

THE CHURCH OF ST. ANDREW, SCARBOROUGH (ANGLICAN)

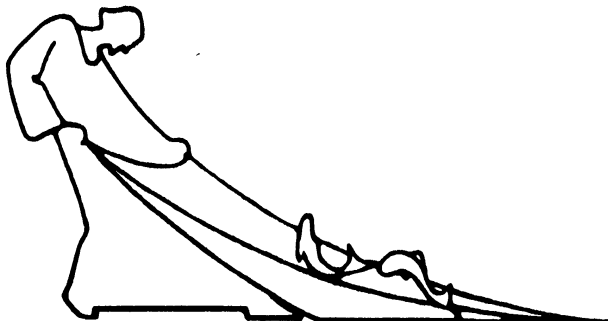
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ST. ANDREW'S MISSION STATEMENT

*To love and worship God as one family in Jesus Christ;
to extend this love into Christian action in the community.*

TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICES

The Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

August 9, 2015

8 am HOLY EUCHARIST

10 am CHORAL EUCHARIST

INCUMBENT The Rev'd Canon Heather McCance

ASSISTANT CURATE The Rev'd Ian LaFleur

POSTULANT Vinaya Dumpala

HONORARY ASSISTANT EMERITUS The Ven. Rafiq Farah

HONORARY ASSISTANT Canon Prue Chambers

ORGANIST/CHOIRMASTER Edward Moroney

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT Elizabeth Nelson

A WARM WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS AND VISITORS

Thank you for worshipping with us today; you have enriched our community, and we hope the service holds meaning and beauty for you. If you are returning to a distant home, we wish you God's grace and a safe journey. However, if you live anywhere near us, and you are not an involved member of a faith community and might be seeking one, we invite you to return any Sunday so that we may continue to worship together. Please visit our website at www.st-andrew-anglican.ca

May God's blessings be with you.
In our worship, we sit, stand or kneel.
Please do so as you are able.

WORSHIP SERVICES

SATURDAYS

4.30 pm Holy Eucharist

SUNDAYS

8 am Holy Eucharist (said)

10 am Choral Eucharist with
Church School and Nursery

WEDNESDAYS

10 am Holy Eucharist

EVENSONG and HOLY DAY SERVICES as announced.

IN LARGE PRINT: Bulletins, Book of Alternative Services Editions of Eucharistic Rites, available in the Narthex. 'Words Only' Editions of the Hymnal are available in the pews.

PRAYER REQUEST LIST: This list is located on the lectern stand in the Narthex and is to be used if you would like anyone remembered in the Prayers of the People (yourself, your family, and your friends). All information should be entered before the service begins.

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(The Book of Alternative Services in the language of The Book of Common Prayer)

Presider The Rev'd Ian LaFleur
Homilist The Rev'd Canon Heather McCance
Lector Richard Moriah
Server & Intercessor Yvonne Bayne
Psalm 130 BAS – p 888
Eucharistic Prayer A – p 241

*Following the 8 am service, coffee and tea will be served in the St Andrew's Room.
Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy refreshments and conversation.*

10 am CHORAL EUCHARIST – Honouring Our Seniors

(The Book of Alternative Services in the language of The Book of Common Prayer)

Prelude Pastorale and Canzonetta *Richard Jung (1861-1932)*

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Opening Hymn #381 Praise My Soul *Praise My Soul*

Welcome

The Greeting – page 230 *All stand*

THE COLLECT *Remain standing*

Almighty God, you sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your Church. Open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in love, joy and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

INTRODUCTION TO THE 1ST READING Read by Theslyn Miller

King David's son, Absalom, has led an attempted coup against his father. While putting an end to the rebellion, David still cares deeply for his son.

A READING from the Second Book of Samuel.

The king gave orders to Joab and Abishai and Ittai, saying, 'Deal gently for my sake with the young man Absalom.' And all the people heard when the king gave orders to all the commanders concerning Absalom.

So the army went out into the field against Israel; and the battle was fought in the forest of Ephraim. The men of Israel were defeated there by the servants of David, and the slaughter there was great on that day, twenty thousand men. The battle spread over the face of all the country; and the forest claimed more victims that day than the sword.

