

All Saints Lutheran Anglican Church

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Please be aware that our Sunday service is video streamed to our YouTube channel for public viewing. If you feel sensitive to this thought and wish to remain out of the occasional line of view, consider sitting in the back two rows of pews. Thank you.

With God's grace, the faith community of All Saints Lutheran Anglican Church in Guelph Ontario welcomes you.



We endeavour to be in right relationship with our Indigenous neighbours.

We strive for racial equity.

We welcome people of any age, gender identity and expression, race, colour and sexual orientation.

We welcome people facing physical or mental challenges, those suffering under addictions, single people and those in any relationship.

Our doors are open to people of uncertain faith or deep faith, from any or no religious tradition.



All are truly welcome.



**Dear Little Saints-
Welcome from all the Big Saints**

Before the service even starts, you will need to prepare

Upcoming is a longish sit and grownups want you there

Instead of wiggling, yawning, sighing

You could be bright new markers trying or putting stickers in your book

*Or even ..take a little look
Oh joy, cause somebody loves me true
There's juice or sweets or cookies too*

*When you've been good as gold for ever and still the talking lasts forever just dig inside and have a treat
Your Sunday sack is really "sweet"!!!!!!
(and also is a take home treat!)*

We welcome all children to our worship. There is no Sunday Church School at this time. Please ask the ushers for a children's bulletin and/or help them fill a bag with activities and treats from the basket in the narthex.

Communion: All are welcome. Please let an usher know if you need to take Communion in your seat.

Offerings can be left in the trays at the back until the Gathering Song is sung.

Please take this bulletin home for recycling. Thank you

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

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST

Sunday, July 7, 2024.

GATHERING

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

Prelude — Prelude: The High and the Mighty,
Dimitri Tiomkin
How Firm a Foundation,
arr. David Cherwein, solo, Hazel Heaney

Welcome

Acknowledgment of Territory

All Saints Lutheran Anglican Church exists on the traditional territory of the Attawandaron / Neutral People. We honour the original ancestors of this land and also offer respect and friendship to our Haudenosaunee, Anishinaabe, Mississauga and Métis neighbours. We give thanks for the First Peoples and all who have cared for the land and made it possible for us to dwell and do ministry on this land, and we commit ourselves to walk in right relations with one another.

Gathering Song — Making Their Way



1 Mak-ing their way down through the a-ges, sin-ners and saints have
2 Mak-ing their way all the world o-ver, Chris-tians as-sem-ble
3 Mak-ing our way sea-son by sea-son, pil-grims, we jour-ney



heard God's call: wealth-y and poor, pow-er-ful, low-ly,
on this day, hear-ing the Word, shar-ing the Ban-quet,
till life's end, trav-el-ing light, shar-ing the rich-es,



Je-sus' dis-ci-ples, one and all. Gath-ered for wor-ship, of-fer-ing thanks,
learn-ing to walk in Je-sus' way. Mem-bers of Christ, u-nit-ed in love,
car-ing for strang-er as for friend, till in the joy of long-ing ful-filled,



the great-est with the least have come to share this feast.
they seek our God to know, and so to-gether grow.
to-gether we will come to our e-ter-nal home.

Greeting

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

And also with you.

Almighty God,

to you all hearts are opened, 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 Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Kyrie

Leader
 In peace, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.
 Assembly
 Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have
 For the reign of God, and for
 mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.

L: For the reign of God and peace throughout the world, for the unity of all, let us pray to the...

C: Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, Lord, have mercy.

L: For your people here, who have come to give you praise, for the strength to live your word, let us pray to the...

C: Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, Lord, have mercy.

Help, save, and de - fend us, O God.
 mer - cy. A - men.

Hymn of Praise

Refrain
 Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion, all of cre - a - tion
 sings for joy to the God of life and love and free - dom;
 praise and glo - ry for - ev - er - more!
 1 Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain, whose blood has
Refrain
 freed and u - nit - ed us to be one great peo - ple of God.
 2 Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and might, all hon - or and
Refrain
 glo - ry to Christ for - ev - er.
 3 For God has come to dwell with us, to make us peo - ple of
Refrain
 God; to make all things new.

