EASY PRINT – Seventh Sunday after Pentecost – July 27, 2025

Welcome – Fr. Daniel

Please rise in body or spirit

Processional Hymn: #318 – "REJOICE TODAY WITH ONE ACCORD"

All sing

Rejoice today with one accord, sing out with exultation; rejoice and praise our mighty Lord, whose arm hath brought salvation. His works of love proclaim the greatness of his name, for he is God alone who hath his mercy shown; let all his saints adore him!

When in distress to him we cried, he heard our sad complaining.

O trust in him, whate'er betide; his love is all–sustaining.

Triumphant songs of praise to him our hearts shall raise;
now every voice shall say, "O praise our God alway"; let all his saints adore him!

▼ The Gathering of the Community

Leader: 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.

Leader: Almighty God,

All: 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 of the Day

Please kneel or be seated

Leader: O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is

strong, nothing is holy, increase and multiply upon us your mercy, that with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

Reader: A Reading from the Book of Hosea.

Please be seated

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 Lo-ruhamah, 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 Lo-ammi, 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."

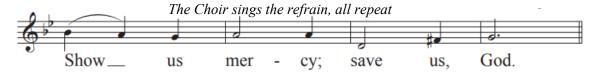
Reader: The word of the Lord. People: **Thanks be to God.**

Hosea 1.2-10

A moment of silence is observed

Psalm #85

Please remain seated



Verse: You have been gracious to your land, O God, you have restored the good fortune of Jacob. You have forgiven the iniquity of your people and blotted out all their sins.

REFRAIN

Verse: 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.

REFRAIN

Verse: 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 God, and grant us your salvation. **REFRAIN**

Verse: You speak, O God and I will listen, for your words are 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. **REFRAIN**

Verse: 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. **REFRAIN**

Verse: God shall indeed grant prosperity, and our land will yield its increase. Righteousness shall go before you, and peace shall be a pathway for your feet. **REFRAIN**



Reader: A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Colossians. Please be seated

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.

Therefore do not let anyone condemn you in matters of food and drink or of observing festivals, new moons, or sabbaths. These are only a shadow of what is to come, but the substance belongs to Christ. Do not let anyone disqualify you, insisting on self-abasement and worship of angels, dwelling on visions, puffed up without cause by a human way of thinking, and not holding fast to the head, from whom the whole body, nourished and held together by its ligaments and sinews, grows with a growth that is from God.

Reader: The word of the Lord. Colossians 2.6-19 People: Thanks be to God. A moment of silence is observed

Sequence Hymn: #572 – "LET THERE BE LIGHT" Please rise in body or spirit

The first two verse are sung before the Gospel.

Let there be light, let there be understanding, let all the nations gather, let them be face to face;

open our lips, open our minds to ponder, open the door of concord opening into grace;

The last two verse will be sung; after the Gospel.

The Gospel

Priest: The Lord be with you. People: And also with you.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke. Priest:

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Glo-ry to you, Lord Je-sus 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!"

Priest: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to you, Lord Je-sus Christ.

Luke 11.1-13

The last two verses will be sung; after the Gospel.

Perish the sword, perish the angry judgement, perish the bombs and hunger, perish the fight for gain;

Let there be light, open our hearts to wonder, perish the way of terror, hallow the world God made.

Sermon Please be seated

The Nicene Creed

Please rise in body or spirit

Leader: Let us confess our faith as we say,

All: We believe in one God, the Father, the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

All: For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

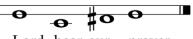
The Prayers of the People

Please kneel or be seated

The leader offers prayers for the church, the world, the sick and the suffering, and those who have died.

Leader: Let us pray with confidence to the Lord singing...

All:



Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: O Lord, guard and direct your Church in the way of unity, service, and praise. In the Mississauga Deanery, we pray for In our own parish we pray for We also pray for all First Responders and the Armed Forces that serve and protect us all. Let us pray.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Give to all nations an awareness of the unity of the human family. Let us pray.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Cleanse our hearts of prejudice and selfishness, and inspire us to hunger and thirst for what is right. Let us pray.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Teach us to use your creation for your greater praise, that all may share the good things you provide. Let us pray.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Strengthen all who give their energy or skill for the healing of those who

are sick in body or in mind, Let us pray.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Set free all who are bound by fear and despair. Let us pray.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Grant a peaceful end and eternal rest to all whom have died, ... and your

comfort to those who mourn. Let us pray.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Almighty God,

All: you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications to you, and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together you will hear their requests. Fulfil now our desires and petitions, as may be best for us, granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come eternal life; for you, Father, are good and loving, and we glorify you through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, in the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.

Confession and Absolution

Please kneel or be seated

Leader: Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he

welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins,

confident in God's forgiveness.

Leader: Most merciful God,

All: 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.

Priest: 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.

The Peace

Please rise in body or spirit

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

The ministry of the church depends on the generosity of it's members. We give in the thanksgiving for all that God has given us.

We welcome back the children from Sunday school during the offertory hymn.

Please rise in body or spirit

Offertory Hymn: #300– "CHRIST IS MADE THE SURE ..."

Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ the head and cornerstone, chosen of the Lord, and precious, binding all the church in one, holy Zion's help forever, and her confidence alone.

All that dedicated city, dearly loved of God on high, in exultant jubilation pours perpetual melody, God the One–in–Three adoring in glad hymns eternally.

