

NEWS AND EVENTS

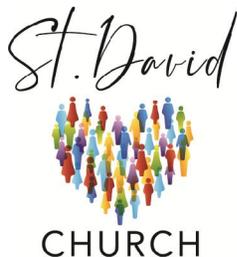
- MON NOV 02** Quilting – 9:30 am to noon
TUE NOV 03 Staff Meeting – 9:30 am
WED NOV 04 Devotions via zoom – 10 am
Renewal Team Meeting – 6:30 pm via zoom
THU NOV 05 Communion Service and taping – 7 pm
Remembrance Day Service
SUN NOV 08 Remembrance Day Service – 10 am

KEEPING SAFE DURING COVID AS OUR WEATHER CHANGES

In order to keep everyone safe when attending services, you are asked to keep all outerwear with you and not leave coats etc. in the lobby. This will help to avoid any congestion as we leave services. Before you come to worship, it is important to do a self assessment to ensure the health of both yourself and those you will encounter. If you show any signs or symptoms not just related to COVID-19, but also those that may be related to either the flu or a cold, **PLEASE** stay home. If you have been diagnosed with or have been in contact with anyone who has been diagnosed with COVID, please reach out to Pastor Lori so we can support you, and be prepared if any contact tracing becomes necessary.

IT IS COMING UP TO THAT TIME OF THE YEAR This year has certainly been a very different year, however the business of our church still goes on. To that end, we do need to look forward to our Annual General Meeting (AGM) coming up in February. Please note that if you are a chair or coordinator of a group, your annual report will be due by the first week in January. Sounds like a long time off, but we all get busy as Christmas approaches. Please give thought to your report so you are able to complete it and submit when required.

PLEASE NOTE – in November, there will only be one 8 am service for the month – Sunday November 29. Going forward, the 8 am service will be suspended until further notice.



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KINGDOM SEASON

22nd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

ALL SAINT'S SUNDAY



November 01, 2020

May you find peace and comfort in this place.

*Let the hearts of those
who seek the Lord rejoice*

Psalm 105:3.

*Journeying together to grow in faith
and serve God's world.*

Incumbent:
Honourary Assistant:
Youth & Child Ministry Coordinator:
Music Director:

Pastor Lori Pilatzke
Rev. Diane Fryer
Nancy Hannah
Brent Mayhew

**KINGDOM SEASON – ALL SAINT’S
22nd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

All Saints celebrates the baptized people of God, living and dead, who are the body of Christ. As November heralds the dying of the landscape in many northern regions, the readings and liturgy call us to remember all who have died in Christ and whose baptism is complete. At the Lord’s table we gather with the faithful of every time and place, trusting that the promises of God will be fulfilled and that all tears will be wiped away in the new Jerusalem.

GATHERING

Hymn 422 (red): For All the Saints – vs 1,3,7

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

People: And also with you

Presider: We light a light in the name of the Maker, who lights the world and breathes the breath of life for us.

We light a light in the name of the Son, who saves the world and stretches out his hand to us.

We light a light in the name of the Spirit, who encompasses the world and blesses our souls with yearning.

**People: We light three lights for the Trinity of Love:
God above us, God beside us, God beneath us.
The beginning, the end, the everlasting one.
Amen.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY



REFLECTIONS ON THE READINGS

REVELATION 7: 9-17

The book of Revelation is written to seven churches in western Asia Minor during a time of great oppression. Today’s reading is a response to the question asked in 6:17: “Who is able to stand?” The writer gives the faithful the assurance of God’s protection and a vision of victory.

1 JOHN 3: 1-3

A saint is one who has been set apart by God’s purposes. God, out of divine love, set us apart to be the children of God. Our holy hope is that we shall see God as God really is.

PSALM 34: 1-10, 22

Fear the Lord, you saints of the Lord; for those who fear the Lord lack nothing. (Ps. 34:9)

MATTHEW 5: 1-12

In the Beatitudes, Jesus provides a unique description of those who are blessed with God’s favour. His teaching is surprising and shocking to those who seek wealth, fame, and control over others.

