All Saints' Cathedral Parish Eucharist



Remembrance Sunday
8 November 2026 at 10:30am

Welcome to All Saints' Cathedral as we journey together through the season of Pentecost.

We acknowledge that the land on which we worship is the traditional gathering place of the Cree, Nakoda Sioux, Blackfoot, Dene, Sarcee, Saulteaux, Mohawk and Métis Nations. We commit both in prayer and action to be faithful Treaty 6 partners.

Welcome and Announcements

An Act of Remembrance

O Canada

O Canada!
Our home and native land!
True patriot love in all of us command.
With glowing hearts we see thee rise,
the True North strong and free!
From far and wide, O Canada,
we stand on guard for thee.
God keep our land glorious and free!
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

Laying of the Wreath

We observe two minutes of silence in honour of those men and women who gave their lives for humankind.

Music for Reflection Ich ruf zu dir, Herr Jesu Christ Johann Sebatian Bach
I call to thee, Lord Jesus Christ

Commemoration for the Fallen

Celebrant Almighty God, remember your holy promise, and look with love on all your people, living and departed. On this day we pray most especially for those who have suffered due to the cost of war: Those who have offered themselves in the service of others, those who have suffered and were wounded in conflict and those who have died in war. We pray for those who wait anxiously at home for their loved ones who are deployed, and we pray for those who mourn. We pray for the communities that are diminished and

suffer loss as the result of conflict and war. Remember those who acted with kindly compassion, those who bravely risked their own lives for the sake of others, and those who, in the aftermath of war, work tirelessly for a more peaceful world. And as you remember them, remember us, O Lord; grant us peace in our time and a longing for the day when people of every language, race, and nation will be brought into the unity of Christ's kingdom. This we ask in the name of the same Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

Prayer of Remembrance

Celebrant O Lord,

All our maker and our strength, from whose love in Christ we can never be parted either by death or defeat: May our remembrance this day deepen our sorrow for the loss and wastes of war, make us more grateful to those who courageously gave their lives to defend this land: and may all who bear the scars and memories of conflicts, past and present, know your healing love for the sake of Jesus Christ, the Prince of Peace. Amen.

Hymn of Praise 528 O God, Our Help in Ages Past

The Greeting and Collect for Purity

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

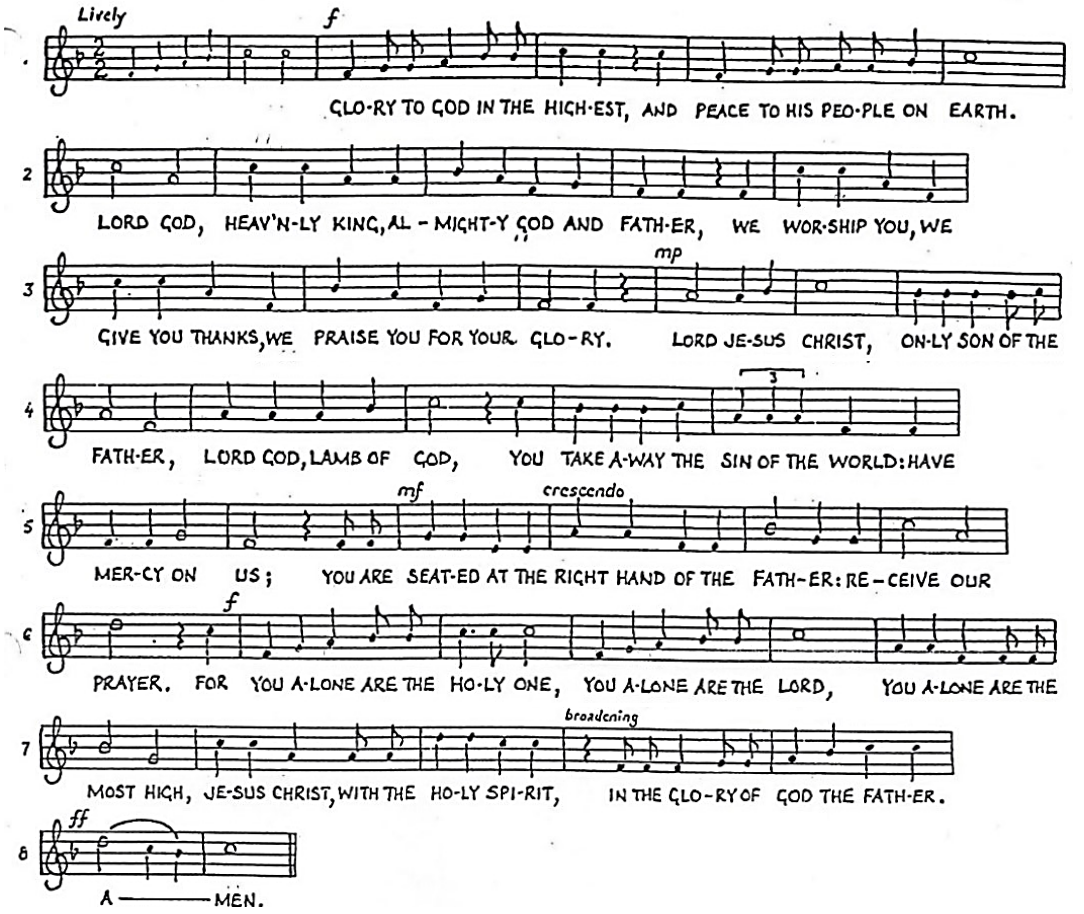
People And also with you.

