

# The Cathedral Church of St. James

The Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

*October 16, 2022*

*Choral Evensong at 4:30pm*



*The Cathedral Church of St. James  
Diocese of Toronto • Anglican Church of Canada*

## **Welcome to St. James Cathedral**

*This sacred land is the territory of several Indigenous Nations - the Wendat, the Haudenosaunee, and the Anishnaabe, with special recognition to the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation. We also acknowledge that we are on the shores of Niigaani-gichigami/Lake Ontario. This territory is governed by the Dish With One Spoon Wampum Belt Treaty, an agreement between the Haudenosaunee Confederacy and the Anishnaabe Confederacy to peaceably share and sustain the life of the Great Lakes. In the spirit of that Treaty we seek to place at the centre of our gatherings the values of respectful reciprocity, diversity, peace, responsibility, and mutual aid.*

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### **Liturgical Note**

*In the context of Christian Liturgy, Israel does not refer to the current political state, but either to the historic Hebrews of the ancient Near East or, in Christian theology, to all people who put their faith and trust in Jesus Christ.*

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(scroll to the bottom of the page).

Questions? Speak to a sidesperson – the people wearing gold name tags.

### **Children & Families**

Godly Play meets on the first and third Sunday of every month at both the 9:00am and 11:00am services. Please email Mother Claire at [clatimerdennis@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:clatimerdennis@stjamescathedral.ca) for more information.

### **Accessibility**

**A Wheelchair Accessible Washroom** is located at the front of the Cathedral through the doors by the pulpit.  
**Assisted hearing devices** are available from the sidespersons.

### **Coffee Hour**

Join us in Snell Hall following the 9:00am & 11:00am services.

### **Parking**

There are a variety of inexpensive parking lots available around the Cathedral.  
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*As this is a very public and open space please be aware of your personal belongings.  
Do not leave them unattended in the Cathedral or in the Cathedral Centre.*

*Welcome! We are so glad you have joined us for worship this afternoon. Please ensure that cell phones are turned off and refrain from taking photographs during the liturgy.*

*We are delighted to welcome the **Choir of Grace Church on-the-Hill**, with **Director of Music Sarah Hicks** and **Organist Thomas Fitches**, who will sing this afternoon's Evensong with the Cathedral's Evensong Choir.*

## **Choral Evensong**

### **Prelude**

*Please remain seated.*

### **Introit Alleluia**

Philip Stopford

*Please stand, as you are able, when the organ plays.*

### **Preces and Responses**

*Bernard Rose*

*Officiant* O Lord, open thou our lips;  
*Choir* And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

*Officiant* O God, make speed to save us;  
*Choir* O Lord, make haste to help us.

*Officiant* Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.  
Amen.

*Officiant* Praise ye the Lord;  
*Choir* The Lord's Name be praised.

### **Psalm 114**

*Please be seated.*

*Choir* When Israel came out of Egypt,  
the house of Jacob from a people of a strange tongue,  
Judah became his sanctuary,  
Israel his dominion.  
The sea saw that, and fled;  
Jordan was driven back.  
The mountains skipped like rams,  
the little hills like young sheep.  
What ailed you, O sea, that you fled?  
O Jordan, that you were driven back?

You mountains, that you skipped like rams,  
you little hills like young sheep?  
Tremble, O earth, at the presence of the Lord,  
at the presence of the God of Jacob,  
Who turns the hard rock into a pool of water,  
the flint-stone into a springing well.

## **Psalm 115**

*Choir*

Not to us, Lord, not to us, but to your name give the glory,  
for the sake of your loving mercy and truth.  
Why should the nations say,  
‘Where is now their God?’  
As for our God, he is in heaven;  
he does whatever he pleases.  
Their idols are silver and gold,  
the work of human hands.  
They have mouths, but cannot speak;  
eyes have they, but cannot see;  
They have ears, but cannot hear;  
noses have they, but cannot smell;  
They have hands, but cannot feel; feet have they, but cannot walk;  
not a whisper do they make from their throats.  
Those who make them shall become like them  
and so will all who put their trust in them.  
But you, Israel, put your trust in the Lord;  
he is their help and their shield.  
House of Aaron, trust in the Lord;  
he is their help and their shield.  
You that fear the Lord, trust in the Lord;  
he is their help and their shield.  
The Lord has been mindful of us and he will bless us;  
may he bless the house of Israel; may he bless the house of Aaron;  
May he bless those who fear the Lord,  
both small and great together.  
May the Lord increase you more and more,  
you and your children after you.  
May you be blest by the Lord,  
the maker of heaven and earth.

