

Harvest Thanksgiving

October 10, 2021

11:15 am Service

Book of Common Prayer (BCP)

Those who sowed with tears will reap with songs of joy.

Psalm 126.6



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***Serving God Together,
Acting with Compassion,
Proclaiming Hope***

The Rev. Canon James Woolley, Interim Priest-in-Charge
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The Rev. James Ferry, Honorary Assistant
The Rev. Canon David Long, Honorary Assistant
The Rev. Clement Carelse, Deacon & Music Director
The Rev. Robert Townshend, Deacon

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Participating in Today's Service

Officiant	The Rev. Canon Jim Woolley
Preacher	The Rev. Maria Nightingale
Readers	Pat Bond, Mark Matterson
Gospeller	The Rev. Clement Carelse
Responder	Suyen Doan
Lord's Prayer	Child
Zoom Host	Debbie Barker
Sidesperson	Joseph Yu

This Week at St. Peter's

Monday	Thanksgiving – Church office closed
Tuesday	9:00 am – Morning Prayer service live on Facebook with Rev. Maria Nightingale
Wednesday	7:00 pm – Children's Bedtime Bible Story cancelled
Friday	5:15 pm – Happy Half Hour with Rev. Clem Carelse on Zoom
Sunday	8:00 am – 21 st Sunday after Pentecost on Zoom 9:15 am – 21 st Sunday after Pentecost on Zoom 10:00 am – Youth Program on Zoom 10:15 am Church School on Zoom 11:15 am (Hybrid) – Baptisms & 21 st Sunday after Pentecost (<i>Registration is required for in-person</i>)

Seniors' Online Thanksgiving Tea - The YouTube video for the Tea, consisting of a short worship service followed by entertainment and a sing-along, will premiere on Thursday, October 14th at 2pm. It will be available following that date and time as well. Here is the link which will also be posted in next week's parish email and on the website

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RhmmQCjDHtY>. Thank you to everyone who contributed to the video, and who shopped or provided items for the Tea Party boxes for the 130+ people participating in the Tea through LTC and Retirement Homes.

Hybrid Services (combined in person & online): October 17: 11:15 am (Baptisms), October 24: 8:00 am, October 31: 9:15 am, November 7: 11:15 am.

For those wishing to attend the in person liturgy, registration in advance is required. Please go to <https://www.picktime.com/StPetersErindale> to register or call the church office.

2022 Canadian Church Calendars for sale. We have a limited number of calendars - \$5.00 each. Please contact the church office if you would like one.

The Parish Selection Committee - The PSC met this week and have taken a divide and conquer approach to our tasks. Splitting into sub-committees to arrange the Parish Profile and Parish Survey with a more frequent meeting schedule. This focussed approach will concentrate our efforts and help us to move forward more efficiently. In the meantime, parishioners are welcome to reach out privately to the committee and email and ideas, questions or concerns to St.Peters.PSC@gmail.com. NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, October 20th.

The Bishop's Company Cabaret is almost here! Registration is open. Join us online on Friday, October 15 from 8-9:30 pm for an evening of FREE musical performances from across our Diocese and a conversation between Judy Maddren and the Suffragan Bishops. It's time to celebrate our clergy and give thanks.

Register Here: <https://bishopscompanytoronto.ca/the-bishops-company-dinner/>. Only one registration required per household. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

*The flowers by the altar today are given to the Glory of God in
loving memory of Cynthia & Winston Jansen
and Phyllis & Maxell Deweltz
by Gordon & Marie Jansen*

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Hymn: For the Fruit of All Creation

1. For the fruit of all creation,
thanks be to God;
gifts bestowed on every nation,
thanks be to God.
For the ploughing, sowing, reaping,
silent growth while we are sleeping,
future needs in earth's safekeeping,
thanks be to God.
2. In the just reward of labour,
God's will is done.
In the help we give our neighbour,
God's will is done.
In our worldwide task of caring
for the hungry and despairing,
in the harvests we are sharing,
God's will is done.
3. For the harvests of the Spirit,
thanks be to God.
For the good we all inherit,
thanks be to God.
For the wonders that astound us,
for the truths that still confound us,
most of all, that love has found us,
thanks be to God.