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.

Glory to God

Jeremy Spurgeon



Collect for the Day

Celebrant Father of all,

All we pray to you for those we love, but see no longer. Grant them your peace, let light perpetual shine upon them, and in your loving wisdom and almighty power, work in them the good purpose of your perfect will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The First Reading: Wisdom 3:1-9 Read by Dorothy

The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment will ever touch them. In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace. For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt offering he accepted them. In the time of their visitation they will shine forth, and will run like sparks through the stubble. They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them forever. Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones, and he watches over his elect.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 116:1-8 Read Responsively

I love the Lord, because he has heard the voice of my supplication,
because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called upon him.

The cords of death entangled me; the grip of the grave took hold of me;
I came to grief and sorrow.

Then I called upon the name of the Lord:
"O Lord, I pray you, save my life."

Gracious is the Lord and righteous;
our God is full of compassion.

The Lord watches over the innocent;
I was brought very low, and he helped me.

Turn again to your rest, O my soul,
for the Lord has treated you well.

For you have rescued my life from death,
my eyes from tears, and my feet from stumbling.

I will walk in the presence of the Lord
in the land of the living.

The Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:3-9 Read by Anne M.

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you rejoice, even if now for a little while you have had to suffer various trials, so that the genuineness of your faith - being more precious than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire - may be found to result in praise and glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed. Although you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, for you are receiving the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.
All **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn 372 Praise to the Holiest in the Height

The Holy Gospel
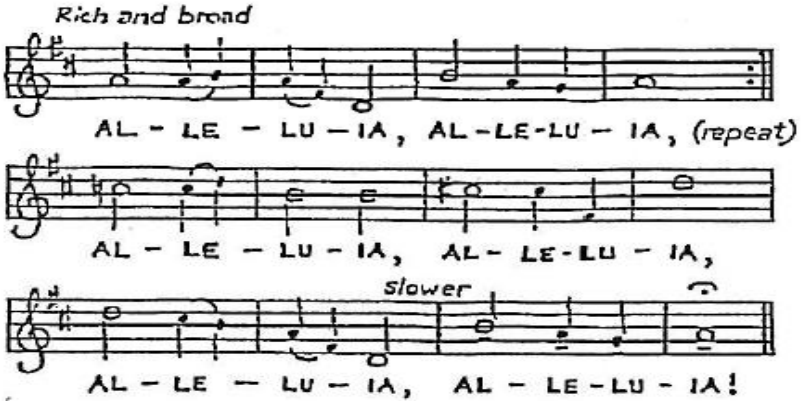
Gospeller The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John (11:21-27).
People **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Martha said to Jesus, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. But even now I know that God will give you what ever you ask of him." Jesus said to her, "Your brother will rise again." Martha said to him, "I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day." Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe

this?" She said to him, "Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one coming into the world."