The heavens are the heavens of the Lord,  
but the earth he has entrusted to his children.  
The dead do not praise the Lord,  
nor those gone down into silence;  
But we will bless the Lord,  
from this time forth for evermore. Alleluia.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.  
Amen.

## **First Lesson**

*Please be seated.*

*Jeremiah 29: 1, 4-14*

*Reader*

These are the words of the letter that the prophet Jeremiah sent from Jerusalem to the remaining elders among the exiles, and to the priests, the prophets, and all the people, whom Nebuchadnezzar had taken into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon.

Thus says the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel, to all the exiles whom I have sent into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon: Build houses and live in them; plant gardens and eat what they produce. Take wives and have sons and daughters; take wives for your sons, and give your daughters in marriage, that they may bear sons and daughters; multiply there, and do not decrease. But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the Lord on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare. For thus says the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel: Do not let the prophets and the diviners who are among you deceive you, and do not listen to the dreams that they dream, for it is a lie that they are prophesying to you in my name; I did not send them, says the Lord.

For thus says the Lord: Only when Babylon's seventy years are completed will I visit you, and I will fulfil to you my promise and bring you back to this place. For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope. Then when you call upon me and come and pray to me, I will hear you. When you search for me, you will find me; if you seek me with all your heart, I will let you find me, says the Lord, and I will restore your fortunes and gather you from all the nations and all the places where I have driven you, says the Lord, and I will bring you back to the place from which I sent you into exile.

*Reader*

Here endeth the first lesson.

**Magnificat***Please stand, as you are able.**Gloucester Service - Herbert Howells**Choir*

My soul doth magnify the Lord,  
and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.  
For he hath regarded the lowliness of his handmaiden.  
For behold, from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed.  
For he that is mighty hath magnified me; and holy is his Name.  
And his mercy is on them that fear him throughout all generations.  
He hath showed strength with his arm;  
he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts.  
He hath put down the mighty from their seat,  
and hath exalted the humble and meek.  
He hath filled the hungry with good things;  
and the rich he hath sent empty away.  
He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel;  
As he promised to our forefathers, Abraham and his seed for ever.  
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was  
in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

**Second Lesson***Please be seated.**Matthew 16: 13-20**Reader*

Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, 'Who do people say that the Son of Man is?' And they said, 'Some say John the Baptist, but others Elijah, and still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.' He said to them, 'But who do you say that I am?' Simon Peter answered, 'You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.' And Jesus answered him, 'Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven. And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail against it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.' Then he sternly ordered the disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Messiah.

*Reader*

Here endeth the second lesson.

**Nunc Dimittis***Please stand, as you are able.**Gloucester Service - Herbert Howells**Choir*

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace,  
according to thy word.  
For mine eyes have seen thy salvation,  
which thou hast prepared before the face of all people;

To be a light to lighten the Gentiles,  
and to be the glory of thy people Israel.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.  
Amen.

## **Apostles' Creed**

*Officiant* I believe in God

*All* **the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth:  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord,  
Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
Was crucified, dead, and buried: He descended into hell;  
The third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven,  
And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Ghost; The holy Catholic Church;  
The Communion of Saints; The Forgiveness of sins;  
The Resurrection of the body, And the Life everlasting. Amen.**

*Officiant* The Lord be with you.

*Choir* And with thy spirit.

*Officiant* Let us pray.

*Please kneel, as you are able.*

*Choir* Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

*Officiant* Our Father

*Choir* who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

*Officiant* O Lord, show thy mercy upon us;

*Choir* And grant us thy salvation.

*Officiant* O Lord, save the King;

*Choir* And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

*Officiant* Endue thy Ministers with righteousness;  
*Choir* And make thy chosen people joyful.

*Officiant* O Lord, save thy people;  
*Choir* And bless thine inheritance.

*Officiant* Give peace in our time, O Lord;  
*Choir* Because there is none other that fighteth for us, but only thou O Lord.

*Officiant* O God, make clean our hearts within us;  
*Choir* And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

### **The Collects**

*Officiant* Lord, we beseech thee, grant thy people grace to withstand the temptations of the world, the flesh, and the devil, and with pure hearts and minds to follow thee the only God; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
*Choir* Amen.

