



October 27, 2019 8:00 am - Welcome

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Celebrant: The Rev. Peter Case
Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Stan Lucyk
Reader: Heather Bonham
Greeter: Susan Kilpatrick
Server: Derek Falkner

St. George's Cathedral is situated on traditional Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee territory. We are grateful to be able to live, learn, and worship on these lands. If you are new to the Cathedral and would like to be contacted, please fill out the blue and white card in the pew. You may place it on the Offertory plate or give it to the clergy.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant Let us pray. O God of salvation, we come to you in joy, for you have heard the prayers of the poor and raised up the lowly. Pour out your Spirit on young and old alike, so that our dreams and visions may bring justice and peace to the world.

ALL Amen

The Proclamation of the Word

A Reading from the Book of the Prophecies of Joel 2:23-32

O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the Lord your God; for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before. The threshing floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil. I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you. You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the Lord, am your God and there is no other. And my people shall never again be put to shame.

Then afterward I will pour out my spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions. Even on the male and female slaves, in those days, I will pour out my spirit. I will show portents in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke. The sun shall be turned to darkness, and the moon to blood, before the great and terrible day of the Lord comes. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved; for in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the Lord has said, and among the survivors shall be those whom the Lord calls.

Reader: The word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Psalm 65

¹ Praise is due to thee, O God, in Sion / and unto thee shall the vow be performed in Jerusalem.

² Thou that hearest the prayer / unto thee shall all flesh come.

³ My misdeeds prevail against me / O be thou merciful unto our sins.

⁴ Blessed is the man whom thou chooseth and receivest / that he may dwell in thy courts.

⁵ We shall be satisfied with the pleasures of thy house / even of thy holy temple.

⁶ Thou shalt show us wonderful things in thy righteousness, O God of our salvation / thou that art the hope of all the ends of the earth, and of them that remain in the broad sea;

⁷ Who in his strength setteth fast the mountains / and is girded about with power;

⁸ Who stilleth the raging of the seas / the roaring of their waves, and the tumult of the peoples.

⁹ They also that dwell in the uttermost parts of the earth are afraid at thy tokens / thou that makest the outgoings of the morning and evening to praise thee.

¹⁰ Thou visitest the earth and waterest it / thou makest it very plenteous.

¹¹ The river of God is full of water / thou preparest their grain, for so thou providest for the earth.

¹² Thou waterest her furrows, smoothing the ridges thereof / thou makest it soft with the drops of rain, and blessest the increase of it.

¹³ Thou crownest the year with thy goodness / and thy paths drip with fatness.

¹⁴ The pastures of the wilderness drip / and the little hills rejoice on every side.

¹⁵ The pastures are clothed with flocks / the valleys also stand so thick with grain that they laugh and sing.

A Reading from the Second Letter of Paul to Timothy 4:6-8,16-18

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. At my first defence no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Please stand, and turn to face the Gospel reader.

Gospeller The Lord be with you

PEOPLE And with thy spirit

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ According to Luke

PEOPLE Glory be to Thee, O Lord

Jesus also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."

Gospeller: The Gospel of Christ

People: Praise be to Thee, O Christ

The Sermon

Rev. Dr. Stan Lucyk

**The flowers at the High Altar
are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving
for grandchildren Charlie, Liam and Clara, and their parents
Elizabeth and Adam, from Diana Davis Duerkop and John Duerkop.**

Readings for Sunday, Nov. 3, Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost:

Daniel 7:1-3,15-18, Psalm 149, Ephesians 1:11-23, Luke 6:20-31

*****NOTE: CLOCKS GO BACK NEXT SATURDAY, NOV. 2*****

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