ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY WITH HOLY BAPTISM SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2025

They are before the throne of God, and he who sits upon the throne will shelter them with his presence. Revelation 7:15



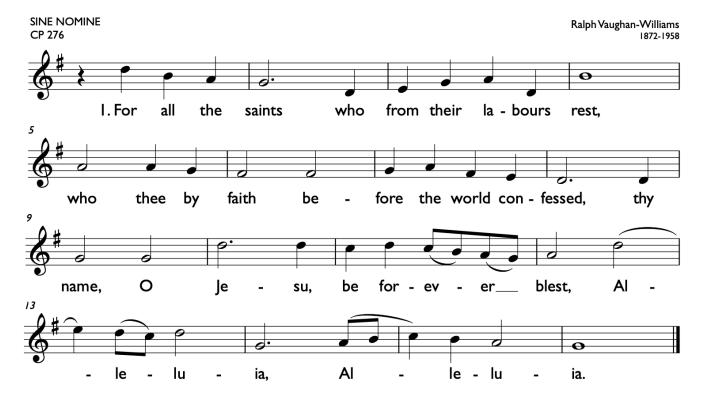


SUNG EUCHARIST (Book of Alternative Services) with Holy Baptism

Please stand when clergy and choir enter.

We are delighted to have recently teamed up with Western University to find more performing opportunities for students. Today we are joined by Tasman Tantasawat (Viola), Finn Inglis (Clarinet), and Theodore Chow (Piano) who will be playing us movements of Johannes Brahms' Clarinet Trio Op. 114 throughout the service. This is a great opportunity for us to enjoy some music other than that from the organ with which we beautify our worship. We are grateful for the performers who have given their time for free.

Opening Hymn For All The Saints



- Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might; thou, Lord, their captain in the well-fought fight; thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light.

 Alleluia! Alleluia!
- O may thy soldiers, faithful, true and bold, fight as the saints who nobly fought of old, and win with them the victor's crown of gold.

 Alleluia! Alleluia!

Continued...

- 4 O blest communion, fellowship divine!
 We feebly struggle, they in glory shine; yet all are one in thee, for all are thine.
 Alleluia! Alleluia!
- The golden evening brightens in the west; soon, soon to faithful warriors comes their rest; sweet is the calm of Paradise the blest.

 Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 5 And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long, steals on the ear the distant triumph-song, and hearts are brave again, and arms are strong.

 Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 7 But lo, their breaks a yet more glorious day the saints triumphant rise in bright array: the King of glory passes on his way.
 Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 8 From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast, through gates of pearl, streams in the countless host, singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
 Alleluia! Alleluia!

The Gathering of the Community

Presider 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.

Presider There is one body and one Spirit,

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

Presider One Lord, one faith, one baptism, People One God and Father of all.

The Collect of the Day

Presider Let us pray. (silence)

Almighty God, whose people are knit together in one holy Church, the mystical Body of your Son, grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you; through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and

reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People Amen.

"Children's Corner" – Children are welcome to join Heather in the Assembly Room.

Congregation be seated for the Proclamation of the Word.

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

(Silence is observed between the readings and the homily for reflection.)

A Reading from the Book of Daniel: Reader: Allan Nagata

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, I, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another. As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: "As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever—forever and ever." (Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18)

Reader The word of the Lord. People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 149



A Reading from the Book of Ephesians: Reader: Brody Weekes

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory. I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers, that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may perceive what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all. (Ephesians 1:11-23)

Reader The word of the Lord. People **Thanks be to God.**



Holy Gospel Luke 6:20-31

Reader The Lord be with you. People And also with you.

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

People Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Then he looked up at his disciples and said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. "Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. "Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. "Blessed are you when people hate you and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven, for that is how their ancestors treated the prophets. "But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. "Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. "Woe to you who are

laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. "Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is how their ancestors treated the false prophets. "But I say to you who are listening: Love your enemies; do good to those who hate you; bless those who curse you; pray for those who mistreat you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also, and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who asks of you, and if anyone takes away what is yours, do not ask for it back again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.



Homily The Venerable Sam Thomas Please be seated

Baptism Hymn Will You Come and Follow Me



- 2 Will you leave yourself behind if I but call your name?
 Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same?
 Will you risk the hostile stare should your life attract or scare?
 Will you let me answer prayer in you and you in me?
- 3 Will you let the blinded see If I but call your name?
 Will you set the prisoners free and never be the same?
 Will you kiss the leper clean and do such as this unseen, and admit to what I mean in you and you in me?
- 4 Will you love the "you" you hide
 If I but call your name?
 Will you quell the fear inside
 and never be the same?
 Will you use the faith you've found
 to reshape the world around,
 through my sight
 and touch and sound
 in you and you in me?
- 5 Lord, your summons echoes true when you but call my name.
 Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.
 In your company I'll go where your love and footsteps show.
 Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

Presentation and Examination of the Candidate

Presider The candidate for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Sponsor I present Harika Bezawada to receive the sacrament of baptism.

