



the **Church**
of **St Peter** and
St Simon-the-Apostle

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St Michael and All Angels **September 30, 2018**

Holy Eucharist at 8:30 am

Archbishop: The Reverend Geoffrey Sangwine

The service begins on page 67 of the Book of Common Prayer.

Psalm 103.19–22 For the readings see 10:30 am

Procession and Festal Eucharist with Confirmation at 10:30 am

Archbishop & Preacher: The Most Reverend Archbishop Colin Johnson

Assisting: The Reverend Geoffrey Sangwine

The Reverend Jennifer Matthews

Mass Setting: Sanctus/Benedictus - A Parish Mass - Derek Holman

Agnus Dei – Communion Service in G Francis Jackson

Welcome to the Church of St. Peter and St. Simon-the-Apostle.

Children going to church school are invited to gather by the font.

Hearing Assistance Units are available at the back of the church.



We acknowledge that we are in the traditional territory of the Mississaugas of the New Credit, the Anishinaabe, the Haudenosaunees, and the Huron-Wendat, on whose land, and by whose water we gather to talk, listen, learn, worship, share and heal together in the name of our Creator, the Holy One of Blessing.

*"The earth is the Lord's, and all that is in it,
the world and all who dwell therein."*

Psalm 24.1 (BAS p.732)

The flowers are given to the honour and glory of Almighty God and in thanksgiving for the episcopal ministry of Archbishop + Colin Johnson, and the celebration of confirmation with prayers and best wishes to him and his wife Ellen for a happy and fulfilling retirement; and in loving memory of her husband Terrence Birch by Diane Birch.

Prelude No.2 of 3 Voluntaries for organ

DENIS BEDARD

Introit *Thee O Christ the Father's Splendour*

During the introit the cross, torches and clergy with the Archbishop, will enter by the pulpit/chapel and form up at the crossing facing the congregation.

Office Hymn - St Michael and All Angels



CANTOR Thee, O - Christ the - Fa-ther's splen - dour, ^{ALL} Praise we now with - voice and heart,
^{ALL} Thus we - sing in - ex - ul - ta - tion with the ar - mies___ of the sky,
Watch-ful___ An-gels - at Thy bid - ding. King of ev - er - last - ing grace,



With the An - gels and - Arch - an - gels sing we - now with - tune - ful art,
join - ing with the war - rior - pri - mate, Of cel - les - tial - chiv - al - ry,
Guard the heirs of thy - re - demp-tion, from all - e - vil___ things and base,



Meet - ly___ in al - ter - nate cho - rus Bear - ing our___ re - spon - sive part.
Mich - ael,___ who de - fends the peo - ple from the foes - that - round them lie.
may they - suc - cour___ and de - fend us, till in heav'n - we - take our place



A - men

The Gathering of the Community

Priest Let us go forth in Peace.

All **In the name of the Lord. Amen.**

Hymn 320 *Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones*

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Station

Archbishop There is one body and one Spirit,

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

Archbishop One Lord, one faith, one baptism

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

Hymn 325 *Angel-Voices, Ever Singing*

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

All **And also with you.**

Collect of the Day

Archbishop Eternal God,

you have ordained and constituted in a wonderful order
the ministries of angels and mortals.

Grant that as your holy angels stand before you in heaven,
so at your command they may help and defend us here on earth;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Proclamation of the Word

First Lesson *Genesis 28.10–17*

Read by Kevin Sinclair

Reader A reading from the Book of Genesis.

