

November 1, 2020
All Saints
Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost
10:00 a.m. – Said Eucharist

Welcome

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Blessed
are the
peacemakers,
for they
shall be called
the children
of God.

Matthew 5:9

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The Gathering of the Community

Prelude

Opening Hymn: "For All the Saints" (Sung by Soloist)

Text by William Walsham How

Please refrain from singing along

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| 1 For all the saints who from their labours rest,
who thee by faith before the world confessed,
thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.
Alleluia! Alleluia! | 6 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! |
| 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! | 7 But lo, there breaks a yet more glorious day—
the saints triumphant rise in bright array:
the King of glory passes on his way.
Alleluia! Alleluia! |

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

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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 **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. Amen.**

The Proclamation of the Word

Reading:

I John 3:1–3

Reader A reading from the First Letter of John.

¹See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. ²Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. ³And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Reader The Word of the Lord.*People* **Thanks be to God.****Psalm 34:1–10, 22**

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| <p>1 I will bless the Lord at all times;
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.</p> <p>2 I will glory in the Lord;
let the humble hear and rejoice.</p> <p>3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the
Lord;
let us exalt his name together.</p> <p>4 I sought the Lord, and he answered me
and delivered me out of all my terror.</p> <p>5 Look upon him and be radiant,
and let not your faces be ashamed.</p> <p>6 I called in my affliction and the Lord
heard me
and saved me from all my troubles.</p> | <p>7 The angel of the Lord encompasses those
who fear him,
and he will deliver them.</p> <p>8 Taste and see that the Lord is good;
happy are they who trust in him!</p> <p>9 Fear the Lord, you that are his saints,
for those who fear him lack nothing.</p> <p>10 The young lions lack and suffer hunger,
but those who seek the Lord lack
nothing that is good.</p> <p>22 The Lord ransoms the life of his servants,
and none will be punished who trust in
him.</p> |
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Hear us, Lord, when we cry to you. Calm our bodies and minds with the peace which passes understanding, and make us radiant with the knowledge of your goodness; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.

Celebrant Alleluia

People **Alleluia, Alleluia.**

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

People **Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.**

Holy Gospel:

Matthew 5:1–12

Subdeacon The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

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

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

¹ When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. ² Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

³ “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

⁴ “Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

⁵ “Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

⁶ “Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

⁷ “Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

⁸ “Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

⁹ “Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

¹⁰ “Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

¹¹ “Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. ¹² Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you . . . ”

Subdeacon The Gospel of Christ.

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

Sermon

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***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.**

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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

Music at the Offertory: "Give to my eyes, Lord" Text: Colin Coppen. Music: Ronald Corp.

The Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant Let us pray.

People **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. Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer 3

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; 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.

People **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.**

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."

People Therefore, Father, according to his command,
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. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

People **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. 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 #4

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Celebrant "I am the bread which has come down from heaven," says the Lord.

People **Give us this bread for ever.**

Celebrant "I am the vine, you are the branches."

People **May we dwell in him, as he lives in us.**

Lamb of God

People **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 your peace.**

The Communion

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Celebrant The gifts of God for the People of God.

People **Thanks be to God.**

All baptised Christians are invited to share in Communion.

Music during Communion: "Ave Maria"

Bach/Gounod.

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant Let us pray.

People **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. Amen.**

Doxology

Celebrant Glory to God,

People **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, for ever and ever. Amen.**

Blessing**Announcements**

Prayers for Birthdays and Anniversaries

Closing Spoken Hymn: “Let Saints on Earth in Concert Sing”

Text by Charles Wesley

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| <p>1 Let saints on earth in concert sing
with those whose work is done;
for all the servants of our King
in earth and heaven are one.</p> <p>2 One family, we live in him,
one church above, beneath,
though now divided by the stream,
the narrow stream of death.</p> | <p>4 But all unite in Christ their head,
and love to sing his praise:
Lord of the living and the dead,
direct our earthly ways!</p> <p>5 So we shall join our friends above
who have obtained the prize;
and on the eagle wings of love
to joys celestial rise.</p> |
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Dismissal*Subdeacon* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.*People* **Thanks be to God.****Postlude** (please remain seated until finished)

Celebrant & Preacher	The Rev. Leonard Leader
Subdeacon	Margie Lyttle
Reader	Hazel Perkin
Organist	Michael Leach
Soloist	Máiri Demings
Intercessor	Doug Heyes
Videographer	Egan Done
Altar Guild	Nancy Dodsworth, Roshni Sircar
Ushers	Stephanie Aguiar
Counters	Richard Snider, Carolyn Poon Woo

Procedures to Follow During Communion**STOP... WAIT... THEN STEP FORWARD**

- It is your choice whether or not to receive communion.
- Please follow the usher’s guidance as to when to go up for communion. We will start with the people closest to the middle aisle.
- Use hand sanitizer provided.
- **Stop at first floor marker (X)** in front of priest (mask on). **Wait** until the priest has finished speaking.
- **Then step forward** to the second floor marker (X) to receive bread (mask on).

