

Parish of Mississippi Lake

Christ Church Ashton, St John's Innisville,
St James Franktown, and St James Carleton Place,
with St Bede's Nolan's Corners

Sunday, August 2, 2020

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost



Officiant: Brenda Million, St James Carleton Place

Preacher: The Venerable Brian Kauk

Reader: Mark Piper, St James Carleton Place

Prayers: Linda Bernicky, St Bede's, Nolan's Corners

Musician: Michael Costello, Franktown & Innisville

Online Host: The Venerable Brian Kauk

**All are invited to join us for the Service on Zoom!
Join around 8:45 AM, and leave your microphone muted.
Use Meeting ID# 837 5020 3999
or use the link in the *Staying Connected* email we sent on
Friday. Also, remember to have your Candle and Prayer
Space ready for worship!**

Prelude

We are live-streaming today from the traditional territory of the Algonquin people. May we dwell on this land with respect and peace. For those who maybe be watching this from beyond our parish, we invite you to acknowledge the traditional territory you are on today.

The Gathering of the Community

The Greeting

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.

The Preparation for Worship

Everyone is invited to light their candles at this time.

God, our light and salvation, in your name, we light these candles.
May they remind us of the beauty and truth of your love.
And may our hearts be open to the light of Christ,
and the movement of the Spirit.

God, in your mercy, let there be light.

Act of Praise: Morning Has Broken (CP 3)

Morning has broken like the first morning;
blackbird has spoken like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!
Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!

Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven,
like the first dewfall on the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,
sprung in completeness where his feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning
born of the one light Eden saw play!
Praise with elation, praise every morning,
God's re-creation of the new day!

Collect of the Day

Almighty God,
your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry
with the bread of his life
and the word of his kingdom.
Renew your people with your heavenly grace,
and in all our weakness
sustain us by your true and living bread,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Genesis 32: 22-31

A Reading from the Book of Genesis:

The same night Jacob got up and took his two wives, his two maids, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. He took them and sent them across the stream, and likewise everything that he had. Jacob was left alone; and a man wrestled with him until daybreak. When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he struck him on the hip socket; and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. Then he said, "Let me go, for the day is breaking." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go, unless you bless me." So he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." Then the man said, "You shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with humans, and have prevailed." Then Jacob asked him, "Please tell me your name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my name?" And there he blessed him. So Jacob called the place Peniel, saying, "For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life is preserved." The sun rose upon him as he passed Penuel, limping because of his hip.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 17: 1-7, 15

Hear my plea of innocence, O Lord;
**give heed to my cry; listen to my prayer,
which does not come from lying lips.**

Let my vindication come forth from your presence;
let your eyes be fixed on justice.

Weigh my heart, summon me by night,
melt me down; you will find no impurity in me.

I give no offence with my mouth as others do;
I have heeded the words of your lips.

My footsteps hold fast to the ways of your law;
in your paths my feet shall not stumble.

I call upon you, O God, for you will answer me;
incline your ear to me and hear my words.

Show me your marvellous loving-kindness,
**O Saviour of those who take refuge at your right hand
from those who rise up against them.**

But at my vindication I shall see your face;
when I awake, I shall be satisfied, beholding your likeness.

Glory to the holy and undivided Trinity, one God:
as it was in the beginning, is now and will be for ever.
Amen.

Gradual: Adoremus Te Jesu Christe (CP 338, sung 3 times)

Adoremus te Jesu Christe, alleluia, alleluia!
Et laudemus te Jesu Christe, et laudemus te, alleluia!

English:

Let us praise your name, God our Saviour, Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise and bless your name, God our Saviour,
praise and bless your name, alleluia!

Gospel: Matthew 14: 13-21

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ,
according to Matthew.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Now when Jesus heard this, he withdrew from there in a boat to a deserted place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. When he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them and cured their sick. When it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a deserted place, and the hour is now late; send the crowds away so that they may go into the villages and buy food for themselves." Jesus said to them, "They need not go away; you give them something to eat." They replied, "We have nothing here but five loaves and two fish." And he said, "Bring them here to me." Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. And all ate and were filled; and they took up what was left over of the broken pieces, twelve baskets full. And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily

Musical Meditation

Intercessions and Prayers

Let us pray to the Lord, saying, "Lord, hear our prayer."

Let us pray for the peace of the world: the Lord grant that we may live together in justice and faith. Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, hear our prayer.

Let us pray for this great nation of Canada, its many peoples and for Queen Elizabeth, the Governor General, the Prime Minister, and all in authority: the Lord help them to serve these people according to his holy will. Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, hear and have mercy.

Let us pray for this Diocese:

Our Bishop, the Rt. Rev. Shane Parker

St. Stephen's, Ottawa – The Revd. George Kwari

Our Diocesan Deacons: Deacon, Jarrett Carty; Deacon Elizabeth December; Deacon Caroline Ducros; Deacon Richard Matthias; Deacon Robert Sicard; Deacon Tamara Connors and Deacon Steven Zytveld. Let us pray to the Lord

Lord hear our prayer

Let us pray for children and young people: the Lord guide their growth and development.

Lord, hear our prayer.

Let us pray for the sick. The Lord deliver them and keep them in his love. Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, hear our prayer.

Let us pray for all who are condemned to exile, prison, harsh treatment, or hard labour, for the sake of justice and truth: the Lord support them and keep them steadfast. Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We remember the prophets, apostles, martyrs, and all who have been witness to the gospel: the Lord direct our lives in the same spirit of service and sacrifice. Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, hear our prayer.

Amen

The Peace

We are the body of Christ;
in the one Spirit, we were all baptized into one body.
Let us pursue all that makes for peace, and builds up our common life.
The peace of the Lord be always with you!

And also with you.

The Lord's Prayer

Now, let us pray as our Saviour taught us,
**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.**

Dismissal

As we begin our week,

Give us your peace.

As we do the work you have given us to do,

Give us your peace.

For all places of need in this world,

Give us your peace.

In trusting you, O God, to care for your children,

Give us your peace.

As we seek wholeness,

Give us your peace.

As we reflect on your presence,

Let us be peace for others.

Closing Hymn: Praise to the Lord Almighty (CP 384)

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,

brothers and sisters draw near,

praise him in glad adoration.

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,

if with his love he befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord!

**O 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.**

Postlude

Coffee Hour - Join us on Zoom using this Meeting ID (837 5020 3999)
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