*Officiant* O God, from whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works do proceed: Give unto thy servants that peace which the world cannot give; that our hearts may be set to obey thy commandments, and also that by thee we being defended from the fear of our enemies may pass our time in rest and quietness; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Saviour.  
*Choir* Amen.

*Officiant* Lighten our darkness, we beseech thee, O Lord; and by thy great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of thy only Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.  
*Choir* Amen.

*Please be seated.*

### **Anthem Beati Quorum Via**

Text: Psalm 119: 1;  
Music: Charles Villiers Stanford

*Choir* *Beati quorum via integra est,  
qui ambulant in lege Domini.*

Blessed are those whose way is blameless,  
who walk in the law of the Lord.

### **Homily**



*An offering will now be taken to support the life and ministry of the Cathedral.*

*Please stand, as you are able.*

Tune: St. Clement

## **Hymn at the Collection**

*All*           The day thou gavest, Lord, is ended;  
the darkness falls at thy behest.  
To thee our morning hymns ascended;  
thy praise shall sanctify our rest.

We thank thee that thy church unsleeping,  
while earth rolls onward into light,  
through all the world her watch is keeping,  
and rests not now by day or night.

As o'er each continent and island  
the dawn leads on another day,  
the voice of prayer is never silent,  
nor dies the strain of praise away.

The sun that bids us rest is waking  
thy faithful 'neath the western sky,  
and hour by hour fresh lips are making  
thy wondrous doings heard on high.

So be it, Lord! Thy throne shall never,  
like earth's proud empires, pass away;  
thy kingdom stands, and grows for ever,  
till all thy creatures own thy sway.

Text: John Ellerton, alt.; Music: Clement Cotterill Scholefield.

## **Offertory Prayer**

*Officiant*    All things come from you, O Lord.

*People*       **And of your own have we given you.**

*Officiant*    God of mercy, accept all we offer you this day. Increase our faith, deepen our hope, and confirm us in your love. May these offerings be used to support your church in the spread of the gospel and may our lives be spent in the pursuit of peace and justice in the world. In Christ we pray.

*People*       **Amen.**

## Prayers

*Please kneel, as you are able.*

### A Prayer of Saint John Chrysostom

*Officiant* Almighty God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications unto thee; and dost promise that when two or three are gathered together in thy Name thou wilt grant their requests: Fulfil now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants, as may be most expedient for them; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting.

*People* **Amen.**

### The Blessing

*Officiant* The peace of God, which passeth 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, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit be amongst you and remain with you always.

*People* **Amen.**

*Please stand, as you are able.*

### Final Respond

*Ferial - Edward Woodall Naylor*

*Officiant* The Lord be with you;

*Choir* And with thy spirit.

*Officiant* The Lord give us his peace;

*Choir* And life eternal. Amen.

### Postlude

*The flowers in the Cathedral are given to the glory of God.*

*At the High Altar, in loving memory of  
Norman & Gladys Seagram; John & Persis Hungerford*

*Officiant & Homilist: The Reverend Canon Dr. Stephen Fields*

*Reader: Susan Boucaud*

*Music Director & Organist: Thomas Bell*

*Director of Music, Grace Church on-the-Hill: Sarah Hicks*

*Assisting at the Organ: Imre Olah*

*Organist, Grace Church on-the-Hill: Thomas Fitches*

*Sung by The Choir of Grace Church on-the-Hill &  
The Evensong Choir of St. James Cathedral*

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# ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL-CONNECTIONS – Sunday, October 16, 2022

## 8:00am: Said Eucharist

The order of service is found in the leaflet provided.

The Collects, Epistle, and Gospel are on p. 247 in the Book of Common Prayer

**Sermon Series, “Living the Baptismal Covenant”** at the 9:00am & 11:00am services.

**Theme of the day:** “Seek and Serve Christ in all Persons, loving neighbour as self” –

Mr. Peter Mentis

## WELCOME & FAREWELL



Today we welcome **The Very Rev'd Peter Wall** as our **Interim Dean & Priest in Charge**.

We are eagerly looking forward to his ministry among us during this time of transition. You can read Peter's Wall bio on our website.



On Sunday, October 30, we will say “au revoir” to **Mother Claire Latimer-Dennis**. During the month of August, she began her new ministry as Chaplain at Bishop Strachan School. Please join us as she presides at her last services with us and then greet her at coffee hour.

## Today is *FaithWorks Sunday*



Join us for morning services as we welcome Mr. Peter Mentis, *FaithWorks* Campaign Manager, and parishioner, as guest preacher.

