

July 22, 2018

10:00am
Holy Baptism & Eucharist for God's
Everyday People

Celebrant: The Rev. Canon Jennifer Reid



Welcome to St. Peter's!

We are glad you are here and pray you will experience God's presence today. We invite all newcomers to introduce themselves to a member of the clergy and join us after the service for refreshments. We have hearing assistance and iPads available to help you access the service if needed.

Children and youth are full participants in all our worship services at St. Peter's and are always welcome to sit with you. Worship bags are available for children to bring into the pews. Every Sunday we also offer loving leadership in our Nursery (for infants and toddlers), Children and Youth ministries. Children and Youth enjoy their own programs during the first half of the service, joining the wider community for a talk with the clergy and Communion. Children gather in the church hall downstairs and Youth (grades 5-11) gather in the youth room on the upper level.



“ The rite of Baptism we undergo is for but once in a lifetime; but the relationship which it initiates is renewed week by week in worship, prayer, community, and service in the particulars of our daily life, work, and situation. ”

Br. Jonathan Mury

We gather in the presence of God and of one another. You are welcome to find a quiet moment for prayer or to greet a friend.

Musical Prelude

Welcome

(please stand)

Gathering Song **3 'Morning Has Broken'**

(Common Praise)

Greeting

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

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant There is one body and one Spirit,

People **There is one hope in God's call to us;**

Celebrant One Lord, one faith, one baptism,

People **One God and Father of all.**

Prayer of the Day

Celebrant Almighty God, your Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence. Give us pure hearts and constant wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All **Amen.**

Children's Time

(please sit)

The children gather at the chancel steps and then may go to Story Time

We hear the Word of God proclaimed in scripture and in reflection.

(please sit)

Reading **Ephesians 2:11-22**

read by Dave Weeden

Reader A reading from Ephesians

Reader So then, remember that at one time you Gentiles by birth, called 'the uncircumcision' by those who are called 'the circumcision'—a physical circumcision made in the flesh by human hands— remember that you were at that time without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us. He has abolished the

law with its commandments and ordinances, so that he might create in himself one new humanity in place of the two, thus making peace, and might reconcile both groups to God in one body through the cross, thus putting to death that hostility through it. So he came and proclaimed peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near; for through him both of us have access in one Spirit to the Father. So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling-place for God.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Poem *read by Penny Easthope*

Reader Children are so precious they are gifts sent from above
they fill your lives with happiness and fill your hearts with love.
And on this very special day may you feel a sense of pride
as your child is being baptized with family and friends all by your side.
We'll say a prayer for this young life so innocent and new
that God will bless this little child who means the world to you.
Today is the beginning of a future warm and bright
filled with love and joy and many years of pure delight.

Song **39 'You Are God's Work of Art'** *(Book of Common Praise)*

Gospel **Mark 6:30-34, 53-56**

Reader The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Gospel Acclamation

All **Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia**

Reader The apostles gathered around Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. He said to them, 'Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.' For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. And they went away in the boat to a deserted place by themselves. Now many saw them going and recognized them, and they hurried there on foot from all the towns and arrived ahead of them. As he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things.

When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored the boat. When they got out of the boat, people at once recognized him, and rushed about that whole region and began to bring the sick on mats to wherever they heard he was. And wherever he went, into villages or cities or farms, they laid the sick in the market-places, and begged him that they might touch even the fringe of his cloak; and all who touched it were healed.

Reader The Gospel of Christ.
People **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Gospel Acclamation

All **Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia**

Message The Rev. Canon Jennifer Reid

Your Notes:

Presentation and Examination of the Candidates (*Candidates stand, congregation sits*)

Celebrant The candidates for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Parents & Sponsors **I present *N* to receive the sacrament of baptism.**

(after all candidates are presented, continue with the following)

Celebrant Will you be responsible for seeing that the child you present is nurtured in the faith and life of the Christian Community?

Parents & Sponsors **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you by your prayers and witness help this child to grow into the full stature of Christ?

