



**St. Timothy's Anglican Church, Agincourt**  
**Sunday, July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2026 – 10AM**  
**Eighth Sunday after Pentecost**  
**Celebrant & Preacher: Bishop Patrick Yu**  
**Deacon: The Rev. Dr. Kathy Buligan**

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**Those Assisting in our Worship Service**

**Readers:** Elaine Cassel/Diane Frans

**Intercessor:** Rev. Kathy Buligan

**Sub Deacon:** Elaine Vanderwerf

**PowerPoint Operator:** Susan Thomas

**Music:** Marianne Gast, Cristina Paoletta & the Classic Choir

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PRELUDE

SERVICE SETTING: Mass of Christ our Saviour

*Dan Schutte*

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♪ OPENING HYMN #384 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation.  
O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and salvation:  
All ye who hear, brothers and sisters draw near,  
praise him in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth  
shelters thee under his wings, yea, so gently sustaineth:  
hast thou not seen how thy entreaties have been  
granted in what he ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee;  
surely his goodness and mercy here daily attend thee:  
ponder anew what the Almighty can do,  
if with his love he befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord, who, when tempests their warfare are waging,  
who, when the elements madly around thee are raging,  
biddeth them cease, turneth their fury to peace,  
whirlwinds and waters assuaging.

Praise to the Lord, who when darkness of sin is abounding,  
who when the godless do triumph, all virtue confounding,  
sheddeth his light, chaseth the horrors of night,  
saints with his mercy surrounding.

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him!  
All that hath life and breath come now with praises before him!  
Let the Amen sound from his people again:  
gladly for aye we adore him.

### **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, in the highest glory, Peace to all, in all their days.  
Worship, thanks and praise unceasing to the Source of all we raise:  
Reigning in the sapphire height, hidden from our mortal sight,  
Now receive our adoration, as we make our supplication.**

**Jesus Christ, the world's Redeemer, Lamb of God, for sinners given,  
Word Eternal, born of Mary, Word made Flesh, the Face of Heaven:  
Holy one, to you we pray, hear us in the realms of day,  
With the Spirit there united, And the Godhead high exalted.**

#### COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God, your Son has opened for us a new and living way into  
your presence. Give us pure hearts and constant wills to worship you  
in spirit and in truth; 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: Genesis 28: 10-19a

♪ PSALM 139

## Psalm 139

Ken Michell

♩ = 78

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Lead me in the way e - ver - last - ing:

Asus2 Bsus E

Test me now and know my an - xious thoughts,  
Search me, O my God, and know my heart.

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SECOND READING: Romans 8: 12-25

♪ GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**Alleluia, praise to God.  
Alleluia, praise to God.  
Praises, high praises,  
We bring you, O God.  
Alleluia, praise to God.**

THE GOSPEL: Matthew 13: 24-30, 36-43

**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

♪ OFFERTORY HYMN #555 O God of Bethel, by Whose Hand

O God of Bethel, by whose hand  
thy people still are fed,  
who through this earthly pilgrimage  
thy multitude hast led;

Our vows, our prayers, we now present  
before thy throne of grace;  
God of our forebears, be the God  
of their succeeding race.

Through each perplexing path of life  
our wandering footsteps guide;  
give us each day our daily bread,  
and raiment fit provide.

O spread thy covering wings around  
till all our wanderings cease,  
and in the city of our God  
our souls arrive in peace.

#### PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

O God, accept our praise and thanksgiving. Help us in all we do to offer ourselves as a true and living sacrifice; through Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

## EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER #3

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 Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; you are the source of light and life for all your creation, you made us in your own image, and call us to new life in Jesus Christ our Saviour. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

♪ SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of hosts.  
Heaven and earth are full, are full of your glory.  
Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is He who comes,  
who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest.**

Leader 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;**

Leader      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 the city of light where you dwell  
with all your children; through Jesus Christ our  
Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and  
the author of salvation.

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

**All**        **Amen.**

♪ THE LORD'S PRAYER

Leader              As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread, forgive us our sins,  
as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. Amen.**

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD #3

Leader      Creator of all, you gave us golden fields of wheat, whose many  
grains we have gathered and made into this one bread.

**All            So may your Church be gathered from the ends of the  
earth into your kingdom.**

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,  
Have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world,  
Have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world,  
Grant us peace.**

♪ COMMUNION HYMN        #538 Nearer My God To Thee

Nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!  
Even though it be a cross that raiseth me,  
still all my song would be:  
"Nearer, my God, to thee;  
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!"

Though like the wanderer, the sun gone down,  
darkness be over me, my rest a stone;  
yet in my dreams I'd be  
nearer, my God, to thee;  
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee.

There let the way appear, steps unto heaven;  
all that thou sendest me, in mercy given;  
angels to beckon me  
nearer, my God, to thee;  
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee.

Then with my waking thoughts bright with thy praise,  
out of my stony griefs Bethel I'll raise;  
so by my woes to be  
nearer, my God, to thee;  
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee.

Or if on joyful wing cleaving the sky,  
sun, moon, and stars forgot, upwards I fly,  
still all my song shall be,

“nearer, my God, to thee;  
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!”

#262 Come Ye Thankful People, Come

Come, ye thankful people, come,  
raise the song of harvest home!

All is safely gathered in,  
ere the winter storms begin;  
God, our maker, doth provide  
for our wants to be supplied:  
come to God's own temple, come,  
raise the song of harvest home!

All the world is God's own field,  
fruit unto his praise to yield;  
wheat and tares together sown,  
unto joy or sorrow grown;  
first the blade, and then the ear,  
then the full corn shall appear:  
Lord of harvest, grant that we  
wholesome grain and pure may be.

For the Lord our God shall come,  
and shall take his harvest home;  
from his field shall in that day  
all offences purge away;  
give his angels charge at last  
in the fire the weeds to cast;  
but the fruitful ears to store  
in his garner evermore.

Even so, Lord, quickly come,  
to thy final harvest-home!  
Gather thou thy people in,  
free from sorrow, free from sin,  
there forever purified,  
in thy presence to abide:  
come, with all thine angels, come,  
raise the glorious harvest-home.

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

O God, as we are strengthened in these holy mysteries, may our lives be a continual offering, holy and acceptable in your sight; through 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 #505 Be Thou My Vision

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;  
naught be all else to me, save that thou art—  
thou my best thought, by day or by night,  
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true Word;  
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;  
thou my great Father; thine own may I be,  
thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.

Riches I heed not, nor the world's empty praise;  
thou mine inheritance, now and always.  
Thou and thou only, first in my heart,  
High King of heaven, my treasure thou art.

High King of heaven, when victory is won,  
may I reach heaven's joys, bright heaven's Sun!  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,  
still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

## THE DISMISSAL

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

**All            Thanks be to God.**

## POSTLUDE