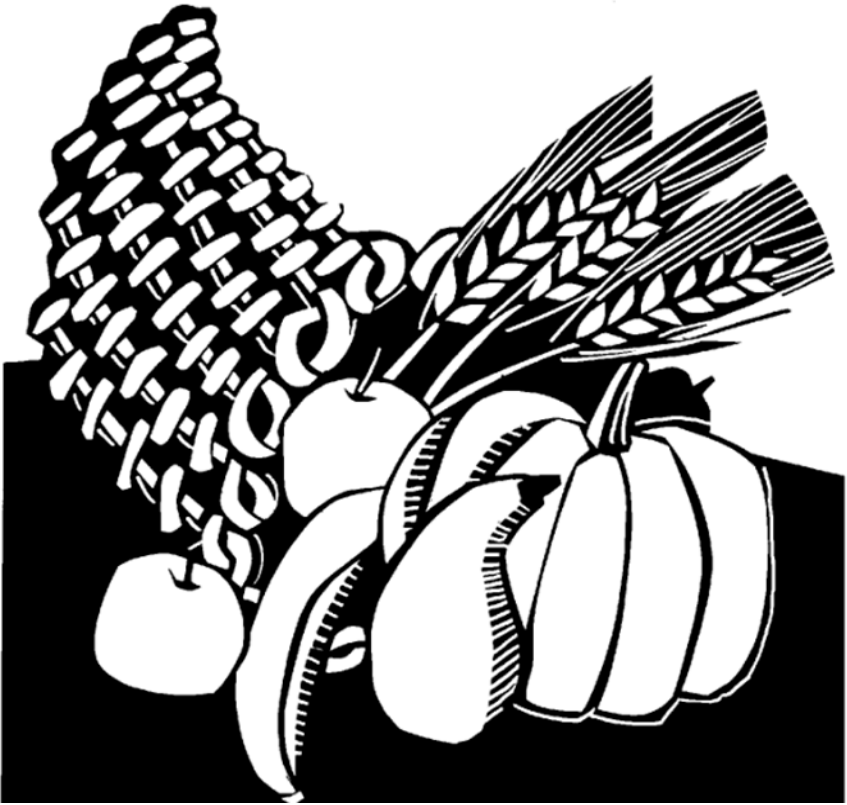


October 12, 2025      10am

Harvest Thanksgiving



Loving God. Loving People.  
Growing in Christ Together.

*Presiding:*

The Reverend Dr. Patrick McManus

*Assisting:*

The Reverend Ginnie Wong

The Reverend Deacon Jennifer Cameron

The Reverend Deacon Natania Friesen

# THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

*We gather with song and prayer as the People of God*

*We are a Christian community which celebrates the love of God in our common  
life of prayer and service in this neighbourhood.*

*Children are full members of our church  
and we welcome their presence and participation in our worship.*

*Please feel free to sit at any time during the celebration.*

Prelude:

**"Shall We Gather at the River "**

*arr. Dale Wood.*

*Please stand as you are able.*

Opening Hymn 1:

**Holy, Holy, Holy**

*Tune: Nicaea*

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.  
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!  
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!**

**Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,  
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,  
which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.**

**Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,  
Though our sinful human gaze thy glory may not see,  
Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee  
Perfect in power, in love, and purity.**

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!**  
**All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.**  
**Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!**  
**God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!**

Welcome:

The Greeting:

*Presider:* The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
the love of God,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit  
be with you all.

*People:* **And also with you.**

Collect for Purity:

*Presider:* Almighty God,

*People:* **to you all hearts are open,  
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 Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Gloria:

**Glory to God (686)**

*David Hurd*

Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Prayer of the Day:

*Presider:* Let us pray.

*Silence is kept*

Creator of the fruitful earth,  
you made us stewards of all things.  
Give us grateful hearts for all your goodness,  
and steadfast wills to use your bounty well,  
that the whole human family,  
today and in generations to come,  
may with us give thanks for the riches of your creation.  
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.  
**Amen.**

Prayer for our Young People:  
*Children ages 4-11 leave for their Faith Formation programmes.*

*Presider:* May our Lord Jesus bless you as you meet him in the Scriptures.

*Please be seated.*

## THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

*We read and respond to God's message in Scripture*

First Reading:  
**Deuteronomy 26:1-11**

*Reader: Donna Quance*

*Reader:* A reading from the book of 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 labour 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.

*Please keep a period of silence for reflection.*

*Reader:* The word of the Lord.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 100

*Tune: Azmon*

*Please remain seated.*

**Shout out with joy unto the Lord;  
Let all the earth now sing!  
Come worship; serve with gladness and  
your songs before Him bring.**

**Know that the Lord Himself is God,  
He made us—not ourselves.  
We are His people and His sheep,  
His pasture's where we dwell.**

**Enter His gates with thanksgiving;  
Into His courts with praise.**

**Give thanks to Him and bless His name,  
His praises sing always.**

**The Lord is good; His steadfast love  
endures forevermore.  
His faithfulness from age to age  
continues ever sure.**

Second Reading:

**Philippians 4:4-9**

*Reader: Donna Bristow*

*Reader:* A reading from Paul's letter to the Philippians.

Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

*Please keep a period of silence for reflection.*

*Reader:* The word of the Lord.

***People:* Thanks be to God.**

## Gospel Acclamation 714:

**Alleluia**

**(x2)**



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**The Gospel:**

**John 6:25-35**

*Gospeller: The Reverend Deacon Natania Friesen*

*Gospeller:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Gospeller:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
according to John.

*People:* **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

*Gospeller:* When they found him on the other side of the lake, they said to him, 'Rabbi, when did you come here?' Jesus answered them, 'Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal.' Then they said to him, 'What must we do to perform the works of God?' Jesus answered them, 'This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.' So they said to him, 'What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work



are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, "He gave them bread from heaven to eat." ' Then Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.' They said to him, 'Sir, give us this bread always.'

Jesus said to them, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

*Gospeller:* The Gospel of Christ.

*People:* Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.



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Sermon:

*The Reverend Dr. Patrick McManus*

*Please keep a period of silence for reflection.*

The Apostles' Creed:

*Please stand as you are able.*

*Presider:* Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,

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

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He 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,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again  
to judge the living and the dead.**

**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. Amen.**

*Presider:* Having reaffirmed our faith, let us prepare to offer our prayers to God.

Prayers of the People:

*Intercessor: The Reverend Deacon Jennifer Cameron*

*For the Church, those in authority, the world, our community,  
the sick and those in need, for the departed,  
and for the forgiveness of our sins.*

## The Confession and Absolution:

*Presider:* Dear friends in Christ,  
God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy;  
he welcomes sinners  
and invites them to his table.  
Let us confess our sins,  
confident in God's forgiveness.

*Please kneel as you are able.*

*Presider:* Most merciful God,  
*All:* **we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us,  
that we may delight in your will,  
and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your name. Amen.**

*Presider:* Almighty God have mercy upon you,  
pardon and deliver you from all your sins,  
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,  
and keep you in eternal life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*People:* **Amen.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

## The Peace:

*Having prayed for God's grace and peace for us and the world,  
we offer an exchange of peace with one another  
as you are comfortable, saying "Peace be with you" or making a sign of peace.*

**Presider:** The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People:** And also with you.

## THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

*We share God's banquet of love for this community of faith*

### Offertory Hymn 384:

#### **Praise To the Lord, The Almighty**

*Tune: Lobe den Herren*

*It's during the singing of this hymn that we give back to God from what  
God has given us. You can use an offering envelope or give via e-transfer:  
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**Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!  
O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!  
All ye who hear, now to His temple draw near;  
Praise Him in glad adoration!**

**Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,  
Shelters thee under His wings, yea so gently sustaineth.  
Hast thou not seen how thy heart's longings have been  
Granted in what He ordaineth?**

**Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee,  
Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee.  
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,  
Who with His love doth befriend thee.**

Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me adore Him!  
 All that hath life and breath,  
 Come now with praises before Him!  
 Let the Amen sound from His people again;  
 Gladly for aye we adore Him.

Prayer over the Gifts:

*Presider:* Source of all life,  
 the heaven and earth are yours,  
 yet you have given us dominion over all things.  
 Receive the symbols of our labour and love  
 which we offer you this day,  
 in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving:

<p><i>Presider:</i></p>  <p>The Lord be with you.</p>	<p><i>People:</i></p>  <p>And al - so with you.</p>
 <p>Lift up your hearts.</p>	 <p>We lift them to the Lord.</p>
 <p>Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.</p>	
 <p>It is right to give our thanks and praise</p>	

*Presider:* We give you thanks and praise, almighty God,  
 Through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ,  
 our Saviour and Redeemer.  
 He is your living Word,  
 through whom you have created all things.

By the power of the Holy Spirit  
he took flesh of the Virgin Mary  
and shared our human nature.  
He lived and died as one of us,  
to reconcile us to you,  
the God and Father of all.  
In fulfilment of your will  
he stretched out his hands in suffering,  
to bring release to those who place their hope in you;  
and so he won for you a holy people.

He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows,  
and to give up his life on the cross,  
that he might shatter the chains of evil and death,  
and banish the darkness of sin and despair.  
By his resurrection  
he brings us into the light of your presence.

Now with all creation we raise our voices  
to proclaim the glory of your name.

Sanctus:  
**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord (719)**

*Tune: Land of Rest*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory,  
Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is He who comes  
In the name of the Lord,  
Hosanna in the highest,  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*Presider:* Holy and gracious God, accept our praise, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; who on the night he was handed over to suffering and death, took bread and gave you thanks, saying, "Take, and eat: this is my body which is broken for you."

