



# St. George on Yonge

Anglican

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Sunday, November 14, 2021

Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist

## Welcome

*Large Print service leaflets are available*

*“I am the  
resurrection  
and the life.”*

JOHN 11:25



**The life and faithful witness of Joan Chung-Tiam-Fook;  
and in memory of the faithful departed.**

**Processional Hymn #529 "God, My Hope on You Is Founded"**

Text by Joachim Neander; translation by Robert Seymour Bridges

- 1 God, my hope on you is founded;  
     you my faith and trust renew:  
     through all change and chance you guide  
     me,  
         only good and only true.  
         God unknown,  
         you alone  
         call my heart to be your own.
- 2 Human pride and earthly glory,  
     sword and crown, betray our trust;  
     though with care and toil we build them,  
     tower and temple fall to dust.  
         But your power,  
         hour by hour,  
         is my temple and my tower.
- 3 Daily does the mighty Giver  
     bounteous gifts on us bestow;  
     God's desire for us delights us,  
     pleasure leads us where we go.  
         Here at hand  
         love takes stand,  
         joy awaits God's sure command.

**The eulogy of Joan Chung-Tiam-Fook**

**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 on 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* **Father of 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.**

Reading:

1 Peter 1:3-9

<sup>3</sup> 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, <sup>4</sup> and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, <sup>5</sup> who are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. <sup>6</sup> In this you rejoice, even if now for a little while you have had to suffer various trials, <sup>7</sup> 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 honor when Jesus Christ is revealed. <sup>8</sup> 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, <sup>9</sup> for you are receiving the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord

*People* **Thanks be to God**

**Psalm 116:1–8**

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1 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.

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

- 3 Then I called upon the name of the Lord:  
“O Lord, I pray you, save my life.”
- 4 **Gracious is the Lord and righteous;  
our God is full of compassion.**
- 5 The Lord watches over the innocent;  
I was brought very low, and he helped  
me.
- 6 **Turn again to your rest, O my soul,  
for the Lord has treated you well.**
- 7 For you have rescued my life from  
death,  
my eyes from tears, and my feet from  
stumbling.
- 8 **I will walk in the presence of the Lord  
in the land of the living.**

**Eternal God, faithful in your tender compassion, you give us hope for our life here and hereafter through the victory of your only Son. When we share his cup of salvation, revive in us the joy of this everlasting gift. We ask this in his name. Amen.**

*Celebrant* Alleluia

*People* **Alleluia, Alleluia.**

*Celebrant* I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord; whoever lives and believes in me shall never die.

*People* **Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.**

Holy Gospel:

John 11:21–27

*Subdeacon* The Lord be with you.

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

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

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

<sup>21</sup> Martha said to Jesus, “Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. <sup>22</sup> But even now I know that God will give you whatever you ask of him.” <sup>23</sup> Jesus said to her, “Your brother will rise again.” <sup>24</sup> Martha said to him, “I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day.” <sup>25</sup> Jesus said to her, “I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, <sup>26</sup> and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?” <sup>27</sup> She said to him, “Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one coming into the world.”

*Subdeacon* The Gospel of Christ.

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

Sermon

*A time for silent reflection is kept.*

## The Apostles' Creed

*Celebrant* Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,

*People* **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.**

## 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.**

*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 Faithful Departed

Joan Dennis	Albert Bamford
John and Helen Hunter	Nigel Baillie
Stan and Gladys Pummell	Travis Subervi
Marion Powell Celestine Hill	Alwyn Richards
Mark Sperling Mark Hanna Margaret Hanna Constantine "Ted" Hanna	John & Celestine Horsford Rosalind Sue Randolph Babrow Tawria Heath Charles, Julia, Michael and Althea Leader Riley Francis, Frank Bodkin and Robert Kelly
Lusmey Smith Rachel Smith Mehetabel Reid Lenny Gunter Donald Smith Tiny Smith Ens Julye Kermit Smith Gosford Smith Renville Smith Beulah Smith Bridget Smith James Cobb Irvington Lytle Gilman Lytle Matthew Whitely Delusory Whitely Phillip Whitely Lurton Whitely Winsworth Whitely	Herb Heyes Lillian Marie Heyes Doris Failes Ken Failes Michael Failes Peter Niadoffski Cveta Niadoffski John Irwin Mitradyal (Mitch) Ramsaran
	Henry and Viola Hubert, Maurice, Rodwell, Hilbert Florence Roberts India Richards

## The Peace

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* And also with you.

