

THE PARISH OF CAMPBELLFORD,
HASTINGS AND ROSENEATH

REFUGEE SUNDAY



TRINITY SUNDAY
MAY 30TH, 2021 ~ 10:00AM
MORNING PRAYER

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The Gathering of the Community

Celebrant Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory. *Isaiah 6.3*

HYMN # 300
CHRIST IS MADE THE SURE FOUNDATION
WESTMINSTER ABBEY

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 also with you.**

Celebrant May his grace and peace be with you.

People **May he fill our hearts with joy.**

Leader Let us remember before God our selfish ways, the things we have done wrong, the sorrows we have caused, the love we have not shown.

Silence for reflection is kept.

All **Most merciful Father, forgive us our sins against you and against each other. Strengthen us to overcome our weaknesses, that we may live in love as you would have us live, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Saviour. 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.

People **Amen.**

Celebrant Cast your burden upon the Lord,
People And he will sustain you.

Celebrant Create in me a clean heart, O God,
People And renew a right spirit within me.

Celebrant Cast me not away from your presence.
People And take not your Holy Spirit from me.

Celebrant Give me the joy of your saving help again
People And sustain me with your bountiful Spirit.

Celebrant Blessed be the Lord day by day,
People The God of our salvation, who bears our burdens.

VENITE *(Sung)*

O Come, let us sing unto the Lord: let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation. Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving, and show ourselves glad in him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods. In his hand are all the corners of the earth: and the strength of the hills is his also. The sea is his, and he made it: and his hands prepared the dry land.

O Come, let us worship, and fall down, and kneel before the Lord our Maker. For he is the Lord our God; and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

Today, O that ye would hear his voice: 'Harden not your hearts as in the Provocation, and as in the day of Temptation in the wilderness; When your fathers tempted me, proved me, and saw my works.

Forty years long was I grieved with that generation, and said, "It is a people that do err in their hearts, for they have not known my ways"; Unto whom I sware in my wrath, that they should not enter into my rest.'

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

We Listen to God's Word

Reader A reading from the book of **Isaiah**

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory." The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said: "Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!" Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: "Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out." Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I; send me!" **ISAIAH 6:1-8**

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.
All Thanks be to God.

Reader A reading of Psalm 29

Ascribe to the Lord, you gods, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders; the Lord is upon the mighty waters.

The voice of the Lord is a powerful voice; the voice of the Lord is a voice of splendour.

The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar trees; the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon;

He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.

The voice of the Lord splits the flames of fire; the voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness; the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.

The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees writhe and strips the forests bare.

And in the temple of the Lord all are crying, "Glory!"

The Lord sits enthroned above the flood; the Lord sits enthroned as king for evermore.

The Lord shall give strength to his people; the Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace.

God of mystery and power, open our eyes to the flame of your love, and open our ears to the thunder of your justice, that we may receive your gifts of blessing and peace, to the glory of your name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE HOLY SPIRIT

Leader Come, Holy Spirit, creator, and renew the face of the earth.

All Come, Holy Spirit, come.

Leader Come, Holy Spirit, counsellor, and touch our lips that we may proclaim your word.

All Come, Holy Spirit, come.

Leader Come, Holy Spirit, power from on high: make us agents of peace and ministers of wholeness.

All Come, Holy Spirit, come.

Leader Come, Holy Spirit, breath of God, give life to the dry bones of this exiled age, and make us a living people, holy and free.

All Come, Holy Spirit, come.

Leader Come, Holy Spirit, wisdom and truth: strengthen us in the risk of faith.

All Come, Holy Spirit, come.

Reader A reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans

So then, brothers and sisters, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh - for if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ - if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him. ROMANS 8:12-17

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HYMN # 423
HOW GREAT THOU ART HOW GREAT THOU ART

Reader A reading from the Gospel of John

Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God." Jesus answered him, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above." Nicodemus said to him, "How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?" Jesus answered,

"Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be astonished that I said to you, 'You must be born from above.' The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit." Nicodemus said to him, "How can these things be?" Jesus answered him, "Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things? Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him." JOHN 3:1-17

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SERMON Rev. Mary Bell-Plouffe

A Moment for Quiet Reflection

Anthem TO GOD BE THE GLORY TO GOD BE THE GLORY



We Respond to God's Word

THE CREED *Immigrant Apostle's Creed (Rev. Jose Luis Casal)*

Leader Let us affirm our faith.

All **I believe in Almighty God, who guided the people in exile and in exodus, the God of Joseph in Egypt and Daniel in Babylon, the God of foreigners and immigrants.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, a displaced Galilean, who was born away from his people and his home, who fled his country with his parents when his life was in danger. When he returned to his own country he suffered under the oppression of Pontius Pilate, the servant of a foreign power. Jesus was persecuted, beaten, tortured and unjustly condemned to death. But on the third day Jesus rose

from the dead, not as a scorned foreigner but to offer us citizenship in God's kingdom.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the eternal immigrant from God's kingdom among us, who speaks all languages, lives in all countries, and reunites all races. I believe that the Church is the secure home for foreigners and for all believers. I believe that the communion of saints begins when we embrace all God's people in all their diversity. Amen.

