



Holy Eucharist

Pentecost 20



October 26, 2025

Order of Service is followed in the (green) **Book of Alternative Services** (BAS).

Hymns are found in the (blue) **Book of Common Praise** (CP).

A baby room is located next to the sound board for those with infants.

A nursery for children ages 1 to 3 is available in the parish hall.

Children ages 4 to grade 5 are invited downstairs for Godly Play.

Youth in grades 6 to 12 are invited upstairs for a time of worship.

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Welcome

Processional Hymn “All Creatures of Our God and King” #355 CP

Greeting p. 185 BAS

Blessing of Children

Praise Song “For the Beauty of the Earth” #429 CP

Collect p. 388 BAS

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading (*Daniel*) Joel 2:23-32

Psalm 65 p. 785 BAS

Second Reading (*Jacque*) 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

Gradual Hymn “Spirit, Come, Dispel Our Sadness” #252 CP

Gospel Reading Luke 18:9-14

Acclamation: Before—Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

After— Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon (*Nathan*)

The Apostles’ Creed p. 189 BAS

Prayers of the People (*Rhoda*)

Confession and Absolution p. 191 BAS

The Peace p. 192 BAS

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

The Preparation of the Gifts

Offertory Hymn “Jesus, the Joy of Loving Hearts” #70 CP

Prayer over the Giftsp. 389 BAS

Eucharistic Prayer #3 p. 198 BAS

The Lord’s Prayer p. 211 BAS; music p. 918 BAS

The Breaking of the Bread #2p. 212

We break this bread

to share in the body of Christ.

**We, being many, are one body,
for we all share in the one bread.**

The Communion

All who are baptized in any Christian church and seek to follow Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour may receive communion.

✦ *To receive the bread, hold out your hands, crossed with palms up.*

✦ *The celebrant will place the bread in your hands.*

✦ *If you require gluten-free wafers, please indicate at the time of receiving.*

✦ *To receive the cup, guide it to your mouth using the base.*

✦ *If you prefer not to drink from the cup, bow slightly in reverence.*

✦ *If you prefer to receive a blessing, cross your arms over your chest.*

Prayer after Communionp. 389 BAS

Doxologyp. 214 BAS

SENDING FORTH OF THE COMMUNITY

Announcements

Blessing

Recessional Hymn “Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me”

1. What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer
There is no more for heaven now to give
He is my joy, my righteousness, and freedom
My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace
To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to his
Oh how strange and divine, I can sing: all is mine!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me
2. The night is dark but I am not forsaken
For by my side, the Saviour He will stay
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need, His power is displayed
To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley He will lead
Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me
3. No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven
The future sure, the price it has been paid
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
And He was raised to overthrow the grave
To this I hold, my sin has been defeated
Jesus now and ever is my plea
Oh the chains are released, I can sing: I am free!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me
4. With every breath I long to follow Jesus
For He has said that He will bring me home
And day by day I know He will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne
To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus (*repeat to end*)
All the glory evermore to Him
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:
Yet not I, but through Christ in me!

Jonny Robinson, Rich Thompson, Michael Farren
CityAlight, CCLI# 325760

The Sending

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

WORSHIP AND COMMUNITY LIFE

Sun, Oct 26 at 7:00 p.m.—**Evensong Bells**

Tues, Oct 28 at 8:30 a.m.—**Holy Eucharist** (said BAS, p. 230)

Tues, Oct 28 at 9:00 a.m.—**Morning Prayer** on Zoom ([at this link](#))

Tues, Oct 28 at 7:00 p.m.—**Prayer Time at Reichel's** (see p. 7)

Wed, Oct 29 at 8:00 a.m.—**Morning Prayer** in the chapel

Thurs, Oct 30 at 9:00 a.m.—**Morning Prayer** in the chapel

Fri, Oct 31 at 11:45 a.m.—**Holy Eucharist** (said BCP)

Sun, Nov 2 at 10:30 a.m.—**Holy Eucharist** in the nave

Pray for those in need, especially:

Annie and Joel, Bob, Bret, Dani, Deb, Kira, Laura, Margaret, Renee, Tom, Tracy

*NOTE: To include someone in this list, please contact the Prayer Chain leaders
Linda Aird 692-7221 and Gwen Currie 693-3470, Deacon Arleen, or the church office.*

In prayer we remember our parishioners in care homes:

Carol, Eva, Isabel, Marjorie, Sheila



Diocesan Prayer Requests

Please include the following in your prayers

October 19 - 25

- ✦ The Most Rev. Lynne McNaughton, Archbishop, and the clergy and people of the **Diocese of Kootenay ACC**
- ✦ The dean, council, and congregations of the **Vancouver Island Region of the British Columbia Synod ELCIC**
- ✦ The people and ministries of the Southern **Province of the Moravian Church in America**
- ✦ Our **companion dioceses of Lichfield and Musinga**
- ✦ Our **ecumenical partners** in the Lutheran, Anglican, Ukrainian Catholic, Roman Catholic Covenant (LAURC)

ALL SOULS SERVICE – Sunday (Nov 2nd) at 7 p.m.

