



# St. George's Anglican Church

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## The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity

September 26, 2021



*Christus heilt einen Wassersüchtigen* [Christ heals a man with dropsy]. (10<sup>th</sup> c.).  
Anon. Church of St. George, Oberzell. Fresco.

## Welcome!

Who are we? In response to the Gospel of Jesus Christ, the Parish of Saint George offers a unique combination of traditional Anglican worship and a commitment to Inner-City Ministry. Open to the community that surrounds it, Saint George's dares to be shaped by the Inner City, yet seeks to transform our neighbourhood by preaching, in Word and action, the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Come join us in worship, fellowship and outreach ministry.

## 8 am Holy Communion

*Celebrant & Preacher:* Fr. Nicholas Hatt, *Rector*

The service begins on page 67 of the Book of Common Prayer. The Collect, Epistle, and Gospel are found on pages 244-245. The Introit and Gradual are printed in this bulletin.

## 10:30 am Choral Holy Communion

*Celebrant & Preacher:* Fr. Nicholas Hatt, *Rector*

*Mass setting: Missa Audi Filia* – Claude Goudimel (1510-1572)

*Creed & Gloria:* John Merbecke (1510-1585)

**Opening Hymn 470** LOVE divine, all loves excelling

*Hyfrydol*

**The Introit** Psalm 119, pt 18

tone I.1



RIGH-TEOUS ART thou, O Lord, / **and true are thy judge~ments.**

**The testimonies that thou hast com-mand-ed /  
are exceeding righ-teous and~ true.**

My zeal hath even con-sumed me; / because mine enemies have for-got-ten thy~ words.

**Thy word is tried to the ut-ter-most, / and thy ser-vant lov~eth^it.**

I am small and of no repu-ta-tion; / yet do I not for-get thy pre~cepts.

**Thy righteousness is an everlasting righ-teous-ness, /  
and thy law is the~ truth.**

Trouble and heaviness have taken hold up-on me; /  
yet is my delight in thy com-mand~ments.

**The righteousness of thy testimonies is ever-last-ing: /  
O grant me understanding, and I shall~ live.**

Glorify be to the Father, and to the Son, / and to the Ho~ly^Ghost:

**As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, /  
world with-out end. A~men.**

*Please kneel*

The Lord's Prayer and Collect for Purity

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The Summary of the Law

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The Kyrie

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*Kyrie eleison*

Lord, have mercy upon us,

*Christe eleison*

Christ, have mercy upon us,

*Kyrie eleison*

Lord, have mercy upon us.

The Collect

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*Please sit*

The Epistle (Ephesians 4:1)

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*Please stand*

**The Gradual Psalm 131**

tone I.2



LORD, I AM not high-*mind*-ed: / **I have no proud~ looks~.**

**I do not exercise myself in great *mat*-ters, / which are too high~ for^me~.**

But I calm my soul and keep it quiet, like a weaned child with his  
*mo*-ther: / yea, my soul is even as a weaned~ child~.

**O Israel, trust in *the* Lord, / from this time forth for e~ver^more~.**

The Holy Gospel (St Luke 14:1)

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**The Nicene Creed**

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*Children, grades Primary through 6, exit through the door to the right of the pulpit to go to Sunday School in the hall.*

The Sermon

The Rev'd Nicholas Hatt, Rector

**Offertory Hymn 561** THY hand, O God, has guided

*Thornbury*

*After the biddings, please kneel*

The Prayer of Intercession & Invitation to Confession

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**The Confession**

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The Absolution, Comfortable Words, & Thanksgiving

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The Sanctus and Benedictus

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*Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth.*

*Pleni sunt caeli et terra gloria tua.*

*Hosanna in excelsis.*

*Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini.*

*Hosanna in excelsis.*

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts,

Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of

the Lord: Hosanna in the highest.

The Prayer of Consecration & Pax

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**The Prayer of Humble Access**

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The Agnus Dei

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*Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,  
miserere nobis. (bis).*

*Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,  
dona nobis pacem.*

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the  
world, have mercy upon us. (*repeat*).

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the  
world, grant us thy peace.