Source <https://claytonfaulkner.com/2017/10/20/weekly-worship-thought-the-immigrant-apostles-creed>

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Intercessor Let us pray.
Inspired by the Spirit, we now offer our Sunday prayers to God in the name of Jesus Christ, saying: Lord, have mercy.

For the fulfillment of the mission of the church, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For the liberation of the children of-God from the bondage of fear, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For the consolation of all those who struggle with doubts or disbelief, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For renewed witness to the gospel among Christian people in positions of public trust, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For our assembly as we hand on the faith of our ancestors from one generation to another, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For the power to live out the promises of our baptism, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For all the sick and the suffering, the lonely and the dying especially for Al, Bob, Barry, Bill, Bob, Brian, Bryce, Caroline, Dave N. Dianne, Don, Ed, Eileen, Gayle, Jack, Jen, Jennifer, John, Kelly, Lawrence, Linda, Margaret, Marie-Eve, Ottley, Ruth, Sheldon Wayne and **[Names in Parish]**, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor In the communion of the Holy Spirit, with Mary, the mother of the Son of God, and with all the saints in light, let us commend our lives and the lives of one another to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor Today in our Anglican Cycle of prayer we pray for, St. James the Apostle, Sharon, its Second Chance clothing depot, weekly food

closet, and participation in Inn from the Cold; for St. James, Caledon East, its support of Sleeping Children Around the World, Water Ambassadors, FaithWorks, the Elizabeth Fry Society, and Choices Youth Shelter; and for St. James, Orillia, its food support of the Orillia Lighthouse, weekly “Loonie Lunch” program, and other food security supports; its thrift shop, housing and shelter advocacy, and its support of Couchiching Jubilee House and the Pikangikum water project, let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Intercessor In our own Deanery of Peterborough we offer our prayers for, Retired Clergy: The Rev. Robert Flowers and The Rev. Robert Hartley, let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Almighty God, with tender love we call you our Abba. Answer the prayers of your children gathered here, for we rely on you and have confidence in you. We ask this through Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.

COVID PRAYER this Sunday and others at:

<https://www.miltonanglican.org/prayers-for-the-covid-19-crisis.html>

<https://www.oikoumene.org/resources/covid-19-resources>

<https://www.xavier.edu/jesuitresource/online-resources/prayer-index/coronavirus-prayers>

<https://www.englishcathedrals.co.uk/latest-news/prayers-for-coronavirus/>

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COLLECT OF THE DAY

A Moment for Grace: A Prayer for Refugees (Catholic Relief Services)

Leader God of our Wandering Ancestors,
Long have we known
That your heart is with the refugee:
That you were born into time
In a family of refugees
Fleeing violence in their homeland,
Who then gathered up their hungry child
And fled into alien country.
Their cry, your cry, resounds through the
ages:
“Will you let me in?”
Give us hearts that break open
When our brothers and sisters turn to us with
that same cry.
Then surely all these things will follow:
Ears will no longer turn deaf to their voices.
Eyes will see a moment for grace instead of a
threat.
Tongues will not be silenced but will instead
advocate.
And hands will reach out—
working for peace in their homeland,
working for justice in the lands where they
seek safe haven.
Lord, protect all refugees in their travels.
May they find a friend in me
And so make me worthy
Of the refuge I have found in you. **Amen.**

Source: Catholic Relief Services:

<https://www.crs.org/sites/default/files/usops-resources/a-moment-for-grace-4.pdf>

THE LORD'S PRAYER

(Said)

Leader 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.**

GRACE

All **The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. Amen.**

THE BLESSING

~DISMISSAL~

BENEDICTION HYMN

The Lord bless you and keep you;
The Lord make His face to shine upon you
To shine upon you and be gracious
And be gracious unto you
The Lord bless you and keep you
The Lord lift up the light of His countenance upon
You
And give you peace, and give you peace.
Amen.

Today's Readers

1st Lesson OT	Niki Ellwood
Psalm	June Seaborn
2nd Lesson	Larry Ricciardelli
Gospel	Alden Mitchell
Prayers	Ann Chambers

Next Weeks Readers June 6th, 2021

1st Lesson OT	Allen McCracken
Psalm	Irene Fulton
2nd Lesson	Alden Mitchell
Gospel	Sandy Philp
Prayers	Nancy DeKuyper





Arbor Day

It's Arbor Day at Christ Church on Saturday June 5th starting at 9:00am.

Come out and help us clean up the Church and Rectory.

If you have your own tools please bring them along.

Next Sunday June 6th, 2021, 10:00am
Rev. Mary Bell-Plouffe
2nd Sunday After Pentecost ~ Morning Prayer
Readings

1 SAMUEL 8:4-20

PSALM 138

2 CORINTHIANS
4:13-5:1

MARK 3:20-35

Bible readings are taken from The New Revised Standard Version.



**Christ Church Office Hours: 9:00am - 3:00pm, Tuesday - Friday
Closed between 12pm - 1pm**

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