Absalom happened to meet the servants of David. Absalom was riding on his mule, and the mule went under the thick branches of a great oak. His head caught fast in the oak, and he was left hanging between heaven and earth, while the mule that was under him went on. A man saw it, and told Joab, 'I saw Absalom hanging in an oak.' Joab said to the man who told him, 'What, you saw him! Why then did you not strike him there to the ground? I would have been glad to give you ten pieces of silver and a belt.' But the man said to Joab, 'Even if I felt in my hand the weight of a thousand pieces of silver, I would not raise my hand against the king's son; for in our hearing the king commanded you and Abishai and Ittai, saying: For my sake protect the young man Absalom! On the other hand, if I had dealt treacherously against his life (and there is nothing hidden from the king), then you yourself would have stood aloof.' Joab said, 'I will not waste time like this with you.' He took three spears in his hand, and thrust them into the heart of Absalom, while he was still alive in the oak. And ten young men, Joab's armour-bearers, surrounded Absalom and struck him, and killed him. Then Joab said to a Cushite, 'Go, tell the king what you have seen.' The Cushite bowed before Joab, and ran.

Then the Cushite came; and the Cushite said, 'Good tidings for my lord the king! For the LORD has vindicated you this day, delivering you from the power of all who rose up against you.' The king said to the Cushite, 'Is it well with the young man Absalom?' The Cushite answered, 'May the enemies of my lord the king, and all who rise up to do you harm, be like that young man.'

The king was deeply moved, and went up to the chamber over the gate, and wept; and as he went, he said, 'O my son Absalom, my son, my son Absalom! Would that I had died instead of you, O Absalom, my son, my son!'

(2 Samuel 18.5-15, 21, 31-33)

Lector Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 130, Hymn #542 Out of the Depths

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INTRODUCTION TO THE 2ND READING

Read by Ken Holder

The first readers of this passage appear to have been new converts to the faith, people have been taught to put away their former way of life, their old selves, to be renewed. They are to have a love like the love of Christ.

A READING from the Letter of Paul to the Ephesians.

So then, putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbours, for we are members of one another. Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and do not make room for the devil. Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labour and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, and be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you. Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

(Ephesians 4.25-5.2)

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People **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Hymn #532, vss 1, 2 What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Friendship

THE GOSPEL

Gospeller The Lord be with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

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

People **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

Jesus said to them, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, 'I am the bread that came down from heaven.' They were saying, 'Is not this Jesus, the son of

Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, "I have come down from heaven"? Jesus answered them, 'Do not complain among yourselves. No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. It is written in the prophets, "And they shall all be taught by God." Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.'

(John 6.35, 41-51)

Gospeller The Gospel of Christ.

People Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Gradual Hymn #532, vs 3

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Friendship

THE SERMON

The Rev'd Canon Heather McCance

The Nicene Creed – page 234

Prayers of the People

Led by Thelma Tappin

We kneel

Response: **"Lord, have mercy."**

Confession and Absolution – page 238

The Peace – page 240

Please greet those in neighbouring seats with a handshake and exchange the peace.

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

The Preparation of the Gifts

We stand

Offertory Hymn #645

Come Down, O Love Divine

Down Ampney

Presentation of the Gifts

Prayer over the Gifts

All Father, receive all we offer you this day, and grant that in this eucharist we may be enriched by the gifts of the Spirit. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

We kneel or stand

Eucharistic Prayer B, page 243

The Lord's Prayer, page 245

The Breaking of the Bread, page 246

Lamb of God, page 247

THE COMMUNION

All those who are baptized are welcome at the Table. The practice of intinction (dipping the bread into the wine) is not permitted due to the health risk it poses. Those who choose to receive the bread alone receive the full sacramental presence of Christ. If you wish to receive the Laying-on-of-Hands for healing and wholeness, bring your prayer book, closed, and lay it on the altar rail.

Prayer after Communion

We stand

Presider Let us pray.

All Eternal God, grant to your Church the unity and peace that we have tasted in this eucharist, the fruit of your life-giving Spirit. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

Doxology

Presider Glory to God,

People 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

THE SENDING FORTH OF THE COMMUNITY

Closing Hymn #565

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Cwm Rhondda

The Dismissal

Response

Thanks be to God.

Postlude Toccata, Op. 59, Nr. 3

Rene Vierne (1878-1918)

**Our "Honouring Our Seniors" luncheon will follow
in the Parish Hall for ticket holders and those 80+.**

THINGS TO THINK ABOUT – Ephesians 4.25-5.2

1. How do you usually deal with anger? What do you learn about anger from this passage?
2. How would you define 'evil talk'? What grade would you give yourself in not allowing evil talk to come from your mouth over the past week?
3. Of all the commands given here for Christian living, which is the most challenging for you right now? How is God challenging you to live it out?
4. How does the knowledge that you are a dearly beloved child of God help you to live in ways that God desires?

THE SANCTUARY LIGHTS FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST

are to the glory of God and in loving memory of my mother, Mona,
given by Wilbur Anderson and family.

THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR

are to the glory of God and in loving memory of my father and mother,
Ernest Albert Harrison and Imogene Evadne Harrison, given by Paulette Athill.

