



# St. George on Yonge Anglican

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June 9, 2024

Third Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 10)

10:00 a.m. – Sung Eucharist

## *Welcome*

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**“WHOEVER DOES  
*God's will*  
IS MY BROTHER  
AND SISTER  
AND MOTHER.”**  
*Mark 3:35, NIV*

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### The Gathering of the Community

#### Processional Hymn #381 "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven"

Psalm 103; paraphrase by Henry Francis Lyte

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| 1 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;<br>to his feet your tribute bring;<br>ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,<br>evermore his praises sing.<br>Alleluia, alleluia,<br>praise the everlasting King.    | 4 Frail as summer's flower we<br>flourish;<br>blows the wind and it is gone;<br>but, while mortals rise and perish,<br>God endures unchanging on:<br>alleluia, alleluia,<br>praise the high eternal one. |
| 2 Praise him for his grace and favour<br>to our forebears in distress;<br>praise him, still the same forever,<br>slow to chide and swift to bless;<br>alleluia, alleluia,<br>glorious in his faithfulness. | 5 Angels, help us to adore him;<br>you behold him face to face;<br>sun and moon bow down before<br>him,<br>dwellers all in time and space.<br>Alleluia, alleluia,<br>praise with us the God of grace.    |
| 3 Fatherlike he tends and spares us;<br>well our feeble frame he knows;<br>in his hands he gently bears us,<br>rescues us from all our foes:<br>alleluia, alleluia,<br>widely as his mercy flows.          |  |

#### Territorial Acknowledgement

The land on which we gather is the traditional territory of the Huron-Wendat, Haudenosaunee (ho-den-oh-show-nee) and Anishinabek (ah-nish-nah-bek) Nations, and the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation. This territory was the subject of the Dish With One Spoon Wampum Belt Covenant, an agreement between the Iroquois Confederacy and the Ojibwe and allied nations to peaceably share and care for the resources around the Great Lakes. This territory is also covered by the Toronto Purchase. Today, Toronto is home to many Indigenous people from across Turtle Island.

We recognize the enduring presence of Indigenous peoples connected to and on this land. We are grateful for the opportunity to gather on this territory and work in this community, and we commit ourselves to the work of reconciliation with Indigenous peoples.

**Greeting and Collect for Purity**

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*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,

*People* **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** [Hymn #686]

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*Celebrant* Glory to God in the highest,

*People* **and peace to his people on earth.**

**Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy upon us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.**

**For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

**Collect of the Day**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*People* **O God, you have assured the human family of eternal life through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Deliver us from the death of sin and raise us to new life in him, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**The Proclamation of the Word**

First Reading:

Read by Craig Roberston

*Reader* A reading from the First Book of Samuel.

<sup>4</sup>Then all the elders of Israel gathered together and came to Samuel at Ramah, <sup>5</sup>and said to him, "You are old and your sons do not follow in your ways; appoint for us, then, a king to govern us, like other nations." <sup>6</sup>But the thing displeased Samuel when they said, "Give us a king to govern us." Samuel prayed to the Lord, <sup>7</sup>and the Lord said to Samuel, "Listen to the

voice of the people in all that they say to you; for they have not rejected you, but they have rejected me from being king over them. <sup>8</sup> Just as they have done to me, from the day I brought them up out of Egypt to this day, forsaking me and serving other gods, so also they are doing to you. <sup>9</sup> Now then, listen to their voice; only—you shall solemnly warn them, and show them the ways of the king who shall reign over them.”

<sup>10</sup> So Samuel reported all the words of the Lord to the people who were asking him for a king. <sup>11</sup> He said, “These will be the ways of the king who will reign over you: he will take your sons and appoint them to his chariots and to be his horsemen, and to run before his chariots;

<sup>16</sup> He will take your male and female slaves, and the best of your cattle and donkeys, and put them to his work. <sup>17</sup> He will take one-tenth of your flocks, and you shall be his slaves. <sup>18</sup> And in that day you will cry out because of your king, whom you have chosen for yourselves; but the Lord will not answer you in that day.”

<sup>19</sup> But the people refused to listen to the voice of Samuel; they said, “No! but we are determined to have a king over us, <sup>20</sup> so that we also may be like other nations, and that our king may govern us and go out before us and fight our battles.”

*Reader*     The Word of the Lord.