**The Holy Communion**

*The Anglican Church of Canada welcomes communicant members of all Churches who have been baptized with water in the Name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, to receive Holy Communion in faith, hope and charity. At the 10:30 am service, please remain in your pew until the greeter or sidesperson has indicated that it is time to go forward*

Communion Motet *Prevent us, O Lord* – William Byrd (1540-1623)

Prevent us, O Lord, in all our doings with thy most gracious favour,  
and further us with thy continual help,  
that in all our works begun, continued, and ended in thee  
we may glorify thy holy Name,  
and finally by thy mercy obtain everlasting life,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Communion Hymn 493** JESU, the very thought of thee *St Botolph*

**The Lord's Prayer** p. 85

The Prayer of Thanksgiving p. 85

**The Gloria in Excelsis** p. 86

The Blessing

**Closing Hymn 454** FATHER, hear the prayer we offer *Sussex*

Voluntary: *Praeludium in g*, BuxWV 149 – Dieterich Buxtehude (1637-1707)

## Upcoming Special Services & Events

**The Feast of Saint Michael & All Angels, Wednesday, September 29:**

7pm Choral Holy Communion in the Round Church. Guest Lay

Preacher: Matthew Vanderkwaak

**The Eve of the Feast of Saint Luke, Sunday October 17**

5pm Choral Evensong in the Round Church

**The Feast of Saint Luke the Evangelist, Monday, October 18**

5:45pm Holy Communion (said) in the Round Church immediately following 5:30pm shortened Evening Prayer.

## Today's Daily Offices

**10 am Morning Prayer** begins on page 6 of the Prayer Book.

Psalm 119 pts. 15 & 16; Job 2; 1 Pet. 4

**5 pm Evening Prayer** begins on page 18 of the Prayer Book.

Psalm 102; Prov. 1:20-end; Matt. 11:2-19

*On Sundays, Morning and Evening Prayer are said in the Round Church.*

*On weekdays, the Daily Offices are said in the Little Dutch Church, 2393 Brunswick Street until October 4<sup>th</sup> when they return to the Round Church for the cooler months.*

*To learn more about worship, outreach, Sunday School, music,  
and events at St George's, visit our website: [www.roundchurch.ca](http://www.roundchurch.ca)*

## Financial Update

Total Budgeted Undesignated Offering for 2021:	\$291,020.70
Budgeted undesignated offering as of the end of August:	\$194,013.80
Total received as of the end of August:	\$167,631.69

## Soup Kitchen Update

Our Saturday Soup Kitchen has been operating as a take-out only service since the start of the pandemic. We thank all those who have continued to volunteer, and the parishes and organizations who partner with us to offer hot meals on Saturdays for residents of the inner-city.

Last Week, September 18<sup>th</sup>: Team 2 led by Mary Hills. Food and volunteers came from St. Thomas's Anglican Church, Fall River.

Yesterday, September 25<sup>th</sup>: Team 3 led by Jordan Gracie. Food and volunteers came from All Saints' Cathedral.

Next week, October 4<sup>th</sup>: Team 4 led by Alex Bickerton. Food will come from St. George's.

## Prayer List

Let us pray for those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially: Barbara, the Almasalma Family, Evelyn, Lowell, Wendy, Barbie, Noah, Daruka Nyantet and family, Donald, Ferghal, John, Sister Vicky, Leroy, Vernon, Bruce, Jacquie and Arie, Patricia, and Ginny.

For the Faithful Departed: Gregor Lambourne ('21), Clarence Billard ('06), Robert Hiltz ('18), Donna Stewart ('19), Rosemarie Curran ('21), Vera Judge ('06), Brenda Dawson ('21), Donald Norton ('08), Alexander Kristian Welton ('10), Debbie Davidson ('21), Paul Pelrine ('21), and Joan Abbot ('21).

The prayer list has been 'refreshed' for September. If you have names to add to the list, please email Father Hatt (rector@roundchurch.ca) or speak with him in person.

## Requiem for Debbie Davidson tomorrow at 10:30am

The funeral Requiem for parishioner Debbie Davidson (*Requiescat in pace*) will be held tomorrow, Monday, September 27th at 10:30 a.m. in the Round Church. All are welcome.



