

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

**LOOKING AHEAD: September 16 – September 22**

Tues. 17	9:00 am	Hymn Selection Mtg. - Sanctuary
	9:15 am	Scrapbooking – Fellowship Hall
	5:00 pm	Men’s Fellowship Dinner – Fellowship Hall
	7:00 pm	Mutual Ministry Mtg. – The Parlour
Wed. 18	9:00 am	Sunday Bulletin Announcement Deadline including Flower Announcements
Thurs. 19	2:00 pm	Silvercreek Community Market – Fellowship Hall
	2:15 pm	Service at LaPointe Fisher Nursing Home
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice – Sanctuary
Sat. 21	9:30 am	Worship Leaders Workshop (Ushers, Assisting Ministers and Communion Servers) – Sanctuary
Sun. 22	8:30 am	Trinity 14 – Sanctuary – Holy Communion
	10:00 am	Pentecost 15 – Sanctuary – Holy Communion – Connections Deadline
	11:30 am	2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary Celebration – Fellowship Hall

**Staff**

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 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.

## **THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**Sunday, September 15, 2019**

### **GATHERING**

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

Prelude – Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song  
arr. Nancy Raabe

Welcome

Acknowledgement of Territory

Gathering Song – Earth and All Stars!  
**# 731 (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.**

Hymn of Praise



*¡Glo - ria, glo - ria, glo - ria en las al - tu - ras a Dios!*  
 Glo - ria, glo - ria, glo - ria, glo - ry to God . . on high!



*¡Glo - ria, glo - ria, glo - ria en las al - tu - ras a Dios!*  
 Glo - ria, glo - ria, glo - ria, glo - ry to God . . on high!



*Y en la tie - rra paz pa - ra a - que - llos que a - ma el Se - ñor.*  
 And on earth . . . peace to God's peo - ple. Glo - ry to God.



*Y en la tie - rra paz pa - ra a - que - llos que a - ma el Se - ñor.*  
 And on earth . . . peace to God's peo - ple. Glo - ry to God.

### Prayer of the Day

O God, overflowing with mercy and compassion, you lead back to yourself all those who go astray. Preserve your people in your loving care, that we may reject whatever is contrary to you and may follow all things that sustain our life in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

### Children's Message / Blessing of Backpacks

### Installation of Sunday School Staff

[P] *A reading from First Corinthians.* Now there are

varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. (1 Cor. 12: 4 - 7)

[A] Please come forward as your names are read:

### Team Teachers (all grades)

- Pastor Jeff Smith
- Carlo De Castris
- Kate Stuttaford
- Lynn Ronconi
- Chris Heaney
- Jean Hein
- Linda Goodman
- Michele Altermann

[P] Brothers and sisters, you have volunteered your time, your energy, and your gifts to the children, youth, and family ministries of this congregation. Will you offer your giftedness to this ministry in the confidence that it comes from God?

[R] I will, and I ask God to help me.

### **TO TEACHERS**

[P] Will you carry out this ministry centered in Christ's call, striving to trust God as your guide and inspiration?

[R] I will, and I ask God to help me.

### **PARENT(S) OF CHILDREN STAND**

[P] As those who bring these children, will you fulfill the promises made for your children at their baptism by faithfully bringing them to God's house for Sunday School and worship and participating with them in their instruction in the Christian faith?

[R] We will, and we ask God to help us.

### **TO CHILDREN**

[P] Will you listen to your teachers and parents as you learn about God's love for you and everyone?

[R] We will, and we ask God to help us.

### **CONGREGATION STANDS**

[P] People of All Saints Lutheran Anglican Church, will you claim these gifted people as those called by God to help carry out our congregation's ministry to children, youth, and families? Will you support them and enthusiastically celebrate the work they do?

**[C] We will, and we ask God to help us.**

[P] Let us pray. Gracious God, for Jesus' sake, empower these ministers to care for the young ones in our family of faith. Help them to teach faithfully, lead patiently, and guide confidently. Stir up in these servants 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.**

[P] Almighty God, who had given you the gifts and the will to do these things, graciously give you the strength and compassion to perform them. **Amen.**

[A] On behalf of All Saints Lutheran Anglican Church, we now commission you for ministry, grateful for your gifts and your willingness to serve.

### **WORD**

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

First Lesson – *1 Timothy 1: 12 – 17*

A reading from 1 Timothy.

I am grateful to Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because he judged me faithful and appointed me to his service, even though I was formerly a blasphemer, a persecutor, and a man of violence. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the foremost. But for that very reason I received mercy, so that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display the utmost patience, making me an example to those who would come to believe in him for eternal life. To the King of

the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

Word of God, word of life.  
**Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 51: 1 – 10



Have mer- cy on me, O God, ac- cord- ing to your stead- fast love.