Presider Do you desire to be baptized?

Candidate I do.

Presider Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel

against God?

Candidate I renounce them.

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

creatures of God?

Candidate I renounce them.

Presider Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

Candidate I renounce them.

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

Candidate I do.

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

Candidate I do.

Presider Do you promise to obey him as your Lord?

Candidate I do.

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

persons in their life in Christ?

People We will.

Prayers for the Candidate Led by Hazil Malone

Presider Let us now pray for Harika who is to receive the sacrament of new birth.

Leader Deliver her, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Open her heart to your grace and truth.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Fill her with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Teach her to love others in the power of the Spirit.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Send her into the world in witness to your love.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Bring her to the fullness of your peace and glory.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader 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. Amen.

The Celebration of Baptism

Thanksgiving over the Water

Presider The Lord be with you. People And also with you.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Presider We give you thanks, almighty God and Father, for by the gift of water you

nourish and sustain all living things.

All Blessed be God for ever.

Presider We give you thanks that through the waters of the Red Sea, you led your

people out of slavery to freedom in the promised land.

All Blessed be God for ever.

Presider We give you thanks for sending your Son Jesus. For us he was baptized by John

in the river Jordan. For us he was anointed as Christ by your Holy Spirit. For us he suffered the baptism of his own death and resurrection, setting us free from

the bondage of sin and death, and opening to us the joy and freedom of

everlasting life.

All Blessed be God for ever.

Presider We give you thanks for your Holy Spirit who teaches us and leads us into all

truth, filling us with his gifts so that we might proclaim the gospel to all nations

and serve you as a royal priesthood.

All Blessed be God for ever.

Presider We give you thanks for you have called Harika to new life through the waters

of baptism.

Now sanctify this water, that your servants who are washed in it may be made one with Christ in his death and resurrection, to be cleansed and delivered from all sin. Anoint them with your Holy Spirit and bring them to new birth in the family of your Church, that they may become inheritors of your glorious kingdom.

We give you praise and honour and worship through your Son Jesus Christ our

Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and for ever.

All Blessed are you, our strength and song, and our salvation.

Presider Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our

own baptismal covenant.

The Baptismal Covenant

Presider Do you believe in God the Father?

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

Presider 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.

Presider 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.

Presider 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.

Presider 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.

Presider Will you proclaim by word and example the good news of God in Christ?

People I will, with God's help.

Presider Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbour as yourself?

People I will, with God's help.

Presider 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.

Presider 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

Presider Harika, I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy

Spirit. Amen.

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

Presider 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 her to

the new life of grace. Sustain her, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give her 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

Presider 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.

Presider 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

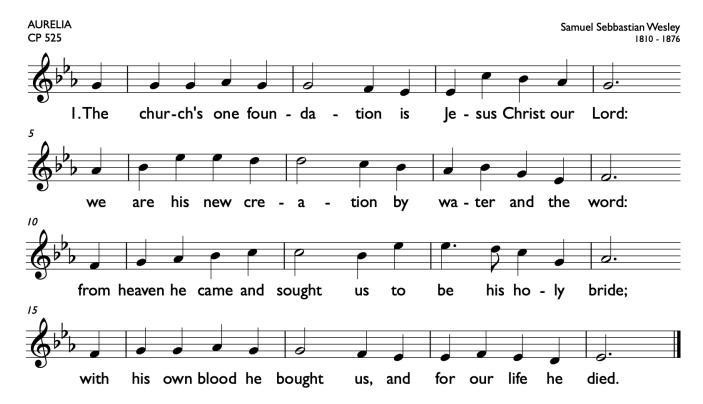
eternal priesthood.

The Peace Please stand

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Offertory Hymn The Church's One Foundation



- 2 Elect from every nation yet one o'er all the earth, our charter of salvation one Lord, one faith, one birth; one glorious name we hallow, partake one holy food, and to one hope we follow, with every grace endued.
- 4 'Mid toil and tribulation and tumult of our war, we wait the consummation of peace for evermore, till with the vision glorious our longing eyes are blessed, and the great church victorious shall be the church at rest.
- Though with dismay and wonder we see the church oppressed, by schisms rent asunder, by heresies distressed: yet saints their watch are keeping; their cry goes up, "How long?" And soon the night of weeping shall be the morn of song.
- Yet we on earth have union with God the Three-In-One, and mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won.
 O happy ones and holy!
 Lord, give us grace that we like them, the meek and lowly on high may dwell with thee.

