

## Today's Services of Holy Communion

8:00 am Service

**Preacher and Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland**

**Deacon: The Rev. Rosemary Bishop**

**10 am (Book of Alternative Services)**

**Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland**

**Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. David Ney**

**Liturgical Assistant: Jeff Oneski**

**Deacon: The Rev. Julianne Hendrickson**

**Mary Westell is Warden on duty today**

**Music Director: Mary Martell**

## The Leadership Team at St. Peter's

If you or someone you know is ill or in need of pastoral care,  
please leave a message at the office or email one of our clergy.

Please feel free to direct any inquiries, questions or concerns to one of the wardens.

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***All Saints Sunday***  
***24th Sunday after Pentecost***  
**October 30th, 2016**  
**10:00 am**



**St. Peter's Anglican Church**  
**903-75<sup>th</sup> Avenue S.W., Calgary, Alberta 403-252-0393**

*Welcome to our service of Holy Communion. Today we celebrate All Saints' Day (also known as All Hallows or Halloween), which directs our attention to the richness of Christian history and the varied experiences of the grace of God by lifting up the lives of the saints. On All Hallows Evening (October 31), All Saints Day (November 1), and All Souls Day (November 2) the Church celebrates not only the martyrs and saints, but all the people of God, living and dead, who together form the mystical body of Christ. We remember the saints of the past and of the present, and we give thanks for their lives and find strength in their faith.*

*If you are unfamiliar with the ritual customs of the Anglican Church, we invite you to simply relax with the liturgy and let the rest of the congregation carry you in worship. In today's service, we begin our reflection upon the mission of God, and our role in God's mission.*

**Prelude:** Guest violinist Katrina Johnson,  
*Camille Saint-Saens Violin Concerto number 3 in b minor.*

## THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

**Announcements**

*All are seated*

**Call to Silence**

*As today's service begins, a gong will sound, calling us to stillness before God.*

**Processional Hymn: #276 For All the Saints**

**Greeting**

*All stand*

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

Rejoice, people of God, praise the Lord! Let us keep the feast in honour of all God's saints, in whose victory the angels rejoice and glorify the Son of God.

**The Gloria**

*# 679 Blue Book, Merbecke*

**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, Jesus Christ;**

**O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,**

**that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.**

**Thou takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.**

**Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy on us.  
For thou only art holy; thou only are the Lord:  
thou only, O Christ with the Holy Ghost,  
are most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen**

## **Remembering the Saints**

### **Collect for All Saints Day**

God of holiness, your glory is proclaimed in every age:  
as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, inspire us to follow their example  
with boldness and joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*The children are now invited to leave the service for a time of learning and fun, and will return for communion. They can be picked up after the service from their classroom downstairs. Children are also always welcome in our service. There are colouring packs and soft blocks at the back, as well as a rug area on which the children may play.*

## **THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

### **A Reading from Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18 Carol Kyle**

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another. As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: 'As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom for ever—for ever and ever.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 149**

**A Reading from Ephesians 1:11-23    Lynne Smith**

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance towards redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory. I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love towards all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia**

*All stand and turn to face the Gospel*

**The Gospel: Luke 6:20-31**

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

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

Then he looked up at his disciples and said: 'Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. 'Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. 'Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. 'Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice on that day

and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets. 'But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. 'Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. 'Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. 'Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets. 'But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

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

### **Gospel Response**

**Homily: The Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland**

### **Prayers of Penitence**

Since we are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, looking to Jesus in penitence and faith. *Hebrews 12.1*

Lord, you are gracious and compassionate: Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have mercy.**

You are loving to all and your mercy is over all your creation: Christ, have mercy.

**Christ, have mercy.**

Your faithful servants bless your name and speak of the glory of your kingdom:

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have mercy.**

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

## Prayers of the People

### Prayer of Committment

God of constant love, **you have guided your people in all times and ages. May we who offer you our praise today always be ready to follow where you lead; we ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### The Peace

*All stand*

We are fellow-citizens with the saints and of the household of God, through Christ our Lord, who came and preached peace to those who were far off and those who were near.

*Ephesians 2.19,17*

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

### Offertory Hymn: #385 Worship the Lord in the Beauty

## THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

### The Prayer over the Gifts

God of freedom, **accept all we offer you this day. May we embrace the law of your service and know the glorious liberty of the children of God. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

### The Eucharistic Prayer

*Many prefer to stand for this prayer*

The Lord be with you

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to God

**it is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Generous God, giver of the gift of life; Yours is the voice that calls to your people, calling us to remember your presence, to listen to your wisdom.

