



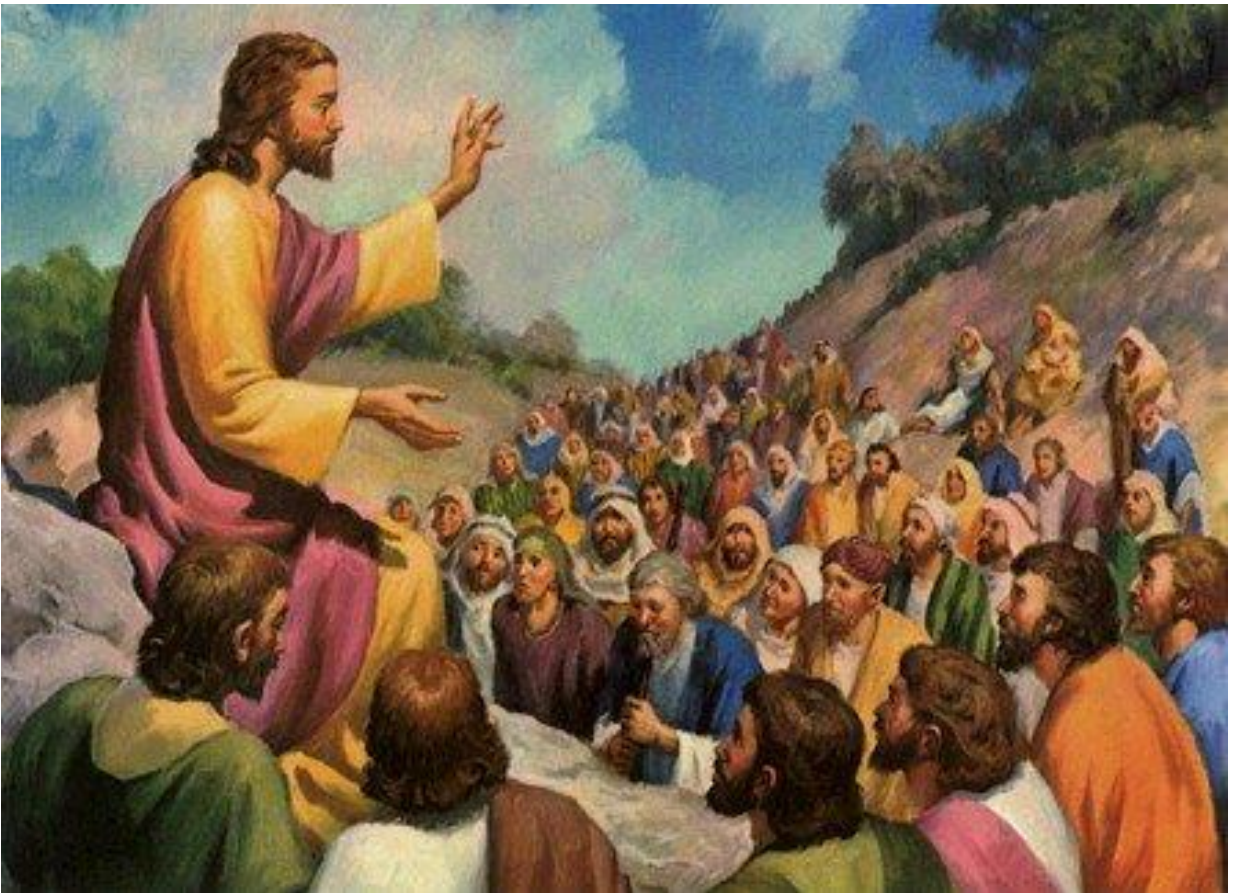
ST. PAUL'S

ANGLICAN CHURCH

Connecting people with God and each other

Sunday, August 16, 2026: 12th Sunday After Pentecost

I wait for the Lord; in his word is my hope. (Psalm 130:4)



WELCOME TO ST. PAUL'S!

VISITING TODAY?

We want to get to know you! Please join us in the Hall for coffee and conversation after the service. The greeters are available to answer any of your questions. Please fill out a welcome card in the back of the pew and put it in the offering basket, or give to any volunteer, staff, or vestry member.



ABOUT ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN

Services:

- Eucharist services: **Sundays at 10:00am**
- **Morning & Evening Prayer** Services:
Mon–Sat at **8:00am** on Zoom
Daily at **9:15pm** on Zoom.
- Sermons are available on our Website
- We also have small groups

Office Hours:

- Tues. 9:30am to 3:30pm
- Office is closed: Wed–Mon (and Holidays)

PRAYER

For the Prayer Chain, email or phone:
prayer@stpauls-anglican.ca – 780-455-0771

For pastoral emergencies call:
(825) 771-1700

ACCESSIBILITY

We have accessible washrooms and lifts available for anyone who needs them. If you need help, please speak to a greeter.

PLEASE SILENCE YOUR PHONE ☺

Serving St. Paul's: Email office@stpauls-anglican.ca

- Join a Ministry Team (Service Team, Music, Altar Guild, Sound/Video, etc.)

