

The Anglican Parish of Christ Church Bolton 22nd Sunday after Pentecost October 20, 2024 8 am & 10 am Holy Eucharist Preacher & Celebrant ~ Rev. Don Davidson



Processional Hymn

GATHER - 511, I Danced in the Morning



▼ The Gathering of the Community

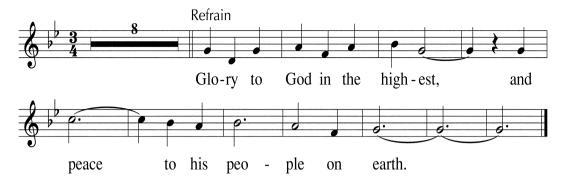
Acknowledgement of Territory

We acknowledge that we are in the traditional territory of the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation, the Anishinaabe peoples, on whose land and by whose waters we gather to worship, listen, learn, share and heal together in the name of our creator, the Holy One of Blessing.

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

Almighty God, 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



Verses

- 1. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.
- 2. 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.
- 3. 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! Amen!

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Suffering God, when in whose name we seek glory for ourselves, cast down all our idols and direct our hearts to him who bears our wounds and is our peace, Jesus Christ, the true God and servant of all. Amen.

▼ The Liturgy of the Word

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF JOB

Then the Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind: "Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you shall declare to me. Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements - surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?"

["Can you lift up your voice to the clouds, so that a flood of waters may cover you? Can you send forth lightnings, so that they may go and say to you, 'Here we are'? Who has put wisdom in the inward parts, or given understanding to the mind? Who has the wisdom to number the clouds? Or who can tilt the waterskins of the heavens, when the dust runs into a mass and the clods cling together? Can you hunt the prey for the lion, or satisfy the appetite of the young lions, when they crouch in their dens, or lie in wait in their covert? Who provides for the raven its prey, when its young ones cry to God, and wander about for lack of food?"]

JOB 38:1-7 (34-41)

Listen for the leading of the Spirit. Thanks be to God.

№ PSALM 104:1-9, 25, 37B

Bless the Lord, O my soul; O Lord my God, how excellent is your greatness! you are clothed with majesty and splendour.

You wrap yourself with light as with a cloak and spread out the heavens like a curtain.

You lay the beams of your chambers in the waters above; you make the clouds your chariot; you ride on the wings of the wind.

You make the winds your messengers and flames of fire your servants.

You have set the earth upon its foundations, so that it never shall move at any time.

You covered it with the deep as with a mantle; the waters stood higher than the mountains.

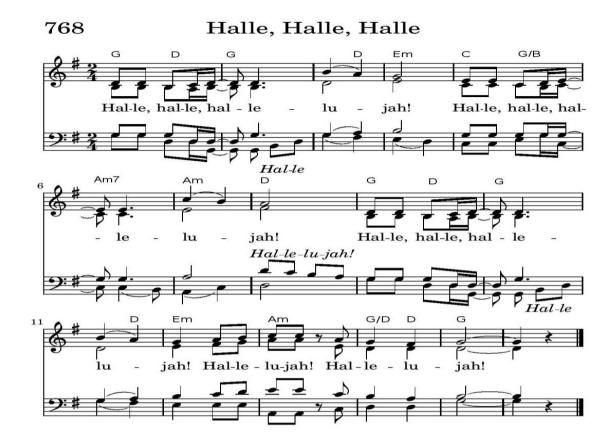
At your rebuke they fled; at the voice of your thunder they hastened away.

They went up into the hills and down to the valleys beneath, to the places you had appointed for them.

You set the limits that they should not pass; they shall not again cover the earth.

O Lord, how manifold are your works! in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

Hallelujah!



The Gospel

May God be with you. And also with you.

The Holy Gospel of our Saviour Jesus Christ according to Mark. Glory to you, O Jesus Christ.

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to Jesus and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right

hand and one at your left, in your glory." But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared." When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

MARK 10:35-45

The Gospel of Christ. Praise be to you, O Jesus Christ.

■ Sermon

▼ Profession of Faith ~ the Apostles' Creed

Let us confess our faith, as we say,

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.

★ The Prayers of the People

■ Litany for Healing

Litanist: God the creator, your will for all people is health and salvation;

People: We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Litanist: God our redeemer, you came that we might have life, and might have it

more abundantly;

People: We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Litanist: God the Holy Spirit, you make our bodies the temple of your presence;

People: We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Litanist: Holy Trinity, one God, in you we live and move and have our being;

People: We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Litanist: Ever-loving God, grant your healing grace to all who are sick, injured, or

disabled, that they may be made whole;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Litanist: Grant to all who seek your guidance, and to all who are lonely, anxious,

or despondent, a knowledge of your will and an awareness of your

presence;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Litanist: Mend broken relationships, and restore those in emotional distress to

soundness of mind and serenity of spirit;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Litanist: Bless physicians, nurses, and all others who minister to the suffering,

granting them wisdom and skill, sympathy and patience;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Litanist: Grant to the dying peace and a holy death, and uphold by the grace and

consolation of your Holy Spirit those who are bereaved;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Litanist: Restore to wholeness whatever is broken by human sin, in our lives, in

our nation, and in the world;

People: Hear us, O Lord of life.