Gospeller The Gospel of Christ.
People **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Alleluia Jeremy Spurgeon



The Homily The Very Reverend Alexandra Meek

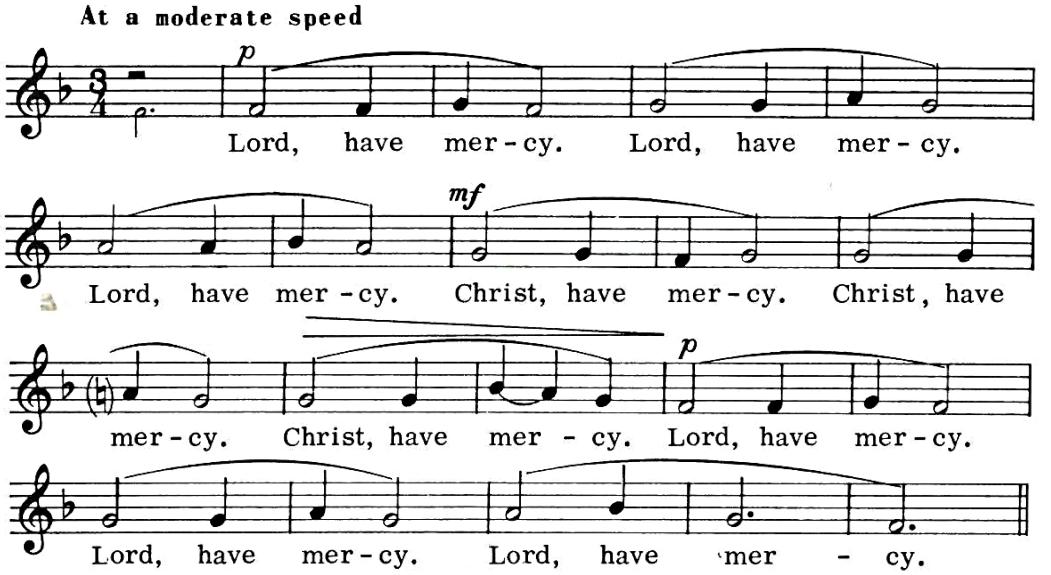
The Apostles' Creed

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.

Kyrie Eleison Richard Shephard



Prayers of the People

If you would like a name (you or someone else) added to the parish prayer list, please contact the office. If a name should be removed, please let us know.

Intercessor God of promises, we praise your glory and majesty as we humbly offer prayers for your presence in our lives as we say: Lord, in your mercy, "hear our prayer."

Intercessor We lift up all of those for whom prayer has been requested: Grace, Susie, Joanna, Blessing, Elizabeth, Chinenye, Edah, Dottie, Meredith, Joanne, Mathew, Natalka, Addison, Brian, Leah, Mavis, Vivian, John, James, Shelly, Shawne, Jayson, Tyler, Chris, Diane, Lynn, Linda, Benjamin, Seth and Lucy, Pio, Bonnie, Mel, Janet, Mary, June, JC, Mark, Paul, Laura, Selina, Kenneth, and those known only unto you, Lord. We give thanks for the life of Johanna. Eternal rest grant unto Johanna, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful

departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Lord, in your mercy,

All **Hear our prayer.**

Intercessor For the Church of the living God throughout the world, we pray for Primate Shane Parker and National Indigenous Archbishop Chris Harper of the *Anglican Church of Canada*. We also pray for the Diocese of Niagara and Bishop Susan Bell.
We pray for our own *Diocese of Edmonton* and Stephen, our Bishop. We pray for Diocesan Rural Ministry and Kevin Kraglund, Archdeacon for Rural Ministry.
In our partner *Diocese of Buyé*, we pray for the Kabataha Parish and Fabien Miburo, Rector.
In the *Indigenous Community*, we lift up the Alexander First Nation. Lord, in your mercy,

All **Hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Gracious God, we pray for peace. We pray for an end to the war and conflict that affects so many peoples and lands across our world. We pray for those who live in the midst of violence and for your creation and their homes that are devastated by acts of war. Bring peace to our world and make us people who act for justice and peace. Lord, in your mercy,

All **Hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Uphold and strengthen your church and show us how to be salve to a wounded world and a place of hope and aspiration amidst despair and cynicism. Lord, in your mercy,

All **Hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Grant our nation a spirit of cooperation, grant our elected leaders the wisdom and courage to do what is right, and grant us and our fellow citizens a renewed commitment to liberty and community. Lord, in your mercy,

All **Hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Let each of us be agents of healing and reconciliation in the places we call home and let our love for you shine forth in all we do. Lord, in your mercy,

All **Hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Unite the people of the world to address our global challenges and give us the fortitude to make and hold difficult choices. Lord, in your mercy,

All **Hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Bring healing and wholeness to all who suffer so that they might experience and know the peace which passes understanding that only you can offer. Lord, in your mercy,

All **Hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Remember the dead and bring us together with them in your coming kingdom. Lord, in your mercy,

All **Hear our prayer.**

Intercessor We give thanks for your love and steadfast promises. Grant us lives worthy of the gift of your grace and answer our prayers to your glory. We pray this through Jesus Christ, who lives and loves with you and the Holy Spirit eternally.

