

*Welcome to St. Aidan's--we are blessed by your presence today! Hymns are found in the blue "Common Praise" book.  
We acknowledge that the land on which we gather is the traditional territory of the Algonquin Anishnaabeg People.*

## **The Gathering of the Community**

**Hymn 414:** God of the Sparrow

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.**

### **The Grace**

**Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden.  
Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you,  
and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### **The Collect**

Lord of heaven and earth, as Jesus taught the disciples to be persistent in prayer, give us patience and courage never to lose hope, but always to bring our prayers before you. We ask this through Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## **The Proclamation of the Word**

### **A Reading from Hosea**

When the Lord first spoke through Hosea, the Lord said to Hosea, "Go, take for yourself a wife of whoredom and have children of whoredom, for the land commits great whoredom by forsaking the Lord." So he went and took Gomer daughter of Diblaim, and she conceived and bore him a son. And the Lord said to him, "Name him Jezreel; for in a little while I will punish the house of Jehu for the blood of Jezreel, and I will put an end to the kingdom of the house of Israel. On that day I will break the bow of Israel in the valley of Jezreel." She conceived again and bore a daughter. Then the Lord said to him, "Name her Loruhamah, for I will no longer have pity on the house of Israel or forgive them. But I will have pity on the house of Judah, and I will save them by the Lord their God; I will not save them by bow, or by sword, or by war, or by horses, or by horsemen." When she had weaned Loruhamah, she conceived and bore a son. Then the Lord said, "Name him Loammi, for you are not my people and I am not your God." Yet the number of the people of Israel shall be like the sand of the sea, which can be neither measured nor numbered; and in the place where it was said to them, "You are not my people," it shall be said to them, "Children of the living God."

HOSEA 1:2-10

Holy Word, Holy Wisdom. **Thanks be to God.**

## Psalms 85

You have been gracious to your land, O Lord, **you have restored the good fortune of Jacob.**

You have forgiven all the iniquity of your people **and blotted out all their sins.**

You have withdrawn all your fury **and turned yourself from your wrathful indignation.**

Restore us then, O God our Saviour; **let your anger depart from us.**

Will you be displeased with us for ever? **Will you prolong your anger from age to age?**

Will you not give us life again, **that your people may rejoice in you?**

Show us your mercy, O Lord, **and grant us your salvation.**

I will listen to what you, Lord God, are saying,

**for you are speaking peace to your faithful people and to those who turn their hearts to you.**

Truly, your salvation is very near to those who fear you, **that your glory may dwell in our land.**

Mercy and truth have met together; **righteousness and peace have kissed each other.**

Truth shall spring up from the earth, **and righteousness shall look down from heaven.**

Lord, you will indeed grant prosperity, **and our land will yield its increase.**

Righteousness shall go before you, **and peace shall be a pathway for your feet.**

## A Reading from Colossians

As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving. See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the universe, and not according to Christ. For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority. In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of the flesh in the circumcision of Christ; when you were buried with him in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead. And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses, erasing the record that stood against us with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross. He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public example of them, triumphing over them in it.

COLOSSIANS 2:6-15

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## The Holy Gospel

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke. **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Jesus was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." He said to them, "When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial." And he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him.' And he answers from within, 'Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs. So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

LUKE 11:1-13

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

## Homily

## The Apostles Creed

Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,  
**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**  
**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.**  
**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary.**  
**He 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, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**  
**He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**  
**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,**  
**the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,**  
**the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## The Prayers of the People

*Response:* Let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

*We pray for Lynn, Warren, Terence, Sandra, Ruth, David, Sylvy,*

*We give thanks for the life of Rita Ward, mother of Rob Ward.*

## The Peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**

**Hymn 435:** Take My Life, and Let It Be

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## The Celebration of the Eucharist

### Prayer over the Gifts

God of grace, accept all we offer you this day, as we look toward the glory you have promised.  
This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### Eucharistic Prayer Two

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise. [...]**

Now with all creation we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

**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.**

All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and for ever. **Amen**

## The Lord's Prayer

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

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.**

### The Communion

*For Communion from the Pews, tell our Sidesperson, or raise your hand; otherwise, Communion is offered at Altar Rail.*

### Prayer after Communion

God of grace, we have received the memorial of the death and resurrection of your Son. May your love, poured into us, bring us to your promises. We ask this in the name of our Redeemer Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

Glory to God, **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.**

### Blessing and Dismissal

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make God's face shine on you, and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favour, and grant you peace. **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**Hymn Handout:** Go Now In Peace

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*After worship, join us for Lemonade on the Lawn (or Narthex)! National Capital First Aid is renting Lindsifarne Hall.*

**Heron Emergency Food Centre:** While the need is ever present, there tends to be a significant drop in donations during the summer months. Suggested items: canned tuna, vegetables, and legumes; cereal and snacks for children; feminine and personal care products.

**Holidays:** Rev. Rosemary is on holidays from July 29th to August 26th. During that time, please contact our Wardens or Parish Office with any practical or pastoral concerns. Nancy Gover (613-315-5776), Claire Chapdelaine (613-255-7151), or Phil Charko (613-724-7502).

**St Aidan's Office:** Will be on a flexible schedule until Wednesday September 3rd. Voicemail and email will be monitored.

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