

*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 262: Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

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.

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.

Creator of the fruitful earth, you made us stewards of all things. Give us grateful hearts for all your goodness, and steadfast wills to use your bounty well, that the whole human family, today and in generations to come, may with us give thanks for the riches of your creation. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

The Proclamation of the Word

A Reading from Deuteronomy

For the Lord your God is bringing you into a good land, a land with flowing streams, with springs and underground waters welling up in valleys and hills, a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, a land where you may eat bread without scarcity, where you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron and from whose hills you may mine copper. You shall eat your fill and bless the Lord your God for the good land that he has given you. Take care that you do not forget the Lord your God, by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes, which I am commanding you today. When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them, and when your herds and flocks have multiplied, and your silver and gold is multiplied, and all that you have is multiplied, then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid wasteland with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow for you from flint rock, and fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you, and in the end to do you good. Do not say to yourself, "My power and the might of my own hand have gotten me this wealth." But remember the Lord your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors as he is doing today.

DEUTERONOMY 8:7-18

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

Psalms 65

You are to be praised, O God, in Zion; **to you shall vows be performed in Jerusalem.**
To you that hear prayer **shall all flesh come.**
Our sins are stronger than we are, **but you will blot out our transgressions.**
Happy are they whom you choose **and draw to your courts to dwell there!**
They will be satisfied by the beauty of your house, **by the holiness of your temple.**
Awesome things will you show us in your righteousness, **O God of our salvation,**
O Hope of all the ends of the earth **and of the seas that are far away.**
You make fast the mountains by your power; **they are girded about with might.**
You still the roaring of the seas, **the roaring of their waves, and the clamour of the peoples.**
Those who dwell at the ends of the earth will tremble at your marvellous signs;
you make the dawn and the dusk to sing for joy.
You visit the earth and water it abundantly; **you make it very plenteous;**
The river of God is full of water. **You prepare the grain, for so you provide for the earth.**
You drench the furrows and smooth out the ridges; **with heavy rain you soften the ground and bless its increase.**
You crown the year with your goodness, **and your paths overflow with plenty.**

May the fields of the wilderness be rich for grazing, **and the hills be clothed with joy.**
May the meadows cover themselves with flocks, and the valleys cloak themselves with grain;
let them shout for joy and sing.

A Reading from Second Corinthians

The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. As it is written, "He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever." He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your sharing with them and with all others, while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

2 CORINTHIANS 9:6-15

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Gospel Procession: **In the Lord, I'll be ever thankful; in the Lord, I will rejoice!**
Look to God, do not be afraid. Lift up your voices, the Lord is near!
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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.**

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

LUKE 17:11-19

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

Sermon

Creed Hymn 44

The Prayers of the People

Response: Let us say, **We thank you, Lord.**

We pray for Lynn, Sandra, Terence, Laurie, Jennifer, Kathryn, Chris, Ronald.

Confession and Absolution

Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; God welcomes sinners and invites them to this table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

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. **Amen.**

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

Hymn 404: The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing

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The Celebration of the Eucharist

Prayer over the Gifts

Source of all life, the heaven and earth are yours, yet you have given us dominion over all things. Receive the symbols of our labour and love which we offer you this day, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer (Salal and Cedar, Adapted for Local Use, Used with Permission)

May God be with you. **And also with you.**

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

Let us thank the Giver of Life. **It is right to give our thanks and praise. [...]**

Together with angels and ancestors, lake and river, deer and coyote, birch tree and cedar,

we join our voices with all of creation as we sing: ***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, Hosanna in the highest.

Creator, send your Spirit on these gifts, that we who eat and drink at this table may be one with all who hunger and thirst for justice, and be joined with all of creation, our kin. Pour out your Spirit on the whole earth, that it may become your new creation, and that we, along with your people, of every language, race and nation, may share the banquet you have promised St Aidan's and all the saints, who rest in the wisdom of sparrow and lily, raven and mustard seed, now and on the new earth. All honour and glory are yours, Creator, Saviour, and Spirit, now and in the world to come. **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

Creator of all, you gave us golden fields of wheat, whose many grains we have gathered and made into this one bread. **So may your Church be gathered from the ends of the earth into your kingdom.**

The Gifts of God for the People of God. **Thanks be to God.**

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us. Jesus, Bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.

Jesus, Redeemer, Redeemer of the world, give us your peace, give us your peace.

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 our hope, in this eucharist we find the source of all your blessings. Nourished in these holy mysteries may we, with our lives, give you continual thanks and praise. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **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.

May our Creator, who is the source of all goodness and growth, pour God's blessing upon all things created, and upon you God's children, that you may use these gifts to God's glory and the welfare of all peoples; and the blessing of God Almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be with you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

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

Hymn 258: We Plough the Fields and Scatter

After worship, all are welcome to Coffee Time in Lindisfarne Hall!

St Aidan's Monthly Sunday School today! Sunday School will be held in Lindisfarne Hall on the second Sunday of each month.

Warm Hearts, Warm Church Campaign: Thanks to all who have generously supported our Campaign through prayer and donations! As of October 8th, we have raised a total of **\$65,400.14** (actual received: **\$45,400.14**, pledged: **\$20,000**) towards the goal of **\$61,944.34**. Any surplus funds enable St Aidan's to respond to unexpected changes with the project.

Giving Thanks for our Garden Team: St Aidan's is grateful to our gardeners, who came every week this summer to weed and water our beautiful garden: Linda Hannah, Sarah Elias, Linda Bennett, Amanda Harding, Vi Tobin, and their coordinator, Claire Chapdelaine. Thanks also to Chuck Adamson, Stephen Talbot, and Bill Wicker for their pruning skills!

POSTPONED - Coping with Grief and Loss Workshop: Due to an unexpected change, we are temporarily postponing the Grief Workshop originally planned on October 17th. Please stay tuned for the new date and details; it will be a helpful gathering for all who are mourning loved ones, or supporting those living with grief.

Guest Preacher: On Sunday, October 25th, we will welcome the Reverend Canon Hilary Murray as our Guest Preacher. Among her many gifts and experiences, Canon Hilary serves as the Chaplain for Cornerstone Housing for Women (one of our Diocesan Community Ministries).

Coffee Time Ministry - Volunteers Needed: Do you enjoy our Coffee Time after worship? We are looking for volunteers to help make the coffee/tea and put out our church-supplied treats; plan to arrive by 9:00 am on Sunday, and to stay after the gathering to clean up. Speak with our new Coffee Time Coordinator, Ruth Alberts, to sign up!

Yuletide Bazaar: Saturday November 14 is the date for the Bazaar, this is a great community building event as well as a fundraiser. There are many ways to participate, please see the one page sheet available today that outlines how you can help. Donations for the Online and Silent Auctions can now be brought in. We are looking for new or gently used items that you think people would be interested in bidding on. Some items may be combined to make up attractive baskets. If you have questions about the suitability of items please contact Kathryn Noel at 613-292-4902 (kathrynVRNoel@outlook.com) or Chris Drinkwater at 613-371-0716 or christine.drinkwater@gmail.com.

All are welcome on Wednesdays for BCP Eucharist at 10:00 am, and/or Coffee Time at 10:30 am!

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Intercessor: James Phillips
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