

Welcome to
St. Paul's Anglican Church
The Right Rev. John Chapman, Bishop of Ottawa
The Rev. Jonathon Kouri, Rector

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THANKS**
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We gather today on the traditional and unceded territory of the Algonquin
Anishnabe Nation. May we dwell on this land with respect and peace.



Thanksgiving
October 7, 2018

8:30 A.M. HOLY COMMUNION
according to the Book of Common Prayer

Rector and Celebrant: The Rev. Jonathon Kouri
Greeters: Barbara Humphries and Joan Scott
Reader: Tony St Dennis

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Collect of the Day

Creator of the fruitful earth, you made us stewards of all things. Give us grateful hearts for all your goodness, and steadfast wills to use your bounty well, that the whole human family, today and in generations to come, may with us give thanks for the riches of your creation. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

First Reading: Joel 2:21-27

Gospel: Matthew 6:25-33

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The congregation is invited to bring forward their food and financial offerings at this time.

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NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Psalm 22:1-15 ~ Job 23: 1-9,16,17 ~ Mark 10:17-31

We welcome our new rector, the Rev. Jonathon Kouri, at to his inaugural service with us!

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

The Church in the World: we pray for the Episcopal Church of the USA, the Most Revd Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop.

In Canada, we pray God's blessing on Bishop Logan McMenamie, the clergy, and people of the Diocese of British Columbia.

In the Diocese of Ottawa, we pray for John, our Bishop, and for Jonathan, our Priest; and for Christ Church, Ashton, The Reverend Canon John Bridges, The Reverend Kerri Brennan, The Reverend Ryan Boivin; for all clergy under the jurisdiction of the Bishop of Ottawa and for the provincial Synod of the ecclesiastical province of Ontario meeting in Ottawa this week.

Our Mission Partners: We pray for The Rev. Ken MacLaren and Ottawa Inner City Ministries, the staff, the volunteers, the people being helped and those who support this ministry in any way.

Our Local Community: We pray for our local satellite Food Bank providing support to local area people and, 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. We ask for God's wisdom as we vote in municipal elections.

In Our Parish: We pray for comfort and healing for Lucy Poaps, Anne Wheatley, Kathy Aird, Bessie Exley and Geneviève Coxon-Marshall. We pray for this parish as we take our next steps in ministry together.

In Our Parish Cycle of Prayer: Tash Mason, Karen Masson, Mike and Janet Mavis, Michael and Paula McCann, Bobbie McCormack. We remember our sponsorship family: Assad, Alsit, Lana and Elias.

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 war and persecution and we remember the victims of terrorism around the world. We pray for all those whose lives are impacted by social unrest, disaster and poverty.

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.