READINGS

Sunday Nov 01/20

Revelation 7: 9-17
Psalm 34: 1-10, 22
1 John 3: 1-3
Matthew 5: 1-12

Sunday Nov 08/20

Amos 5: 18-24
Psalm 70
1 Thessalonians 4: 13-18
Matthew 25: 1-13

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We remember and give thanks this day for the life and witness of those in our community who have died over the past year

All Saints' Sunday is the day when the church universal in public worship remembers those who have entered eternal life during the past year. In today's readings, Paul writes in 1st John, "A saint is one who has been set apart by God's purposes". And in Matthew's gospel, Jesus provides a unique description of those who are blessed with God's favour in the Beatitudes.

In joyful expectation of the resurrection to eternal life, we remember this day those who have gone before us in faith and who now rest from their labours, especially those family members and friends who are dear to us:

**Melvin Elroy Pilatzke
(Heidelinde) Heidi Hoyer
Everard Galbraith
Cecil John McLaughlin
(Bertha) Eileen Maddeaux
Shirley Eileen Cook, ODT*
Audrey Sarah Elizabeth Skinner
Barry Francis McKelvey
Michele Marie Denault
Johnny Wayne Bruce Reed
Mary Agnes Galbraith
Bruce Mayhew
Rev. Robert (Bob) Sinclair**

and all those whom we remember before God this day.

*As we remember loved ones who have died, be near to us, ever-living God, and bring to us your comfort. You know our grief and understand all we feel. Walk with us as we learn to live with loss; help us to comfort and support one another. May your compassion surround us, may your strength sustain us, that in the days to come we may see not only our sorrow but the dawning of hope in the Christ who died yet lives again.
Amen.*

* denotes Order of the Diocese of Toronto

STORY

Reading 1 John 3: 1-3

REMEMBERING – those who have died this past year.

Hymn 715 (red) Christ be Our Light – vs 1, 5

Acclamation Hymn 105 (StheJ) Don't be Afraid

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Presider: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according Matthew

People: Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Matthew 5: 1-12

Presider: The Gospel of Christ

People: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Acclamation Hymn 105 (StheJ) Don't be Afraid

RESPONDING

Homily: Pastor Lori

Hymn of the Day 581 (red) You Are Mine

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Leader: We are called to be the Church – to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope.

People: We are not alone. We live in God's world. We believe in God; who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God. We are called to be the Church: to celebrate God's presence, to live with respect in Creation, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: In the company of all the Saints,
People: **We lift our prayer to you.**

SHARING OF THE PEACE

OFFERTORY

Hymn 635 (red): We Walk By Faith

Presider: Prayer over the Gifts

BLESS AND BREAK

Presider: The Lord be with you

People: **And also with you**

Presider: Lift up your hearts

People: **We lift them to the Lord**

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

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

Presider: We offer you praise dear God, with hearts lifted high.....we join in the song of your unending greatness:

People: **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might. Heaven and earth are filled with your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes In the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Presider: Holy are you, O Lord, and great is your majesty..... In heaven and on earth, O God, the saints and angels unite around your holy altar to proclaim the mystery of faith:

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

Presider: Praise, honour and glory be unto you, O God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit in eternal glory, now and forever.

People: **Amen**

Presider: Gathered into one by the gift of the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:

People: **Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

SHARING

Presider: God keeps adding places to the table. Come to the banquet that has no end! This is the table at which God is host and all are welcome guests. The gifts of God for the whole people of God.

People: **Thanks be to God**

COMMUNION HYMN

Hymn 779 (red) Amazing Grace – vs 1,2,4,5

Leader: Prayer after Communion

People: **Amen. Glory to God, 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

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SENDING

Hymn 535 (red) Halleluiah! We Sing Your Praises

Presider: Go in peace. Live in love as Christ loved us.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Presider: The peace of Christ be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**