

St. Augustine's Church

A Church Family in the Heart of the City



June 08, 2025, 10 A.M.

Welcome to St. Augustine's Anglican Church!

We are so glad that you are worshiping with us today.

Please join us for refreshments and fellowship after the service (downstairs)



Children

Our staffed **nursery** is downstairs, with a pager system for parents/guardians. There is a change table available for use in the nursery.

Sunday School is during the service:

- + preschool to grade 12 (divided into classes with age-appropriate activities)
- + follow the crowd after the children's focus
- + please go with young children to register them if it is their first time at Sunday School



Eucharist

All baptized Christians of any denomination are invited to receive the bread and wine. If you are not baptized, or if you would rather not receive communion today, you are invited to come forward for a blessing. Sidespeople will let you know when to come forward. To receive the Eucharist in your seat, please let a sidesperson know and it will be brought to you.

You can:

- + Say nothing a wafer will be dipped in the wine and placed in your hand
- + Say "common cup" a wafer will be placed in your hand and then you will be offered the common cup
- + Say "bread only" a wafer will be placed in your hand
- + If you need a gluten-free wafer, please let us know at the altar
- + If you would like a blessing, cross your arms over your chest



To learn more about St. Augustine's

- + introduce yourself to Rev. Steve or Rev. Gillian after the service
- + fill in a Welcome Card and put it in the offering plate/hand it to a sidesperson
- + join us for coffee hour following the service
- + Sign up for our weekly Parish Pulse email newsletter (www.staug.org)

The Day of Pentecost The Holy Eucharist Service adapted from the Anglican Church of Nigeria

June 08, 2025

We gather this morning at 9:45am with members of other churches across the road in front of the Yates Centre. We process back to St. Augustine's at 10:00am where we will continue with our regular service.

Processional Hymn: Creator Spirit, By Whose Aid

Please see music sheet

Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Dr. Gillian Breckenridge

Children's Focus

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

President: I will bless the Lord at all times,

All: His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

President: O magnify the Lord with me,

All: And let us exalt his name together.

President: This is the day which the Lord has made,

All: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

President: The Lord is here

All: His Spirit is with us.

COLLECT FOR PURITY

All: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and

from whom 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.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

All Glory be 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.

SUMMARY OF THE LAW

President: Our Lord Jesus Christ said: 'Hear O Israel, the Lord our God is one Lord,

and you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' This is the first commandment. And the second is like, namely this: You shall love your neighbour as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the

Prophets.

All: Lord, have mercy upon us, and write all these laws in our hearts.

President: God so loved the world that He gave His only Son Jesus Christ to save us

from our sins, to be our Advocate in heaven and to bring us to eternal

life.

A Brief Pause:

President: Let us confess our sins, in penitence and faith, firmly resolved to keep

God's commandments and to live in love and peace with all people,

meekly kneeling and saying:

All: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against You and

against our neighbours, in thought and word and deed, through

negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We have not sufficiently walked according to the mind of Christ. We have named the name of Christ, but have not departed from iniquity. We are truly sorry, and repent of all our sins. For the sake of Your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past, and grant that we may serve You in newness of life, to the glory of Your name. Amen.

President: Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon you,

pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in life eternal, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

President: The Lord be with you All: And also with you

President: Let us pray

COLLECT PRAYER

All: Almighty and everliving God, who fulfilled the promises of Easter by

sending us your Holy Spirit and opening to every race and nation the way of life eternal, keep us in the unity of your Spirit, that every tongue may tell of your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

vs. 1-4 Joshua Penner – English

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. ² Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. ³ They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

v. 5 José Samayoa – Spanish

⁵ Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven.

v. 6 Gladys Mwanza – Kikamba

⁶ When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because each one heard their own language being spoken.

vs. 7-8 Islay Kittleson – French

⁷ Utterly amazed, they asked: "Aren't all these who are speaking Galileans? ⁸ Then how is it that each of us hears them in our native language?

vs. 9-11 Tim Pope – Greek

⁹ Parthians, Medes and Elamites; residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰ Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya near Cyrene; visitors from Rome ¹¹ (both Jews and converts to Judaism); Cretans and Arabs—we hear them declaring the wonders of God in our own tongues!"