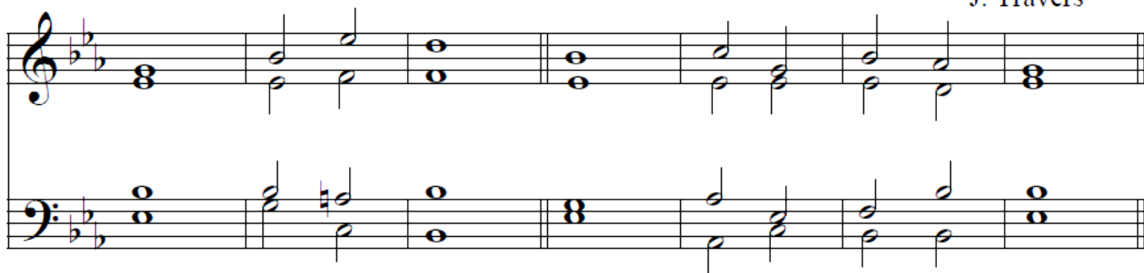
Jacob left Beer-sheba and went towards Haran. He came to a certain place and stayed there for the night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place. And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven; and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it. And the Lord stood beside him and said, 'I am the Lord, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring; and your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south; and all the families of the earth shall be blessed in you and in your offspring. Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.' Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, 'Surely the Lord is in this place—and I did not know it!' And he was afraid, and said, 'How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.'

Reader The word of the Lord

All **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 103.19-22 *sung by all. Please remain seated.*

J. Travers



- ¹⁹ The Lord has set his ' throne in ' heaven, *
and his kingship has do'minion ' over ' all.
- ²⁰ Bless the Lord, you angels of his, you mighty ones who ' do his ' bidding, *
and ' hearken · to the ' voice of · his ' word.
- ²¹ Bless the Lord, all ' you his ' hosts, *
you ministers of ' his who ' do his ' will.
- ²² Bless the Lord, all you works of his, in all places of ' his do'minion; *
bless the ' Lörd, ' O my ' soul.

Second Lesson *Revelation 12.7–12*

Read by Nitika Kumar

Reader A reading from the Epistle to the Book of Revelation.

And war broke out in heaven; Michael and his angels fought against the dragon. The dragon and his angels fought back, but they were defeated, and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. The great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the Devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. Then I heard a loud voice in heaven, proclaiming, ‘Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Messiah, for the accuser of our comrades has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. But they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they did not cling to life even in the face of death. Rejoice then, you heavens and those who dwell in them! But woe to the earth and the sea, for the devil has come down to you with great wrath, because he knows that his time is short!’

Reader The word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual

ROBIN DAVIS



Choir - Soprano, Alto

Congregation & Choir Tenor, Bass Al-le-lu - ia, Al - le-lu-ia-, Al-le - lu - ia.

Cantor Bless the Lord, all you his hosts, you ministers of his who do his will.

Psalms 103.21

The Holy Gospel *John 1.47–51*

Archbishop The Lord be with you

All **And also with you.**

Archbishop The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John.

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

When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, ‘Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!’ Nathanael asked him, ‘Where did you come to know me?’ Jesus answered, ‘I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.’ Nathanael replied, ‘Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!’ Jesus answered, ‘Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.’ And he said to him, ‘Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.’

Archbishop The Gospel of Christ.

All **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Sermon The Most Reverend Colin Johnson, Archbishop of Toronto

Hymn 435 *Take My Life, and Let It Be*

MOZART

Sacrament of Confirmation

Presentation and Examination of the Candidates

Priest I present *Brooke, Marina, Stephen* for confirmation.

Archbishop Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil?

Candidates I do.

Archbishop Do you renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

Candidates I do.

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

Candidates I do, and with God’s grace I will follow him as my Saviour and Lord.

After all have been presented, the Archbishop addresses the congregation, saying,

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

People **We will.**

Archbishop Let us join with those who commit themselves again to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

The Baptismal Covenant

Archbishop Do you believe in God the Father?

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

Archbishop 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.**

Archbishop 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.**

Archbishop 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.**

Archbishop 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.**

Archbishop Will you proclaim by word and example the good news of God in Christ?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Archbishop Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbour as yourself?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Archbishop 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.**

Archbishop Will you strive to safeguard the integrity of creation and respect, sustain, and renew the life of the earth?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Prayers Prepared and led by the Confirmands.

