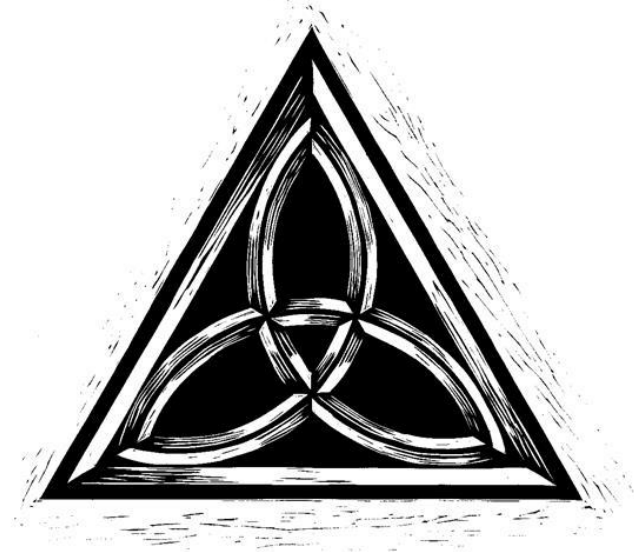


All Saints Lutheran Anglican Church
210 Silvercreek Parkway North, Guelph, ON N1H 7P8

LOOKING AHEAD: May 28 – June 3

Tues. 29	7:00 pm	POM Project Sewing Bee – The Parlour
Wed. 30	10:00 am	Sunday Bulletin Announcement Deadline
	7:00 pm	Church Council Mtg. – The Parlour
Thurs. 31	9:00 am	Scrapbooking – Choir Room
	2:00 pm	Silvercreek Community Market – Fellowship Hall
Sun. 3	8:30 am	Pentecost 2 – Holy Communion – Sanctuary
	10:30 am	Grand River Area Ministry Holy Communion Picnic Service with Bishop Pryse at St. Luke's Lutheran Church, Kitchener



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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.

Our current practice is to distribute communion in a continuous fashion. We encourage you to take the time you need when receiving both the bread and the wine. For those who desire a time of kneeling, after receiving the bread and wine, you are invited to kneel at the rail (cushions have been provided), or return to your seats and use the kneeling rails in the pews.

Grape juice and gluten free bread are also available. Please inform the communion server that you wish to receive 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.

THE HOLY TRINITY Sunday, May 27, 2018

GATHERING

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

Introduction to the day

When we say God is the triune God, we are saying something about who God is beyond, before, and after the universe: that there is community within God. When we pray to God as Jesus prayed to his Abba (an everyday, intimate parental address), the Spirit prays within us, creating between us and God the same relationship Jesus has with the one who sent him.

Prelude

Welcome

Acknowledgement of Territory

Processional Hymn - # 1 CP

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

Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

HOLY BAPTISM

Baptismal Hymn - # 448 ELW

Presentation

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 Oliver Nicholas Roy to receive the sacrament of Holy baptism.**

Nicole and Chris, called by the Holy Spirit, trusting the grace and love of God, do you desire to have your child, Oliver baptized into Christ?

R: We do.

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

- to live with him among God's faithful people,
- bring him to the word of God and the holy Supper,
- teach him the Lord's Prayer, the Creed, and the Ten Commandments,
- place in his hands the holy scriptures,
- and nurture him in faith and prayer,
- so that he 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.

Nicole and Chris, do you promise to help Oliver grow in the Christian faith and life?

R: We do.

Piotr and Marny, sponsors of Oliver, do you promise to nurture him in the Christian faith as you are empowered by God's Spirit, and to help him live in the covenant of baptism and in communion with the church?

R: We do.

People of God, do you promise to support Oliver and pray for him in his new life in Christ?

C: 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 honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Amen.

Baptism

Oliver Nicholas Rog, I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

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 Oliver 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.

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

Amen.

Welcome

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 – *Isaiah 6: 1 – 8*

This reading narrates Isaiah's vision of the Lord surrounded by angels. They sing "Holy, holy, holy," a song the church sings at the beginning of the great thanksgiving. This liturgical text invites the church and all creation to sing in praise of God's glory. That glory is God's mercy toward sinners.

A reading from Isaiah.

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of

his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory."

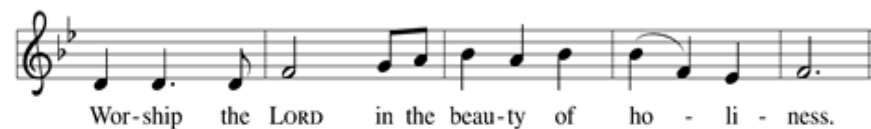
The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said: "Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!"

Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: "Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out." Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I; send me!"