ON DUTY TODAY

Eucharistic Ministers	Marjorie Fawcett, Ron Chang
Crucifer	Khari Gibbs
Book Person	Todne Bryan
Servers	Kamayu Gibbs, Sanitra Henderson
Sidespersons: Team 4	Captain: Elmond Jackson
Altar Guild: Team 5	Ermez Small, Maxine Sylvester
Nursery	Shirley Brown
Welcome Team	Lethel Shand

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer Coffee Hour

During the summer months, our regular 'coffee hour' after the 10 am Sunday service is replaced by juice and snacks prepared by volunteers who sign up to take on this ministry of hospitality. All supplies are provided; if you have questions about what you need to do, speak with Val McCarnen. The sign-up sheet is in the narthex; grab a friend and sign up today!



St Andrew's Anglers – August 11



All the games start at 7 pm so please be at the park by 6.45 pm.

St Andrew's Anglers vs Wesley Chapel Community at North Bridlewood Park. (The entrance off Timbercreek Dr or Adencliff Road. Please do not park at the school.) This is a fun league so everyone over the age of 13, regardless of ability, is invited to come out for some fun in the sun and exercise. For more information, contact Coach Randy McCarnen (416 495 1308).

Come Travel to Everest!

St. Andrew's Vacation Bible School needs you! We're looking for adult and teen volunteers for our annual day camp, which runs this year August 31-September 4. We need folks to help with games and snacks, with lunch hour supervision and small group leaders. Speak to Canon Heather for information. All kids aged 4 through 12 are invited to participate! Registration forms are now available.

Jam Jars

Finished your jam from the Bazaar? Please bring your empty jars in and leave in the downstairs kitchen. They will be re-used!

Mark Your Calendar!

The Caribbean-International Night will be held this year on Saturday, September 19th. Make sure you have this on your calendar. Tickets are \$30 and are now available from Laurretta, Millie and the Church Office! The Caribbean-International Night Committee is now accepting monetary donations and pledges of dessert items and prizes for the event. Please put monetary donations on the collection plate clearly labeled Caribbean-International Night. For other donations please speak to Millie or Laurretta.



Have you found anything whilst downsizing or re-organizing your home that would be a good article for our Silent Auction at our Annual Christmas Treasures Bazaar?



Perhaps you know someone who would be willing to donate an article – a painting, sports tickets/memorabilia, fun outings to Canada’s Wonderland, the zoo or aquarium, restaurant gift certificates? If so, please contact Marjorie at 416-446-6061, or Colin at 416-497-7956.

The Sound of Music at Stratford

Edna Mathews is organizing a trip to Stratford to see "The Sound of Music" on Wednesday, October 14th. The cost is \$145 including bus, buffet lunch, orchestra seats, tips and taxes. Please call Edna at 416 496 8705 to reserve your tickets. The bus leaves from St Andrew's.

School Supplies Drive

The Agincourt Community Services Association is sponsoring its **ANNUAL DRIVE** to collect school supplies that will be donated to a local school aged children through the local food banks. We recognize the importance of supporting children with tools they need for success in the classroom. Please return items to the church by Sunday, August 30th.

WISH LIST:

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| Crayons | Blunt scissors |
| Washable markers | Single subject notebooks |
| Colored pencils | Composition notebooks |
| Pencils | 3-ring binders |
| Pencil sharpeners | Calculators |
| Pens | Student dictionaries |
| Large erasers | Grade level reading books |
| Highlighters | Pocket folders |
| Pencil box/zipper pouches | Index cards |
| Rulers | Glue sticks |
| Scribble pads | |

Saturday Worship Cancelled

Due to a wedding on August 29th, there will be NO Saturday worship service that afternoon.

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

The Rev'd Canon Heather McCance day's off is Friday.

The Rev'd Ian LaFleur's day off is Monday.

The Royal Conservatory of Music is conducting practical exams all week.

MONDAY, AUGUST 10

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11

12.30 pm AA (St Andrew's Room)
7 pm St Andrew's Anglers vs Wesley Chapel (North Bridlewood Park)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12

10 am Holy Eucharist (Charles Inglis)
Readings: Ezekiel 34.11-16; Psalm 40.5-11; Matthew 9.35-38
7 pm Baptismal Preparation

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13

FRIDAY, AUGUST 14

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

6 am Peace Korean Church
4.30 pm Saturday Worship
7 pm AA (Hall)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16 – The 12th Sunday after Pentecost

8 am Holy Eucharist
10 am Choral Eucharist
Readings: 1 Kings 2.10-12, 3.3-14; Psalm 111; Ephesians 5.15-20; John 6.51-58
1.30 pm Peace Korean Church