Prayer over the Gifts

Presider Holy and mighty God, we give you thanks for the triumph of Christ in the lives

of all his saints. Receive all we offer you this day, and help us, like them, to run our course with faith, that we may come to your eternal kingdom. We ask this

in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

People Amen.

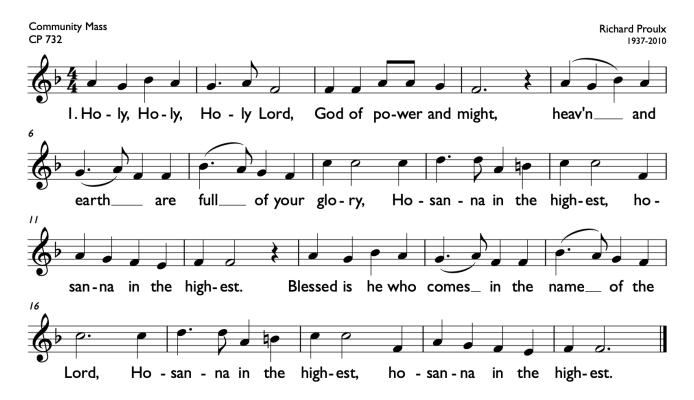
The Great Thanksgiving



Presider

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; in the multitude of your saints you have surrounded us with so great a cloud of witnesses, that we, rejoicing in their fellowship, may run with patience the race that is set before us, and together with them receive the crown of glory that never fades away.

Therefore with angels and archangels and with all who have served you in every age, we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.



Presider

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,

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

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



Lord's Prayer



The choir will sing the **Agnus Dei**To the communion setting in G

Francis Jackson (1917 - 2022)

O Lamb of God, that taketh away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that taketh away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that taketh away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace.

The Communion

Presider The gifts of God for the People of God.

All Thanks be to God.

Gluten-free communion wafers are available. Please indicate your wish to the administrant at Communion.

Communion Anthem

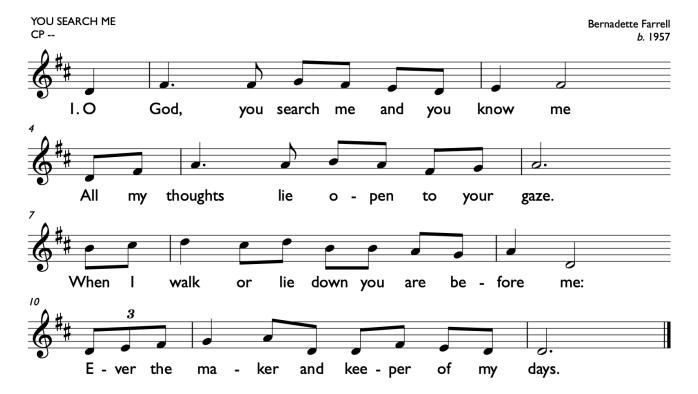
Be Still for the Presence of the Lord David Evans b. 1952 Arr. L. Williams b. 1989

Be still for the presence of the Lord, The Holy One is here Come bow before Him now, With reverence and fear In Him no sin is found We stand on holy ground Be still for the presence of the Lord, The Holy One is here

Be still for the glory of the Lord, Is shining all around He burns with holy fire, With splendor He is crowned How awesome is the sight Our radiant King of light Be still for the glory of the Lord, Is shining all around

Be still for the power of the Lord, Is moving in this place
He comes to cleanse and heal,
To minister His grace
No work too hard for Him
In faith receive from Him
Be still for the power of the Lord
Is moving in this place

Communion Hymn O God, You Search Me and You Know Me



- You know my resting and my rising
 You discern my purpose from afar
 And with love everlasting, you besiege me
 In ev'ry moment of life or death, you are
- 3 Before a word is on my tongue, Lord You have known its meaning through and through You are with me beyond my understanding God of my present, my past and future, too
- 4 Although your Spirit is upon me
 Still I search for shelter from your light
 There is nowhere on Earth I can escape you
 Even the darkness is radiant in your sight
- For you created me and shaped me
 Gave me life within my mother's womb
 For the wonder of who I am, I praise you
 Safe in your hands, all creation is made new

Prayer after Communion (silence is kept) Please stand

Presider Let us pray.

Lord of hosts, we praise your glory reflected in your saints. May we who share at this table be filled with the joy of your eternal kingdom, where Jesus is Lord,

now and for ever.

People Amen.

Doxology

Presider 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.

