

LOOKING AHEAD: April 29 – May 5

Mon. 29	11:00 am	Memorial Service at All Saints for Brenda Pilon Reception to follow
Wed. 1	9:30 am	Sunday Bulletin Announcement Deadline
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice – Sanctuary
Thurs. 2	9:00 am	Scrapbooking – Choir Room
	2:00 pm	Silvercreek Market – Fellowship Hall
Sat. 4	9:00 am	Church Cleanup
Sun. 5	8:30 am	Easter 3 – Holy Communion – Sanctuary
	10:00 am	Easter 3 – Holy Communion – Sanctuary – Sunday School
	11:30 am	Annual General Vestry / Congregational Mtg. – Fellowship Hall

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Church Office Hours
Wednesday – Friday
9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

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WELCOME

We welcome you to our worship today.

Hymnbooks:

Our community uses two hymnbooks.

(ELW) Evangelical Lutheran Worship has a cranberry cover.

(CP) Common Praise has a blue cover.

You will find either **(ELW)** or **(CP)** beside each hymn number to indicate which book we are singing from.

Communion: All are welcome.

We make available grape juice and gluten free bread. Please inform one of the Communion Servers that you wish to have one or both of these elements during the distribution of Communion.

No Scents Makes Good Sense. Members have indicated that they suffer discomfort from perfumes, hair spray, colognes and after-shave lotion. Please help us provide a scent-free environment

We welcome all children to our worship. We also have a child friendly space in the fellowship area at the back of the church. Drink boxes, activity bags and youth bulletins are in a basket near the entrance to the church. Please help yourself.

Acknowledgement of Territory

We are on the traditional territory of the Attawandaron / Neutral People. We honour the original ancestors of this land and also offer respect to our Haudenosaunee, Anishinabe, Mississauga and Metis neighbours. We give thanks for the First Peoples and all who have cared for the land and made it possible for us to be here today.

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

Sunday, April 28, 2019

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Prelude – That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright
arr. Lynette Maynard

Welcome

Acknowledgement of Territory

Processional Hymn – This Joyful Eastertide # **391 (ELW)**

Greeting

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

And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

O God of life, you reach out to us amid our fears with the wounded hands of your risen Son. By

your Spirit's breath revive our faith in your mercy, and strengthen us to be the body of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Baptismal Hymn – This Is the Spirit's Entry Now

448 (ELW)

Order for Holy Baptism

God, who is rich in mercy and love, gives us a new birth into a living hope through the sacrament of baptism. By water and the Word God delivers us from sin and death and raises us to new life in Jesus Christ. We are united with all the baptized in the one body of Christ, anointed with the gift of the Holy Spirit, and joined in God's mission for the life of the world.

Sponsors – We present Evelyn Alexis Victoria Orr to receive the sacrament of holy baptism.

Jessica and Patrick, called by the Holy Spirit, trusting the grace and love of God, do you desire to have your child, Evelyn baptized into Christ?

R / We do.

As you bring Evelyn to receive the gift of baptism, you are entrusted with responsibilities:

- to live with her among God's faithful people,

- bring her to the word of God and the holy Supper,
- teach her the Lord's Prayer, the Creed, and the Ten Commandments,
- place in her hands the holy scriptures,
- and nurture her in faith and prayer,
- so that she may learn to trust God,
- proclaim Christ through word and deed,
- care for others and the world God made,
- and work for justice and peace.

Jessica and Patrick, do you promise to help Evelyn grow in the Christian faith and life?

R / We do.

Tegan and Reneé, sponsors of Evelyn, do you promise to nurture her in the Christian faith as you are empowered by God's Spirit, and to help her live in the covenant of baptism and in communion with the church?

R / We do.

People of God, do you promise to support Evelyn and pray for her in her new life in Christ?

We do.

Profession of Faith

Do you believe in God the Father?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, 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, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

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.

Thanksgiving at the Font

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and by your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight. Through the waters of the flood you delivered Noah and his family, and through the sea you led your people Israel from slavery into freedom. At the river your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit. By the baptism of Jesus' death and resurrection you set us free from the power of sin and death and raise us up to live in you.

Pour out your Holy Spirit, the power of your living Word, that those who are washed in the waters of baptism may be given new life. To you be given honour and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Amen.

Baptism

Evelyn Alexis Victoria Orr, I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

**Blessed be God the source of all life,
the word of salvation, the spirit of
mercy.**

Let us pray.

We give you thanks, O God, that through water and the Holy Spirit you give your daughters and sons new birth, cleanse them from sin, and raise them to eternal life. Sustain Evelyn with the gift of your Holy Spirit: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence, both now and forever.

Amen.