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## The Celebration of the Eucharist

**Offertory Hymn #520 “The King of Love My Shepherd Is”**

Psalm 23; Paraphrase by Henry Williams Baker

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| 1 | The King of love my shepherd is,<br>whose goodness faileth never;<br>I nothing lack if I am his<br>and he is mine forever.                     | 5 | Thou spread'st a table in my sight;<br>thy unction grace bestoweth;<br>and O what transport of delight<br>from thy pure chalice floweth!  |
| 4 | In death's dark vale I fear no ill<br>with thee, dear Lord, beside me;<br>thy rod and staff my comfort still,<br>thy cross before to guide me. | 6 | And so through all the length of days<br>thy goodness faileth never;<br>good Shepherd, may I sing thy praise<br>within Thy house forever! |

### The Prayer over the Gifts

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*People* **Gracious and righteous Lord, 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 for ever.**

Amen.

### Eucharistic Prayer #3

Proper Preface Commemoration of the Dead

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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* 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.

*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."

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. **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. 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 forever. Amen.**

**The Breaking of the Bread**

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*Celebrant* This is the bread which has come down from heaven.*People* **Those who eat this bread will live for ever.****Spiritual Communion Prayer**

*People* I worship and adore you, Lord Jesus Christ, present in the holy sacrament and in your people, who are gathered in spirit. In this moment, I join with them to receive you in my heart, and in our community. May you, enthroned on the altar, be now enthroned in my heart; may you, present in bread and wine, feed and renew my soul; may you, who give yourself to us again, fill us with grace, and heavenly blessing. Even as I am fed, may my hunger for your reign of justice and peace increase, that I may, with your Spirit, work for that day when your reign shall come on earth as it is in heaven. Amen.

**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.*

**Communion Hymn - God Be with You Till We Meet Again**

Text: Jeremiah Eames Rankin. Music: Ralph Vaughan Williams

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| 1 | God be with you till we meet again;<br>loving counsels guide, uphold you,<br>with a shepherd's care enfold you:<br>God be with you till we meet again. | 3 | God be with you till we meet again;<br>when life's perils think confound you,<br>put unfailing arms around you:<br>God be with you till we meet again.               |
| 2 | God be with you till we meet again;<br>unseen wings protecting hide you,<br>daily manna still provide you:<br>God be with you till we meet again.      | 4 | God be with you till we meet again;<br>keep love's banner floating o'er you;<br>smite death's threatening wave before<br>you:<br>God be with you till we meet again. |

**Prayer after Communion**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*People* **God of love, 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.**

**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. Amen.**

**Blessing****Dismissal**

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

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

**Recessional Hymn #577 “God of Grace and God of Glory”      Text by Harry Emerson Fosdick**

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| 1    God of grace and God of glory,<br>on your people pour your power;<br>now fulfil your church's story;<br>bring its bud to glorious flower.<br><br>Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,<br>for the facing of this hour,<br>for the facing of this hour.                  | 3    Cure your children's warring<br>madness.<br>Bend our pride to your control.<br>Shame our wanton selfish gladness,<br>rich in goods and poor in soul.<br><br>Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,<br>lest we miss your kingdom's goal,<br>lest we miss your kingdom's goal. |
| 2    Lo, the hosts of evil round us<br>scorn your Christ, assail his ways.<br>Fears and doubts too long have bound us;<br>free our hearts to work and praise.<br><br>Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,<br>for the living of these days,<br>for the living of these days. | 4    Set our feet on lofty places;<br>gird our lives that they may be<br>armoured with all Christ-like graces<br>in the fight for liberty.<br>Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,<br>that we fail ourselves and thee,<br>that we fail ourselves and thee.                      |

