



PENTECOST 10

BCP HOLY  
COMMUNION

AUGUST 2, 2026

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WELCOME!

Prelude **"Air"** by Christoph Willibald Gluck

# Opening Hymn #486

## Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

1. Love Divine, All Loves Excelling, joy of heaven to earth come down, fix in us thy humble dwelling all thy faithful mercies crown.
2. Jesus, thou art all compassion; pure, unbounded love thou art; visit us with thy salvation, enter every trembling heart.

# Opening Hymn #486

## Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

3. Come, almighty to deliver; let us all thy grace receive; suddenly return, and never, nevermore thy temples leave.

4. Thee we would be always blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above, pray and praise thee without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.

# Opening Hymn #486

## Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

5. Finish, then, thy new creation; pure and spotless  
let us be; let us see thy great salvation perfectly  
restored in thee,

6. changed from glory into glory, till in heaven we  
take our place, till we cast our crowns before thee,  
lost in wonder, love, and praise.

# Land Acknowledgement

We acknowledge that this church is situated on the traditional territory of the Mississauga peoples and is covered by the Williams Treaties. We recognize the enduring presence of Indigenous peoples connected to and on this land. We are grateful for the opportunity to gather on this territory, and we commit ourselves to the work of reconciliation with First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples.

Creator, let us be of Good Mind to reconcile ourselves, and to work for justice and reconciliation with the peoples and the land. With thankful and respectful hearts, we pray in Your name, Your Son the Peacemaker and the Sacred Spirit. Amen.

# Sentence

We do not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God.

*Matthew 4.4*

# The Gathering of the Community

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

**People** And with thy spirit.

# The Gathering of the Community

**All** Almighty God, unto whom all hearts be open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

# Gloria in Excelsis

**All** Glory be to God on high, and in earth peace,  
good will towards men. 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

# Gloria in Excelsis

the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## Collect of the Day

**All:** Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the word of his kingdom. Renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

# Collect for 190th Anniversary

**Celebrant:** O Gracious God of blessing, we give you thanks and praise for our beloved parish, St. Paul's. We especially give thanks for 190 years of ministry, faithfully serving our neighbours and upholding each other as a community of believers. We ask you now to grant us many more years of ministry, worship and fellowship in this place. Send your Holy Spirit to guide and direct us, renewing our faith and helping us to proclaim the Good News of your Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ, in both our words and our actions. **Amen.**



# The Proclamation of the Word

1st Reading  
Isaiah 55:1-5

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## **Psalms 145:8-9, 14-21 (responsively)**

8 The Lord is gracious and full of compassion,  
slow to anger and of great kindness.

**9 The Lord is loving to everyone  
and his compassion is over all his works.**

## Psalm 145:8-9, 14-21 (responsively)

14 The Lord is faithful in all his words  
and merciful in all his deeds.

**15 The Lord upholds all those who fall;  
he lifts up those who are bowed down.**

## Psalm 145:8-9, 14-21 (responsively)

16 The eyes of all wait upon you, O Lord,  
and you give them their food in due season.

**17 You open wide your hand  
and satisfy the needs of every living creature.**

## Psalm 145:8-9, 14-21 (responsively)

18 The Lord is righteous in all his ways  
and loving in all his works.

**19 The Lord is near to those who call upon him,  
to all who call upon him faithfully.**

## Psalm 145:8-9, 14-21 (responsively)

20 He fulfils the desire of those who fear him,  
he hears their cry and helps them.

**21 The Lord preserves all those who love him,  
but he destroys all the wicked.**

## **Psalm 145:8-9, 14-21 (responsively)**

**All: Almighty God, give us grace to know you more and more, that knowing we may love and loving we may praise, that the whole world may hear your name and worship you, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**



# The Proclamation of the Word

2nd Reading  
Romans 9:1-5

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# Gradual Hymn: # 397

Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness v. 1, 2

1. Praise the one who breaks the darkness  
with a liberating light.

Praise the one who frees the prisoners,  
turning blindness into sight.

Praise the one who preached the gospel, healing every  
dread disease, calming storms and feeding thousands  
with the very bread of peace.

# Gradual Hymn: # 397

Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness v. 1, 2

2. Praise the one who blessed the children  
with a strong yet gentle word.

Praise the one who drove out demons  
with a piercing two-edged sword.

Praise the one who brings cool water to the desert's  
burning sand. From this well comes living water,  
quenching thirst in every land.

# Gospel Response

Celebrant

The Lord be with you.

People

**And with thy spirit.**

Celebrant

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ  
according to Matthew

People

**Glory be to thee, O Lord.**



# GOSPEL

## MATTHEW

### 14:13-21

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# Gospel Response

Celebrant  
People

The Gospel of Christ.

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

# Gradual Hymn: # 397

Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness v. 1, 2

3. Praise the one true love incarnate:

Christ who suffered in our place.

Jesus died and rose for many

that we may know God by grace.

Let us sing for joy and gladness, seeing what our God  
has done. Praise the one redeeming glory, praise the  
One who makes us one.