Psalm 51:1  
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**<sup>1</sup>Have mercy on me, O God, according to your | steadfast love;**

**in your great compassion blot out | my offenses.**

**<sup>2</sup>Wash me through and through | from my wickedness,**

**and cleanse me | from my sin.**

**<sup>3</sup>For I know | my offenses,**

**and my sin is ev- | er before me.**

**<sup>4</sup>Against you only have I sinned and done what is evil | in your sight;**

**so you are justified when you speak and right | in your judgment. R**

**<sup>5</sup>Indeed, I was born | steeped in wickedness, a sinner from my | mother's womb.**

**<sup>6</sup>Indeed, you delight in truth | deep within me, and would have me know wisdom | deep within.**

**<sup>7</sup>Remove my sins with hyssop, and I | shall be**

**clean;**

**wash me, and I shall be pur- | er than snow.**

**<sup>8</sup>Let me hear | joy and gladness;**

**that the body you have broken | may rejoice.**

**<sup>9</sup>Hide your face | from my sins,**

**and blot out | all my wickedness.**

**<sup>10</sup>Create in me a clean | heart, O God,**

**and renew a right spir- | it within me. R**

Psalm Prayer

God of mercy, you know us better than we know ourselves, and still you love us. Wash us from all our sins, create in us clean hearts, and strengthen us by your Holy Spirit, that we may proclaim your praise; through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord.

**Amen.**

Gradual Hymn – Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song  
**# 808 (ELW)**

Gospel Reading – *Luke 15: 1 – 10*

The holy gospel according to Luke.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

Now all the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to [Jesus.] And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, “This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them.” So he told them this parable: “Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until

he finds it? When he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders and rejoices. And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbors, saying to them, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.' Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance. "Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? When she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.' Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

The gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

Litany

**For the healing of creation,  
we pray to you, O God.**

**.... God, renew.**

Prayers of Intercession

**For the good of all creation,  
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 – Brother James Air

arr. Gordon Jacob

Offering Hymn – Touch the Earth Lightly

**# 739 (ELW)**

Offering Prayer

Holy God, gracious and merciful, you bring forth food from the earth and nourish your whole creation. Turn our hearts toward those who hunger in any way, that all may know your care; and prepare us now to feast on the bread of life, Jesus Christ, our Saviour 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, through our Saviour Jesus Christ. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and

the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join  
their unending hymn:

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.

Holy, Holy, Holy

## The Lord's Prayer (Maori Version)

**Eternal Spirit, Life-Giver, Pain-Bearer,  
Love-Maker,  
Source of all that is and shall be,  
Father and Mother of us all,  
Loving God, in whom is heaven:  
The hallowing of your name echo through  
the universe!  
The way of your justice be followed by the  
peoples of the world!  
Your heavenly will be done by all created  
beings!  
Your commonwealth of peace and freedom  
sustain our hope and come on earth!  
With the bread that we need for today,  
feed us.  
In the hurts we absorb from one another,  
forgive us.  
In times of temptation and test, strengthen  
us.  
From trials too great to endure, spare us.  
From the grip of all that is evil, free us.  
For you reign in the glory of the power that  
is Love, now and forever. Amen.**

### Invitation to Communion

God invites you to this table of bounty.  
Come, the banquet is ready.  
**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

- # 53 (CP) – Now the Silence
- # 352 (CP) – Amazing Grace
- # 307 (CP) – When Long Before Time
- # 794 (ELW) – Calm to the Waves

## 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 this season of Pentecost, you send light to conquer darkness, water to give new life, and the bread of life to nourish your people. Make us your holy people, revealing the glory of your Son's resurrection to all we encounter, through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and 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 God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in harmony with one another, in accordance with Christ Jesus.

**Amen.**

The God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

The God of all grace, Father, (+) Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.

**Amen.**

## Announcements

Sending Song – Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing  
**# 807 (ELW)**

## Dismissal

Go in peace....

**Thanks be to God.**

## Postlude – Earth and All Stars

arr. Nancy Raabe

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**Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada** – The  
dean, council, and congregations of the Peace River  
Conference of the British Columbia Synod.

***All articles for the October Connections*** are due  
Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, please submit articles to  
Christine Morrison (Box # 44)  
[cjmorrison263@gmail.com](mailto:cjmorrison263@gmail.com).

***Please note:*** Jennifer will be on holidays the week of  
September 16<sup>th</sup>.

## **Announcements and Information**

***Greeters:*** Lily Flewelling & Pat Eggens

***Altar Guild for September:*** Jan Nielsen, Penny  
Richards and Carol Mozuraitis

***We pray for:*** Anglican Church of Canada –  
Archbishop Melissa Skelton, people and clergy of the  
Ecclesiastical Province of British Columbia and Yukon.