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### Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

Sun – The Episcopal Church

Mon – The Diocese of Southwest Florida – The Episcopal Church (IV (4) Province)

Tue – The Diocese of Fond du Lac – The Episcopal Church (V (5) Province)

Wed – The Diocese of Fredericton – The Anglican Church of Canada (Canada Province)

Thu – The Diocese of Free State – The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

Fri – The Diocese of Freetown – The Church of the Province of West Africa (West Africa Province)

Sat – The Diocese of Gahini – Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda

### The Staff and Students at the Atlantic School of Theology, Halifax, Nova Scotia:

The Rev'd Neale Bennet, *President*; The Rev'd Dr. Jody Clarke; The Rev'd Dr. Paul Friesen; The Rev'd Paul Jennings, *Director of Anglican Formation*

### The Staff and Students at the University of King's College, Halifax, Nova Scotia:

Mr. William Lahey, *President*; The Rev'd Dr. Ranall Ingalls, *Chaplain*

### The Staff and Students at Kings-Edgehill School, Windsor, Nova Scotia:

Mr. Joseph Seagram, *Headmaster*; The Rev'd David Curry, *Chaplain*

### The programmes of Discernment, Training and Formation for Ordained Ministry



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Notices & Announcements  
September 26, 2021

## Worship during the Pandemic

The ongoing COVID-19 pandemic means that we must take extra precautions to help prevent the further spread of the virus. While in the church, please ...

- wear a mask;
- clean your hands upon arriving;
- check in with the greeter to record your name;
- do not sit in the pews marked off with a ribbon;
- refrain from shaking hands and try to cough or sneeze into your elbow.

At the time of the Holy Communion (during the 10:30 a.m. service only), please remain seated until the greeter has signaled that it is time for you to go. Those sitting around the outside aisles and the upstairs Gallery will go first, followed by those sitting around the centre aisle. There are two stations for receiving the Sacrament, one on each side of the Communion rail. We ask that only one person or household go to each station at a time.

**Upon leaving the Communion rail, follow the arrows back down the central aisle of the chancel.**

**At the end of the service, please exit the church using the door to the parking lot (side door to your right), or the Brunswick Street doors, leaving your prayer books in the box provided at the door. If physically possible, please consider using the Brunswick Street door, especially if you are seated near the back of the church.**

At all times, we must observe physical distancing in the church, keeping six feet or two metres from those outside of your family or household. **It is tempting to chat with friends and newcomers at the back of the church at the end of the service, but it is best for people to gather for such conversations outdoors where distancing is easier.**

If you have travelled or have been in direct contact with someone who has travelled outside of Nova Scotia within the last fourteen days or are feeling unwell and have symptoms of COVID-19, please do not come to church. Let the Rector know if you are unwell so we can offer our care and our prayers for you.

## Weekday Daily Offices in the Little Dutch Church

Over the past few months many of the pandemic gathering restrictions have lifted but many people are still not comfortable gathering in larger groups, including attending church services. If you are feeling this way, consider attending Morning or Evening Prayer which is said in the Little Dutch Church at 9 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. each weekday. These are small services with one or two other people, and lasts about 25 minutes. Come and pray for your loved ones, the neighbourhood, and the world. world. *On Monday, October 4<sup>th</sup> the Daily Offices will return to the Round Church.*

## Scripture Readings for the Week

The Scripture readings below can be read on their own, or with the daily offices of Morning and Evening Prayer (see pp. 1-24 in the Book of Common Prayer), or the shortened Family Prayers in the back of the Book of Common Prayer (see pages 728-736).

	Morning Prayer		Evening Prayer	
<b>Mon</b>	Ezek. 9	Col. 3. 12-4. 1	Ezek. 11. 1-13	John 17
<b>Tue</b>	12. 1-16	4. 2-end	Daniel 12. 1-4	Rev. 8. 1-6
<b>Wed</b>	2 Kings 6. 8-17	Acts 12. 1-11	Daniel 10. 4-end	Rev. 5
<b>Thu</b>	17	1 Thess. 1	20. 1-26	19. 1-30
<b>Fri</b>	20. 27-44	2. 1-16	22. 23-end	19. 31-end
<b>Sat</b>	24. 15-end	2. 17-3 end	28. 1-19	20

**The Feast of St Michael and All Angels** will be celebrated with Choral Holy Communion on Wednesday, September 29th at 7 p.m. in the Round Church. On this day we celebrate those heavenly beings who minister to us here on earth and are thus the means of God's ongoing providential care for us. Our guest lay preacher will be Mr. Matthew Vanderkwaak. Matthew is a doctoral student at University College Dublin studying medieval philosophy. He and his wife, Amy, live at Trinity House.