Second Reading: **2 Corinthians 12:2-10**

²I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. ³And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows—⁴was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. ⁵On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. ⁶But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, ⁷even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. ⁸Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, ⁹but he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.” So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. ¹⁰Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

Word of God. Word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation (sung twice)

Congregation:

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we
go? You have the words of e - ter - nal
life. Al - le - lu - ia!

Repeat optional

Gospel Reading – *Mark 6:1-13*

The holy gospel according to Mark.

Glory to you, O Lord.

¹[Jesus] came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him. ²On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, “Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! ³Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?” And they took offense at him. ⁴Then Jesus said to them, “Prophets are not without honour, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house.” ⁵And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. ⁶And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. ⁷He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. ⁸He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; ⁹but to

wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. ¹⁰ He said to them, “Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. ¹¹ If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them.” ¹² So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. ¹³ They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

The gospel of Christ.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily

Hymn of the Day – **How Firm a Foundation**
796 (Red)

Prayers

One in the communion of saints and in the power of the Holy Spirit, we join our voices in prayer.

Glorious God, you bend down to wash the feet of your disciples. Let the servant church arise in our teaching, our praying, our healing, and our doing. We pray for the bishop, people, and clergy of the Diocese of Brandon, and for the bishop, rostered ministers, and congregations of the Synod of Albert and the Territories. Make all your faithful people powerful in weakness and strong in grace. In your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Your fingers trace the heavens, and your hands mold the earth. Where there is drought, bring nourishing rain. Where there is devastation from fire or flood, bring relief. Sustain the well-being of every living thing. In your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Merciful God, you speak, and the nations listen. Open those who govern to the cries of all who journey with no food or shelter, particularly people fleeing violence, those seeking freedom, and those in search of community. In your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Your embrace brings wholeness to those who are troubled. Anoint all who suffer in any way with the oil of healing and grant them renewal. We pray especially for those who desire our prayers: Anna-Liisa, Bud, Ruth, Susan, Chris, Werner and Debbie, Karen, Jim, Bill, Isa, Zoilita, Lisa, Barrie and Stella, Irene and Kelly, John and Julianna, Florence, Nicky and Dwayne, Sadie, Beth, Caitlin, Kathy and those we name in our hearts (*brief silence...*). In your mercy,
hear our prayer.

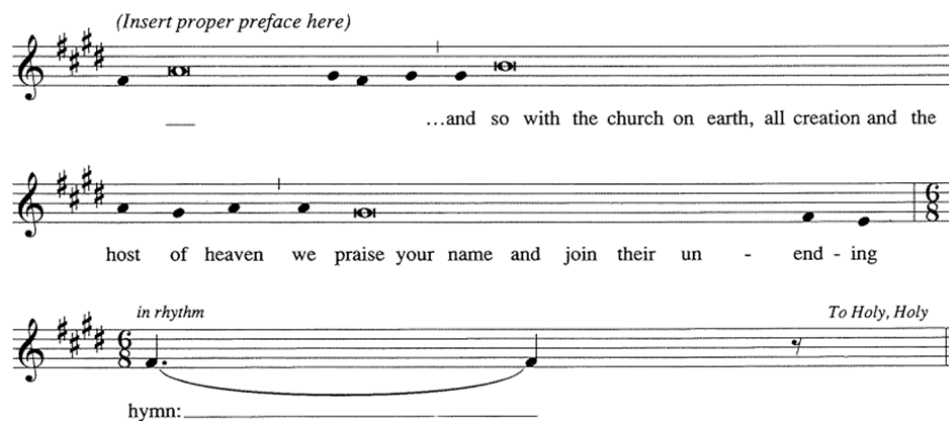
In your presence strangers become companions and enemies become neighbours. Open our doors to those we have so easily shut out, particularly people who are different from us or who are marginalized by church or society. In your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Eternal God, you gather us into your house of many dwelling places. We give you thanks for our faithful departed. Inspire us by their lives of faith until, with them, we rest forever at our journey's end. In your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Holy God, holy and merciful: into your outstretched arms we commend ourselves and all for whom we pray, trusting in the one who is the way, the truth, and the life, Jesus Christ our Saviour and Lord. **Amen.**

Preface

(Insert proper preface here)



...and so with the church on earth, all creation and the
host of heaven we praise your name and join their un - end - ing
hymn: *To Holy, Holy*

Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly are you, God of pow - er and
might; heav - en and earth are filled with your
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is the one who comes in your name. Ho -
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Eucharistic Prayer

P: ... Amen, come, Lord, Jesus! Amen, come, Lord, Jesus!