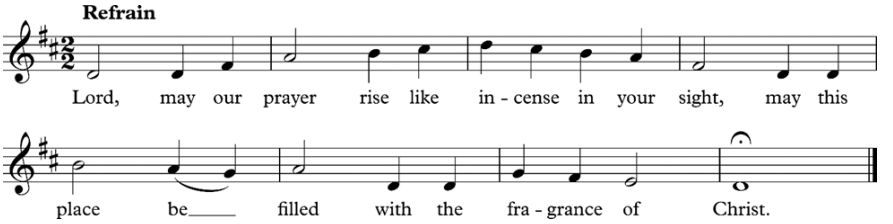
All **Amen.**

The Fragrance of Christ

David Haas

Choir I will thank you, Lord, with all of my heart, you have heard the words of my mouth. In the presence of the angels I will bless you, I will adore before your holy temple.

All



Confession and Absolution

Celebrant Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; welcoming sinners and inviting us to God's table. Therefore, let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Silence is kept.

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.**

Celebrant 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.

People **Amen.**

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The Offertory

You may place your offering in the plate as the sidespeople make their way down the centre aisle. Offering may also be placed in the offering box set in the middle aisle of the cathedral. To donate to the work of the Cathedral online, please go to our website.

The Offertory Hymn 374 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus

The Celebration of the Eucharist

Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant Gracious and righteous Lord,
All **we are united in the love of Jesus Christ. Accept all we offer you this day, and bring us, with all your faithful people who have gone before us, into his eternal glory; who is Lord, now and forever. Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

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.**

Celebrant Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; we give you thanks and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord, whose victorious rising from the dead has given to us the hope of resurrection and the promise of eternal life. Therefore with angels and archangels and all who have served you in every age, we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

Sanctus and Benedictus Common Praise 735 Franz Schubert

Celebrant 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,

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

Celebrant 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 Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

All **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

Priest 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

Celebrant These are the gifts of God for the people of God.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Please come forward to receive communion. You may receive both the bread and the wine, or if you prefer, you may receive in one kind only, the bread. Intinction (dipping the bread) is not permitted. The communion bread is gluten, dairy, egg, and yeast free. To receive a blessing in place of communion, please cross your hands over your chest.

Music During Communion

Agnus Dei Common Praise 747 Franz Schubert

Communion Hymn 520 The King of Love My Shepherd Is

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant God of love,
All may the death and resurrection of Christ, which we celebrate in this eucharist, bring us, with the faithful departed, into the peace of your eternal home. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our hope and our salvation. Amen.

The Doxology

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Blessing

The Benedictory Hymn 239 Jesus Lives!

Dismissal

Leader Let us go in peace to love and serve the Lord!
People Thanks be to God!

Organ

Nun danket alle Gott — Sigfrid Karg-Elert
Now thank we all our God

Announcements

Ordination Service on November 8 – There will be an ordination service on Sunday, November 8 at 7:00pm. All are welcome to join us as Stacey Buffie is ordained as priest.

Lectionary Study – The weekly Lectionary Bible Study happens weekly on Monday at 1:00pm.

Altar Guild Calling – This is an invitation from the Altar Guild to become more involved and help at All Saints' Cathedral with the setup and organization for all the wonderful things that are part of our services: flowers, setup for Eucharist, cleaning of the sacred areas and linens, and setting up for special services like baptisms, Christmas, Easter, etc. Altar Guild is a wonderful fellowship. We invite the men and women of our All Saints' community to consider joining us and helping for our worship. Please talk to Julia Nelson at church or tell the office or the Dean you are interested.

Cathedral Conversations: *He-Man and the Gospel* on November 18 – On November 18 at 7:00pm, we will have a guest speaker present about He-Man and the Gospel followed by conversation.

New Sunday Morning Parking Permits – Annual Sunday morning parking permits for the Impark lot South of the Cathedral are available for purchase. If you would like to purchase one, please contact the Office for details.

Corporation/Lock Up This Week: Dean Alex

Readings for Next Sunday: Judges 4:1-7; 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11; Matthew 25:14-30

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Deacon, The Reverend John Gee
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