



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

Harvest Thanksgiving
Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost
October 8, 2023

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

Holy Eucharist at 9.15 am (in the Chapel)

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

Sung Eucharist at 10.30 am

Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Geoffrey Sangwine
Deacon & Preacher: The Reverend Abraham Thomas
Assisting: The Reverend Canon Michael Burgess

Head Server: Fen Nanton

Sidespeople:

Marina Caytap, Gerry Courage, Barb Pearson, Al Rands

Director of Music: Robin Davis

Organist – Alison Jane

Mass Settings:

Gloria – *A Community Mass*, D. Hurd

Sanctus/Benedictus – D. Hurd

Agnus Dei – Bob Hurd



The flowers are given to the honour and glory of Almighty God
and in thanksgiving for God's many gifts from Marina Caytap,
for loved ones from Ena Forde
in loving memory of Bruno and Ruby Toneguzzo,
and in thanksgiving for the joyful Caribbean celebration, from Marc Coté.

The Gathering of the Community

Prelude *Thanks Be to Thee*
Organist: Robin Davis

GEORGE F. HANDEL

Opening Hymn 262 *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come*

ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

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.

All **And also with you.**

Celebrant Almighty God,

All **to you all hearts are open, all desires known,
and from you no secrets are hidden.**

**Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Children's Gathering

Gloria

D. HURD

Celebrant Glory to God in the highest,

All **and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly king,
almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ,
only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

Collect of the Day

Celebrant 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 our Lord. **Amen**

The Liturgy of the Word

First Reading *Deuteronomy 8.7-18*

Read by Daphne Harris

Reader A reading from the Book of Deuteronomy.

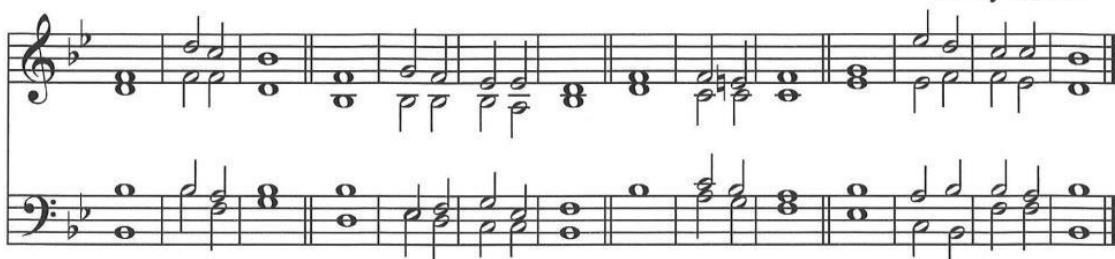
For the Lord your God is bringing you into a good land, a land with flowing streams, with springs and underground waters welling up in valleys and hills, a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, a land where you may eat bread without scarcity, where you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron and from whose hills you may mine copper. You shall eat your fill and bless the Lord your God for the good land that he has given you. Take care that you do not forget the Lord your God, by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes, which I am commanding you today. When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them, and when your herds and flocks have multiplied, and your silver and gold is multiplied, and all that you have is multiplied, then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid wasteland with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow for you from flint rock, and fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you, and in the end to do you good. Do not say to yourself, "My power and the might of my own hand have gotten me this wealth." But remember the Lord your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today.

Reader The word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 65

Henry Lawes



- ¹ Praise is due to thee O ' God in ' Sion; /
and unto thee shall the ' vow · be per'formed · in Je'rusalem.
- ² Thou that ' hearest the ' prayer, /
unto ' thee shall ' all flesh ' come.
- ³ My misdeeds pre'vail a'gainst me: /
O be thou ' merci-ful ' unto our ' sins.
- ⁴ Blessed are those whom thou ' choolest · and re'ceivest, /
that ' they may ' dwell in · thy ' courts.
- ^{2nd}⁵ We shall be satisfied with the ' pleasures · of thy ' house, /
even ' of thy ' holy ' temple.
- ⁶ Thou shalt show us wonderful things in thy righteousness, O God of ' our sal'vation, /
thou that art the hope of all the ends of the earth,
and of them that re'main · in the ' broad ' sea;
- ⁷ Who in his strength setteth ' fast the ' mountains, /
and is ' girded a'bout with ' power;
- ⁸ Who stilleth the ' raging · of the ' seas, /
the roaring of their waves, and the ' tumult ' of the ' peoples.
- ⁹ They also that dwell in the uttermost parts of the earth are a'fraid at · thy ' tokens, /
thou that makest the outgoings of the ' morning and ' evening to ' praise thee.
- ¹⁰ Thou visitest the ' earth and ' waterest it: /
thou ' makest it ' very ' plenteous.
- ¹¹ The river of God is ' full of ' water: /
thou preparest their grain, for so thou pro'videst ' for the ' earth.

- ¹² Thou waterest her furrows, smoothing the ' ridges there'of : /
 thou makest it soft with the drops of rain, and ' blessest the ' increase ' of it.
- ¹³ Thou crownest the ' year with · thy ' goodness; /
 and thy ' paths ' drip with ' fatness.
- ¹⁴ The pastures of the ' wilder-ness ' drip; /
 and the little hills re'joice on ' eve-ry ' side.
- ¹⁵ The pastures are ' clothed with ' flocks: /
 The valleys also stand so thick with grain ' that they ' laugh and ' sing.

Epistle *2 Corinthians 9.6-15*

Read by Tony Pearce

Reader A reading from the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. As it is written, "He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever." He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your sharing with them and with all others, while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

Reader The word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Hymn *Alleluia No. 1* (vs. 1-2)

ALLELUIA NO. 1

The Holy Gospel *Luke 17.11-19*

Gospeller The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Luke.