In the same way he took the cup, saying, "This is my blood which is shed for you. When you do this, you do it in memory of me."

Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, we offer you this bread and this cup, giving thanks that you have made us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you.

We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering of your holy Church. Gather into one all who share in these sacred mysteries, filling them with the Holy Spirit and confirming their faith in the truth, that together we may praise you and give you glory through your Servant, Jesus Christ.

All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and for ever.

*People:* **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer:  
**Mass for the King of Glory**  
*Betty Pulkingham (b.1928- 2019)*

*Presider:* As our Saviour taught us, let us pray:

Our Fath - er in

hea - ven, Hall - ow'd be your name, your king - dom

come, your will be done on earth as it is in

hea - ven, Give us this 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 trial and - de - liv - er us from

e - vil, for the king - dom, the pow - er and the glo - ry are

yours now and for ev - er. A - men. A - men.



## Breaking of the Bread:

*Presider:* "I am the bread of life," says the Lord. "Whoever comes to me will never be hungry; whoever believes in me will never thirst."

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

*Presider:* The gifts of God for the People of God.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

## Song for the Breaking of Bread:

**Agnus Dei (745)**

*Becket Gerlad Senchur*

*Please be seated.*

## The Communion:

*As we come to communion, we serve the common cup. No one should feel any pressure to partake; we just ask that as you come up, you either touch the base of the chalice as an act of acknowledgement or simply cross your arms across your chest and the chalice bearer will proclaim the words of acknowledgement. You are all welcome to the Lord's table. Please come knowing it is Christ himself who welcomes you and feeds you here.*

## Communion Hymn:

**Great is Thy Faithfulness**

*Thomas O. Chisholm*

**Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father,  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee,  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not,  
As Thou hast been, Thou forever will be.**

*Refrain: (R)*

Great is Thy faithfulness,  
Great is Thy faithfulness,  
Morning by morning new mercies I see,  
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided,  
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love. (R)

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
Blessings all mine with ten thousand beside. (R)

Prayer after Communion:

*Please stand as you are able.*

*Presider:* God of our hope, in this eucharist  
we find the source of all your blessings.  
Nourished in these holy mysteries  
may we, with our lives,  
give you continual thanks and praise.  
This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

## THE SENDING OUT

*We now go into the world declaring the good news of Jesus Christ*

## The Doxology:

*Presider:* Glory to God

*All:* **Whose power, working in us,  
can do infinitely more  
than we can ask or imagine.  
Glory to God from generation to generation,  
in the Church and in Christ Jesus,  
forever and ever. Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

## Parish Announcements:

## Sending Out:

*Presider:* The mission of the Lay Pastoral Communion Visitors is to bring the presence of Christ in the sacrament to those who are sick or shut-in in our parish. As you go out, share the light and hope of Christ with those you meet and go with our blessing.  
**Amen.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

## The Blessing:

*Presider:* The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God and of his Son Jesus Christ, our Lord. And the blessing of God almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always.  
**Amen.**

Closing Hymn 399:  
**Now Thank We All Our God**  
*Tune: Nun Danket*

Now thank we all our God,  
with heart and hands and voices,  
who wondrous things hath done,  
in whom this world rejoices;  
who from our mother's arms  
hath blessed us on our way  
with countless gifts of love,  
and still is ours today.

O may this bounteous God  
through all our life be near us,  
with ever joyful hearts  
and blessed peace to cheer us,  
and nourish us with grace,  
and guide us when perplexed,  
and free us from all ills  
in this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God  
eternal now be given,  
to Spirit and to Word,  
who reign in highest heaven:  
our ever faithful God,  
whom earth and heaven adore;  
for thus it was, is now,  
and shall be evermore.

*~Martin Rinckart (1596-1649)*

## The Dismissal:

*Deacon:* Followers of Jesus, inspired by the Holy Spirit, go forth and serve the world God loves.

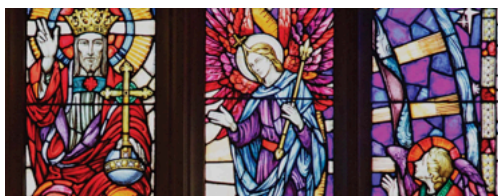
*All:*       **Thanks be to God.**

## Postlude:

**"Come, You Thankful People, Come"**

*arr. Gerald Peterson*

We give thanks to God for all who give back to God out of what God has given you in support of the ministry at All Saints Kingsway! If you would like to give, you can do so in the following ways:



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to the glory of God*

*in loving memory of John Varley,  
given by Priscilla, Margaret and Catherine*

*&*

*of Jens Burrows,  
given by Derek and Doris Burrows and family*

*Please notify the Clergy  
if you know of anyone who is ill  
or otherwise in need of pastoral care.  
Such information is of great assistance to the Clergy,  
as they endeavour to minister to parishioners.*

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