The Collect

Officiant: ALMIGHTY God, unto whom all hearts be open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

People: **Amen.**

Officiant: OUR Lord Jesus Christ said: Hear O Israel, The Lord our God is one Lord; and thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it:

Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

People: **Lord, have mercy upon us, and write both these thy laws in our hearts, we beseech thee.**

Officiant: The Lord be with you;

People: **And with thy spirit.**

Collect for the Day

Officiant: Let us pray.

Creator of the fruitful earth,
you made us stewards of all things.
Give us grateful hearts for all your goodness,
and steadfast wills to use your bounty well,
that the whole human family,
today and in generations to come,
may with us give thanks for the riches of your
creation.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

People: Amen.

Lesson Joel 2:21-27

Reader: The Lesson is written in the 2nd chapter of Joel,
beginning at the 21st verse.

Do not fear, O soil;
be glad and rejoice,
for the Lord has done great things!
Do not fear, you animals of the field,
for the pastures of the wilderness are green;
the tree bears its fruit,
the fig tree and vine give their full yield.

O children of Zion, be glad
and rejoice in the Lord your God;
for he has given the early rain for your vindication,
he has poured down for you abundant rain,
the early and the later rain, as before.
The threshing-floors shall be full of grain,
the vats shall overflow with wine and oil.

I will repay you for the years
that the swarming locust has eaten,
the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter,
my great army, which I sent against you.

You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied,
and praise the name of the Lord your God,
who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never
again be put to shame.

You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel,
and that I, the Lord, am your God and there is no other.
And my people shall never again
be put to shame.

Reader: Here endeth the Lesson.

(Silence as a bell is rung)

Epistle 1 Timothy 2:1-7

Reader: The Epistle is written in the 2nd chapter of the 1st letter
of Paul to Timothy, beginning at the 1st verse.

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions,
and thanksgivings should be made for everyone, for kings and all
who are in high positions, so that we may lead a quiet and
peaceable life in all godliness and dignity. This is right and is
acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour, who desires everyone
to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. For
there is one God; there is also one mediator between God and
humankind, Christ Jesus, himself human, who gave himself a
ransom for all—this was attested at the right time. For this I was
appointed a herald and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not
lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

Reader: Here endeth the Epistle.

(Silence as a bell is rung)

Gospel Matthew 6:25-33

Gospeller: The Holy Gospel is written in the 6th chapter of the Gospel according to St. Matthew, beginning at the 25th verse.

People: Glory be to thee, O Lord.

‘Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? And why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith? Therefore do not worry, saying, “What will we eat?” or “What will we drink?” or “What will we wear?” For it is the Gentiles who strive for all these things; and indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

Gospeller: The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Homily The Rev. Maria Nightingale

The Creed

Officiant: Let us confess our faith as we say,

Together: **I BELIEVE in one God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
And of all things visible and invisible:
And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
Begotten of the Father before all worlds;
God, of God; Light, of Light;
Very God, of very God;
Begotten, not made;
Being of one substance with the Father;
Through whom all things were made:
Who for us and for our salvation
came down from heaven,
And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost
of the Virgin Mary,
And was made man,
And was crucified also for us
under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried,
And the third day he rose again
according to the Scriptures,
And ascended into heaven,
And sitteth on the right hand of the Father.
And he shall come again with glory to judge both
the quick and the dead:
Whose kingdom shall have no end.
And I believe in the Holy Ghost,
The Lord, The Giver of Life,
Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son,
Who with the Father and the Son together is
worshipped and glorified,**

Together: Who spake by the Prophets.
And I believe One, Holy, Catholic,
and Apostolic Church.
I acknowledge one Baptism
for the remission of sins.
And I look for the Resurrection of the dead,
And the Life of the world to come. Amen.

Officiant: The peace of the Lord be always with you;

People: And with thy spirit.

Hymn God the Creator

- 1. God the Creator, you in love made me
who once was nothing but now have grown.
I bring the best of all my life offers;
for you I share whatever I own.**
- 2. O Christ the Saviour, you in love called me
who once was no one lost and alone.
I pledge to go wherever you summon,
making your will and purpose my own.**
- 3. O God the Spirit, you in love move me
who once was nowhere and felt unknown.
I know my need of you for companion:
all things can change when not on my own.**
- 4. And with the people summoned together
to be the church in which faith is sown,
I make my promise to live for Jesus
and let the world know all are his own.**

Offertory

Offerings can be made:

By PAR (Pre Authorized Remittance):

<https://www.stpeterserindale.ca/bulletin/PAR-Enrollment.pdf>

<https://www.stpeterserindale.ca/bulletin/PAR-Change.pdf>

Through Canada Helps:

<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/13043>

By email bank transfer to giving@stpeterserindale.org

Or by cheque mailed to or dropped off at the church.

