



# St. Augustine's Church

A Church Family in the Heart of the City



"The Trinity (also called The Hospitality of Abraham), by Andrei Rublev, 15th century"

**May 26, 2024, 10:00 AM**

**Trinity Sunday**  
**The Holy Eucharist**  
May 26, 2024

**Prelude**

**Processional Hymn: #1 Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty**

**Welcome and Announcements**

The Rev. Steve Bateman

**Children's Focus**

**The Gathering of the Community**

*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* Almighty God,

*People* **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.**

**Glory to God**

**Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.**

**Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.**

**For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

**The Collect of the Day**

*Celebrant* Let us pray. *(all kneeling)*

*All* **Father, we praise you: through your Word and Holy Spirit you created all things. You reveal your salvation in all the world by sending to us Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh. Through your Holy Spirit you give us a share**

in your life and love. Fill us with the vision of your glory, that we may always serve and praise you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

### **The Proclamation of the Word**

*At the conclusion of each reading, the reader shall say:  
And the people shall respond:*

**The Word of the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.**

**First Reading**      Isaiah 6:1-8

Lee Cutforth

**Second Reading**    Romans 8:12-17

Nadia Lehbauer

### **Gradual Hymn: By Faith**

**By faith we see the hand of God  
In the light of creation's grand design  
In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness  
Who walk by faith and not by sight**

**By faith our fathers roamed the earth  
With the pow'r of His promise in their hearts  
Of a holy city built by God's own hand  
A place where peace and justice reign**

### **Chorus**

**We will stand as children of the promise  
We will fix our eyes on Him our soul's reward  
Till the race is finished and the work is done  
We'll walk by faith and not by sight**

**By faith the prophets saw a day  
When the longed-for Messiah would appear  
With the pow'r to break the chains of sin and death  
And rise triumphant from the grave**

**By faith the church was called to go  
In the pow'r of the Spirit to the lost  
To deliver captives and to preach good news  
In ev'ry corner of the earth                      *Chorus***

**By faith the mountain shall be moved  
And the pow'r of the gospel shall prevail  
For we know in Christ all things are possible  
For all who call upon His name**      Chorus

**The Gospel:** John 3:1-17

Linda Bateman

*Reader*      The Lord be with you.

*People*      **And also with you.**

*Reader*      The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

*People*      **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

*Reader*      The Gospel of Christ.

*People*      **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

**Sermon**

The Rev. Dr. Gillian Breckenridge

**Anthem**      Here I am Lord

arr J. Schrader

### **The Apostles' Creed**

*Celebrant*      Let us confess the faith of our baptism as we say,

*All*      **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**

**Prayers of the People** (*all kneeling*)

Keith Griffioen

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: We pray for The Church of the Province of Central Africa.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: In our diocese we pray for Holy Nativity, Calgary and The Ven. Brian Vickers and The Rev. Deacon Bob Mummery and we pray for Indigenous Ministries.

In our companion diocese of the Windward Islands we pray for St. Philip, Mesopotamia with St. Matthias and St. Joseph, on St. Vincent and The Rev. Canon Ashton Francis.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: We pray for those providing music ministry and for the Deputy Warden of Worship, Annette Bright, Senior Choir, and Handbell Choir.

### **Confession and Absolution**

*Celebrant* 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.

*Silence is kept. The celebrant and the people say together,*

**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.**

*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.**

### **The Peace**

*All stand, and one of the ministers addresses the people:*

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* **And also with you**

**Offertory Hymn: #564 Lead Us, Heavenly Father, Lead Us**

### **The Celebration of the Eucharist**

*(all standing)*

**Prayer over the Gifts**

The Rev. Steve Bateman

*All* **Living God, receive all we offer you this day. Grant that hearing your word and responding to your Spirit, we may share in your divine life. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen**

### **Eucharistic Prayer 3**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*People* **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant* Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; we give you thanks and praise, because, in the mystery you disclose to us, you reveal your glory as the glory of your Son and the Holy Spirit: three persons equal in majesty, undivided in splendour, yet one Lord, one God, ever to be adored in your everlasting glory. Therefore with all the company of heaven 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.**

*Celebrant* We give thanks to you, Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, a death he freely accepted. Our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

*All* Therefore, Father, according to his command,  
**we remember his death,  
we proclaim his resurrection,  
we await his coming in glory;**

*Celebrant* and we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all;  
presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that they may be the sacrament of the body of Christ and his blood of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we, made acceptable in him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation;

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, now and for ever. Amen.

### **The Lord's Prayer** *(all kneeling)*

*Celebrant* And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,  
**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**

*Celebrant* We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

*All* **We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

*Celebrant* The gifts of God for the people of God.

*All* **Thanks be to God.**

### **The Communion**

*All baptized Christians are invited to receive the Eucharist.*

*All (baptized or not) are invited to come forward for a blessing.*

*If you require a gluten free wafer, please inform the person administering the bread.*

## **Prayer after Communion**

*Celebrant* Let us pray. (all kneeling)

*All* **Almighty and eternal God, may we who have received this eucharist worship you in all we do, and proclaim the glory of your majesty. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen**

*Celebrant* Glory to God (*all standing*)

*All* **whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, forever and ever. Amen.**

## **Blessing**

**Recessional Hymn: #334 Holy God, We Praise Your Name**

## **Dismissal**

*Minister* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

*All* **Thanks be to God.**

## **Postlude**

### **FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TO THE GLORY OF GOD**

In loving memory of Gwen and Bill Mundell by Pam, Doug and family.

### **SHARING IN MINISTRY TODAY**

**GOSPELLER:** Linda Bateman

**INTERCESSOR:** Keith Griffioen

**LAY ASSISTANTS:** Chris Burton, Karen Hudson, Jean Larson, Kathy Leonard, Judith Robinson, Greg Young

**LECTOR:** Lee Cutforth, Nadia Lehbauer

**LITURGICAL ASSISTANT:** Greg Young

**MUSICIANS:** Steve Bateman, Karen Hudson, Sarah Viejou, St. Augustine's Senior Choir

**SANCTUARY GUILD:** Harriet Edwards, Allan and Vernice Herbig, Pat Latimer, Lois Ledene, Joanne Stroh

**SERVERS:** David Adesina, Sofie Griffioen, Jayla Matchett, Mark Penner, Michelle Bright

**SIDESPEOPLE:** Karen Larsen, Lori Westerson

**COUNT SUPERVISOR:** Conrad Westerson

**TECHNICAL CREW:** Sound: Brad Gillespie, Rachel Robinson; Videography: David Olubiyi, Orion Legg

**NEWCOMERS MINISTRY:** Erinn Roberts and family



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Rector  
Associate Priest  
Rector Emeritus  
Rector Emeritus  
Children & Family Ministries  
Nursery & Special Events  
Music Director  
Organist  
Administrative Assistant  
Lead Verger  
Assistant Vergers  
Acolyte  
Rector's Warden  
Assistant Rector's Warden  
People's Warden  
Assistant People's Warden  
Deputy Warden (Worship)  
Deputy Warden (Caring)  
Deputy Warden (Fellowship)  
Deputy Warden (Missional Outreach)  
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Deputy Warden (Communications)  
Deputy Warden (Discipleship and Evangelism)

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