Parents & Sponsors **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

Parents & Sponsors **I renounce them.**

Celebrant Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

Parents & Sponsors I renounce them.

Celebrant Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

Parents & Sponsors I renounce them.

Celebrant Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Saviour?

Parents & Sponsors I do.

Celebrant Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

Parents & Sponsors I do.

Celebrant Do you promise to obey him as your Lord?

Parents & Sponsors I do.

(Congregation stands)

Celebrant Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support these persons in their life in Christ?

People We will.

Prayers for the Candidates

(remain standing)

Leader Let us now pray for *these persons who are* to receive the sacrament of new birth.

Leader Deliver *them*, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Open *their hearts* to your grace and truth.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Fill *them* with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Teach *them* to love others in the power of the Spirit.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Send *them* into the world in witness to your love.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Bring *them* to the fullness of your peace and glory.

People Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and for ever.

All **Amen.**

Thanksgiving over the Water

(remain standing)

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

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

Celebrant We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over water the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through water you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In water your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore, in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Now sanctify this water by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who are here cleansed from sin and born again, may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Saviour.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, now and for ever.

People **Amen.**

Celebrant Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

The Baptismal Covenant

(remain standing)

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?
People **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?
People **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.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?
People **I believe in God the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?
People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?
People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the good news of God in Christ?
People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbour as yourself?
People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?
People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you strive to safeguard the integrity of God's creation, and respect, sustain and renew the life of the Earth?
People **I will, with God's help.**

The Baptism *(Each candidate is presented)* *(please sit)*

Celebrant N, I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
All **Amen.**

Celebrant I sign you with the cross, and mark you as Christ's own for ever.
(After all candidates are baptized, the Celebrant continues)

Celebrant Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon *these* your *servants* the forgiveness of sin, and have raised *them* to the new life of grace. Sustain *them*, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give *them* an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to inquire and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works.
All **Amen.**

The Giving of the Light *(A candle is presented to each of the newly baptized) (remain seated)*

Celebrant Receive the light of Christ, to show that you have passed from darkness to light.

(When all of the newly baptized have received candles, the people say)

People **Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.**

Celebrant Let us welcome the newly baptized. *(please stand)*

People **We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

The Peace *(please stand)*

Children The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Giving Back to God

We invite the children to come forward and circle around the table up front. Bread, wine, and money are collected and placed on the table as symbols of our lives and labours. If you are visiting with us today, you are our special guests, so please do not feel compelled to give financially.

Song **531 'You Who Dwell in the Shelter of the Lord'** *(Common Praise)*

Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant O God, accept our praise and thanksgiving. Help us in all we do to offer ourselves as a true and living sacrifice; through Jesus Christ the Lord.

All **Amen.**

The Eucharistic Prayer

Celebrant The Lord is here. Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **He is worthy of our praise.**

Celebrant Always and everywhere, it is right for us to praise you Lord, Holy Father, Mighty creator and Eternal God.

People **To you be glory and praise for ever.**

Celebrant We thank you our heavenly Father that in your love and mercy you gave your only son Jesus Christ to die on the cross to save us.

People To you be glory and praise for ever.

Celebrant Jesus commanded us to remember his death until his coming again. Hear us, merciful Father, and grant that we, who eat and drink this bread and wine, may remember his death, and share in his body and blood.

People To you be glory and praise for ever.

Celebrant On the night he was betrayed Jesus took the bread in his hands. He gave you thanks and broke it. Then he gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Take and eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me.' In the same way after the meal Jesus took the cup in his hands. He gave you thanks. Then he gave it to them saying, 'Drink from this, all of you. This is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

People To you be glory and praise for ever.

Celebrant May the power of your Holy Spirit so come upon this bread and wine that it would become for us the very presence of your son Jesus. And may that same Spirit so come upon us that we would become your hands and feet in this hungry world.

People Blessing and honour and glory and power by yours for ever and ever. Amen

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, 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 those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant Most loving God, creator and redeemer,

People We give you thanks for this foretaste of your glory.

Celebrant The gifts of God for the People of God.

