

All Saints Sunday
The Sacrament of Holy Communion
Sunday October 31, 2021

We Prepare For Worship

Lighting of the Christ Candle
Praise Band
Organ Prelude
Welcome and Community Life News

We Worship God

The Call to Worship Amy Girard

Leader: Come, let us praise the Lord!

People: Let us shout our songs of thanksgiving to Almighty

God!

Leader: For God has done wonderful things for us.

People: God's love and blessings have been showered upon

us.

Leader: Come, let us praise the Lord!

ALL: Let us worship God.

Opening Hymn Holy, holy, holy

(vs 1, 2, 4)

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p. 226

Prayers of Adoration and Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Minister: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Sharing the Peace of Christ

Praise Time O When the Saints (please see insert)

We Listen for God's Word

Children's Time

Prayer for Illumination Amy Girard Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 1:1-9 NT p.165

Hebrews 12:1-3

Leader: The word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon: Called to be Saints Rev. Dr. H. Vais

We Respond to God's Word

The Apostles' Creed (please see insert)
Prayer of Dedication, Thanksgiving & Intercession Garth Low

The Invitation to the Table

Special Music: The Supper of the Lord Deborah Kerner

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving & the Lord's Prayer Breaking of the Bread and Sharing of the Cup Prayer after Communion

Closing Hymn For all the Saints

(vs 1,4,7,8)

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The Benediction

Musical Benediction

Go now in peace, never be afraid,
God will go with you each hour of every day.
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true,
Know He will guide you in all you do.
Go now in love, and show you believe,
Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there, watching from above.
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen

Organ Postlude



We welcome everyone here today. We hope that you feel comforted in our fellowship and that you leave here refreshed and inspired in your personal life.

Due to Covid restrictions, we ask that masks be worn at all times.

Thank you and welcome to Heather Newsome. Heather Newsome is a retired Music Teacher. She has taught in England, and Kenya, and for the last 15 years of her career at St. Clement's School, Toronto where she conducted the Choirs, taught Music in the Elementary School, and co-directed 6 Musicals with the Upper School. Heather is enjoying supply teaching at Havergal Junior School, and organ playing, as well as singing with two Church choirs, and a Rock Choir.

Thank you to those who are assisting in today's service.



The Sacrament of Holy Communion

We invite all who profess Jesus as Lord to receive the Sacrament. You will have been givenCovid-safe, individually prepared juice and wafer kits.

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

The prayer opens with thanksgiving for creation and for God's mighty acts throughout salvation history.

The people join in the ancient song after these or similar words:

... We lift our hearts in joyful praise, singing together:

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.

Prayers of thanksgiving continue for the work of Jesus Christ, his life, death, and resurrection and for the institution of the Lord's Supper. The people are invited to "proclaim the mystery of faith:"

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Thanksgiving continues for the gift of the Holy Spirit.
The presence of the Holy Spirit is invoked followed by a doxology and the people say:

Amen.

As our Lord taught us, we now pray:

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory Forever. Amen

Weekly Offerings and Gifts

To continue to support the church through your regular offerings during this pandemic there are several options available to do so.

Offerings can be mailed (address below) or dropped off at the church mail slot in the old wooden doors to the right of the entryway any time.

You may also donate on-line at Canada Helps through our web site at www.tpchurch.net or directly to Canada Helps.Org at https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/thornhill-presbyterian-church/

Pre-Authorized Debit (PAR) If you are interested in joining the PAR program contact Stephanie at the church.

Thank you for your support!

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The Apostles' Creed

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

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, 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, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in th Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Praise Time

O When the Saints

O when the saints go marching in, O when the saints go marching in; O Lord, I want to be in that number When the saints go marching in!

O when the trumpet sound its call, O when the trumpet sound its call, O Lord, I want to be in that number, When the Saints go marching in!

O when they crown Him Lord of all, O when they crown Him Lord of all; O Lord, I want to be in that number When they crown Him Lord of all.

O when all knees bow at His name, O when all knees bow at His name, O Lord, I want to be in that number When all knees bow at His name.

O when they sing the Saviour's praise, O when they sing the Saviour's praise, O Lord, I want to be in that number When they sing the Saviour's praise.

O when the saints go marching in, O when the saints go marching in; O Lord, I want to be in that number When the saints go marching in!

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Hymns

Holy, holy, holy

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.

Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore thee, all thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea. Casting down their golden crowns around the glass y sea,

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty! All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea. Eall thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.

For all the Saints

For all the saints who from their labours rest, who thee by faith before the world confessed, thy name, o Jesus, be forever blest.

Hallelujah, hallelujah!

O blest communion! fellowship divine! We feebly struggle, they in glory shine; yet all are one in thee, for all are thine. Hallelujah, hallelujah!

But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day; The saints triumphant rise in bright array; The King of glory passes on his way. Hallelujah, hallelujah!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast, Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host, singing to Father, Son and Holy Ghost:

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