Giving to St. Paul's: One-Time or Recurring

- Giving can be done by Cash, Cheque, Automatic Debit/Credit, or E-Transfer to office@stpauls-anglican.ca
- We can also receive donations through our Website or the Tithely App.



LARGE PRINT MATERIALS

Large print Bibles and BAS (Book of Alternative Services) are available at the main door.

ASSISTED LISTENING DEVICES



**Assisted Listening is available.
Please ask a greeter for assistance.**



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Our Narrative Statement of Identity: We love to be together, persevere, and practice the ways of Jesus together. Even though we're at different places on our journey, we share a guiding story as given through the Bible, and we all look for Jesus in each other and in the world we live in. We share faith, we share music, we share differences, and above all we share God's love of us in Jesus. We all give, we all receive. We are a diverse family who laughs, cries, and prays together, and is learning how to love and care for each other. Our greatest ambition is to share this love with everyone around us – in our neighbourhoods and around the world.

Way Maker

You are here moving in our midst
I worship You I worship You
You are here working in this place
I worship You I worship You

Chorus

**(You are) Way Maker Miracle Worker Promise Keeper
Light in the darkness my God that is who You are**

You are here touching ev'ry heart
I worship You I worship You
You are here healing ev'ry heart
I worship You I worship You

You are here turning lives around
I worship You I worship You
You are here mending ev'ry heart
I worship You yeah I worship You Lord **(Chorus)**

Even when I don't see it You're working
Even when I don't feel it You're working
You never stop You never stop working
You never stop You never stop working **(Chorus)**

The Gathering of the Community

Celebrant: 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.**

Celebrant: 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.

Celebrant: *(Collect of the Day...)*

Lectionary Question

The Proclamation of the Word (← [Click to read online](#))

GENESIS 45:1-15 (pg.35 in the red pew Bible)

PSALM 133

How good it is, and pleasant, too—
A witness pure and right;
When brothers live in unity,
Together in delight.

It is like oil poured on the head
and running down the beard;
Which, running down on Aaron's
beard,
E'en to his robes appeared.

It's like if Hermon's dew upon
Mount Zion would be poured;
For there the LORD His blessing gives—
E'en life forevermore.

Azmon (O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing)

Common meter

Carl Glaser



Gospel Proclamation:

(Alleluia)

Alleluia, alleluia, for the Lord, God almighty reigns

Alleluia, alleluia, for the Lord, God almighty reigns

(After Psalm is read)

Alleluia, Holy, holy are You Lord, God almighty

Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb. Amen

ROMANS 11:1-2A, 29-32- (pg. 802 in the red pew Bible)

The Gospel Reading:

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

People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

The Gospel Reading: MATTHEW 15:10-28 (pg. 693 in the red pew Bible)

Reader: *The Gospel of Christ.*

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Worship Through Song

Good Good Father

I've heard a thousand stories
Of what they think You're like
But I've heard the tender whisper
Of love in the dead of night
You tell me that You're pleased
And that I'm never alone

Chorus

You're a Good Good Father
It's who You are, It's who You are
It's who You are, And I'm loved by You
It's who I am, It's who I am
It's who I am

I've seen many searching for answers
Far and wide

But I know we're all searching for answers
Only You provide
Because You know just what we need
Before we say a word **(Chorus)**

You are perfect in all of Your ways
You are perfect in all of Your ways
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us

Love so undeniable I can hardly speak
Peace so unexplainable I can hardly think
As You call me deeper still
As You call me deeper still
As You call me deeper still
Into love love love **(Chorus)**

Your Grace Is Enough

Great is Your faithfulness O God
You wrestle with the sinner's restless
heart
You lead us by still waters into mercy
And nothing can keep us apart

Pre-Chorus

So remember Your people
Remember Your children
Remember Your promise O God

Chorus 1

Your grace is enough
Your grace is enough
Your grace is enough for me

Great is Your love and justice God of
Jacob
You use the weak to lead the strong
You lead us in the song of Your salvation
And all Your people sing along **(Pre-
Chorus/Chorus 1)**

Yeah Your grace is enough
Heaven reaches out to us
Your grace is enough for me
God I sing Your grace is enough
I'm covered in Your love
Your grace is enough for me for me

Listening Time: *Listen to God, in this moment. If you hear a word of exhortation or a scripture for the congregation, you may speak it loudly for all to hear.*

Sermon: *Rev. Dr. Eric Kregel*

(A page for notes is available separately)

Affirmation of Faith: *The Apostles' Creed*

Celebrant: Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,
All: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
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. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.
Amen.

Prayers of the People

(See BAS pgs. 110-123)

Confession of Sin

Invitation to confession...

Celebrant: 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.

Greeting of Peace

The Celebration of the Eucharist

10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul

Worship His holy name

Sing like never before O my soul

I'll worship Your holy name

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning

It's time to sing Your song again

Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me

Let me be singing when the evening comes **(Chorus)**

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger
Your name is great and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find **(Chorus)**

And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then forevermore **(Chorus)**

Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name

The Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant: O God,

All: 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.