I Samuel 8:4-11,16–20

*People*     **Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalms 138 (Sung)**

Arrangement by Christopher L. Webber  
Tune Hymn #363 Duke Street

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| <p>1 I will give thanks with my whole heart,<br/>Before the gods my praise express;<br/>I will bow down before your throne<br/>And praise your love and faithfulness.</p>   | <p>4 The Lord is high, yet scorns the proud,<br/>Protects the lowly on his path;<br/>Although I walk in trouble, Lord,<br/>You keep me safe from hostile wrath.</p> |
| <p>2 Above all things, O Lord my God,<br/>You glorified your Name and word;<br/>I called and then you answered me<br/>And gave me increased strength, O Lord.</p>           | <p>5 The Lord’s right hand shall save my life<br/>And make his purpose for me sure;<br/>Do not forsake what you have made;<br/>Your love forever will endure.</p>   |
| <p>3 All kings on earth who hear your words,<br/>O Lord, will give you thanks and praise<br/>And tell how great God’s glory is,<br/>And they will sing of all his ways.</p> |   |

Second Reading:

Read by Craig Robertson

*Reader* A reading from the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

<sup>13</sup> But just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—"I believed, and so I spoke"—we also believe, and so we speak, <sup>14</sup> because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. <sup>15</sup> Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

<sup>16</sup> So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. <sup>17</sup> For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, <sup>18</sup> because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal.

<sup>1</sup> For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

II Corinthians 4:13—5:1

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**Gradual Hymn #382 "Praise to the Lord"**

Psalm 113; paraphrase by Ron Klusmeier

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| <p>1 Praise to the Lord, all of you, God's servants.<br/>Blessèd be the name of our God now and ever.<br/>From the rising up of the sun<br/>may the Lord be praised,<br/>praise to the name of the Lord!</p> | <p>2 There is none like our God in the heavens or on earth,<br/>who lifts the weak out of dust, placing them with the mighty,<br/>who stoops to raise the weak and low:<br/>may the Lord be praised,<br/>praise to the name of the Lord!</p> |
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Holy Gospel:

Read by Margie Lyttle

*Subdeacon* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Subdeacon* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

*People* **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

<sup>20</sup> . . . and the crowd came together again, so that they could not even eat. <sup>21</sup> When [Jesus'] family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, "He has gone out of his mind." <sup>22</sup> And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, "He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons." <sup>23</sup> And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, "How can Satan cast out Satan? <sup>24</sup> If a kingdom is divided against itself,

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that kingdom cannot stand. <sup>25</sup> And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. <sup>26</sup> And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. <sup>27</sup> But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered.

<sup>28</sup> "Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; <sup>29</sup> but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin" — <sup>30</sup> for they had said, "He has an unclean spirit."

<sup>31</sup> Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. <sup>32</sup> A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, "Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you." <sup>33</sup> And he replied, "Who are my mother and my brothers?" <sup>34</sup> And looking at those who sat around him, he said, "Here are my mother and my brothers! <sup>35</sup> Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother."

*Subdeacon* The Gospel of Christ.

Mark 3:20–35

*People* **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Sermon: The Rev. Vinaya Dumpala

*A time for silent reflection is kept.*

### The Nicene Creed

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*Celebrant* Let us confess our faith, as we say,

*People* **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**

Geraldine Sperling

*Leader* Lord, in your mercy,*People* **Hear our prayer.****Confession and Absolution**

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*Celebrant* 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.**Celebrant* Most merciful God,*People* **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. **Amen.****The Peace**

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*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.*People* **And also with you.****The Celebration of the Eucharist****Offertory Hymn #527 "How Firm a Foundation"**

Text by John Rippon

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| <p>1 How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,<br/>is laid for your faith in his excellent word!<br/>What more can he say than to you he hath said,<br/>to you who to Jesus for refuge have fled?</p> | <p>2 "Fear not, I am with thee, O be not dismayed!<br/>For I am thy God and will still give thee aid;<br/>I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand,<br/>upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.</p> |
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- 3 “When through the deep waters I call thee to go,  
the rivers of woe shall not thee overflow;  
for I will be with thee, thy troubles to  
bless,  
and sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.
- 4 “When through fiery trials thy pathway  
shall lie,  
my grace, all-sufficient, shall be thy  
supply:  
the flame shall not hurt thee; I only design  
thy dross to consume, and thy gold to  
refine.
- 5 “The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for  
repose  
I will not—I will not desert to its foes;  
that soul, though all hell should  
endeavour to shake,  
I’ll never—no, never—no, never  
forsake!”

### The Prayer over the Gifts

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*People* **Merciful God and Father, in Adam’s fall we were born to death; in the new Adam we are reborn to life. In all we offer you this day may we share a taste of your eternal kingdom. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

### Eucharistic Prayer #1

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*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* It is indeed right that we should praise you, gracious God, for you created all things. You formed us in your own image: male and female you created us. When we turned away from you in sin, you did not cease to care for us, but opened a path of salvation for all people. You made a covenant with Israel, and through your servants Abraham and Sarah gave the promise of a blessing to all nations. Through Moses you led your people from bondage into freedom; through the prophets you renewed your promise of salvation. Therefore, with them, and with all your saints who have served you in every age, we give thanks and raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.



*People*Michael  
Leach*Celebrant*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Holy God, source of life and goodness, all creation rightly gives you praise. In the fullness of time, you sent your Son Jesus Christ, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He healed the sick and ate and drank with outcasts and sinners; he opened the eyes of the blind and proclaimed the good news of your kingdom to the poor and to those in need. In all things he fulfilled your gracious will.

On the night he freely gave himself to death, 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."