Evelyn, child of God, you have been sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked with the cross of Christ forever.

Amen.

Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

**We welcome you into the body of
Christ and into the mission we share:
join us in giving thanks and praise to
God and bearing God's creative and
redeeming word to all the world.**

WORD

***God speaks to us in scripture reading,
preaching, and song.***

First Lesson – *Acts 5: 27 – 32*

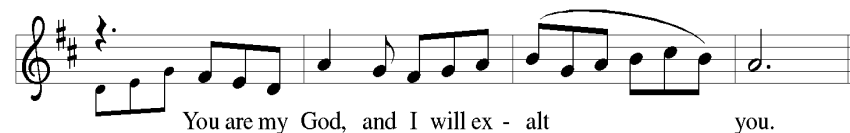
A reading from Acts.

When they had brought [the apostles,] they had them stand before the council. The high priest questioned them, saying, “We gave you strict orders not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are determined to bring this man’s blood on us.” But Peter and the apostles answered, “We must obey God rather than any human authority. The God of our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you had killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him.”

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 118: 14 – 29



Psalm 118:28

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**¹⁴The Lord is my strength | and my song,
and has become | my salvation.**

¹⁵Shouts of rejoicing and salvation echo in the

tents | of the righteous:

“The right hand of the | Lord acts valiantly!

¹⁶The right hand of the Lord| is exalted!

The right hand of the | Lord acts valiantly!”

¹⁷I shall not | die, but live,

and declare the works | of the Lord. R

¹⁸The Lord indeed pun- | ished me sorely,

but did not hand me o- | ver to death.

¹⁹Open for me the | gates of righteousness;

I will enter them and give thanks | to the Lord.

²⁰“This is the gate | of the Lord;

here the righ- | teous may enter.”

²¹I give thanks to you, for you have | answered me

and you have become | my salvation. R

²²The stone that the build- | ers rejected

has become the chief | cornerstone.

²³By the Lord has | this been done;

it is marvelous | in our eyes.

²⁴This is the day that the | Lord has made;

let us rejoice and be | glad in it.

²⁵Hosanna! | O Lord, save us!

We pray to you, Lord, pros- | per our days! R

²⁶Blessed is the one who comes in the name | of the Lord;

we bless you from the house | of the Lord.

²⁷The Lord is God and has giv- | en us light.

Form a procession with branches up to the corners | of the altar.

²⁸You are my God, and | I will thank you;

you are my God, and I | will exalt you.

²⁹Give thanks to the Lord, for the | Lord is good; God’s mercy en- | dures forever. R

Psalm Prayer

Second Lesson – *Revelation 1: 4 – 8*

A reading from Revelation.

John to the seven churches that are in Asia:

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen.

“I am the Alpha and the Omega,” says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

A - le - lu - ya, a - le - lu - ya, a - le - lu - ya!
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
A - le - lu - ya, a - le - lu - ya, a - le - lu - ya!
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
A - le - lu - ya, a - le - lu - ya,
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
A - le - lu - ya! *A - le - lu - ya!*
 al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Gospel Reading – *John 20: 19 – 31*

The holy gospel according to John.

Glory to you, O Lord.

or

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.” After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they

are retained.” But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, “We have seen the Lord.” But he said to them, “Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.” A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.” Then he said to Thomas, “Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.” Thomas answered him, “My Lord and my God!” Jesus said to him, “Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.” Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book.

But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

or

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon

Hymn of the Day – We Walk by Faith # **635 (ELW)**

Prayers of Intercession

We pray to you, O God.

Lord, hear our prayer.

Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

Offering / Choir Anthem – Jesus is my heart's delight

J. S. Bach

Offering Hymn – To God Our Thanks We Give

682 (ELW)

Offering Prayer

Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth.

Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Preface

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, for the glorious resurrection of our Saviour Jesus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin, who in dying has destroyed death, and in rising has brought us to eternal life. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join their ending hymn:

Holy, Holy, Holy

San - to, san - to, san - to, es el Se - ñor,
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God,

Dios del u - ni - ver - so; san - to, es el Se - ñor.
God of might and pow - er; ho - ly is the Lord.

San - to, san - to, san - to, san - to, es el Se - ñor,
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord . . . God,

Dios del u - ni - ver - so; san - to, es el Se - ñor.
God of might and pow - er; ho - ly is the Lord.

Ho - san - na en el cie - lo, ho - san - na en la
Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na here on

tie - rra. Ben - di - to el que vie - ne en el
earth. Blest is he who comes in the

nom - bre del Se - ñor. Ho - san - na en el
name . . . of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the

cie - lo, ho - san - na en la tie - rra. Ben -
high - est, ho - san - na here on earth.

di - to el que vie - ne en el nom - bre del Se - ñor.
Blest is he who comes in the name . . . of the Lord.

...proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

...And let the church say, Amen.

Amen.

...And let the church say, Amen.

Amen.



Lord's Prayer

Eucharistic Prayer



Our Fa-ther in heav - en, hal - lowed be your name,
 your king-dom come, your will be done, on earth as in heav - en.
 Give us to - day our dai - ly bread. For - give us our sins as we
 for-give those who sin a - gainst us. Save us from the time of tri - al
 and de - liv - er us from e - vil. For the king - dom, the pow'r,
 and the glo - ry are yours, now and for - ev - er. A - men.

Invitation to Communion

Taste and see that the Lord is good.
Thanks be to God.

Lamb of God



Cor - de - ro de Dios, tú que qui-tas el pe-ca-do del mun-do;
 O Lamb of . . God, you . . take a-way the sin of the world; . .
ten pie-dad de no - so-tros, ten pie-dad de no - so-tros.
 have . . mer-cy up - on us, have . . mer-cy up - on us.
Cor-de - ro de Dios, tú que qui-tas el pe-ca-do del mun-do;
 O Lamb of . . God, you . . take a-way the sin of the world; . .
ten pie-dad de no - so-tros, ten pie-dad de no - so-tros.
 have . . mer-cy up - on us, have . . mer-cy up - on us.
Cor-de - ro de Dios, tú que qui-tas el pe-ca-do del mun-do;
 O Lamb of . . God, you . . take a-way the sin of the world; . .
 da - nos tu paz, da - nos tu paz.
 grant us your peace, grant us your peace.

Communion Hymns

- # 228 (CP) – Alleluia! O Sons and Daughters vs. 1, 4-9
- # 408 (CP) – Wind upon the Waters
- # 388 (ELW) – Be Not Afraid

Table Blessing

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ
 strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

Amen.

Prayer after Communion

Life-giving God, in the mystery of Christ's resurrection you send light to conquer darkness, water to give new life, and the bread of life to nourish your people. Send us forth as witnesses to your Son's resurrection, that we may show your glory to all the world, through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.

Amen.

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

Blessing

**The blessing of the God of life be ours.
The blessing of the loving Christ be ours.
The blessing of the Holy Spirit be ours to
cherish us, to help us, to make us holy.**

Benediction

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favour and ☩ give you peace.

Amen.

Announcements

Sending Song – That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright
384 (ELW)

Dismissal

Go in peace...

Thanks be to God.

Postlude – Vater Unser, J. S. Bach

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Announcements and Information

Greeters: The King Family

April Altar Guild: Laura B. Mann, Jutta Montalbetti & Lois Ellis

The flowers in the Chancel area are given to the glory of God, in celebration of Evelyn Alexis Victoria Orr's baptism. Given by her family.

Holy Baptism: This morning we celebrate the sacrament of Holy Baptism for Evelyn Alexis Victoria Orr, daughter of Patrick and Jessica Orr. Her sponsors are Tegan Frid and Reneé Orr.

We lift up to God the Pilon family as they mourn the death of Brenda. Memorial service to be held at All Saints on Monday, April 29th at 11:00 a.m.

Nominations for new Council members are now being invited. Please see the article in the Connections newsletter for additional information as to what the duties and time commitments for these positions are. If you are interested in this opportunity of service and ministry, please contact Brian Janzen at bjanzen33@gmail.com or speak to any one of the present Council members.

On Saturday, May 4th from 9:00 a.m. to noon **your help is needed to spruce up the church building inside and outside.** The kitchen will be the main focus of cleaning and then other areas if there are enough workers. The Big Yellow Bag of Dirt is sitting in the backyard waiting to be distributed to the flower beds. Dead plants are needing to be pulled and garbage picked up. If you are available to help contact Marilyn Coleman or Laura B. Mann.

All Saints Lutheran Anglican Church, Guelph, ON will hold their Annual General Vestry / Congregational Meeting on Sunday, May 5, 2019. This will take place following the 10:00 am service. We will gather in the hall downstairs and begin with a pot luck sandwich luncheon. The Agenda is in the Annual Report as we review our ministry of All Saints during the 2018 year. Reports are available in the narthex following the service today. We hope that you will join us.

Church Sign – Donations towards the new sign are progressing nicely. We now have approximately \$7,200 in donations..... that is about half of what we need to make this project a reality! Please consider giving so that All Saints Church has a presence in the surrounding community. Simply make out a cheque, post-dated to June 30 and clearly marked "Sign". Put it in your giving envelope, then place it on the offering plate. Tax receipts will be provided. Questions can be addressed to any Council Member.