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

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

Gospeller The Gospel of Christ.

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

Gradual Hymn *Alleluia No. 1* (vs. 3-4)

ALLELUIA NO. 1

Homily

The Nicene Creed

Celebrant Let us confess our faith, as we say,

All **We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, of one being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father.
With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified.**

**He has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

The Prayers of the People – Led by Gerry Courage

Confession and Absolution

Celebrant Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy;
he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table.
Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness. *Silence is kept.*

Celebrant Most merciful God,
All **we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us,
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your name. Amen.**

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All **And also with you.**

The Celebration of the Eucharist

Offertory Hymn 258 *We Plough the Fields and Scatter*

WIR PFLÜGEN

Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant Source of all life, the heaven and earth are yours,
yet you have given us dominion over all things.
Receive the symbols of our labour and love which we offer you this day,
in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

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

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

Celebrant It is right to give you thanks and praise, O Lord, our God, sustainer of the universe,
you are worthy of glory and praise.

All **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space,
galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home;
by your will they were created and have their being.

All **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with
memory, reason, and skill; you made us the stewards of creation.

All **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant But we turn against you, and betray your trust; and we turn against one another.
Again and again you call us to return. Through the prophets and sages you reveal
your righteous law. In the fullness of time you sent your Son, born of a woman, to
be our Saviour. He was wounded for our transgressions, and bruised for our
iniquities. By his death he opened to us the way of freedom and peace.

All **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant Therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles,
and martyrs, and with those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to
proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

All **Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

GEORGE BLACK

Celebrant Blessed are you, Lord our God, for sending us Jesus, the Christ, who on the night he was handed over to suffering and death, took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, gave it to his friends, and said, "Take this, and eat it: this is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." In the same way, after supper, he took the cup of wine; he gave you thanks, 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."

All **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant Gracious God, we recall the death of your Son Jesus Christ, we proclaim his resurrection and ascension, and we look with expectation for his coming as Lord of all the nations. We who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring you these gifts. Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon this offering of your Church, that we who eat and drink at this holy table may share the divine life of Christ our Lord.

All **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant Pour out your Spirit upon the whole earth and make it your new creation. Gather your Church together from the ends of the earth into your kingdom, where peace and justice are revealed, that we, with all your people, of every language, race, and nation, may share the banquet you have promised; through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ, all honour and glory are yours, creator of all.

All **Glory to you for ever and ever. Amen.**

Celebrant As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

All **Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant "I am the bread which has come down from heaven," says the Lord.

All **Give us this bread for ever.**

Celebrant "I am the vine, you are the branches."

All **May we dwell in him, as he lives in us.**

Agnus Dei

Choir Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.

Celebrant The gifts of God for the people of God.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Communion Hymn 403 *Let All Things Now Living*

THE ASH GROVE

Motet *Sing to the Lord of Harvest*

HEALEY WILLAN

Sing to the Lord of harvest, sing songs of love and praise;
with joyful hearts and voices your alleluias raise.
By Him the rolling seasons in fruitful order move;
sing to the Lord of harvest a joyous song of love.

God makes the clouds drop fatness, the deserts bloom and spring,
the hills leap up in gladness, the valleys laugh and sing.
God fills them with His fullness, all things with large increase;
he crowns the year with goodness, with plenty and with peace.

Heap on his sacred altar the gifts his goodness gave,
the golden sheaves of harvest, the souls he died to save.
Your hearts lay down before him when at his feet ye fall,
and with your lives adore him who gave his life for all.

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant God of our hope,
in this eucharist we find the source of all your blessings.
Nourished in these holy mysteries may we, with our lives,
give you continual thanks and praise.
This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Doxology

Celebrant 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

Recessional Hymn 399 *Now Thank We All Our God*

NUN DANKET

Dismissal

Celebrant Go forth in the name of Christ.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude *Nun Danket alle Gott, Op. 65, No.13*

SIGRID KARG-ELERT

Organist: Robin Davis

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In Our Prayers

The Anglican Communion The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem & The Middle East.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer Food banks and food sharing ministries.

Outreach & Advocacy Cycle of Prayer *Pray for St. Saviour, Toronto*, its Bread of Life grocery gift card program, refugee sponsorship in partnership with the East End Refugee Committee, and its participation in Centre 55's Share a Christmas program.

for St. Stephen in-the-Fields, its weekend community breakfast program, community garden, Friday drop-in, encampment support, support of the Toronto Seed Library, and environmental and anti-poverty advocacy;

for St. Stephen, Downsview, St. Stephen's Community Ministries, the homework club, mentoring, and recreation programs of the Downsview Youth Covenant, and the St. Stephen/St. Felix Café, providing free lunches to those in need;

and for St. Stephen, Maple, its community pantry, winter clothing support, and community garden.

Parish Cycle Lynn MacIntosh, Sandy MacMillan, Suzette Mafuna, Susan V. Major.

Home Bound Parishioners. Marie Adams, Nancy Byers, Alice Fox, Dennis Gittens, Lorraine Griffith, Sabrina Hogan, Everton Morris, Lucy Simons, Miriam Smart, Vernita Theobolds, Barbara & Duncan Towe, Lila Vamosi, Daphne Webster.



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SERVICES

Sundays

9.15 am	Weekly	Holy Eucharist (in the Chapel of Holy Spirit)
10.30 am	1 st and 3 rd	Choral Eucharist – Traditional BCP Rite
	2 nd Sunday	Choral Matins (or as announced)
	4 th Sunday	Choral Eucharist – Contemporary BAS Rite
	5 th Sunday	As Announced
	Evensong	As Announced

Wednesdays

11.00 am	Weekly	Sung Eucharist – Contemporary BAS Rite
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