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- Follow arrows to next floor marker (mask on) with bread in hand. (Go to the side of the Church where you are sitting).
- Face away from the congregation, remove mask, consume bread, replace mask.
- Use hand sanitizer provided.
- Return to your seat via your aisle.

Please remember

Stay at your seat throughout the service, except when going up for communion. At the time of passing the peace, look around and acknowledge others, but **please do not** move around the room.

Today's Scripture Readings	Next Sunday's Scripture Readings
<p style="text-align: center;">All Saints</p> <p>I John 3:1–3 Psalm 34:1–10,22 Matthew 5:1–12</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Remembrance Proper for Peace</p> <p>Micah 4:1–5 Psalm 85:7–13 Ephesians 2:13–18 John 16:23–33</p>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Special Vestry Meeting

A Special Vestry Meeting is being held **after the service today at 11:15** a.m. for the purpose of electing a People's Warden and a Deputy People's Warden; and for approving a banking resolution to amend the list of signing officers for the St. George on Yonge accounts.

Anglican Christmas Cakes available!

Offering - Up to 24 home-made traditional English Christmas cakes! Approximate weight 2 lb. (You might remember them from a few years ago.... The cakes are "Anglican" because they are generously moistened with rum - which will have evaporated by the time you receive them.)

Price- \$20 - payable in cash on receipt. All proceeds will go to St. George's.

Optional- with or without almond paste. Please indicate your choice in your order.

"Delivery" - Starting December 12-

1. Sunday December 12 or December 19 by "tailgate delivery" in St. George's garage (to avoid the possibility of allergy contamination because the cakes contain almonds).
2. Pick-up from home of the preparer- to be arranged for December 12 or thereafter.

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3. **In limited circumstances**, home delivery, may be arranged.

Please place your orders by Friday November 6 to allow time for baking and 6 weeks to “ripen” the cakes. First served for the first cake – orders for multiple cakes will be considered if enough are available.

To order, please call or email Craig Robertson (mrobertson3@gmail.com or 647-531-9044) – leave a message if no answer.

In your order, please indicate -

- **Number** of cakes desired
- **Option** – with or without almond paste
- **How to receive-**
 - Pick up at St. George’s - Sunday December 12 or December 19
 - Pick-up at home of the baker – please provide email address and/or telephone number
 - Request delivery to your home? – again, provide your email address and/or telephone number

Treasured Heirloom Collection Silent Auction

Contest open from Nov 1 to Nov 22, 2020

Doug is looking to find a new home for his Mom's little girl (Kaitlyn and her Teddy: The gift of a lifetime of love) and raise some money for the Church. This is not a doll to be played with, and is not suitable for children under 8 years of age. It’s about 19" tall. The doll itself is part of the heritage collection by Kais Inc., picked up by my Mom when they wintered in Florida over the winter in Clearwater after retirement in the 90's. The artist who created it was Janus Berard. She had been used as part of Mom's Christmas decoration of her home each year. She was otherwise carefully stored in her original box when not on display.

Simply send an email to Dougmheyes@gmail.com to enter the silent auction stating your name, contact information and the amount of your bid. The current top bid amount, no name, will be provided in each week's update up until the 12:00 p.m. closing on the 22nd to allow you to submit a new bid if you choose. If, at the closing, there is more than one person with the same maximum bid submitted, then Rev. Leonard will draw the winning name from a pool of each matching top bid on Nov 29. All proceeds are to be payable to St George on Yonge. Good Luck and have fun bidding on this beautiful young lady and her friend.

Children and Youth Ministry

Nov. 6th: Family Meet and Greet with Sarah on Zoom! Get to know each other, play some games, and share our hopes and goals for children and youth ministry at St. George's. This is open to all parents, children, youth, and other guardians who care for them. To join the Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74384642777?pwd=SkhCc2JUVW9GeIFLV2pPZzR6UE96Zz09>

Meeting ID: 743 8464 2777

Passcode: uLuqz0

Nov. 29th: Advent 1 we will be having an Inter-generational Service where we will be inviting older children and youth to participate in various parts of the Sunday service (reading, bring up the offering, etc.) If you would like to volunteer to participate please reach out to Sarah at sarah.layman@stgeorgestoronto.ca

VIRTUAL COFFEE HOUR – Next Sunday, November 8th at 1 p.m.

Save the date! It's a nice way to get together while having to stay apart and actually drinking coffee is optional. It would be great to see some new faces join the regular group for the informal chat. Information on how to connect by device or phone will be included in the November 6th update.

Donations of Warm Clothes needed

As the colder weather is now upon us, the Willowdale Welcome Centre is seeking donations of men's clothing and warm winter clothing items (hats, scarves, gloves, coats, boots, etc.)

Women's clothing will also always be accepted but is currently not as high of a priority.

Donations can be brought to the Church.

Helping Hands Needed

Ushers are needed to supplement our teams. Please speak to Lorraine or email Ann-Marie if you can help.