

10:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist BAS

Layreader: Joan MacDonald

Opening Hymn – O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Gathering of the Community
Gloria

Collect of the Day: Almighty God, you have taught us through your Son that love fulfils the law. May we love you with all our heart, all our soul, all our mind, and all our strength, and may we love our neighbour as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

The Proclamation of the Word:

Genesis 22: 1-14 (Bob Vair)

Psalms 13

Romans 6: 12-23 (Faye Kennedy)

Gospel: Matthew 10: 40-42 (Judy Rose)

Homily – Natasha Bejarano

The Nicene Creed

Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution

The Peace

Offering Hymn – Together We Serve

Prayer over the Gifts: God of wisdom, receive all we offer you this day. Enrich our lives with the gifts of your Spirit, that we may follow the way of our Lord Jesus Christ, and serve one another in freedom. We ask this in his name. **Amen**

Celebration of the Eucharist #1

Sanctus

Indigenous Lord's Prayer

Breaking of Bread

Lamb of God

Communion/Ablution Music – Instrumental

Prayer after Communion

Doxology

Blessing

Closing Hymn – Tell Out My Soul

Dismissal

Music – Let There Be Love

Chancel Guild: Leona Hunt & volunteers

Greeters: Placide

Chiasson, Lynn Rawlinson, Bob Adams, Faye Kennedy, Hazel Sherren

<p>Altar Flowers are placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mary Jane and all departed loved ones from Sylvia.</p>

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Next Sunday, July 9th – 6th Sunday after Pentecost

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The **church diary** for July-August-September was emailed to our parishioners this past week. Copies are available at the back of the church for those not on our email list.

Livestreaming of the worship will take a break over the summer and return on Sunday, September 3rd.

Our **summer office hours** for the months of July and August will be Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:45 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Angela will be on **vacation** from July 3rd – 7th.

Your **Chancel Guild** is in a bit of a crisis and finds itself looking for new members. We are small but mighty; yet becoming smaller as the years pass. We prepare the altar with flowers, vessels, and linens for Holy Eucharist before each Sunday and clean up after the worship – a time commitment of approximately 45 minutes per week. Chancel Guild president, Leona Hunt, invites anyone in our parish family who feels moved to join us in this practical, beautiful and holiest of ministries to contact her or anyone you may know on Chancel Guild. Her phone number is 902-957-0104 and her email is lhunt69@gmail.com. Training will be provided and we are an equal opportunity ministry!

Our next **parish book club** meeting is **September 10th** after worship and coffee time. The book for discussion will be Station Eleven by Emily St. John Mandel. All are welcome to join in the parish hall meeting room for the discussion.

Our next **8:00 a.m. BCP Holy Communion** service and **Coffee Hour** will be Sunday, September 10th.

Common Cup: Parish Council has decided to embark on an experimental return to the use of the common cup at the Eucharist. Our Bishop granted permission to return to the practice in November of 2022. As a parish, we have proceeded with caution on this as on all fronts with relation to Covid. In re-introducing the common cup, we will still have one chalice using the eye dropper to drop wine on the wafer and a second chalice as a common cup from which parishioners can drink. You are invited to make the choice that is best for you and cross to the appropriate chalice after receiving the host. **Note:** Dipping of the wafer (intinction) is not permitted in the common cup.

Offerings Update: End of May year to date offerings received were \$54,022 putting us behind \$3,091 from where we needed to be in order to meet our 2023 budget. **June 25** offerings for the parish totaled \$624.

A summary of our **March parish survey** has been emailed to all parishioners for whom we have email. Paper copies are now available at the back of the church.



Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

July 2nd, 2023



Rector: Rev'd Lori Ramsey



Wardens: Elaine MacInnis and Neil Harris

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