



St. Augustine's Church

A Church Family in the Heart of the City



July 20, 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.

Summer Sunday School is during the service in the crypt:

- + preschool to grade 5
- + follow the crowd after the Gradual Hymn
- + please go with young children to register them if it is their first time at Sunday School
- + Regular Sunday School starts again September 7th.



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 “bread only” – a wafer will be 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 nothing – a wafer will be dipped in the wine and 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)

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
The Holy Eucharist
July 20, 2025

Prelude

Processional Hymn: #529 God, My Hope on You is Founded (Verses 1, 2, 4,5)

Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Dr. Gillian Breckenridge

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

All **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 **Almighty God, your Son has opened for us a new and living way into your
presence. Give us pure hearts and constant wills to worship you in spirit and
in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the
Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Proclamation of the Word

At the conclusion of each reading, the reader shall say: The word of the Lord.

And the people shall respond:

Thanks be to God.

First Reading: Amos 8:1-12

Lawrence Kopp

Second Reading: Colossians 1:15-28

Vera Thiessen

Gradual Hymn: He Will Hold Me Fast

**When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast;
When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast.
I could never keep my hold through life's fearful path;
For my love is often cold; He must hold me fast.**

Chorus

**He will hold me fast,
He will hold me fast;
For my Savior loves me so,
He will hold me fast.**

**Those He saves are His delight, Christ will hold me fast;
Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast.
He'll not let my soul be lost; His Promises shall last;
Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast. *Chorus***

**For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast;
Justice has been satisfied; He will hold me fast.
Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast
till our faith is turned to sight, when He comes at last! *Chorus***

The Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

Judith Robinson

Reader The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

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

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

Reader The Gospel of Christ.

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

Sermon

The Rev. Canon James Robinson

Anthem:

Van Gogh

Virginio Aiello

Daniel Griffioen, piano

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

The Prayers of the People *(all kneeling)*

Keith Griffioen

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: We pray for The Church of Pakistan (United).

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: In our Diocese we pray for St. Luke, Blairmore (Grace Anglican United Church), The Rev. Deacon Luke Lima and The Rev. Nicky Keyworth. We also pray for Diocesan Property Committee.

In Our Companion Diocese of the Windward Islands we pray for St. James, Layou (lie-oo) with St. Mary, Buccament on St. Vincent and The Rev. Canon Ashton Francis.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: We pray for our parish staff: Stef Collins, Joelle Duda, Karen Hudson, Mary Lee Voort, Gauri Weerakoon and Tyler Wiebe.

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 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 standing)*

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Offertory Hymn: #508 I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

The Celebration of the Eucharist

(remain standing)

Prayer Over the Gifts

The Rev. Dr. Gillian Breckenridge

All **O God, accept our praise and thanksgiving. Help us in all we do to offer ourselves as a true and living sacrifice; through Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer S3

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 It is indeed right to thank you and praise you, holy and gracious God, creator of all things, ruler of heaven and earth, sustainer of life, for you are the source of all goodness, rich in mercy and abounding in love; you are faithful to your people in every generation, and your word endures for ever.

Therefore with angels and archangels, with the fellowship of saints and the company of heaven, we glorify your holy name, evermore praising you and singing,

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.

Celebrant

We praise you, merciful Father, not as we ought, but as we are able, because in your tender love you gave the world your only Son, in order that the world might be saved through him. He made you known by taking the form of a servant, healing the sick, liberating the oppressed, reaching out to the lost.

Betrayed, reviled, and nailed to the cross, he confronted the power of sin and disarmed it for ever. In his offering of himself, he became the perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world.

Redeemed by Christ, we have been adopted as your children; by your pardon you have made us worthy to praise you.

On the night he was betrayed, Jesus, at supper with his friends, took bread, gave you thanks, broke the bread, gave it to them, and said, "Take and 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." In obedience to him and with grateful hearts we approach your holy table, remembering our Saviour's sacrifice, and rejoicing in his victory. Confident in his sovereign purpose, we declare our faith.

All

**Christ has died,
Christ is risen,
Christ will come again**

Celebrant

Send your Holy Spirit on us that as we receive this bread and this cup we may partake of the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, and feed on him in our hearts by faith with thanksgiving. May we be renewed in his risen life, filled with love, and strengthened in our will to serve others; and make of our lives, we pray, a pure and holy sacrifice, acceptable to you, knitting us together as one in your Son Jesus Christ, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, now and forever.

People

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 *(all kneeling)*

Celebrant Let us pray.

All **O God, as we are strengthened in these holy mysteries, may our lives be a continual offering, holy and acceptable in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

(all standing)

Celebrant 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.**

Blessing

Recessional Hymn: #438 O Jesus I Have Promised

Dismissal

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR TO THE GLORY OF GOD

In loving memory of past Altar Guild Members by Members of the Altar Guild.

SHARING IN MINISTRY TODAY

GOSPELLER: Judith Robinson

INTERCESSOR: Keith Griffioen

LAY ASSISTANTS: Allan Besplug, Sylvia Besplug, Brenda Boéré, Janet Efunbajo, Michael Larsen, Gary Moore, Jay Penner

LECTORS: Lawrence Kopp, Vera Thiessen

LITURGICAL ASSISTANT: The Rev. Femi Ogundimu

MUSICIANS: Sara Gateman, Daniel Griffioen, Owen Ukrainetz, Sarah Viejou

SANCTUARY GUILD: Chris Burton, Jacky Hall-Buckland, Brenda McGrath, Sue Milne, Shelagh Stefan, Diana Young

SERVERS: Sophie Griffioen, Elizabeth Ostrop, George Ostrop

SIDESPEOPLE: Cathy Gillespie, Terry Noss

COUNT SUPERVISOR: Jacky Hall-Buckland

TECHNICAL CREW: Sound: Barry Adams, David Hignell; Videography: Ayoola Aramide, Bryson Duda

NEWCOMERS MINISTRY: Bill and Debra Glaister

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
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