# HOMILY

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# The Nicene Creed

**I BELIEVE in one God the Father Almighty Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible: And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, Begotten of the Father before all worlds; God, of God; Light, of Light; Very God, of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; Through whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven,**

# The Nicene Creed

And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man, And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried, And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And he shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead: Whose kingdom shall have no end.

# The Nicene Creed

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord, The Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified, Who spake by the Prophets. And I believe One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church. I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the Resurrection of the dead, And the Life of the world to come. Amen.

# Prayers of the People

Let us pray for the Church and the world. Almighty and everliving God, who by thy holy Apostle hast taught us to make prayers and supplications, and to give thanks for all people: we humbly beseech thee most mercifully to receive these our prayers, which we offer unto thy divine majesty; beseeching thee to inspire continually the universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord: and grant that all they that do confess thy holy

# Prayers of the People

name may agree in the truth of thy holy word, and live in unity and godly love. Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops, priests, and deacons, (and specially to thy servant N our bishop), that they may both by their life and doctrine set forth thy true and living word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy sacraments: prosper, we pray thee, all those who proclaim the gospel of thy kingdom among the nations: and to all thy people give

## Prayers of the People

thy heavenly grace, and specially to this congregation here present, that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy word; truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life. We beseech thee also to lead all nations in the way of righteousness; and so to guide and direct their governors and rulers, that thy people may enjoy the blessings of freedom and peace: and grant to thy servant Charles

## Prayers of the People

our King, and to all that are put in authority under him, that they may truly and impartially administer justice, to the maintenance of thy true religion and virtue. And we most humbly beseech thee of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succour all them, who in this transitory life are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, (especially those for whom our prayers are desired). We remember before thee, O Lord, all thy

## Prayers of the People

servants departed this life in thy faith and fear: and we bless thy holy name for all who in life and death have glorified thee; beseeching thee to give us grace that, rejoicing in their fellowship, we may follow their good examples, and with them be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom. Grant this, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate, to whom, with thee and the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, world without end. Amen.

# Confession & Absolution

**Celebrant** Hear what comfortable words our Saviour Christ saith unto all that truly turn to him.

Come unto me all that labour and are heavy laden, and I will refresh you. Matthew 1.28

God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, to the end that all that believe in him should not perish but have eternal life. John 3.16

# Confession & Absolution

Hear also what Saint Paul saith.

This is a true saying, and worthy of all to be received, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. 1 Timothy 1.15

Hear also what Saint John saith.

If anyone sin, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the propitiation for our sins: and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world.  
1 John 2.1,2

# Confession & Absolution

**Leader** Ye that do truly and earnestly repent you of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbours, and intend to lead the new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in his holy ways: draw near with faith, and take this holy sacrament to your comfort; and make your humble confession to almighty God.

**Silence is kept.**

# Confession & Absolution

**All** Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
Maker of all things and judge of all people: We  
acknowledge and confess our manifold sins and  
wickedness, Which we from time to time most  
grievously have committed, By thought, word and  
deed, Against thy divine majesty. We do earnestly  
repent and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings.

# Confession & Absolution

**All** Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, Forgive us all that is past; And grant that we may ever hereafter Serve and please thee In newness of life, To the honour and glory of thy name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

# Confession & Absolution

**Celebrant** Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all them that with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him: have mercy upon you; pardon and deliver you from all your sins; confirm and strengthen you in all goodness; and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

# We Share the Peace

**Celebrant** The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People** And also with you.

*Let's greet one another with a sign of peace*

# Offertory Hymn # 585

## Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service

1. Lord, whose love in humble service  
bore the weight of human need,  
who upon the cross, forsaken,  
worked your mercy's perfect deed:  
we, your servants, bring the worship not of voice  
alone, but heart: consecrating to your purpose every  
gift which you impart

# Offertory Hymn # 585

## Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service

2. Still your children wander homeless:

still the hungry cry for bread;

still the captives long for freedom;

still in grief we mourn our dead.

As you, Lord, in deep compassion healed the sick and  
freed the soul, by your Spirit send your power to our  
world to make it whole.

# Offertory Hymn # 585

## Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service

3. As we worship, grant us vision  
till your love's revealing light  
in its height and depth and greatness  
dawns upon our quickened sight,  
making known the needs and burdens your  
compassion bids us bear, stirring us to ardent service,  
your abundant life to share.

# Prayer over the Gifts

**Celebrant** God our sustainer, accept all we offer you this day, and feed us continually with that bread which satisfies all hunger, your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ.

**Amen.**

# Eucharistic Prayer B

Celebrant

The Lord be with you.

People

**And with thy spirit.**

Celebrant

Lift up your hearts.

People

**We lift them up unto the Lord.**

Celebrant

Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People

**It is meet and right so to do.**

# Eucharistic Prayer B

**Celebrant** It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God, creator and preserver of all things.

Who by water and the Holy Spirit hast made us a holy people in Jesus Christ our Lord; thou dost renew that mystery in bread and wine and nourish us, to show forth thy glory in all the world.

## Eucharistic Prayer B

Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious name; evermore praising thee and singing:

**All** Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts, heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord most high. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord: Hosanna in the highest.

