

**Remembrance Sunday  
Octave of All Saints', November 5, 2017**

**8.00a.m. Holy Communion** Book of Common Prayer

<p align="center"><b>Readings For Today:</b> Revelation 7:9-17 Psalm 34 1 John 3:1-3 Matthew 5:1-12</p>
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<p align="center"><b>Readings For Next Sunday:</b> Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25 Psalm 78:1-7 1 Thess 4:13-18 Matthew 25:-13</p>
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READERS	PRAYERS	GREETERS/SOUND	COMMUNION	LAY LEADER
Margaret Anderson Riley Jacobs/Gamble	Carol McCurdy	Genie Holder Dudley Gill Lauri Nevins	Mary Basinger Lauri Nevins	Norma Morrison

**The Collect for All Saints'**

Almighty God, whose people are knit together in one Holy Church, the mystical Body of your Son, grant us 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.**

**The Collect for Remembrance Day**

God of love and liberty, We bring our thanks today for the peace and security we enjoy, We remember those who in time of war faithfully serve their country. We pray for their families, and for ourselves whose freedom was won at such a cost. Make us a people zealous for peace, and hasten that day when nation shall not lift up sword against nation neither learn war any more. This we pray in the name of the one who gave his life for the sake of the world: Jesus Christ, our Redeemer. **Amen**

**10.30 Service of Remembrance**

**Prelude: Barrie Lennox**

**The Gathering of the Community**

*(the singing bowl sounds to call us to stillness and attentiveness)*

In silence, we prepare ourselves to worship God, by bringing to awareness and placing before God all that weighs heavily on our souls – things we have done or left undone; things we regret; angry, unkind or unforgiving thoughts and feelings towards anyone; the ways we wound our lives and the lives of others. We ask God to help us bring loving intentions to worship today and to life in general.

 **Processional Hymn # 528 O God, Our Help in Ages Past**

**Presentation of Colours**

**Acts of Remembrance and Thanksgiving**

(Members of St. George's who died in Boer War, WWI and WWII....Pvt. D. Hammond, B.H. Ayerst, R.H Beckett, R. Brookes, Lt. W. Brown, T.A. Butterfield, A. Cook, J. Eaton, P. Francis, D. Hay, W.G. Hill, J.D. MacKeller, J. McNabb, G. Potter, Lt. Col. A. Rutherford, G. Tucker, Gunner J. Wainwright, F/O William Middlebro', Earl Neath, Jack Pedwell, Lorne Poast.  
Members of St. Thomas....Pvt. Matthew Tuckwood, Pvt. Wilbeert Barber, Sgt. Charles Cumberland, Pvt J Phillips, Pvt. J. MacKeller, F. Whinfield, Sgt. R. Gunter

**Hymn #659 O Canada (verse 1)**

Today, we remember the sacrifice made for us by those of earlier generations who were engaged in military service. We give thanks for loved ones who served. Now we keep silence to remember those who made the supreme sacrifice so that we might live in peace:

*Two Minutes' Silence*

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old;  
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn,  
At the going down of the sun and in the morning  
We will remember them

**ALL: We will remember them**

**Poem: In Flanders' Fields**

**Hymn #660 God Save Our Gracious Queen (verse 1)**

**Members of Congregation present Memorial Wreath**

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 **The Proclamation of the Word**

**First Reading Revelation 7:9-17**

**Reader: A Reading from the Book of Revelation**

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

For this reason they are before the throne of God,  
and worship him day and night within his temple,  
and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.  
They will hunger no more, and thirst no more;  
the sun will not strike them,  
nor any scorching heat;  
for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd,  
and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,  
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

**Reader:** May God’s Word live in us.  
**People:** **And bear much fruit.**

### Psalm 34

*Refrain* **Taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are they who trust in him.**

I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall ever be in my mouth. I will glory in the Lord; let the humble hear and rejoice. **R**

Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord; let us exalt his name together. I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me out of all my terror. **R**

Look upon him and be radiant, and let not your faces be ashamed. I called in my affliction and the Lord heard me and saved me from all my troubles. **R**

The angel of the Lord encompasses those who fear him, and he will deliver them. Taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are they who trust in him! **R**

Fear the Lord, you that are his saints, for those who fear him lack nothing. The young lions lack and suffer hunger, but those who seek the Lord lack nothing that is good. The Lord ransoms the life of his servants, and none will be punished who trust in him. **R**

**Second Reading:** **I John 3:1-3**

**Reader:** *A Reading from the First Letter of John*

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God’s children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

**Reader:** May God’s Word live in us.  
**People:** **And bear much fruit.**

 **Gradual Hymn #447 Lord, We Hear Your Word with Gladness**  
**(vs 1 & 2 before Gospel; vs 3 following)**

**Gospel:** **Matthew 5:1-12**

**Gospeller:** *The Lord be with you.*

**People:** **And also with you.**

**Gospeller:** *The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew*

**People:** **Glory to You Lord Jesus Christ**

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

“Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

“Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

“Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

“Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.”

