



**6th Sunday after Pentecost
July 16, 2017**

10:00 A.M. EUCHARIST

OPENING SONG: *Seek Ye First*

Grace / Collect for Purity p. 7 (BSS)

Collect of the day

Almighty God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless until they find their rest in you. May we find peace in your service, and in the world to come, see you face to face; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading: Genesis 25:19-34

GRADUAL SONG: *Ancient Words*

Gospel: Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

Reflection

Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution

The Peace

OFFERTORY SONG: *How Great Thou Art*

Prayer over the Gifts

God of reconciliation and forgiveness, the saving work of Christ has made our peace with you. May that work grow toward its perfection in all we offer you this day. We ask this in his name. Amen.

Eucharistic Prayer Prayer 1 p. 15 (BSS)

The Lord's Prayer

The Breaking of the Bread Sentence 2 p. 24 (BSS)

COMMUNION

For hygienic reasons, please refrain from dipping the bread in the wine.

COMMUNION SONG: *By Our Love*

Prayer after Communion

Holy and blessed God, as you give us the body and blood of your Son, guide us with your Holy Spirit, that we may honour you not only with our lips, but also in our lives. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Doxology

The Blessing

Announcements

CLOSING SONG: *Great is Thy Faithfulness*

Dismissal

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NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Genesis 28:10-19c, Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

The Church in the World: We pray for the Diocese of Ontario and The Rt Rev. Michael Oulton.

Diocese of Ottawa: We pray for John, our Bishop, and for Pat, our Priest; For the people of St John the Evangelist, Lancaster and St Michael and All Angels, Maxville, and their priest The Rev. Jason Pollick and for the members of the Diocesan Refugee Working Group and in our Companion Diocese of Jerusalem we pray for St Luke's Center, Beirut, Lebanon.

Our Mission Partners: We pray for Mary Sherwood and the ministry of the Akany Famonjena orphanage and the Akany Tafita Center in Madagascar and we pray for everyone involved with SchoolBox.

Our Local Community: We pray for the people and leaders of this town of Almonte and the surrounding communities that the Lord will help us contribute to its well-being.

In Our Parish: We pray for Lucy Poaps, Robbie Anderson, Kathy Aird, Anne Wheatley, Joan Sealey, and our sponsorship family: Assad, Alset, Lena and Elias

In our Parish Cycle of Prayer: We pray for Joan Scott, Daniel and Terri-Lynn Scott.

For the Whole Human Family: that we may learn to live together in justice and peace. We pray for refugees and displaced persons, thinking especially of the people seeking refuge from Syria and we remember the victims of terrorism around the world. We pray for all those whose lives are impacted by social unrest, disaster & poverty. And we pray for those who are battling and displaced by wildfires out west.

Prayer for St. Paul's: Heavenly Father, you have welcomed us into your kingdom and your heart's desire is to draw every human being to yourself. Grant us clear eyes to see people as you see them, sensitive feet to stand in their shoes, and warm smiles to welcome them into your name. Give us generous hearts, that our church becomes a foretaste of heaven where every soul you send us finds their loving home in the community of your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

Welcome to St. Paul's Anglican Church

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*The Right Revd John Chapman, Bishop of Ottawa
The Revd Pat Martin, Rector*



Worship Service

10:00 am EUCHARIST

Greeter: Karen Masson

Server: Bonnie Everitt **Chalice Bearer:** Wendy Shaw

Reader: Mary Nightingale **Intercessor:** Claire Marson

Music Leader: Matthew Bassett

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