

All Saints Lutheran Anglican Church
 210 Silvercreek Parkway North, Guelph, ON N1H 7P8

LOOKING AHEAD: – March 11 – March 17

Mon. 11	7:00 pm	Outreach Mtg. – The Parlour
Wed. 13	7:00 pm	Choir Practice – Sanctuary
Thurs. 14	9:30 am	Worship & Music Mtg. – The Parlour
Fri. 15	9:00 am	Scrapbooking – Choir Room
Sat. 16	6:00 pm	St. Patrick's Day Dessert & Card Party – Fellowship Hall
Sun. 17	8:30 am	Lent 2 – Sanctuary – Holy Communion
	10:00 am	Lent 2 – Sanctuary – Holy Communion Baptism
	9:30 am	Private Rental – 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.

Sunday, March 10, 2019

GATHERING

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

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship – **What we need is here.**

Confession and Forgiveness

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,

who gathers us in the wilderness to redeem us,
anoint us, and make us new.

Amen.

In these forty days, let us be honest, confess our
sin, and receive God's promise of mercy.

God at the margins,

**We have wandered far from your
home; again and again, we lose our
way. We turn inward, afraid of the
world around us. We forget that you
have saved your people before and
promise to do so again. Do not
remember the deeds of our past,
but turn our faces toward the future,
where your forgiveness is sure, your
welcome is clear, and your love
overflows. Amen.**

Like a hen who gathers her chicks, God embraces
you in tender care. Like manna in the desert, God
feeds you with surprising mercy. Like a loving
parent, God runs to meet you again this day,
forgiving your sins for the sake of † Christ,
leading you from death into life.

Amen.

Kyrie

Se - ñor, Se - ñor, ten pie - dad; ten pie - dad de no -
Lord, . . . have mer - cy on us; O . . . Lord, have . . .

so - tros. Se - ñor, Se - ñor, ten pie -
mer - cy. Lord, . . . have mer - cy on

dad; ten pie - dad de no - so - tros.
us; O . . . Lord, have . . mer - cy.

Cris - to, Cris - to, ten pie - dad; ten pie - dad de no -
Christ, . . have mer - cy on us; O . . . Christ, have . .

so - tros. Cris - to, Cris - to, ten pie -
mer - cy. Christ, . . have mer - cy on

dad; ten pie - dad de no - so - tros.
us; O . . . Christ, have . . mer - cy.

Se - ñor, Se - ñor, ten pie - dad; ten pie - dad de no -
Lord, . . . have mer - cy on us; O . . . Lord, have . .

so - tros. Se - ñor, Se - ñor, ten pie -
mer - cy. Lord, . . . have mer - cy on

dad; ten pie - dad de no - so - tros.
us; O . . . Lord, have . . mer - cy.

Prayer of the Day

O Lord God, you led your people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide us now, so that, following your Son, we may walk safely through the wilderness of this world toward the life you alone can give, through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

WORD

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

First Reading – *Deuteronomy 26: 1 – 11*

A reading from Deuteronomy.

When you have come into the land that the Lord your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the Lord your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the Lord your God will choose as a dwelling for his name. You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, “Today I declare to the Lord your God that I have come into the land that the Lord swore to our ancestors to give us.”

When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the Lord your

God, you shall make this response before the Lord your God: “A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labor on us, we cried to the Lord, the God of our ancestors; the Lord heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. The Lord brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O Lord, have given me.” You shall set it down before the Lord your God and bow down before the Lord your God. Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the Lord your God has given to you and to your house.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 91: 1 – 2, 9 – 16



Psalm 91:11
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**¹You who dwell in the shelter of | the Most High,
 who abide in the shadow of | the Almighty—
²you will say to the Lord, “My refuge | and my
 stronghold,
 my God in whom I | put my trust.” R
⁹Because you have made the | Lord your refuge,
 and the Most High your | habitation,
¹⁰no evil | will befall you,
 nor shall affliction come | near your
 dwelling.
¹¹For God will give the angels charge | over you,
 to guard you in | all your ways.
¹²Upon their hands they will | bear you up,
 lest you strike your foot a- | gainst a stone. R
¹³You will tread upon the lion | cub and viper;
 you will trample down the lion | and the
 serpent.
¹⁴I will deliver those who | cling to me;
 I will uphold them, because they | know my
 name.
¹⁵They will call me, and I will | answer them;
 I will be with them in trouble; I will rescue**

and | honor them.

**¹⁶With long life will I | satisfy them,
 and show them | my salvation. R**

Psalm Prayer

Second Reading – *Romans 10: 8b – 13*

A reading from Romans.