Closing Announcements and Blessing

Post Communion Hymn Give Me the Wings of Faith



- 2 Once they were mourning here below, and wet their couch with tears; they wrestled hard, as we do now, with sins and doubts and fears.
- I ask them whence their victory came; they with united breath ascribe their conquest to the Lamb, their triumph to his death.

Continued...

- 4 They marked the footsteps that he trod; his zeal inspired their breast; and, following their incarnate God, possess the promised rest.
- Our glorious Leader claims our praise, For his own pattern given; While the long cloud of witnesses Show the same path to heaven.

Dismissal

The Deacon dismisses the congregation in these or similar words:

Deacon Go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude Movement IV - 'Allegro' from Clarinet Trio Op. 114

Johannes Brahms 1833 - 1897

Notes for the Postlude:

Johannes Brahms - Clarinet Trio in A minor, Op. 114

III. Andante grazioso

Composed in 1891, Brahms's Clarinet Trio in A minor marks the beginning of the composer's remarkable "late clarinet works," inspired by the artistry of Richard Mühlfeld, principal clarinetist of the Meiningen Orchestra. At this stage of his life, Brahms had already declared his intention to retire from composing, yet Mühlfeld's expressive playing rekindled his creative spirit, resulting in some of his most intimate and iconic chamber music.

The Trio as a whole blends warmth and introspection, its dark-hued sonorities uniting clarinet, cello, and piano in a seamless dialogue of equals. The third movement, Andante grazioso, serves as a lyrical interlude between the work's more turbulent outer movements. It is graceful and songlike, with the clarinet's tender melody floating above a gently lilting accompaniment. Beneath its poised elegance, however, lies the wistful melancholy that characterizes so much of Brahms's late music—a delicate balance of serenity and nostalgia.

Coffee Hour

After the service please join us for coffee and cold drinks.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Flowers are to the glory of God and in loving memory of Marjorie and Harold Henderson parents of Deacon Pat Henderson.

Diocese of Huron Chain of Prayer – Today we pray for the Parishes of Trinity, Aylmer; St. John's, Glencoe; St. Andrew's, Muncy; and Zion, Oneida.

Bible Study, Mid-Week Holy Eucharist, Soup – Wednesdays @ I lam.

Sung Eucharist for All Souls

This afternoon, November 2nd @ 4pm, we invite you to a reflective Requiem Mass for All Souls. The choir will sing a choral setting of the mass to the beautiful music of Clemens non Papa. This is an opportunity to reflect on those who have departed, both friends, family, and members of the church community as we participate in a slower, reflective eucharistic service.

Lunchtime Live! Continues Tuesdays at 12:15 PM.

This series offers a weekly dose of musical inspiration, featuring a diverse lineup of organists, instrumentalists, and vocalists. The series concludes on November 25th.

As well as free entry, a complimentary lunch will be provided. Feel free to enjoy your meal with us or take it with you. Please invite your friends.

Experience the majesty of live music and enjoy a free lunch every Tuesday!

Date for the Diary - 16th of November @ 4pm

Service of Evensong with singers from around the Diocese. Join us and support a celebratory Service of Evensong where many who sang for the General Synod come back for what is sure to be a grand and exciting sing.

The service includes a brand new commission by local internationally renowned composer Sarah Quartel; especially written for this service and St. Paul's Cathedral.

Today's Liturgical Leaders

Presider – The Venerable Amanda Longmoore

Preacher – The Venerable Sam Thomas

Gospeller – The Reverend Pat Henderson

Organist & Director of Music – Laurence Williams

Associate Organist – Olakunle Aoko

Servers - Pat Binnington, Doug Campbell, Tristan Fair

Lay Administrants - Mary Mitches, Florence Perkes

Greeters - Bette Ferguson, Marilyn Papple

Welcome Ministers - Lois Gosney, Benita Onebunne

Bell Ringer - Lynn Watson

Live Stream - Olakunle Aoko

Children's Ministry - Heather Clark

Warden - Gord Rolleston

The Right Reverend Todd Townshend

Bishop of Huron

The Very Reverend Dr. Kevin George

Dean of Huron & Rector of St. Paul's Cathedral

The Venerable Sam Thomas

Senior Associate Priest/Director of Pastoral Care

The Reverend Dr. Dawn Davis

Director of Faith Formation

The Reverend Pat Henderson

Deacon

The Reverend Canon Marian Haggerty

Honorary Assistant Emeritus

The Most Reverend Linda Nicholls

Honorary Assistant

The Reverend Dr. Joshua Samuel

Resident Theologian

Laurence Williams

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Jim Ferguson

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