People Thanks be to God.

(please sit)

Communion

Receiving bread, wine, or blessing are all valued ways of participating around Jesus' table. Baptized persons of any age are welcome to receive the bread and wine, and gluten-free wafers are available. If you wish to receive a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest. If you wish, the Deacon will bring communion to where you are seated.

Motet or Communion Hymn

Closing Prayers

(please stand)

Celebrant O God, as we are strengthened in these holy mysteries, may our lives be a continual offering, holy and acceptable in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

Sending Out of Home Communion

Sending

Celebrant For the Spirit of Peace that calms our mind and stills our life,

All we give you thanks.

Celebrant For the Spirit of Love that touches hearts and reaches out,

All we give you thanks.

Celebrant For the Spirit of Joy that lifts our soul and gives us faith

All we give you thanks.

Celebrant For the Spirit of Power, that gift of grace for this your church,

All we give you thanks. Amen.

Celebrant Go now to love and serve the Lord.

All Amen. We go in the name of Christ.

Sending Song 1 'Holy, Holy, Holy'

(Common Praise)

Prayers and/or anointing are available after the service in the Prayer Corner

Please join us in the Narthex for lemonade and fellowship

We welcome today through Holy Baptism:

Sadie Bishop

Valerie Marilyn D'Agostino

Ian Timothy Haines Fredericks

Maggie Grace Hanscom-Haines

Rose Willow Hanscom-Haines

Tilly Rose Maduro

Joah Luka Marion

Lillietta Charlotte Anne Whitney

The flowers by the altar are given to the Glory of God in memory of Shirley Gilpin, John & Greta Hyde, Charlotte Gilpin & Todd Childs. Given by Ron Gilpin.

The flowers at the chancel steps are given to the Glory of God in loving memory of Stanley Day. Given by his daughter Donna & William Beaton.

THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER'S

Today	3:00 pm Wedding Blessing
Monday	Film Shoot (all day) 9:00 am Interfaith Peace Camp (off site)
Tuesday	Film Shoot (all day) 9:00 am Interfaith Peace Camp (off site)
Wednesday	9:00 am Interfaith Peace Camp (off site)
Thursday	9:00 am Interfaith Peace Camp & Dinner (at St. Peter's) 8:00 pm Candlelight Service (outdoors – weather permitting)
Friday	? Wedding Rehearsal
Saturday	9:00 am Chancel set up 12:00 pm Wedding

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

ACC	Archbishop Greg Kerr Wilson, Indigenous Bishop Sid Black, clergy & people of the Diocese of Calgary
Our Diocese	St. Margaret, New Toronto
Our Deanery	Chaplaincy to Trillium Health Partners St. Luke's, Lakeview – The Rev. Andrew MacDonald
Our Parish	Prayer Chain – Joan Higginbottom
Our Friends	Alice, Jean, Sofia & Frederick, Loretta, Anne, Mary, Meaghan, Jane, Leslie, Hannah, Catherine, Courtney, Christopher, Isabel, Barb & Bill, Michael, Doug, Spencer, Nelson, Patricia

ON DUTY TODAY

Warden	Lucy Hart
Parish Nurse	Abbie Trancoso
Chancel Guild	Annie Aldworth-Cloutier, Jaleh Gordon, Virginia Hart, Maureen Quinn, Cynthia Bing
Communion Assistants	Howard Green, Derek Patterson (8:00); Maria Nightingale, Sharron Lamour (10:00)
Greeters	Hilary Barton(10:00)
Intercessor	Server
Prayer Corner	Art Howard (8:00); Gwen Culley (10:00)
Readers	Derek Patterson (8:00); Penny Easthope, Dave Weeden (10:00)
Servers	Kevin Matterson (10:00)
Sidespersons	Captains: Fred Weston/John Morsley (8:00); Gary Spence (10:00)
Magnificart	Carol Bailey (10:00)
Flower Delivery	Joan Thomson





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Please help us care for God's world and recycle it when you are done with it.
Thank you.*