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 29

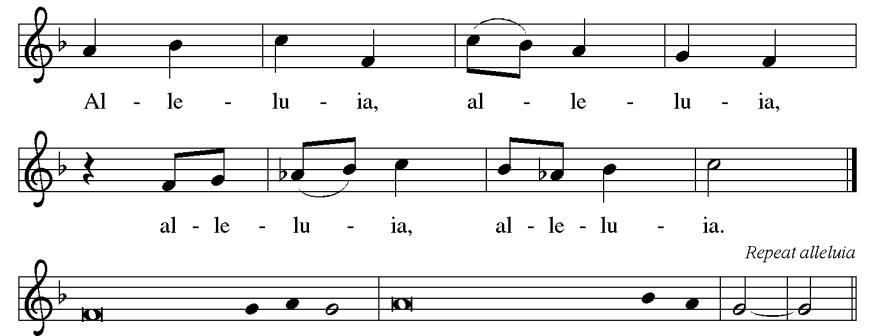


Psalm 29:2

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- 1**Ascribe to the | Lord, you gods,
ascribe to the Lord glo- | ry and strength.
- 2**Ascribe to the Lord the glory | due God's name;
worship the Lord in the beau- | ty of
holiness.
- 3**The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the
God of | glory thunders;
the Lord is upon the | mighty waters.
- 4**The voice of the Lord is a pow- | erful voice;
the voice of the Lord is a | voice of
splendor. R
- 5**The voice of the Lord breaks the | cedar trees;
the Lord breaks the ce- | dars of Lebanon;
- 6**the Lord makes Lebanon skip | like a calf,
and Mount Hermon like a | young wild ox.
- 7**The voice | of the Lord
bursts forth in | lightning flashes.
- 8**The voice of the Lord | shakes the wilderness;
the Lord shakes the wilder- | ness of
Kadesh. R
- 9**The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees
writhe and strips the | forests bare.
And in the temple of the Lord all are |
crying,
"Glory!"
- 10**The Lord sits enthroned a- | bove the flood;
the Lord sits enthroned as king for- |
evermore.
- 11**O Lord, give strength | to your people;
give them, O Lord, the bless- | ings of
peace. R

Gospel Acclamation



**Holy, holy, holy is the | Lord of hosts;*
God's glory fills | the whole earth.**

Gospel Reading – *John 3: 1 – 17*

Jesus' miracles prompt Nicodemus to visit him in secrecy. Jesus tells him about being born of the Spirit and about the Son who has been sent by God to save.

The holy gospel according to John.

Glory to you, O Lord.

or

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God." Jesus answered him, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above." Nicodemus said to him, "How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?" Jesus answered, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter

the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be astonished that I said to you, 'You must be born from above.' The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit." Nicodemus said to him, "How can these things be?" Jesus answered him, "Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things?"

"Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. "Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him."

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

or

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Hymn of the Day - # **255 CP**

Prayers of Intercession

Filled with the Holy Spirit, we join with the church in every place, praying for the world that God so loves.

Abba, when we cry to you, your Spirit bears witness with our spirit. Give to your church, especially in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, the Anglican Church of Canada and other faith communities throughout the world, the confidence of the children of God, so that we boldly share with everyone your world-saving love. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

The whole earth is full of your glory: cities teem, fields flourish, mountains soar, and waters abound. Blot out our sin of spoiling your creation. Send us to go for you, mending what is torn and tattered in your world. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

You so loved the world that you gave your only Son. In these days, when nation condemns nation, hear the cries of your people. Give the

whole world strength and fill us with your hope,
justice and peace. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Your people cry out to you, seeking the goodness
and hope of your holiness. Let the wind of your
Spirit blow into the lives of all who suffer from
injustice, want, or anguish of any kind. We
especially remember those we name aloud and in
the silence of our hearts....Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

With affection we remember the saints now
departed and rejoice in their faithful witness
especially.... Through their example, provoke us
to holy lives of loving service in your name.
Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

By the sure guidance of your Holy Spirit, O God,
we lift up our prayers in trust and thanksgiving;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

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

Allelujah yin Oluwa – Nigerian traditional

Offering Hymn – **Dona nobis pacem pacem**
Dona nobis pa-cem

Offering Prayer

Merciful God, you open wide your hand and
satisfy the need of every living thing. You have set
this feast before us. Open our hands to receive it.
Open our hearts to embrace it. Open our lives to
live it. We pray this through Christ our Lord.

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

...as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

...Grace our table with your presence.

Come, Holy Spirit.

...burning with justice, peace, and love.

Come, Holy Spirit.

The Lord's 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.

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

256 CP, # 42 CP, # 57 CP,

Veni Sancte Spiritus

Veni Sancte Spiritus

Veni Sancte Spiritus

Table Blessing

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

Amen.

Prayer after Communion

Jesus Christ, host of this meal,
 you have given us not only this bread and cup,

but your very self, that we may feast on your great
 love. Filled again by these signs of your grace,
 may we hunger for you reign of justice, may we
 thirst for your way of peace, for you are Lord
 forevermore.

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

May God, whose power working in us can do
 infinitely more than we can ask or imagine, grant
 you the gifts of faith and hope. Almighty God,
 Father, (+) Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now
 and forever.

Amen.

Announcements

Sending Song - # 412 ELW

Dismissal

Go in peace...

Thanks be to God.

Postlude

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Holy Baptism: This morning we celebrate the sacrament of Holy Baptism for Oliver Nicholas Rog son of Chris & Nicole Rog. His sponsors are Piotr Klusek & Marny Seager. Welcome to God's family here at All Saints Oliver.

Coffee hour today is hosted by Pearl Robinson in celebration of all the May birthdays. We offer her thanks for supporting this important ministry.

Announcements and Information

Greeters: Bruce & Jean Howard

We pray for: Anglican Church of Canada – Bishop John Chapman, clergy, and people of the Diocese of Ottawa. **Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada** – The staff of the Saskatchewan Synod.

The 2nd Annual Grand River Area Church Picnic will be held on Sunday, June 3, 2018 at St. Luke's Lutheran Church located at 317 Franklin St N, Kitchener, ON N2A 1Y9 . Gathering time is 10:00 a.m. with Holy Communion service at 10:30, this will be followed by a picnic. All members are encouraged to attend the worship service and picnic, and meet people from our neighbouring churches. More information and sign-up sheets can be found on the table in the Narthex.

8:30 am – Communion Service at All Saints

10:30 am – Service at St. Luke's Lutheran Church

On Sunday June 10, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. we will be having the annual SCS picnic. This year it will be held outside on the church grounds. We will have our worship service and games outside (weather permitting). Please bring your own plates, cutlery, lawn chairs and something to share and some fabulous sunshine. SCS will be providing the drinks. Let's pray for good weather. See you all there!

