPCOMING SPECIAL SERVICES AT CHRIST CHURCH, MEAFORD:

† All Hallow's Eve Evening Prayer service will take place on Friday, October 31st at 4:00PM, followed by a candy shellout.

† All Saints' Day will be celebrated at Christ Church on Sunday, November 2nd at 10:30AM. This is a choral candlelit service.

We invite all to light a candle and offer a prayer during communion and to add a name of a loved one who has passed in the Book of the Departed, which will be on a lectern at the front of the church.

† All Souls' Day with the Blessing of the Graves will take place on Monday, November 3rd at Lakeview Cemetery at 10:30 AM. Those who have loved ones buried there may wish to join us.



Remembrance Sunday, November 9th will be an ecumenical prayer service @ Meaford Community Centre at 10:00AM. Members of our local legion will be present and Major the Rev. Bob Lay, Chaplain, 4th Canadian Division Training Centre will offer the homily.

There will be no service at Christ Church that day. For more info, please see our poster following.

4. There will be a short service of communion offered at **Meaford Longterm Care** next Tuesday, November 4th at 10:15am.

5. Our **COUNTRY KITCHEN & CRAFT SALE** was a great success. We had approximately 50 people plus volunteers on the Saturday and many of our parish family purchased items on Sunday after Church. An approximate total of the day was just under \$2,000.00. We give a sincere thank you to everyone who contributed time, talent, and energy to a successful parish event. We also thank the Rev. Canon Kevin Bothwell for his leadership.



About 50 attended the Soup & Bun lunch by freewill donation prepared by the Bighead River Foodgrains committee. We understand that about \$300+ was donated towards an end to global hunger. Thank you to all who volunteered to help and to those who attended.



6. The Primate and Metropolitans of the Anglican Church of Canada have issued a pastoral statement concerning the Anglican Communion. [Read about it here.](#)

7. Christ Church will be host to an important Community Town Hall on the subject of Human Trafficking Awareness. Put on by Grey-Bruce Community Safety and Well-Being Planning, the event takes place on Thursday, November 13, 2025 from 6:30-9:00 PM. All are welcome to this Community Town Hall event.

There will be an opportunity to hear from police, to hear the stories of those who have lived experience, and to submit questions to which various community partners on the discussion panel can respond. See posters on bulletin boards.

8. The Chancel Guild is looking for pairs to team up to fill this important ministry for our church. If you can spend a couple hours per month on a schedule, please contact the office or speak to Fr. Brendon.



9. Don't forget to turn back your clocks this Saturday night as we switch to Standard time.

10. **PASTORAL CARE:** For urgent care, please contact the Rev. Brendon Bedford at brendonbedford@diohuron.org or 226-974-5060. For all other questions, concerns or other ministries, please call the office at 519-538-1330 or office@christchurchanglican.ca.

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Grey Bruce CSWBP
**Community Safety &
Well-Being Planning**

Human Trafficking Awareness

Community Town Hall



Thursday, November 13, 2025
6:30 PM - 9:00 PM
Doors open at 6:00 PM



**Christ Church
Anglican Meaford**

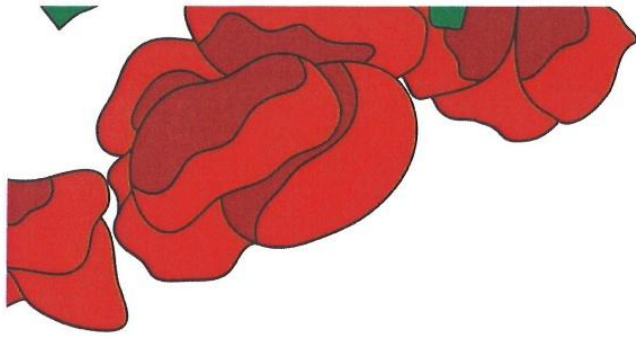
34 Boucher St E,
Meaford, ON

- **Speakers**
- **Trade Expo**
- **Q&A Panel**



Join us for an evening of learning how Human Trafficking affects our community, families & youth. Hear from police, lived experience stories from guest speakers, and submit questions for our community partners Q&A discussion panel.





MEAFORD MINISTERIAL
THE CHURCHES IN MEAFORD

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY ECUMENICAL SERVICE

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2025
MEAFORD COMMUNITY CENTRE
10:00 AM

The churches in Meaford coming together to pray and remember.



Sermon offered by:
Major the Rev. Bob Lay, Chaplain
4th Canadian Division Training Centre