**Thank you to Patricia Martinson** who has retired after many years from her ministry as greeter at our choral services on Sundays and Feast Days.

**Sunday School is now in session**, in-person. **Children ages 5-12 are welcome to meet at the door to the right of the pulpit immediately following the creed to go to the hall for the lesson, and will return in time for a blessing at Holy Communion.** The theme of this year's lesson is "God's People in the Church," focusing on the lives of those faithful women and men who have served God and neighbour throughout the ages. **We are always looking for new teachers and helpers.** Please speak with our Sunday School Superintendent, Meghan Jamieson or Father Hatt if you have any questions or would like to help out.

## Parish Picnic Cancelled and Coffee Hour resumes outside

Unfortunately, the Parish Picnic we had hoped to hold today is cancelled. Starting next Sunday, we hope to be able to serve coffee and tea on the lawn each Sunday after the 10:30 a.m. service, as long as the weather permits. Hopefully, this will provide an opportunity for fellowship which we have all been missing during this pandemic.

## Parish Music Programming for Toddlers, Children and Young People – Meeting TODAY after the 10:30 service

A meeting will be held TODAY, September 26th following the 10:30 a.m. Choral Holy Communion to talk about opportunities for music programming for children and young people in the parish. This includes the possibility of a new cherub choir for toddlers and their parents, the junior choir, and possibly a youth choir for older adolescents. Other ideas might also emerge from our conversation. Parents, guardians, and young people are strongly encouraged to attend. Bring your ideas!

## New Organ Scholar

Last Sunday we welcomed our new organ scholar, Gabriel O'Brien. Gabriel is a third year composition major at the Fountain School of Performing Arts at Dalhousie University. He will be studying organ with Garth MacPhee, our Director of Music. Gabriel has an extensive background in Church Music, having sung in Capella Regalis Men and Boys' Choir and the Kings Chapel Choir here in Halifax. He was Organ Scholar at both Kings Chapel and, more recently, the Cathedral Church of All Saints. In addition to his duties at St George's, Gabriel is also the Assistant Director of Capella Regalis. We welcome Gabriel and look forward to fostering his musical development and for the gift of music he brings to us.

## Property Update

Parsons Lumber Company will be doing maintenance work on the lower level nave windows of the Round Church during the month of September. You might remember that the sanctuary windows were rebuilt by this company three years ago. They specialize in the restoration of heritage wooden windows, and will be reinstalling pulleys and hinging the storm windows so that the lower sashes will be easily openable. This will improve air circulation and ventilation in the building during the hot weather. A special thank you to Edmonds for providing the scaffolding. Parsons will also be replacing missing moldings on the exterior Brunswick Street doors, and some work on the bell of the Round Church. Monies for this work will come from the short-term Preservation Fund and undesignated offerings.

We have been awarded funds from HRM Community Grants Program to reinstall the bell in the Little Dutch Church. This work will be done by Parsons during the winter of 2021-22.

We also have a newly erected wooden fence outside the Hall on Maitland Street. Many thanks to Ian Porter and Alan Snook for construction of the fence and to the kids of YouthNet for painting the mural. Don't forget to go have a look at this wonderful project!

The chain link fence at the rear of the graveyard of the Little Dutch Church was also recently replaced and the work of clearing the underbrush and overgrowth has also begun. Many, many thanks for our property chair, Jacquie de Mestral for her constant care and attention to all of these and many other property projects.

## YouthNet Update

YouthNet's summer programs have concluded and we are busy planning our after school programs which begun last week. Amongst our many activities, we hope to resume tutoring for our youth with students from King's College and are hoping to launch new music programming for our youth in partnership with the Maritime Conservatory. Thank you to all who support our programs with time, talent, treasure, and prayers