*FaithWorks* is a charitable programme of the Anglican Diocese of Toronto which offers support to Ministry Partners as they serve those in need. For more information about *FaithWorks* visit [faithworks.ca](http://faithworks.ca)

## PLANNING AHEAD: SAVE THE DATES

### November 2: All Souls' Service A Service to Commemorate Our Departed Loved Ones



Please note that this year, our **All Souls' Service** will take place at the Cathedral on **All Souls' Day – Wednesday, November 2, at 12:15pm.**

Join us as we gather for this service of Holy Eucharist to remember those who died from last year and beyond. Names of departed loved ones will be read aloud at the service.

If you wish to include a name, please email [info@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:info@stjamescathedral.ca) or clearly print it in the All Souls Binder, which will be in the Narthex on Sundays October 23 & 30.

Following the service, all are invited to join the clergy in Snell Hall for lunch and fellowship. Please, RSVP to [info@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:info@stjamescathedral.ca) no later than October 28 if you wish to attend the lunch.

There will be opportunity for conversation and reflection on our Christian perspective on death and the many aspects of grief. All are welcome.

### Saturday, November 5: Re-dedication and consecration ceremony at. St. James Cemetery



Marking the conclusion of our two cemetery projects, a ceremony will take place at St. James Cemetery on **Saturday, November 5 at 11:00am** which will include the Dedication of the New Retorts and the Consecration of the New Burial Space and Re-Interment of Remains at Hillside H.

Bishop Andrew Asbil will be in attendance.

All parishioners, as well as those having a connection to the cemetery, particularly, those whose loved ones are interred at St. James Cemetery, are invited to attend.

Light refreshments will be served after the service.

# WE COUNT ON YOU

## Please help us to support the Drop-In



The Drop-In needs extra hands to ensure it runs efficiently and smoothly. We have many volunteer positions available.

If you are available on Fridays or know of others who would be interested, please contact: Kathy Biasi - Outreach Program Coordinator [kbiasi@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:kbiasi@stjamescathedral.ca) 416-364-7865 - Ext. \*222. Thank you for your time and we hope to hear from you soon!

## Coat Drive for the Drop-In



This year, we will once again be hosting a coat drive for the Drop-In.

Please bring new and gently used warm winter coats to church beginning Sunday, October 23 or drop them off in the front vestibule of the Cathedral Centre (65 Church Street) between 9:00am – 4:00pm Monday - Friday.

Coats will be collected up until November 6 and then distributed. Thank you!

# THIS WEEK AT ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL: YOU ARE INVITED

**Morning Prayer – online only**

**Monday – Friday at 8:30am**

Contact [info@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:info@stjamescathedral.ca) to receive the Zoom link or view Morning Prayer via the **Cathedral YouTube channel**

**Holy Eucharist at 12:15pm**

**Monday – Friday**

Services take place in the Cathedral - St. George's Chapel.

## TUESDAY:

**October 18, Organ Recital Series at 1:00pm**

Please, join us at St. James Cathedral to enjoy a 40-minute concert by Joshua Duncan Lee. All are welcome. Admission is free and donations are encouraged.

## WEDNESDAY:

**Scripture Circle at 11:00am**

You are invited to join the Scripture Circle as we gather to explore Mark's Gospel together. Please contact Canon Beth Benson for more information at [bbenson@stjamescathedral.ca](mailto:bbenson@stjamescathedral.ca)

## FRIDAY:

**Drop-In from 1:30pm to 3:30pm:**

Our Cathedral opens its doors for guests to come in for a meal in Snell Hall.

*Fr. David Hoopes, OHC, Pastoral Associate, will serve as "Priest-in-Residence" on Fridays for the foreseeable future. He will be available for any matters that may require attention by a priest.*

## SATURDAY:

**Pre-recorded Morning Prayer - 8:30am**

Watch it online through the Cathedral YouTube Channel.

## VISIT US:

The Cathedral is open Monday to Friday from 10:00am to 1:00pm. All are welcome!

## SUNDAY SERVICES

**8:00am:** Said Eucharist

**9:00am:** Sung Eucharist

**11:00am:** Choral Eucharist

(Also live-streamed on the Diocesan YouTube channel at [youtube.com/tordio135](https://youtube.com/tordio135))

**4:30pm:** Choral Evensong

**Readings for next**

**October 23:**

Joel 2: 23-32

Psalm 65

2 Timothy 4: 6-8, 16-18

Luke 18: 9-14

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