To this temple, where we call thee, come, O Lord of hosts, today; with thy wonted loving–kindness, hear thy servants as they pray; and thy fullest benediction shed within its walls alway.

▼ The Celebration of the Eucharist

Priest: 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.

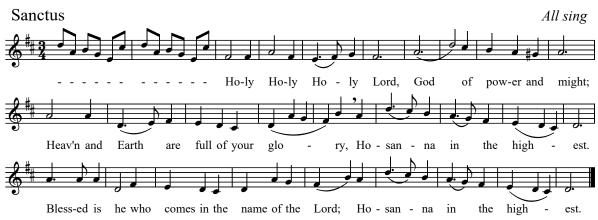
All: Amen.





the Lord our God. Let us give thanks to Ιt right to give our thanks and praise.

Priest: We give you thanks and praise, almighty God, through your beloved son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Redeemer. He is your living Word, through whom you have created all things. By the power of the Holy Spirit he took flesh of the Virgin Mary and shared our human nature. He lived and died as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. In fulfilment of your will he stretched out his hands in suffering, to bring release to those who place their hope in you; and so he won for you a holy people. He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows, and to give up his life on the cross, that he might shatter the chains of evil and death, and banish the darkness of sin and despair. By his resurrection he brings us into the light of your presence. Now with all creation we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.



Please kneel or be seated

Holy and gracious God, accept our praise, through your son our Saviour Priest: Jesus Christ; who on the night he was handed over to suffering and death, took bread and gave you thanks, saying, "Take, and eat" this is my body which is broken for you." In the same way he took the cup, saying, "This is my blood which is shed for you. When you do this, you do it in memory of me."

> Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, we offer you this bread and this cup, giving thanks that you have made us worthy to be in your presence and serve you. We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering of your holy Church.

Priest: Gather into one all who share in these sacred mysteries, filling them with the Holy Spirit and confirming their faith in the truth, that together we may praise you and give you glory through your Servant, Jesus Christ. All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and forever.

All: Amen.



Priest: "I am the bread of life," says the Lord. "Whoever comes to me will never be hungry; whoever believes in me will never thirst."

All: Taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are they who trust in him!

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

Priest: If you are joining us from home, join us in this act of Eucharist by offering with me this prayer for Spiritual Communion.

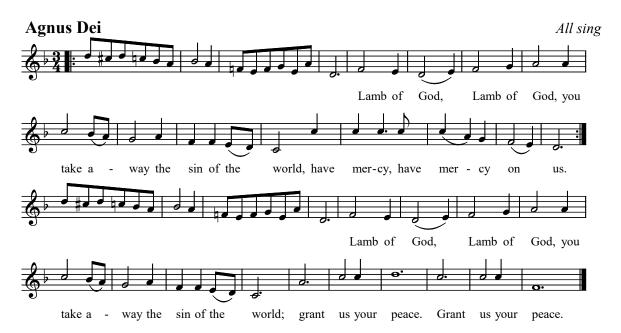
The following is said by the Priest and those worshipping with us online.

Online: Lord Jesus, you are the Word that became flesh, to dwell among us, and you are the Bread of Life sent down from heaven; as I cannot now take the Bread, let your Word dwell in my heart, that you may abide in me and I in you.

All: Amen.

Priest: The gifts of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God.



The Communion

Those who have been baptized in any Christian church, including children, are welcome to receive communion. If you have not been baptized yet or do not wish to receive the bread and wine, you are welcome to come to the altar rail for a blessing. Simply cross your hands over your chest to alert the priest you wish to receive a blessing.

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

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

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

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.

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.

Communion Hymn: #551 "MY FAITH LOOKS UP TO THEE" (if needed)

My faith looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Calvary, Saviour divine! Now hear me while I pray, take all my guilt away; O let me from this day be wholly Thine.

May Thy rich grace impart strength to my fainting heart, my zeal inspire; as Thou hast died for me, O may my love to Thee pure, warm, and changeless be, a living fire.

While life's dark maze I tread, and griefs around me spread, be Thou my Guide; bid darkness turn to day, wipe sorrow's tears away, nor let me ever stray from Thee aside.

When ends life's transient dream, when death's cold, sullen stream shall o'er me roll, blest Saviour, then in love, fear and distrust remove; O bear me safe above, a ransomed soul.

Prayer after Communion

Priest: 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.

All: Amen.

Priest: 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

Announcements

Please rise in body or spirit

Closing Hymn: #461 – "STAND UP, STAND UP FOR JESUS"

Stand up, stand up for Jesus, you soldiers of the cross! Lift high his royal banner, it must not suffer loss. From victory on to victory his army he shall lead till evil is defeated, and Christ is Lord indeed.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus! The trumpet—call obey; then join the mighty conflict in this his glorious day. Be strong in faith and serve him against unnumbered foes; let courage rise with danger, and strength to strength oppose.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus! Stand in his power alone, for human might will fail you – you dare not trust your own. Put on the gospel armour, keep watch with constant prayer; where duty calls or danger, be never failing there.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus! The fight will not be long; this day the noise of battle, the next the victor's song. To everyone who conquers, a crown of life shall be; we, with the king of glory, shall reign eternally.

Dismissal

Priest: Go in peace, and hallow the name of Our Father in Heaven. Alleluia!

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

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