November 2, 2025 10am

Feast of All Saints'





Loving God. Loving People. Growing in Christ Together.

Presiding: The Reverend Dr. Patrick McManus

Preaching: Dr. Marion Taylor

Assisting: The Reverend Ginnie Wong

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:
"Deep River"
Arr. Robert W. Thygerson

Please stand as you are able.

Opening Hymn: For All the Saints (276)

Tune: Sine Nomine

For all the saints who from their labours rest, Who thee by faith before the world confessed, Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest. Alleluia! Alleluia!

O blest communion, fellowship divine, We feebly struggle, they in glory shine; Yet all are one in thee, for all are thine. Alleluia! Alleluia!

But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day; The saints triumphant rise in bright array: The King of glory passes on his way. Alleluia! Alleluia! From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast, Through gates of pearl, streams in the countless host, Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Alleluia! Alleluia!

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

Almighty God, whose people are knit together in one holy Church, the mystical Body of your Son, grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you; through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

#### Prayer for our Young People:

Children leave for their Faith Formation programmes. This program is geared towards children ages 4-11.

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: Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18 Reader: Anne Layton

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

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another. As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: "As for these four great beasts,

four kings shall arise out of the earth. But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever - forever and ever."

Please keep a period of silence for reflection.

Reader: The word of the Lord. **People:** Thanks be to God.

Psalm 149 Tune: Aurelia, 434

Please remain seated.

O praise the Lord and sing to the Lord a brand-new song; Sing praise in the assembly of saints, where praise belongs. Let Is-ra-el rejoice in their Maker—let them sing; Let all of Zion's people be glad in their great King!

Let them with dancing praise Him, with tambourine and song; With harp, make praise and music which to His name belong. For God the Lord takes pleasure in those who are His own; He crowns them with salvation, the humble ones alone.

Let godly ones rejoice in this honor God bestows,
And let them sing for joy on their beds when eyelids close.
May His praise fill their mouths, and a two-edged sword their hand,

To execute God's vengeance on nations through the land.

They'll bring God's punishment on the peoples and their kings. To bind their kings with fetters—for them iron shackles bring to carry out the sentence, the judgment God accords. This is His people's honor, their glory—praise the Lord!

# Second Reading:

#### **Ephesians 1:11-23**

Reader: Jamie Isbister

*Reader:* A reading from the letter of Paul to the Ephesians.

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory. I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Please keep a period of silence for reflection.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation 715:
Alleluia

Refrain: (R) Alleluia, alleluia

The Word of the Lord lasts forever, What is the Word that is living? It is brought to us through his Son Jesus Christ. (R)

The Gospel:

Luke 6:20-31

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 Luke.

People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gospeller: Then Jesus looked up at his disciples and said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets. But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. Woe to you when all speak

well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets. "But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you."

Gospeller: The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

People: (Sing) Alleluia, alleluia...

Sermon: Dr. Marion Taylor

*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: Sharon Conway

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 528:

#### O God, Our Help in Ages Past

Tune: St. Anne

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: etransfer@allsaintskingsway.ca

O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home.

Under the shadow of thy throne thy saints have dwelt secure; sufficient is thine arm alone, and our defense is sure.

Before the hills in order stood, or earth received its frame, from everlasting thou art God, to endless years the same.

A thousand ages in thy sight are like an evening gone, short as the watch that ends the night before the rising sun.

Time like an ever-rolling stream bears all our years away; they fly forgotten, as a dream dies at the opening day. O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, be thou our guard while troubles last, and our eternal home.

#### Prayer over the Gifts:

Presider: Holy and mighty God,

we give you thanks for the triumph of Christ

in the lives of all his saints.

Receive all we offer you this day,

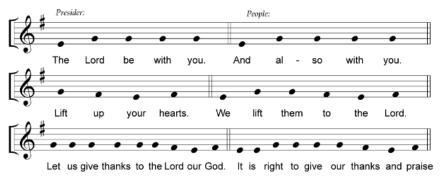
and help us, like them, to run our course with faith,

that we may come to your eternal kingdom.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

#### The Great Thanksgiving:



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: **Music for the Lord's Supper** *McNeil Robinson II (1943-2015)* 



#### 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)

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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 24: **Abide with Me** 

Tune: Eventide

Abide with me: fast falls the eventide; the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide. When other helpers fail, and comforts flee, Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day; earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away; change and decay in all around I see: O thou, who changes not, abide with me.

I need thy presence every passing hour; what but thy grace can foil the tempter's power? Who like thyself my guide and stay can be? Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, abide with me. Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes; shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies; heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee: in life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

Anthem: **Ave Verum Corpus** *W.A. Mozart* 

Prayer after Communion:

Please stand as you are able.

Presider: Lord of hosts,

we praise your glory reflected in your saints.

May we who share at this table

be filled with the joy of your eternal kingdom,

where Jesus is Lord, now and for ever.

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:

Celebrations: Polychronia (Many Years)

Tune: Tallis' Canon (#14)

As part of our blessing and dismissal, we acknowledge anyone who has a thanksgiving, birthday, anniversary etc. this month – any good news!

Please stand as you are able.

Leader: Let us call down God's blessing!

People: God give you many, many years

to thank him for his blessings here;

And many, many, many more

To pray God still his grace to pour.

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 565:

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land. I am weak, but thou art mighty; hold me with thy powerful hand. Bread of heaven, bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more, feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain whence the healing stream doth flow; let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through. Strong deliverer, strong deliverer, be thou still my strength and shield, be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside; death of death, and hell's destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side: songs of praises, songs of praises, I will ever give to thee, I will ever give to thee.

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:
"Sons of Sorrow"

Dale Wood

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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in loving memory of Mary and Bruce Ross, and Norm Wentworth, given by Jennifer Wentworth 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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