Litanist: You are the Lord who does wonders;

People: You have declared your power among the peoples.

Litanist: With you, O Lord, is the well of life;

People: And in your light we see light.

Litanist: Hear us, O Lord of life;

People: Heal us, and make us whole.

God of mercy, giver of life and health: Send your blessing on all who are sick, and upon those who minister to them, that all weakness may be vanquished by the triumph of the risen Christ; who lives and reigns for ever and ever. **Amen**

■ Confession and Absolution

Dear friends in Christ,

God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; God welcomes sinners and invites them to this table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Silence is kept

Most merciful God,

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.

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. **Amen.**

▼ The Peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**The members of the community may greet one another in the name of Christ

▼ The Celebration of the Eucharist

Offertory Hymn GATHER – 290, Deep Within



▼ The Prayer over the Gifts

Eternal God, your word inspires our faith. May we who offer you our praise trust you in all things. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

God is here.

God's Spirit is with us.

Lift up your hearts

We lift our hearts to God.

Let us give thanks to our Living God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Blessed are you, O God, Ruler of the universe: You bring forth bread from the earth. **Blessed be God for ever.**

Blessed are you, O God, Ruler of the universe: You create the fruit of the vine **Blessed be God for ever.**

Wheat and grapes, this bread and wine, are part of the riches of your earth You are worthy, our God to receive glory and honour and praise for you created all things and by your will they have their being.

We thank you, God that you formed us in your own image, creating us male and female and loving us, even when we rebelled against you.

Above all, we give you thanks for Jesus Christ the Word made flesh. Through Jesus you give us the eye of faith a new vision of your glory; you reveal your perfect love, and invite us to love and worship you, the unseen God.

We give you thanks for the living hope you have given us in Jesus Christ, whom we praise with our lips and in our lives, saying

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Loving creator, we praise you that on the night before he died, our saviour Jesus Christ took bread and gave you thanks. He broke it and gave it to the disciples, saying, take, eat; this is my body which is given for you: do this in remembrance of me.

After supper Jesus took the cup, gave you thanks and, giving it to the disciples, said, drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins: do this as often as you drink it in remembrance of me.

Therefore with these holy gifts we celebrate the offering of Christ made once for all on the cross, we rejoice in the glorious resurrection and ascension, and we look for Christ's coming again:

Christ has died. Christ is Risen. Christ will come in glory.

O God, accept this offering of our duty and service, this memorial of Christ . Send your Holy Spirit on us and on these your gifts that they may be for us the body and blood of our Saviour.

Grant that we who eat this bread and drink of this cup may, with the host of angels and all the company of heaven, proclaim the glory of your name and join in their unending hymn of praise:

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

▼ The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

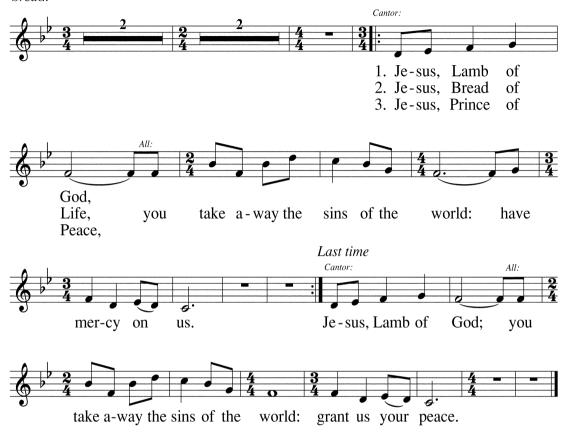
■ The Breaking of the Bread & the Communion

Creator of all, you gave us golden fields of wheat, whose many grains we have gathered and made into this one bread.

So may your Church be gathered from the ends of the earth into your kingdom.

AGNUS DEI

Then the eucharistic bread is solemnly broken and the consecrated bread and wine are prepared for holy communion. The litany "Lamb of God" is sung during the breaking of the bread.



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The gifts of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.

Communion Hymn

GATHER - 589, All Who Hunger



Postlude

COMMON PRAYER - 198, O Sacred Head, Surrounded



God of peace, you have nourished us in this sacrament with the body and blood of Christ. May we who have taken holy things keep faith in our hearts and lives, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

Glory to God, 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.

Announcements

Blessing

Recessional Hymn

COMMON PRAYER – 425, Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee



▼ Dismissal

Let us go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God.



Praying for our church family, friends, and neighbours: take a few minutes each day to say a few names and ask God to care for them.

Laura Vera & Family Havard

Jean & Terry Carol Ohlers Joyce

Mary & Gary Mary Stone Brianna

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If you wish to have a name added to the prayer list, please go to https://christchurchbolton.ca/prayer-requests/ or call/email the church office.

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