Gracious God, his perfect sacrifice destroys the power of sin and death; by raising him to life you give us life for evermore.

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith.

*People*

**Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

*Celebrant*

Recalling his death, proclaiming his resurrection, and looking for his coming again in glory, we offer you, Father, this bread and this cup. Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts, that all who eat and drink at this table may be one body and one holy people, a living sacrifice in Jesus Christ, our Lord. Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory is yours, almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**The Lord's Prayer** [Michael Leach]

*Celebrant* As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

*People*

**Our Father in heav'n, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. And 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**

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

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

**The Communion**

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

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**Lamb of God** [Michael Leach]

*People* **Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:  
have mercy on us, have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:  
have mercy on us, have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:  
grant us your peace, grant us your peace.**

*All are invited to share in Communion. If you would rather not receive the bread and wine, please feel free to come forward for a blessing.*

**Communion Hymn #551 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"**

Text by Ray Palmer

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| <p>1 My faith looks up to thee,<br/>thou Lamb of Calvary,<br/>Saviour divine.<br/>Now hear me while I pray;<br/>take all my guilt away.<br/>O let me from this day<br/>be wholly thine.</p>              | <p>3 While life's dark maze I tread<br/>and griefs around me spread,<br/>be thou my guide;<br/>bid darkness turn to day,<br/>wipe sorrow's tears away,<br/>nor let me ever stray<br/>from thee aside.</p>             |
| <p>2 May thy rich grace impart<br/>strength to my fainting heart,<br/>my zeal inspire.<br/>As thou hast died for me,<br/>O may my love to thee<br/>pure, warm, and changeless be,<br/>a living fire.</p> | <p>4 When ends life's transient dream,<br/>when death's cold sullen stream<br/>shall o'er me roll,<br/>blest Saviour, then, in love,<br/>fear and distrust remove;<br/>O bear me safe above,<br/>a ransomed soul.</p> |

**Prayer after Communion**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*People* **O God, we have shared in the mysteries of the body and blood of Christ. Nourish us by this feast, that we may live the risen life and serve you faithfully in the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

**Doxology** [Michael Leach]

*People* **Glory to God, whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more, infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever, for ever and ever. Amen, Amen.**

**Blessing****Recessional Hymn #508 "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say"**

Text by Horatius Bonar

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| <p>1 I heard the voice of Jesus say,<br/>"Come unto me and rest;<br/>lay down, thou weary one, lay down<br/>thy head upon my breast."<br/>I came to Jesus as I was,<br/>so weary, worn, and sad;<br/>I found in him a resting place,<br/>and he has made me glad.</p>              | <p>3 I heard the voice of Jesus say,<br/>"I am this dark world's light;<br/>look unto me, thy morn shall rise,<br/>and all thy day be bright."<br/>I looked to Jesus and I found<br/>in him my star, my sun;<br/>and in that light of life I'll walk<br/>till travelling days are done.</p> |
| <p>2 I heard the voice of Jesus say,<br/>"Behold, I freely give<br/>the living water; thirsty one,<br/>stoop down and drink and live."<br/>I came to Jesus and I drank<br/>of that life-giving stream;<br/>my thirst was quenched, my soul revived,<br/>and now I live in him.</p> |   |

**Dismissal**

*Subdeacon* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

*The flowers today are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Norman Piluke from Joanie Piluke.*

***Please join us in the garden for refreshments following the service.***

| Today's Scripture Readings  | Next Sunday's Scripture Readings  |
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| <p><b>Third Sunday after Pentecost</b><br/>           1 Samuel 8:4-11,16-20<br/>           Psalm 138<br/>           2 Cor 4:13 –5:1<br/>           Mark 3:20-35</p> | <p><b>Fourth Sunday after Pentecost</b><br/>           1 Samuel 15:34—16:13<br/>           Psalm 20<br/>           2 Cor 5:6-10,(11-13),14-17<br/>           Mark 4:26-34</p> |

| We Remember in Prayer Today and This Week . . .  |
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| <p><b>Congregation Cycle</b><br/>           Jiranee A / Anne, Kathy, &amp; Lorraine B / Julius B / Ann &amp; Elizabeth B</p> |

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| <p><b>Celebrant &amp; Preacher</b><br/>           The Rev. Vinaya Dumpala<br/> <b>Subdeacon and Chalice Bearer</b><br/>           Margie Lyttle<br/> <b>Intercessor</b> Geraldine Sperling<br/> <b>Reader</b> Craig Robertson<br/> <b>Crucifer</b> Nishant Sam / Philip Tindan</p> | <p><b>Organist</b> Michael Leach<br/> <b>Altar Guild</b> Margie Lyttle<br/> <b>Ushers</b> Ann-Marie Waithe Powell,<br/>           Hazel Perkin<br/> <b>Duty Warden</b> Ravi Andrews<br/> <b>Coffee Hour</b> Donya Xu, Anthony Wong<br/> <b>Counters</b> Lorraine Baillie,<br/>           Craig Robertson</p> |
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