

**OFFERTORY HYMN CP # 425 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee**

**Collect of the Day**

**All: Author and Giver of all good things, graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us in all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen**

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Recessional Hymn - CP #602 Lift High the Cross**

*Please join us for refreshments after the service today.*

**Announcements**

**St Paul's Pantry** – This month our new cupboard to provide food to those in need will be installed near the Russell St. sidewalk. We have started to collect supplies and hope that this will eventually include the community in both taking what they need and leaving what they can. Members of the Outreach Committee will be overseeing the stocking of the cupboard to get us up and running. A weekly roster to take turns stocking the cupboard will soon be posted. *Please consider taking a turn for one week!*

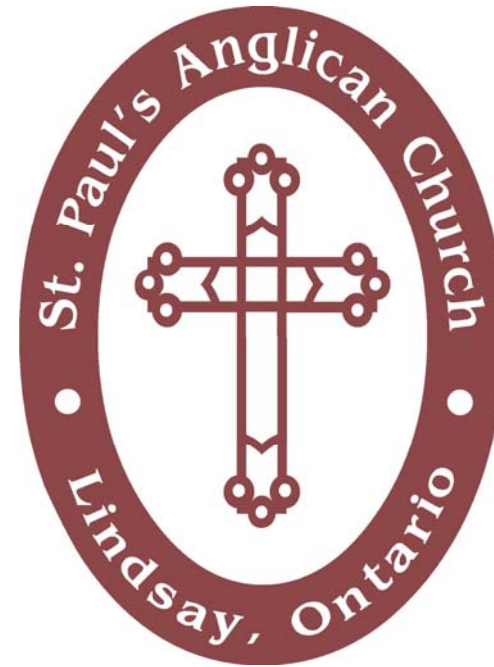
On Saturday June 24<sup>th</sup>, several people met for Mapping the Ground, an interactive workshop exploring Indigenous and Settler Relationships. As a result, some of us plan to attend the Curve lake Pow Wow on Saturday September 16<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested please call Gail Payne at 705-324-7910 or email [gailpayne@xplornet.com](mailto:gailpayne@xplornet.com). So far 9 people have confirmed attendance and we will car pool.

**Upcoming Services**

**September 10, 2023 Creation 2/ Pentecost 15**

**September 17, 2023 Creation 3/ Pentecost 16**

**September 24, 2023 Creation 4/ Pentecost 24**



**Creation 1 / Pentecost 14**

**September 3rd, 2023**

**Incumbent**

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***As some members of the congregation are having trouble seeing the screen when everyone stands up, please remain seated during the service. We can stand to stretch during the Peace.***

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN CP #1 Holy, Holy, Holy**

**Penitential Rite**

**Hymn CP# 423 How Great thou art**

**Jubilate**

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Jeremiah 15:15-21**

O LORD, you know; remember me and visit me, and bring down retribution for me on my persecutors in your forbearance do not take me away; know that on your account I suffer insult. Your words were found, and I ate them, and your words became to me a joy and the delight of my heart ;for I am called by your name, O LORD, God of hosts. I did not sit in the company of merry-makers, nor did I rejoice; under the weight of your hand I sat alone, for you had filled me with indignation. Why is my pain unceasing, my wound incurable, refusing to be healed? Truly, you are to me like a deceitful brook, like waters that fail. Therefore, thus says the LORD :If you turn back, I will take you back, and you shall stand before me. If you utter what is precious, and not what is worthless, you shall serve as my mouth .It is they who will turn to you, not you who will turn to them .And I will make you to this people a fortified wall of bronze; they will fight against you, but they shall not prevail over you, for I am with you to save you and deliver you ,says the LORD .I will deliver you out of the hand of the wicked, and redeem you from the grasp of the ruthless.

Reader: This is the word of The Lord

**People: Thanks be to God**

**Psalms 26 1-8 (read responsively)**

**Ethel Morris**

**2nd Reading Romans 12:9-21**

Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honour. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers.

Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty but associate with the lowly; do not claim

to be wiser than you are. Do not repay anyone evil for evil but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God; for it is written, 'Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord.' No, 'if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink; for by doing this you will heap burning coals on their heads.' Do not be overcome by evil but overcome evil with good.

Reader: This is The Word of The Lord

**People: Thanks be to God**

**Hymn #2 SGP Make Me A Channel of Your Peace**

**Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia (CP #715)**

**Holy Gospel - Matthew 16: 21-28**

**Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

From that time on, Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, 'God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you.' But he turned and said to Peter, 'Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling-block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.'

Then Jesus told his disciples, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life?

'For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom.'

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

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**Hymn CP #482 Come and Journey with a Saviour**

**Apostles' Creed**

**Prayers of the People – Litany #1**