## Eucharistic Prayer B

**Celebrant** All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, who didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again;

## Eucharistic Prayer B

who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

## Eucharistic Prayer B

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory. And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these

## Eucharistic Prayer B

gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the body and blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

**All**            **We praise thee, we bless thee, we thank thee, and we pray to thee, Lord our God.**

**Celebrant** And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee,

## Eucharistic Prayer B

that all who partake of this holy communion may worthily receive the most precious body and blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord; By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honour and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. Amen.

# The Lord's Prayer

**Celebrant** And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

**All** 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

# The Breaking of the Bread

**All** We do not presume to come to this thy table, O merciful Lord, Trusting in our own righteousness, But in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy So much as to gather up the crumbs under thy table. But thou art the same Lord, Whose property is always to have mercy: Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, So to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, And to drink his blood, That we may evermore dwell in him, And he in us. Amen.

# Communion

**Celebrant** The gifts of God for the People of God.

**People** Thanks be to God.

# Communion

## *Agnus Dei*

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.



***All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Communion.***

***All others are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing.  
Currently, intinction (dipping the bread in the wine) is strictly  
prohibited for hygienic reason. If desired, you may instead lay your  
hands on the base of the chalice.***



# Communion Music

## Skye Boat Song

arr. Hugh McLean

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**Violin:** Ruth Fallding  
**Keyboard:** Arlene Gray

## **First Communion Hymn: Break Now the Bread of Life**

**1. Break now the bread of life, dear Lord, to me,  
as once you broke the loaves beside the sea.  
Beyond the sacred page I seek you Lord;  
my spirit waits for you, O loving Word.**

## **First Communion Hymn: Break Now the Bread of Life**

**2. Bless your own truth, dear Lord, to me, to me,  
as when you blest the bread by Galilee;  
then shall all bondage cease, all fetters fall,  
and I shall find my peace, my all in all.**

## **First Communion Hymn: Break Now the Bread of Life**

**3. You are the bread of life, O Lord, to me,  
your holy Word the truth that sets me free.  
Give me to eat and live with you above;  
teach me to love your truth, for you are love.**

## Second Communion Hymn

### My shepherd will supply my need

1 My Shepherd will supply my need,  
Jehovah is His Name;  
in pastures fresh He makes me feed,  
beside the living stream.

He brings my wand'ring spirit back when I forsake  
His ways; and leads me, for His mercy's sake,  
in paths of truth and grace.

# **Second Communion Hymn**

## **My shepherd will supply my need**

**2 When I walk thro' the shades of death,**

**Thy presence is my stay;**

**a word of Thy supporting breath**

**drives all my fears away.**

**Thy hand, in sight of all my foes, doth still my table**

**spread, my cup with blessings overflows,**

**Thine oil anoints my head.**

## Second Communion Hymn

### My shepherd will supply my need

3 The sure provisions of my God  
attend me all my days;

O may Thy house be mine abode,  
and all my work be praise!

There would I find a settled rest, while others go  
and come; no more a stranger or a guest,  
but like a child at home.

# Prayer After Communion

**Celebrant** Let us pray

**All** God of grace, we have shared in the mystery of the body and blood of Christ. May we who have tasted the bread of life live with you for ever. We ask this 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.

# The Blessing

**Celebrant** Send us anywhere you would have us go, only go there with us. Place upon us any burden you desire, only stand by us to sustain us. Break any tie that binds us, except the tie that binds us to you.

And the blessing of God; the Creator, who made and knows us; the Savior, who redeems and befriends us; and the Spirit, who enlightens and sustains us, be with you this day and always. Amen.



# Closing Hymn #70

## Jesus, the Joy of Loving Hearts

1. Jesus, the joy of loving hearts,  
to true source of life, our lives sustain;  
from the best bliss that earth imparts  
we turn unfilled to you again.

# Closing Hymn #70

## Jesus, the Joy of Loving Hearts

2. Your truth unchanged has ever stood;  
you rescue those who on you call:  
on to those yet seeking, you are good;  
to those who find you, all in all

## Closing Hymn #70

### Jesus, the Joy of Loving Hearts

3. We taste of you, the living bread,  
and long to feast upon you still.  
We drink from you, the fountainhead;  
our thirsty souls from you we fill.

## Closing Hymn #70

### Jesus, the Joy of Loving Hearts

4. Our restless spirits long for you,  
however may our lot be cast.  
glad when your gracious smile we view,  
blessed when our faith can hold you fast.

## **Closing Hymn #70**

### **Jesus, the Joy of Loving Hearts**

- 5. Jesus, forever with us stay:  
make all our moments calm and bright;  
chase the dark night of sin away;  
spread through the world your holy light,.**

# Dismissal

**Celebrant** Followers of Jesus, inspired by the Holy Spirit, go, serve the world God loves.

**People** **Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**



# THANK YOU FOR JOINING US TODAY!

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Please stay for  
refreshments after the  
service

# Hymn Sing

**Sept 6 at 10:00 am**

MAJESTY AND POWER.

To God Be the Glory

Our God and Father, to whom be glory be ever

do - ry, great things the  
damp-tern, the put-ting of  
us, great things the