**Gospeller:** *The Gospel of Christ*

**People:** **Praise to You Lord Jesus Christ**



**Homily**

Graham Bland

**Leader**

Let us affirm our faith as we say,

**All**

**Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one.**

**Love the Lord your God with all your heart,**

**with all your soul, with all your mind,**

**and with all your strength.**

**This is the first and the great commandment.**

**The second is like it: Love your neighbour as yourself.**

**There is no commandment greater than these.**



**The Prayers of the People**

Welcoming God’s reign of righteousness and mercy, let us pray with people of every time and place.

*A brief silence.*

Gather your church from every nation, tribe, people, and language to proclaim your salvation. Defend and preserve those who are persecuted because of their faith. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Reveal your will for your creation, mighty God. Renew waters, lands, and skies that are threatened by our carelessness. Teach us to honor and care for the works of your hands. Lord, in your mercy,

**hear our prayer.**

Move the hearts of all who participate in upcoming elections. Give courage, generosity, and vision to candidates and voters alike. Guide elected officials to answer the call of those who cry out for fair and just policies. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Soothe the pain of those who suffer (*especially*). Comfort those who mourn through the ministry of nurses, those who provide hospice care, visitation ministers, chaplains, and caregivers. Lord, in your mercy,

**hear our prayer.**

Seek the lost, those who hunger and thirst with questions of faith, and those absent from our worship today. Make us ready to receive newcomers you send to our congregation. Lord, in your mercy,

**hear our prayer.**

*Here other intercessions may be offered.*

We remember with thanksgiving the blessed saints whom you have received into your glory, especially (*those who have died during the past year may be named*). Guide us with them to the springs of the water of life. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Receive these prayers and the hopes and concerns of our hearts, O God, as we entrust into your loving care all for whom we pray, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

## Prayer of Confession, Assurance of Forgiveness

**Leader** Let us in silence confess our faults and admit our frailty,  
*(All keep silence)*

**Leader** Before God, with the people of God,  
I confess to my brokenness: To the ways I wound my life,  
The lives of others, And the life of the world.

**All** **May God forgive you, Christ renew you,  
And the Spirit enable you to grow in love.**

**Leader** Amen.

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**All** **Amen**

**Leader:** Grant, O God, that we may learn more and more to live at peace with one another.  
My brothers and sister, may the Peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People:** **And also with you!**



**The Peace**

**Offertory Hymn #567 Eternal Father, Strong to Save**

## Prayer over the Gifts

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.**

**Eucharistic Prayer #2** (p. 196) with preface

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

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.

## **Hymn #735 - Holy, holy, holy, Lord**

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. **Amen.**

**The Lord's Prayer** (p. 211)

**The Breaking of the Bread** (p. 212)

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**We, being many, are one body for we all share in the one bread**

**Jesus, Lamb of God - #747**

**The Communion**

The gifts of God for the People of God. **Thanks be to God.**

**Communion Hymns:**

**#399-Now Thank We All Our God; #435-Take My Life, and Let It Be; #553-Ubi Caritas et Amor**



**All**

**Celebrant** 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,**

**for ever and ever. Amen.**

**Blessing**



**Recessional Hymn #565 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah**

**Dismissal**

**Leader**

Let us bless the Lord

**People**

**Thanks be to God**

**Postlude:**

**Barrie Lennox**

# Saint George's Anglican Church

## All Saints 2017

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*Please join us for refreshment in the Parish Hall*

*~ a chance to continue strengthening our relationships ~*

*Please thank your Coffee Hour hosts Bob & Ruth Henderson, Jacque Schwan, Ursula Dissmann, Joanne Green, Jill Rodger for their donations of refreshments.*

### Schedule for November 12<sup>th</sup>

READERS	PRAYERS	GREETERS/SOUND	COMMUNION	LAY LEADER

*Your Coffee Hour hosts for November 12<sup>th</sup> will be Donnie Nichol, Darlene Watts, Kim Green, Helen & Glenn Morrison*

## Remembrance Service

**All Saints' Tide  
November 5, 2017**



### “Lest we forget”

Please write Prayers of Intercession in the book at the back of Church. These prayers will be offered in worship today and each day this week.



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