vs. 12-13 Binu John – Malayalam

¹² Amazed and perplexed, they asked one another, "What does this mean?" ¹³ Some, however, made fun of them and said, "They have had too much wine."

v. 14 Alex Ostrop – German

¹⁴ Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: "Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say.

vs. 15-16 Rachel Awl Acool - Dinka

¹⁵ These people are not drunk, as you suppose. It's only nine in the morning! ¹⁶ No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel:

Vs. 17 Molly Many Grey Horses – Blackfoot

¹⁷ "In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams.

v. 18 Liz Raymond – Swahili

¹⁸ Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy.

v. 19 Gauri Weerakoon – Sinhalese

¹⁹ I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood and fire and billows of smoke.

v. 20 René Boeré – Dutch

²⁰ The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord.

v. 21 Tosin Ogundimu - Yoruba

EPISTLE Romans 8:14-17 Ayoola Aramide

THE GRADUAL HYMN: Fire of God, Thou Sacred Flame

THE GOSPEL: John 14:8-17, 25-27 Dr. Ayo Aramide

Gospeller: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Gospeller: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gospeller: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

HYMN BEFORE SERMON: Breathe on Me, Breath of God

SERMON The Rev. Dr. Gillian Breckenridge

ANTHEM God is Working His Purpose Out Ayo Aramide, Bamise Banwo

NICENE CREED

All: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen.

We believe 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 men and for our salvation, He came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit, He became incarnate of the Virgin Mary and was made man. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate: He suffered death and was buried. On the third day, He rose again in

²¹ And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.'

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 and the Son. 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.

INTERCESSION (all kneeling)

Wale Efunbajo

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: We pray for The Anglican Church of Melanesia.

<u>Diocesan Cycle of Prayer</u>: In our Diocese we pray for St. Peter, Okotoks, The Rev. Dr. Norbert Haukenfrers and Vocational & Transitional Deacons.

In Our Companion Diocese of the Windward Islands we pray for St. Patrick, Barrouallie (barrel ee) with St. David, Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, All Saints, and Mary Magdalene, on St. Vincent and The Rev. Alison Samuel.

<u>Parish Cycle of Prayer:</u> We pray for those involved in Men's and Women's Groups: Fellowship Group, Friendship Group, Men's Group and the Cursillo Community.

THE PEACE (all standing)

Minister: Christ is our peace; He has reconciled us to God in one body by the cross. We

meet in His name and share His peace.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: And also with you.

Minister: Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

HOLY COMMUNION

The Rev. Femi Ogundimu

OFFERTORY HYMN: Thou, Who at Thy First Eucharist

President: Blessed are You, Lord God of all creation, through Your goodness we have this

bread to offer which the earth has given, and human hands have made. It will

become for us the Bread of Life.

All: Blessed be God forever. Amen.

President: Blessed are You, Lord God of all creation, through Your goodness we have this

wine to offer, fruit of the vine and work of human hands. It will become our

spiritual drink.

All: Blessed be God forever. Amen.

Yours Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the splendor, and the All:

majesty; for everything in heaven and on earth is Yours. All things come

from you and of Your own do we give You.

EUCHARISTIC PRAYERS

President: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

President: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

President: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

President: It is indeed right; it is our duty and joy at all times and in all places to give You

> thanks and praise Holy Father, Heavenly King, Almighty and Eternal God through Jesus Christ Your only Son our Lord, for He is Your living Word;

through Him You have created all things from the beginning, and formed us in

Your own image.

Through Him You have freed us from the slavery of sin, giving Him to be born as man and to die upon the cross; You raised Him from the dead and exalted Him to Your right hand on high. Through Him You have sent upon us Your Holy

and life-giving Spirit, and made us a people for Your own possession.

Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim Your great and glorious name, forever praising You and saying:

All: 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.

(The congregation may kneel, the President continues)

President:

Accept our praises, heavenly Father, through Your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ, and as we follow His example and obey His command, grant that by the power of Your Holy Spirit, these gifts of bread and wine may be to us, His Body and Blood; Who in the same night that He was betrayed, took bread and gave You thanks;

He broke it and gave it to His disciples saying: "Take, eat, this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me". In the same way, after supper, He took the cup and gave You thanks, he gave it to them, saying: "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. Do this as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me".

Therefore, we proclaim the ministry of faith

All:

Christ has died,

Christ is risen;

Christ will come again.