“The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart” (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. The scripture says, “No one who believes in him will be put to shame.” For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. For, “Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation – Choir

Vuel - va, al Se - ñor, tu Dios, pues es com - pa -
 Turn back . . . to the Lord, your God, who is
 si - vo, y cle - men - te, len - to pa - ra la
 gra - cious and mer - ci - ful, slow to . . .
 i - ra y gran - de en su mi - se - ri - cor - dia.
 an - ger and a - bound - ing in love and faith - ful - ness.

Gospel Reading – *Luke 4: 1 – 13*

The holy gospel according to Luke.
Glory to you, O Lord.

or

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished. The devil said to him, “If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread.” Jesus answered him, “It is written, ‘One does not live by bread alone.’” Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. And the devil said to him, “To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. If you,

then, will worship me, it will all be yours.” Jesus answered him, “It is written, ‘Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him.’” Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, “If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written, ‘He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you,’ and ‘On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.’” Jesus answered him, “It is said, ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’” When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

or

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon – Rev. Martti Hyhko

Hymn of the Day – # **326 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.

Hope and Colin, called by the Holy Spirit, trusting the grace and love of God, do you desire to have your child, Caylin baptized into Christ?

R / We do.

As you bring Caylin 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.

Hope and Colin, do you promise to help Caylin grow in the Christian faith and life?

R / We do.

Krista and Mark, sponsors of Caylin, 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 Caylin 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

Caylin Macenzie Hope Lake, 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 Caylin 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.

Caylin, 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.**

Prayers of Intercession

Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

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 – Ah, Holy Jesus

- Text, Andrew Usjak

Offering Hymn – # **328** ELW

Offering Prayer

Generous God, you feed us with the harvest of the
land, and you provide for our every need.

Receive our gifts of money, imagination, and
labour, and transform them into a feast that
welcomes all, in Jesus Christ our host and our
guest.

Amen.

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. And al - so 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

Holy, Holy, Holy

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,
 heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho - san - na in the
 high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
 san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Eucharistic Prayer

...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

Our Father, who is in heaven,

hallowed be your holy name.

**Your kingdom come, your will be done.
 on earth as it is in heaven.**

**This day give us our daily bread,
 and forgive us all our sins
 as we forgive all those
 who sin against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation,
 from evil, Lord, deliver us.
 For the kingdom and the power,
 and the glory are forever yours,
 and the glory are forever yours.
 Amen.**

Invitation to Communion

Christ has prepared the feast.

Come to the table where all are welcomed home.

Thanks be to God.

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on
 us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
 world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you
 take a - way the sin of the world; grant us peace.

Communion Hymns

620 CP, # 531 CP, # 73 CP, # 553 CP

Table Blessing

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

Amen.

Prayer after Communion

Tender and merciful one, at your feast, you fed us
 who brought nothing, turning our emptiness into

joy. Filled with your abundant grace, send us now
 to be ministers of reconciliation, mending broken
 hearts, working for justice, and striving for peace
 among all people, in the name of Jesus Christ.

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

God, who fills the creation with abundance,
 Christ, who spreads his arms in forgiveness, Holy
 Spirit, who draws ever near to us, (+) bless you
 and bring you to life everlasting.

Amen.

Announcements

Sending Song - # 808 ELW

Dismissal

Go in peace....

Thanks be to God.

Postlude

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Announcements and Information

February Altar Guild: Robin Smart, Michele Altermann & Marilyn Schranz

Greeters: Val Webb & Connie Craine

Coffee hour today is hosted by Laura F. Mann. We offer her thanks for supporting this important ministry.

Thank you to Melva Graham for filling in for Peter while he is away.

Holy Baptism: This morning we celebrate the sacrament of Holy Baptism for Caylin Macenzie Hope Lake, daughter of Colin Lake and Hope Dean. Her sponsors are Mark Kohuch and Krista House.

Please note: **Jennifer will be on holidays** the week of March 11th, she will be back in the office at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, March 20th.

Lenten Food Drive for Silvercreek Market:
March 17 – Jasmine rice and dry red lentils

Saturday Night Supper – March 23rd: We are looking for people to provide casserole Italiano and/or pies, as well as serve on the line and help in the kitchen. We take all kinds of pies! Friendly reminder: wear close-toed shoes, and have long hair back or up, when you arrive at 5:15, at Royal City Church. Supportive prayers and cash donations are also welcome. Please see Robin Smart, robin.smart@rogers.com or Val Webb, rvwebb@rogers.com.

New Church Sign: More information on the possible purchase of a new church sign can be found on the table in the Narthex.

All articles for the **April / May Connections (double issue)** are due Sunday, March 31st, please submit articles to Christine Morrison (Box # 44) cjmorrison263@gmail.com.

St. Patrick's Day Dessert & Card Party will be held on Saturday, March 16th in the Fellowship Hall. Desserts from 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. and cards from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Please sign up in the Narthex.