Archbishop Let us pray for those who are affirming their baptism,
and for all the baptized everywhere,

Leader O God, you prepared your disciples for the coming of the Spirit through the teaching of your Son Jesus Christ: Make the hearts and minds of your servants ready to receive the blessing of the Holy Spirit, that they may be filled with the strength of his presence; through Jesus Christ our Lord. In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

Leader For all people in their daily life and work;

People **For our families, friends, and neighbours, and for all those who are alone.**

Leader For this community, our country, and the world;

People **For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.**

Leader For the just and proper use of your creation;

People **For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.**

Leader For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

People **For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy**

Leader For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

People **For all who proclaim the gospel, and all who seek the truth.**

Leader For Tecumseth Deanery, and for The Church of the Province of Uganda;
For Colin, Andrew, and Kevin, and for all bishops and other ministers;
For Spencer Higgins and Keith Johnson, Frank Hillis, Sabrina Hogan,
Michael Holtom.

People **For all who serve God in his Church.**

Leader For our own needs and those of others.

Silence. The people may add their own petitions.

Leader Hear us, Lord;

People **For your mercy is great.**

Leader We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life;

For the service and outreach of St. Peter, Cobourg, St. Peter, Erindale, and St. Peter, Oshawa. May their work and ours preach your good news.

We give thanks to you, O God, for all your infinite goodness, and, especially, for the love you have shown to us at Confirmation.

We give you thanks that you sent down your Holy Spirit into our souls with all your Spirit's gifts and graces.

May your Spirit take full possession of us forever.
May the divine unction cause our faces to shine.
May your heavenly wisdom reign in our hearts.
May your understanding enlighten our darkness.
May your counsel guide us.
May your knowledge instruct us.
May your divine love keep us from all evil.

Silence. The people may add their own petitions.

Leader Lord God, the well-spring of life, pour into our hearts the living water of your grace. By your light we see light. Increase our faith, and grant that we may walk in the brightness of your presence. We will exalt you, O God our king;

People **And praise your name for ever and ever.**

Leader We pray for all those who have died in the peace of Christ, and for those whose faith is known to you alone, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

Silence. The people may add their own petitions.

Leader Lord, let your loving kindness be upon them;

People **Who put their trust in you.**

Leader Blessed are you, God of growth and discovery; yours is the inspiration that has altered and changed our lives; yours is the power that has brought us to new dangers and opportunities. Set us, your new creation, to walk through this new world, watching and learning, loving and trusting, until your kingdom comes.

People **Amen.**

Archbishop Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

People **Amen.**

Silence may be kept. Then the Archbishop says,

Archbishop Almighty God, we thank you that by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ you have overcome sin and brought us to yourself, and that by the sealing of your Holy Spirit you have bound us to your service. Renew in *these* your *servants* the covenant you made with *them* at *their* baptism. Send *them* forth in the power of that Spirit to perform the service you set before *them*; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

The Archbishop lays his hand upon each one and says,

For Confirmation

Archbishop Defend, O Lord, your servant *Brooke, Marina, Stephen* with your heavenly grace, that *he/she* may continue yours for ever, and daily increase in your Holy Spirit more and more, until *he/she* comes to your everlasting kingdom. **Amen.**

Archbishop Almighty and everliving God, let your fatherly hand ever be over *these* your servants; let your Holy Spirit ever be with *them*; and so lead *them* in the knowledge and obedience of your word, that *they* may serve you in this life, and dwell with you in the life to come; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Peace

Archbishop The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All **And also with you.**

We invite you to share a sign of peace with those near you – a handshake, slight bow or other form of greeting. Please respect the wishes of those who prefer not to shake hands.

Celebration of the Eucharist

Hymn 272 *Christ, the Fair Glory of the Holy Angels*

COELITES PLAUDANT

Prayer over the Gifts & Great Thanksgiving

Archbishop God of glory,
as you have appointed angels to minister in your presence,
so may all our worship bring you worthy praise.
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Archbishop The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Archbishop Lift up your hearts.