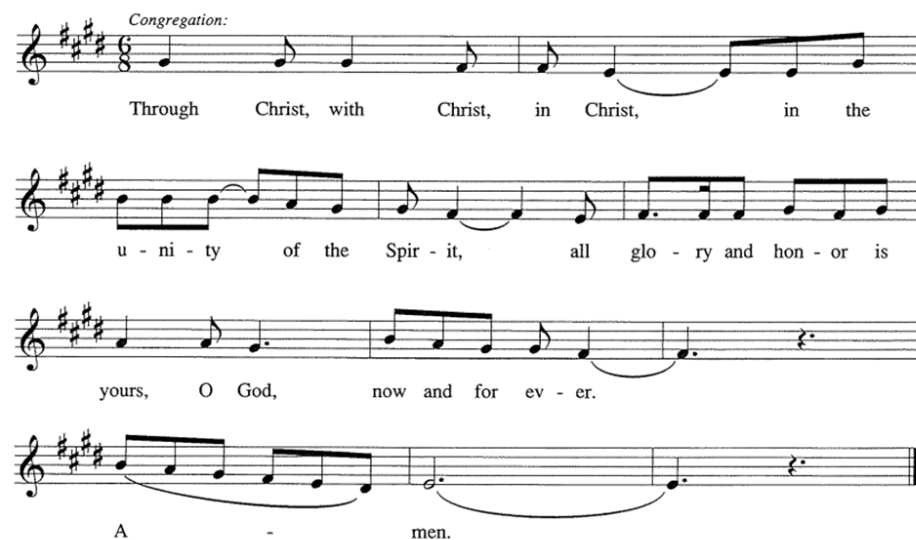
C: **Amen, come, Lord, Jesus! Amen, come, Lord, Jesus!**

P: Send now, we pray, your Holy Spirit that all your promises may come to us and your whole creation. Amen, come, Holy Spirit! Amen, come, Holy Spirit!

C: **Amen, come, Holy Spirit! Amen, come, Holy Spirit!**

P: This we pray through Jesus Christ, our Saviour, and our friend.

Congregation:



Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ, in the
u - ni - ty of the Spir - it, all glo - ry and hon - or is
yours, O God, now and for ev - er.
A - men.

Lord's Prayer

**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.**



Invitation to Communion

Jesus said, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me shall never be hungry. Whoever believes in me will never thirst."

**Taste and see that the Lord is good;
Happy are they who trust in him!**

Christ has set the table with more than enough for all.
Come!

Thanks be to God!

Communion Hymns

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:
Have mercy on us, mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you are the bread of life for us all:
Have mercy on us, mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you are the way of justice and peace:
Have mercy on us, mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you are way of mercy and love:
Have mercy on us, mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:
Grant us peace, grant us peace, grant us peace.

Come and Fill Our Hearts # 528 (Red)

Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me # 522 (Blue)

Jesus, the Very Thought of You # 754 (Red)

Table Blessing

May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen, keep, and unite us now and forever.

Amen

Post-Communion Prayer

We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life. In your mercy, strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you, and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen



Post Communion Canticle — Praise to You, O God of Mercy



1 Praise to you, O God of mer - cy: thanks be to you for -
2 From of old you loved and sought us: thanks be to you for -
3 Praise to you, O God of mer - cy: thanks be to you for -



ev - er! Rais - ing high the weak and low - ly:
ev - er! Truth and jus - tice you have taught us:
ev - er! Rais - ing high the weak and low - ly:



thanks be to you for - ev - er!
thanks be to you for - ev - er!
thanks be to you for -



Strong is your faith - ful-ness, strong is your love, re -



mem - b'ring your cov - e - nant of life with us.



ev - er! Thanks be to you for - ev - er!

