



# October 13,20, and 27 2024

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# Welcome to this time of worship!

Thank you for joining St. James today. It is good that you are here! If you are visiting or looking for your spiritual home, please make yourself known to us. We welcome your presence with us.

Children are welcome here at St. James! Children can gather in 'The Prayer Ground' at the beginning of the service. If this is your first time here, please go with your child to meet the leader and inform them of any allergies or special needs. For those not wanting to leave their parents, the prayer-ground is available throughout the service.

An offering plate is located at the entrance to the church sanctuary. If you wish to make a gratitude offering for the blessings from God in your life, simply place the offering on the plate before the time of the offertory hymn or e-transfer your donation at <a href="mailto:saintjamesgiving@gmail.com">saintjamesgiving@gmail.com</a>. Your gift will be used to support the varied ministries of St. James. Take a moment to give thanks to God for the blessings in your life today.

The service is being livestreamed and recorded for viewing online.

The congregation responses are in **bold** type.

#### Prelude

October 13	Voluntary in e minor, Op. 7, No. 7	John Stanley
October 20	Intermezzo	Denis Bedard
October 27	Chorale- Prelude on 'Jesus, Lover of	My Soul" Healey Willan

#### **Welcome & Announcements**

#### **Territorial Acknowledgement**

(Please stand as you are able)

One We gather on the territory traditionally inhabited by the Haudenosaunee and the Anishinaabe nations acknowledged in the Dish with One Spoon wampum belt.

All We commit ourselves to the work of truth and reconciliation with the Original Peoples of this land in a relationship of honour and mutual respect.

**Processional Hymn** (We remain standing as we are able. See blue hymn book for words)

October 13	CP 429	For the Beauty of the Earth
October 20	CP 487	Where Charity and Love Prevail
October 27	CP 430	Will You Follow Me

# The Gathering of the Community

One: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,

and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: 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 (see back page)

The Priest will lead a prayer collecting together our thoughts for the day.

#### The Proclamation of the Word

### Reading (see insert for readings)

October 13	Joel 2:21-27
October 20	Job 38:1-7, 34-41
October 27	Job 42:1-6, 10-17

At conclusion of the reading:

One Holy Word, Holy Wisdom.

All Thanks be to God.

## Reading (see insert for readings)

October 13	1Tim 2:1-7
October 20	Hebrews 5:1-10
October 27	Hebrews 7:23-28

At conclusion of the reading:

One Holy Word, Holy Wisdom.

All Thanks be to God.

### **Gradual Hymn**

October 13	CP 458	Seek Ye First
October 20	CP 585	Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service
October 27	CP 508	I Heard the Voice

#### **The Gospel** (see insert for readings)

One God is with you.

All And also with you.

One The holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to

Matthew/Mark

All Glory to you, O Jesus Christ.

October 13	Mt 6:24-33
October 20	Mark 10:35-45
October 27	Mark 10:46-52

At conclusion of the reading:

One The Gospel of the Christ.

All Praise to you, O Jesus Christ.

#### **Homily**

#### **Apostle's Creed**

One: 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**

(standing, sitting or kneeling as is comfortable)

#### **Confession and Forgiveness**

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the priest begins.

One Blessed be the Holy Trinity, one God,

the God of manna, the God of miracles, the God of mercy. **Amen.** 

One Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance,

let us confess our sin.

Silence

One God, our provider,

All help us.

It is hard to believe there is enough to share. We question your ways when they differ from the ways of the world in which we live.

We turn to our own understanding rather than trusting in you.

We take offense at your teachings and your ways.

Turn us again to you.

Where else can we turn?

Share with us the words of eternal life and feed us for life in the world. Amen.

One Beloved people of God:

in Jesus, the manna from heaven,

you are fed and nourished.

By Jesus, the worker of miracles,

there is always more than enough.

Through Jesus, the bread of life,

you are shown God's mercy:

you are forgiven and loved into abundant life. Amen.

#### The Peace

One The peace of Christ be with you all.

All And also with you.

### **Offertory Hymn**

October 13		God in Each Season, Changing, Sustaining (see insert for lyrics)
October 20	CP 390	Womb of Life and Source of Being
October 27	CP 400	What Wonderful Love Is This

#### **Prayer over the Gifts**

One Blessed are you, O God,

Source of every gift of your creation.

All By these gifts and with our lives,

help us to serve one another and all in need,

through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord. Amen.

# The Great Thanksgiving

One The Lord be with you

All and also with you.

One Lift up your hearts.

All We lift them to the Lord.

One Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All It is right to give our thanks and praise.

One Blessed are you, gracious God,

creator of heaven and earth;

we give you thanks and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord.

In fulfilment of your promise

you pour forth your Spirit upon us,

filling us with gifts and leading us into all truth.

You give us power to proclaim your gospel to all nations

and to serve you as a royal priesthood.

Therefore we join our voices with angels and archangels, and with all those in whom the Spirit dwells, to proclaim the glory of your name.

All O Holy, holy, holy Lord, CP 732
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

One 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."

Therefore, Father, according to his command,

All we remember his death,

we proclaim his resurrection,

we await his coming in glory;

One 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

One Jesus, remember us in your kingdom and teach us as we sing:

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.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.

#### **Invitation to Communion**

One Jesus welcomes you to this table. Come , here is your God.

One The gifts of God for the people of God.

All Thanks be to God.

All are welcome at God's table. If you require gluten-free wafers please indicate to your server.

#### **Communion Hymn**

October 13	CP 61	As We Gather at Your Table
October 20	CP 165	Mark How the Lamb
October 27	CP 43	From all the Wind's Wide Quarters

#### **Ablutions Anthem**

October 13	'Thou Visitest the Earth'	Maurice Greene
October 20		
October 27	My Eyes for Beauty Pine	Herbert Howells

### **Prayer after Communion**

(Standing as we are able)

One Holy God,

you have welcomed us to this meal and fed us with dignity at your table.

All Send us now to welcome others

and to be at peace with one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

#### **Blessing**

One God all mighty,

God most merciful bless you, keep you,

and give you peace. Amen.

### **Recessional Hymn**

October 13	CP 425	Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee
October 20	CP 500	Sister, Let Me Be Your Servant
October 27	CP 560	God Whose Almighty Word

### **Dismissal**

One Go in peace. Follow Jesus.

All Thanks be to God.

### Voluntary

October 13	Marche Triomphale	Sigfrid Karg-Elert
October 20	Rigaudon	Andre Campra
October 27	Festive Trumpet Tune	David German

#### Collect - October 13

One God of heaven and earth,
we sing of your bounty and your goodness
in the abundant harvest,
in the changing seasons,
and in the wonder of nature.

All With generous hearts,
may we share what we have received
with those who have little,
so that none may hunger or thirst
and all may know your wide justice;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Revised Common Lectionary Prayers (2002) alt.

#### Collect - October 20

One Sovereign God,

You turn your greatness into goodness for all the peoples on earth.

All Shape us into willing servants of your kingdom, and make us desire always and only your will, through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord. Amen.

#### Collect - October 27

One Eternal light, shine in our hearts.

Eternal wisdom,

scatter the darkness of our ignorance.

Eternal compassion, have mercy on us.

All Turn us to seek your face, and enable us to reflect your goodness, through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord. Amen.