All Souls Day provides an opportunity to pause and remember loved ones who died recently or long ago.

You are welcome to bring a picture to display on the remembrance table and share a bit about your loved one(s) in the service. To have them named by the clergy, contact Deacon Arleen ahead of time (achampion@staidan.ca or 306-631-1001).

To join via [Zoom, click on this link](#).



INCUMBENT PRIEST SEARCH UPDATE

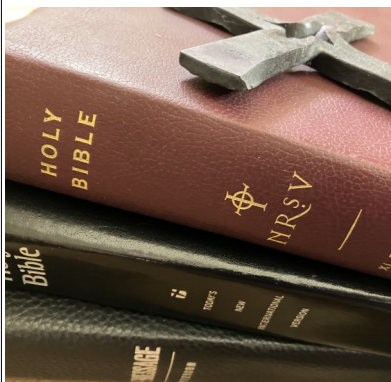
From our search committee: We continue to navigate a complex discernment process, meeting regularly with one another and with Bishop Helen. We give thanks for your ongoing prayers and ask that you continue to uphold us.

Almighty God, giver of all good gifts, look on your Church with grace, and guide those who shall choose a priest for this parish of St. Aidan, that we may receive a faithful servant who will care for your people and support us in our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. (BAS, p. 676)



If you have any questions, feel free to talk to a member of the Search Committee (Roselyn, Joel, Ellen, Deacon Arleen, and Stan).

SUNDAY MORNINGS WITH NATHAN – Oct 19 - Nov 9 at 9AM



Have you ever asked: what is the Bible? why do we read it? where did it come from? is it relevant today? is it inerrant or inspired? does it matter?

Nathan welcomes you for some introductory conversations around these questions and why we need the biblical story to “get in our bones.” Many stories try to captivate our hearts, but it is the biblical story that will root us, capture our imaginations, and tell us who we really are.

FINANCIAL UPDATE – BUDGET AND ROOF

Good news:

- ✦ Our giving to date is ahead of our regular spending by a small amount (~\$8,000) at the end of September.
- ✦ We were able to pay for the replacement of the hall roof!

Ongoing need re: parish hall roof:

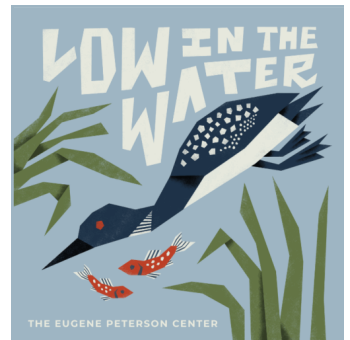
- ✦ You have given \$45,000 of \$130,000. The balance has come out of our investments. We hope to replenish that for the future. We’ve applied for \$10,000 from an Archdeaconsy Trust fund.

Looking ahead – increased need:

- ✦ Our insurance costs are going up in 2026 and we keep praying we’ll get to pay a full-time stipend for an incumbent.

LITTLE PODS, BIG IDEAS—Nov 20, 7PM
Gemma and Bryan's (455 Vaughan St)

Join in a conversation about the first two words of the Lord's Prayer: "Our Father." The episode of [Low in the Water—Oct 3](#) provides rich fodder for discussion between those on the podcast and for us as we reflect together. Available wherever you listen. Please join us!



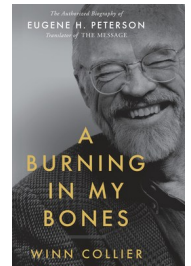
PRAYER HOUR AT REICHEL'S
Tuesdays 7-8 PM (201 Coteau St W)

Join other Aidanites at a weekly prayer time for St. Aidan and the City of Moose Jaw.
All pray-ers welcome!

LIBRARY NOOK

A Burning in My Bones - the authorized biography of Eugene Peterson
by Winn Collier

An accessible and intimate portrait of a beloved pastor, professor, author, mentor, husband and father, Winn writes with sensitive honesty of a man seen as a 'giant of the faith', who was not perfect and had his share of struggle, failures and fears; yet, above all, wanted God to have full access to his heart and soul. Read and be deeply encouraged.



2026 CHURCH CALENDARS—\$6

A good (but limited) number of church calendars are available for purchase starting next week (Nov 2).

See Sherril Land or Sandra Messner on Sunday morning or Michelle in the office.
Cash only please.

Cover Image

Harvest of Prosperity, painting by Reggy Renaldi

https://www.saatchiart.com/art/Painting-Harvest-of-Prosperity-Symbolizing-Abundance-and-Blessings/2288321/11615435/view?srsltid=AfmBOoQvGnoDt635VZ9PEu_kieXtvmH5wznweKONzEBLAvsSolpDvVJh.
[retrieved October 21, 2025].

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Welcome to this place of worship where we acknowledge that Jesus, the Lord of all, has called His Church to be a Church of all nations. With joy and in humility we gather on Treaty 4 Territory, the traditional lands of the Cree, Ojibwe, Saulteaux, Dakota, Lakota, Nakoda, and the homeland of the Métis Nation.

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Sarah McLean, Yvonne Mitchell

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