Announcements

Announcements and Information

SENDING

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

Benediction

The blessing of God,
 who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us,
 † be upon you now and forever.
Amen.

**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.**

**Sending Song – The Lord Now Sends Us Forth
 # 538 (Red)**

Dismissal

Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.
Thanks be to God!

Postlude – Thomas the Tank Engine, Mike O'Donnell

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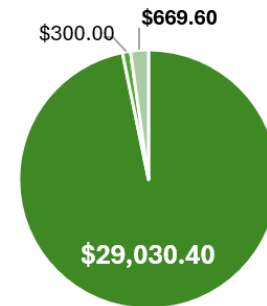
Today

Next Sunday

Assisting Minister	Laura B Mann	Michelle Normandin
Servers	Penny Richards Marilyn Bleach Schranz	Jan Nielsen Dennis Kunze
Reader	Deborah Szymanski-Potts	Pearl Robinson
Ushers	Connie Shaw Jan Nielsen Dennis Kunze	Sue Wakefield Marisela McDougall
AV booth	Judy Rogers Brian Janzen	John Szymanski Brian Janzen
Altar Guild	Bonnie Evans Volunteers	Bonnie Evans Volunteers
Counters	Ryan Nerbas Jan Nielsen	Ryan Nerbas Jan Nielsen
Flowers		
Coffee Hour		

Environmental Stewardship Update: Almost there!

July 7 Fundraising Update



We are getting *so close!* —just **\$669.60** to go!

Please continue to consider donating to this project! If we meet our current target or pass it there is a chance to reduce the cost of the next phase, for example, only bringing in large equipment once which is more cost effective and might let us jump start phase two!

Donor & Pledge cards with envelopes are available in the narthex along with pictures of the plants we are hoping to put in the garden. *Thank you for your generous support!*

Donations ■ Pledges ■ Target (\$30,000)

Easter 2025 Open House and Arts Exhibition at All Saints Lutheran Anglican Church

We are planning to host a community-wide invitational Open House and Arts Exhibition offering people in the community an opportunity to reflect on the meaning of Easter through its message of Faith, Hope and Love.



To do this we need your help! We are looking for people with the following talents to start the organization and promotion of this event:

- ♦ A person(s) with local arts organizations connections and some art show experience.
- ♦ A person(s) to reach out to local faith communities.
- ♦ A person(s) with social media skills, which will be our main promotional tool.
- ♦ Someone to design a promotional poster for digital and print promotions.

The work for this needs to get started during the summer so please contact Greg Elliott at greg.liturgical@gmail.com before **July 10** for more details or if you can help.



Formula Fund: Please consider making a special donation to the formula fund over the next few months in support of baby Jeremiah. Just mark your envelope or e-transfer with “**Formula fund– Carol**” so we can set that aside for this specific need. Thank you!

Silvercreek Community Market: We need **RED LENTILS, peanut butter, canned meat and fish and cooking oil (1L size)**. You will see a change in our weekly notices as we transition to the new once a month shop for our guests. We need to stock up specific items to have enough on hand for a single month.



There is a special need for school snacks for children—**fruit cups and granola bars** would be great to add to our supply—we never have enough of these items! *Thank you.*

Summer office hours: Please note that in July and August the office will be open on **Wednesday and Thursday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.** There may be some adjustments in August which will be announced in the bulletin. Regular hours will resume on September 3, 2024.



Kathy Frank update: Kathy has an infection in her leg and is on antibiotics. Any cards of support would best be sent to her daughter.

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Prayers are so appreciated. – Laura B. Mann

LOOKING AHEAD: July 8 – 14

Wednesday 10	9:00 a.m.	Announcements due to office
Saturday 13	1:30 p.m.	Funeral Nave and Rose Head Hall
Sunday 14	8:30 a.m.	Pentecost 8 Holy Communion—Nave
	10:00 a.m.	Pentecost 8 Holy Communion—Nave

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