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Preface to Holy Communion (Eucharistic Prayer 1)...

Celebrant: Therefore, with them, and with all your saints...
to proclaim the glory of your name.

All: (Sung) Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty. Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty. Who was, and is, and is to come. Who was, and is, and is to come. Lift up his name with the sound of singing. Lift up his name in all the earth. Lift up your voice and give him glory. For he is worthy to be praised. For he is worthy to be praised. For he is worthy to be praised.

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Celebrant: Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith.

All: Christ has died.

Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

...

(Sung) 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.

Celebrant: 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.

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the People of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

*You are welcome to receive communion or come forward for a blessing. If you prefer to
receive a blessing, please fold your arms over your chest. Gluten-free wafers are
available upon request. Receiving only one kind includes the fullness of the sacrament.
You may also receive prayer in the Chapel during this time.*

Lamb of God

(Sung) Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us your peace.

Who You Say I Am

Who am I that the highest King

Would welcome me

I was lost but He brought me in

Oh His love for me

Oh His love for me

His grace runs deep

While I was a slave to sin

Jesus died for me

Yes He died for me **(Chorus)**

Chorus

Who the Son sets free

Oh is free indeed

I'm a child of God, Yes I am

In my Father's house

There's a place for me

I'm a child of God. Yes I am

I am chosen not forsaken

I am who You say I am

You are for me not against me

I am who You say I am

Come As You Are

Come out of sadness from wherever you've been
Come broken-hearted let rescue begin
Come find your mercy O sinner come kneel
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal

Chorus

**(So) Lay down your burdens lay down
your shame
All who are broken lift up your face
O wanderer come home
You're not too far
So lay down your hurt lay down your
heart
Come as you are**

There's hope for the hopeless
And all those who've strayed
Come sit at the table come taste the grace
There's rest for the weary
Rest that endures
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't cure
(Chorus)

Bridge

Come as you are
Fall in His arms
Come as you are

There's joy for the morning O sinner be still
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal
(Chorus)

Prayers After Communion

Celebrant: 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,
forever and ever. Amen

Blessing

Lectionary Discussion *(Please share aloud your thoughts from hearing the Word of God)*

Congregational Announcements – Nancy W.S

He Will Keep You (Psalm 121)

I lift my eyes and see
I need not be afraid
All my help comes from the Lord
Who the earth and sky has made

Chorus

**He will keep you from all evils
Behind you and before**

**He will sustain you through this journey
From now and evermore**

The Lord will never sleep
My steps He has ordained
For the One Who holds the night
Is the Sovereign of my days **(Chorus)**

Dismissal

Celebrant: Go in peace to love & serve the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Please join us for coffee and fellowship in the Hall after the service! We also invite you to bring your own refillable mug to reduce waste.

Pop Goes The Opera

Cavalleria rusticana by Pietro Mascagni - famous for the Easter Hymn and the stunning Intermezzo. We run in the beautiful Sanctuary of Holy Trinity Anglican Church at the Edmonton International Fringe Festival which runs from August 13-23, 2026. SAVE THE DATE and come celebrate with us!
Thursday Aug 13 - 8pm, **Saturday** Aug 15 - 3:45pm, **Sunday** Aug 16 - 2:15pm,
Tuesday Aug 18 - 7:30pm, **Thursday** Aug 20 - 7:15pm, **Saturday** Aug 22 - 6:15pm and
Sunday Aug 23 - 4:15pm

Community Dinner

Our next Community Dinner is Saturday August 22, 2026. If you would like to participate, please see our website for the volunteer signup information.
Otherwise, we would love to see you there at 4:30-6:00pm.

Synod Scene

Read our Diocese’s Synod Scene newsletter at www.edmonton.anglican.ca/newsletters/latest

This Week’s Ministry Teams

Music/Sound/Tech: Liska’s Team, John & Jacob
Service Team: Green & Friends Team:
Prayers of the People: Gay G.
Vestry-on-Duty: Nancy W-S.
Chapel Prayer: Kjeryn & Joan
Kids Sanctuary:

Next Week’s Teams: August 23

Music/Sound/Tech: Adele, Rosalie & Yohana
Service Team: Parker Team
Prayers of the People: Margot B.
Vestry-on-Duty: Jim E.
Chapel Prayer: Laurier and Terry
Kids Sanctuary:

Cycle of Prayer for St. Paul’s

Darrel Babuk
Natalie Jerwak
Kathy Paterson
The Daycare workers at St. Pauls

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Diocese of Caledonia: the Rt. Rev. David
Lehmann, Bishop. St. Saviour, Vermilion:
Interim Ministry; Gordon Hills, Deacon. Buyé
Diocese, Mubanga Parish: Jean Bosco
Nyankimbona, Rector. Enoch Cree Nation.

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Parish Treasurer: David Heritage
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