(Please note that any cheques mailed or dropped off at the church will not be deposited until the end of the month in which they are received)

**All: (Sung) All things come of thee, O Lord,
and of thine own have we given thee.**

In Our Prayers This Week

ACC The Rt. Rev. David Lehmann, Bishop, and the clergy
and people of the Diocese of Caledonia

Our Diocese Foodbanks and food sharing ministries

Our Deanery Mission and Outreach of Mississauga Deanery
Churches

Our Parish Alternate Lay Members of Synod: Jeff Barker, Dave
Allen

The Intercession

Officiant: ALMIGHTY and everliving God, who by thy holy Apostle hast taught us to make prayers and supplications, and to give thanks, for all people: We humbly beseech thee most mercifully to receive these our prayers, which we offer unto thy Divine Majesty; beseeching thee to inspire continually the universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord: And grant that all they that do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

We beseech thee also to lead all nations in the way of righteousness; and so to guide and direct their governors and rulers, that thy people may enjoy the blessings of freedom and peace: And grant unto thy servant ELIZABETH our Queen, and to all that are put in authority under her, that they may truly and impartially administer justice, to the maintenance of thy true religion and virtue.

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, and specially to thy servants *Linda our Primate, Anne our Archbishop, Andrew our Diocesan Bishop and Kevin our Area Bishop*, that they may both by their life and doctrine set forth thy true and living Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments: Prosper, we pray thee, all those who proclaim the Gospel of thy kingdom among the nations: And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and specially to this congregation here present, that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word; truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.

Officiant: And we most humbly beseech thee of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succour all them, who in this transitory life are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, *especially those for whom our prayers are desired.*

Our Friends *Beverly, Peter, Maaz & family, Sam & family, Roland, Sandra, Rupert, Claudia, Barb, Robert, Georgina, Lenna & Byron, Debra, Rosalie & Stella, Hannah, Colin, Fred & Winnie, Alexis, Diane, Hugh & Teresa, Dean & Zoe, Shirley, Betty, Emilio, Sheila, Malakai & family*

Officiant: We remember before thee, O Lord, all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear: and we bless thy holy Name for all who in life and death have glorified thee; beseeching thee to give us grace that, rejoicing in their fellowship, we may follow their good examples, and with them be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

Grant this, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end.

People: Amen.

The Confession

Officiant: YE that do truly and earnestly repent you of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbours, and intend to lead the new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in his holy ways: Draw near with faith, and make your humble confession to Almighty God.

Together: **ALMIGHTY God,**
Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
Maker of all things, Judge of all people:
We acknowledge and confess
our manifold sins and wickedness,
Which we from time to time
most grievously have committed,
By thought, word, and deed,
Against thy Divine Majesty.
We do earnestly repent,
And are heartily sorry for these our misdoings.
Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;
For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,
Forgive us all that is past;
And grant that we may ever hereafter
Serve and please thee In newness of life,
To the honour and glory of thy Name;
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The Absolution

Priest: ALMIGHTY God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all them that with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him: Have mercy upon you; pardon and deliver you from all your sins; confirm and strengthen you in all goodness; and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Child: Let us pray.

Together: 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 Gloria (*Sung*)

Together: **GLORY be to God on high, and in earth peace,
good will towards all.
We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee,
we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee
for thy great glory,
O Lord God, heavenly King,
God the Father Almighty.
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesu Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sin of the world,
have mercy upon us.
Thou that takest away the sin of the world,
receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand
of God the Father, have mercy upon us.**

Together: For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord;
thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,
art most high in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

Blessing

Priest: 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 Ghost,
be amongst you and remain with you always.

People: **Amen.**

Dismissal

Officiant: Let us depart in peace.

People: **In the name of the Lord. Amen.**

For the Fruit of All Creation (AR HYD Y NOS)

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