**We Remember in Prayer Today and This Week . . .****Congregation Cycle**

Cliff O  
 Azibola O and family  
 Godfrey O  
 Damiana P  
 Hazel P

**Today's Scripture Readings****Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost**

1 Peter 1:3-9  
 Psalm 116:1-8  
 John 11:21-27

**Next Sunday's Scripture Readings**

**Last Sunday after Pentecost**  
 2 Sam 23:1-7  
 Psalm 132:1-13,14-19  
 Rev 1:4b-8  
 John 18:33-37

Celebrant	The Rev. Leonard Leader
Subdeacon & Preacher	Margie Lyttle
Reader	Geraldine Sperling
Organist	Michael Leach
Soloist	Máiri Demings
Intercessor	Laura Pummell
Videographer	Egan Done
Duty Warden	Doug Heyes
Ushers	Hazel Perkin, Ann-Marie Waithe Powell
Altar Guild	Maggie Sumner
Counters	John Pummell, Felicity Leader

**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.

WELCOME TO ST. GEORGE ON YONGE

## **COVID instructions from the Diocese to keep you safe**

IN CHURCH EVERYONE MUST:

1. **Be MASKED** all the time

**NOTE:** ONE participant at a time may remove their mask temporarily if they are a reader, intercessor, Subdeacon, doing announcements, preacher or priest but only when they are speaking. They must remain 4m away from others.

2. **MAINTAIN PHYSICAL DISTANCING** (2 Metres)

3. **Have NO CONVERSATIONS or SOCIAL GATHERINGS**

4. **FOLLOW THE ARROWS ON THE FLOOR**

5. **FOLLOW THE PRIEST'S INSTRUCTIONS** for the Service

ONLY the soloist or designated singers may sing and must remain masked

When the ORGANIST has finished the POSTLUDE, and the CAMERA is turned off, please leave the church.

Thank you for joining us  
Stay Safe

## Joan Sylvia Chung-Tiam-Fook: (1937-2020)



**Joan** was born in Guyana (a former British Colony at the top of South America). She was the sixth offspring of Edwin and Lillian Chung-Tiam-Fook. Her four brothers and three other sisters made up the rest of a lively, gregarious and often noisy household. Despite disparity in ages there was a closeness within the family even when various members married and moved abroad. Joan was the one left to care for her parents. However, when her father died in 1972 it was clear that two women on their own posed a real target for predators. It was at this time that a former flame re-ignited a friendship and proposed marriage. Joan accepted, got married in Canada in 1983. The marriage was short-lived and sadly came to an end after only two years.

Life had dealt her a cruel blow but Joan gritted her teeth and was determined to set about rebuilding her life. She managed to get a job and took comfort in her church family at St. George's. She happily engaged in church activities, made friends and started a new chapter in her life. Once Joan was retired, she was able to visit her sisters and family in England. Unfortunately, Joan was diagnosed with a dangerous heart condition which required surgery. Joan eventually recovered but it was evident that her health was not as robust as formerly. Nevertheless, Joan continued to use her talent of befriending and welcoming anyone on the fringes, and seeking out those in need of a helping hand. Sadly, in February 2017 she lost her much loved younger brother, Irving and found it difficult to come to terms with his death. Joan's health began to deteriorate and following a series of accidents and hospitalization she was eventually forced to move into Hawthorne Place Care Home during the last two years of her life where she died on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May, 2020.

Joan never forgot her Guyanese roots and would often recount enjoyable stories about her youth to anyone who would listen! Joan loved St. George's where she worshipped and participated in many groups for many years.