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

Archbishop Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Archbishop Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; we give you thanks and praise, because, in the mystery you disclose to us, you reveal your glory as the glory of your Son and the Holy Spirit: three persons equal in majesty, undivided in splendour, yet one Lord, one God, ever to be adored in your everlasting glory. Therefore with all the company of heaven we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

Sanctus – A Parish Mass

DEREK HOLMAN

All

Con moto ♩ = 100 *f*
Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Lord, God of
10 *a little faster* *rit.*
power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san-na in the
19 *A tempo* *p* *rit.*
high - est. Bles - sed is he who
25 *mf* *rit.*
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Archbishop We give thanks to you, Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life. On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, a death he freely accepted, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, “Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.” After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, “Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.” Therefore, Father, according to his command,

All **we remember his death,
we proclaim his resurrection,
we await his coming in glory;**

Archbishop and we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that they may be the sacrament of the body of Christ and his blood of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we, made acceptable in him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation; by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Lord's Prayer

Celebrant As our Sav-iour taught us, let us pray,

All Our Fa-ther in heav-en, hal-lowed be your name, your king-dom come,
 your will be done, on earth as in heav-en. Give us to-day our dai-ly
 bread. For-give us our sins as we for-give those who sin a-gainst us.
 Save us from the time of trial, and de-liv-er us from e-vil. For the king-dom,
 the pow-er, and the glo-ry are yours, now and for ev-er. A - men.

Music by McNeil Robinson

Breaking of the Bread

Archbishop Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

All **Therefore, let us keep the feast.**

Archbishop The gifts of God for the People of God.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Agnus Dei

FRANCIS JACKSON

Choir *O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world: have mercy upon us.*
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world: have mercy upon us.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world: grant us thy peace.

Holy Communion

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Communion.

Please do not dip the consecrated bread into the wine - Drinking from the chalice is considered safe from the point of view of public health. You are also welcome to receive only the bread, if you prefer. Indicate this by holding your arms crossed over your chest as the chalice passes; this is also a way to receive a blessing rather than communion.

Gluten-free communion wafers are available – please let the administering priest know.

Anointing and Laying on of Hands for Healing

Anointing for Healing will take place at the Children's Altar in the North aisle during communion.

Hymn 84 *Lord, Enthroned in Heavenly Splendour*

48 *Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence*

ST OSMUND
PICARDY

Anthem *Faire is the heaven*

WM HARRIS

*Faire is the heaven where happy soules have place
In full enjoyment of felicitie;
Whence they do still behold the glorious face
Of the Divine, Eternall Majestie;
Yet farre more faire be those bright Cherubins
Which all with golden wings are overdight.
And those eternall burning Seraphins
Which from their faces dart out fiery light;
Yet fairer than they both and much more bright
Be the Angels and Archangels
Which attend on God's owne person without rest or end.
These then in faire each other farre excelling
As to the Highest they approach more neare,
Yet is that Highest farre beyond all telling
Fairer than all the rest which there appeare
Though all their beauties joynd together were;
How then can mortal tongue hope to expresse
The image of such endlesse perfectnesse?*

Prayer after Communion *Please stand.*

Archbishop Eternal God, you have fed us with the bread of angels.
May we who come under their protection,
like them give you continual service and praise;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Archbishop Glory to God,
All **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

Archbishop Our help is in the name of the Lord,

All **The maker of heaven and earth.**

Archbishop Blessed be the name of the Lord,

All **From this time forth for evermore.**

The Archbishop blesses the people.

Announcements *Please be seated.*

Hymn 330 *O Praise Ye the Lord*

LAUDATE DOMINUM

Dismissal

Priest Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude *Allegro con Brio*

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2nd Sunday – Choral Matins

3rd Sunday – Choral Eucharist (Traditional)

4th Sunday – Choral Eucharist (Contemporary)

Sunday Evensong – As Announced

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