Yours are the arms that reach out to your people, embracing us with your forgiveness, encircling us with your protection. Yours is the Spirit that fills your people, infusing us with courage, and making us in your image. Your mission towards us never ends and your hopes for us are beyond our deepest yearnings.

Therefore, with apostles and prophets, with holy women and men of every age, with people of faith both near and far, we join our voices to sing your praise:

## **Sanctus**

*#735 Blue Book, Schubert*

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

From the depths of your yearnings for us you sent your Son to live our life amongst us. In trust and love Jesus lived your mission for him, bringing to us good news of new life and the promise of your unfailing goodness.

On the night before he died, Jesus shared a meal with his friends, and while at table he took the bread, gave you thanks, broke it, and shared it with them, saying: 'This is my body, given for you.'

Likewise after supper he took the cup, gave you thanks, and shared it with them, saying, 'This is my blood, shed for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

Generous God, Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us, and upon these gifts, that this holy meal, filled with the presence of Christ, may be for us sustenance for the mission you give us.

In the sharing of this bread and wine may we be empowered to share the gift of the gospel. In the knowledge of Christ's giving of himself for us, may we look beyond ourselves to the needs of your creation.

As your mission towards us never ends, so may our life be one of joyful mission to others, for you are our God, our joy, our hope.

Blessing and honour, glory and power, are yours for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*<http://www.abmission.org/lent/ABMSundaybooklet>*

## **The Lord's Prayer**

## The Breaking of the Bread

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.**

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

## Agnus Dei

*#745, Senchur*

**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace, grant us peace.**

## The Communion

*All are welcome to join us at the Lord's Table. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please cross your arms. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.*

*You may join the singing, or spend time in quiet reflection during the communion. If you desire personal prayer, a prayer team is available in the Chapel during communion and after the service.*

**Communion Music:** Guest Soloist, Jensen MacLean – Vespers, *R. Godden*  
Guest violinist Katrina Johnson – Air, *Bach*

## Prayers After Communion

*Standing*

Heavenly Father, **bring to perfection within us the communion we share in this sacrament. May the unity we know this day live in our community and family. This we pray in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

Glory to God, **whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more that 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

May God, who kindled the fire of love in the hearts of the saints, pour upon you the riches of God's grace. **Amen.**

May God give you joy in their fellowship and a share in their praises. **Amen.**

May God strengthen you to follow them in the way of holiness and to come to the full radiance of glory. **Amen.**

And the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

## Recessional Hymn: #312 Sing a New Song unto the Lord

### The Dismissal of the Community

#### Prayers

- In our worldwide Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for The Church of Bermuda and their clergy, The Rt. Rev. Nicholas Dill.
- In our Diocesan Prayer Cycle we pray for The Highwood Parish: St. Benedict, High River; St. Thomas, Dinton; St. Aidan, Pekisko and their clergy, The Rev. Diane Beaman and the Ven. Rober Griffiths and for the en's Cursillo Weekend (Oct 27-30).
- In our Companion Diocese in the Windward Islands we pray Holy Trinity, Castries with St. Mary LaCaye, St. Lucia and their clergy, The Ven. Randolph Evelyn.
- In our own parish let us ask for God's healing love to uphold and sustain all who are in any kind of need, especially: Benita Haslett, Corey Lee, Betty Waite, The Rev. Brad Elliot, Margaret Connelly, Pam Hodgson, Cornel Chetty, Dominic Ingram, Brandon Radlo, Amber Wiebe, Margaret Fawcett, Angel Ingram, Dave Carlyle, Fran McWilliams, Valerie Knobbe, Joan Brisbourne, Leslie Anne Bourke, Hetty Alexander, Nellie Werth, Rachel Patrick, Olive Holgate, Howie Dawe. *(Please note that names listed are for one month. If you wish a name to remain on the list, reconfirm with the office at 403-252-0393.)*
- *Please remember in prayer Bernice Anderson and family on the passing of husband and father Gordon Anderson on October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2016.*

**Flowers are given this morning to the glory of God** by Edith Jones and family in memory of husband and father, Ken and daughter, Elizabeth.