President:

Therefore, heavenly Father, we remember His offering of Himself made once for all upon the cross; and proclaim His mighty resurrection and glorious ascension. As we look for His coming in glory, we celebrate with this bread and this cup His one perfect sacrifice.

Accept through Him, our great High Priest, this our sacrifice of thanks and praise, and as we eat and drink these holy gifts in the presence of Your divine Majesty, renew us by Your Spirit, inspire us with Your love, and unite us in the body of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through Him, and with Him, and in Him, by the power of the Holy Spirit, with all who stand before You in earth and heaven, we worship You, Father Almighty in songs of everlasting praise.

All: Blessing and honour and glory and power be Yours forever and ever. Amen.

President: We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.

All: Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one Bread.

President: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world.

All: Have mercy on us.

President: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world.

All: Have mercy on us.

President: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world.

All: Grant us peace.

PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS (All Kneeling)

All: We do not presume to come to Your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own

righteousness but in Your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under Your table. But You are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of Your Dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink His Blood,

that we may evermore dwell in Him and He in us. Amen.

President: Draw near with faith, receive the Body of our Lord Jesus Christ which He gave

you, and His Blood which He shed for you. Eat and drink in remembrance that

He died for you and feed on Him in your heart by faith with thanksgiving.

HYMNS DURING DISTRIBUTION OF ELEMENTS

Please see music sheet

ABLUTION HYMN: Father, We Thank Thee

Amen (3 fold)

POST COMMUNION PRAYERS

President: The Lord be with you All: And also with you

President: As our Saviour taught us, so we pray:

All: Our Father in Heaven, hallowed be Your name, Your Kingdom come, Your

will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are Yours

now and forever. Amen.

All: Almighty God, we thank You for feeding us with the Body and Blood of Your

Son Jesus Christ. Through Him we offer You our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of Your Spirit to live and work to

Your praise and glory. Amen.

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant Let us pray. (all kneeling)

All Father, may we who have received this eucharist live in the unity of your

Holy Spirit, that we may show forth his gifts to all the world. We ask this in

the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

BENEDICTION/ AMEN

RECESSIONAL HYMN: I Feel the Winds of God Today

Please see music sheet

DISMISSAL

Minister: The Lord be with you All: And also with you

Minister: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord

All: In the name of Christ Amen.

POSTLUDE

FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR TO THE GLORY OF GOD

In loving memory and in thanksgiving for our past choir members by St. Augustine's Senior Choir.

SHARING IN MINISTRY TODAY

GOSPELLER: Dr. Ayo Aramide **INTERCESSOR:** Wale Efunbajo

LAY ASSISTANTS: Ade Aramide, Janet Efunbajo, David Olubiyi

LECTOR: Ayoola Aramide

LITURGICAL ASSISTANT: Emmanuel Nai

MUSICIANS: Ayo Aramide, Bamise Banwo, St. Augustine's Senior Choir.

SANCTUARY GUILD: Harriet Edwards, Alan and Vernice Herbig, Lois Ledene, Asha

Livingstone, Joanne Stroh

SERVERS: Sophie Griffioen, Cooper Roberts; McKay Roberts

SIDESPEOPLE: Cathy Gillespie, Keith Griffioen **COUNT SUPERVISOR:** Jacky Hall-Buckland

TECHNICAL CREW: Sound: Brad Gillespie, Michael Larsen; Videography: David Olubiyi,

Keshaka Rubesinghe

NEWCOMERS MINISTRY: Patricia and Tim Pope

Rector

Associate Priest Rector Emeritus Rector Emeritus

Children & Family Ministries

Nursery Coordinator Music Director

Organist

Administrative Assistant

Lead Verger Verger 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)

Deputy Warden (Facilities)

Deputy Warden (Financial Stewardship)
Deputy Warden (Communications)

Deputy Warden (Discipleship and Evangelism)

The Rev. Steve Bateman

The Rev. Dr. Gillian Breckenridge The Rev. Canon Allan McCuaig The Rev. Canon James Robinson

Stef Collins

Esther Oluwagbemi Karen Hudson Mary Lee Voort Gauri Weerakoon

Joelle Duda
Tyler Wiebe
Tom Warwick
Carol Young
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Karen Hammond Sheila Matson Allan Besplug Eliza Wiederspick Wendy Doherty

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