



Feast of the Transfiguration

Sunday, February 15, 2026

8 am & 10 am ~ Holy Communion

*All Saints' is committed to the
Pattern of Life of Jesus the Christ lived out in
Radical Inclusion
Extravagant Equity and
Compassion that leads to Justice*

Incumbent The Rev Samantha Caravan

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Welcome Home

to the
Anglican Church



Welcome into the sacred space of All Saints' Peterborough, we are so glad you are here. All Saints' is an Anglican Church that is rooted in the pattern of life of Jesus the Christ, our ministry and worship is based on Christ's, Radical Inclusion, Extravagant Equity, and Compassion that Leads to Justice. We invite you to fill out one of our Welcome cards so that we can keep in touch, and please pick up one of our Welcome packages.

Land Acknowledgement

All Saints' Peterborough resides on the sacred land of the Michi Saagiig Anishinaabeg, the first peoples of this land. We offer our respect to those ancestors who may be buried in this land. This sacred land is part of the Rice Lake Purchase, Treaty 20. All Saints' is committed to continued reconciliation with our Indigenous siblings, through continued education and the inclusion of readings from the First Nations Bible.

Liturgical Notes

1. In the context of Christian Liturgy, Israel does not refer to the current political state, but either to the historic Hebrews (also called Israelites) of the ancient Near East or, in Christian theology, to all people who put their faith and trust in God as the ancient peoples of God.
2. Younger and Elder Testament. The traditional terms for the testaments 'Old' and 'New' have been changed to Elder and Younger. This has been done as an act of equity and promise. Old and New are words in our society that add value to things – often anything that is old is considered less valuable than things that are new. In our Christian context the New Testament has replaced the Old Testament, which is not only an incorrect theology, but it has also tied to it ethnic value, and antisemitic tones. The words Elder and Younger are born out of equity, and the Younger Testament is born out of the Elder Testament.

Here in this place new light is streaming; now is the darkness vanished away.
See in this space our fears and our dreamings,
Brought here to you in the light of this day
Gather us in, the lost and forsaken; gather us in, the blind and the lame;
Call to us now and we shall awaken; we shall arise at the sound of our name.

We are the young, our lives are a mystery; we are the old who yearn for your face.
We have been sung throughout all of history,
Called to be light to the whole human race.
Gather us in, the rich and the haughty; gather us in, the proud and the strong;
Give us a heart so meek and so lowly; give us the courage to enter the song.

Here we will take the wine and the water; here we will take the bread of new birth.
Here you shall call your sons and your daughters,
Call us anew to be salt for the earth.
Give us to drink the wine of compassion; give us to eat the bread that is you;
Nourish us well, and teach us to fashion lives that are holy and hearts that are true.

Not in the dark of buildings confining, not in some heaven light years away,
But here in this place the new light is shining; now is the kingdom, now is the day.
Gather us in and hold us forever; gather us in and make us your own;
Gather us in, all peoples together, fire of love in our flesh and our bones.

WELCOME

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND THANKSGIVING FOR THE LAND

Presider All creation sings to the glory of its Creator.

All Thanks be to God for the gift of all peoples, creatures and this planet
that sustains us. For our First Nations, Metis, and Inuit siblings and their
care of this land we are standing and worshipping on. All things come
from God, and we give thanks to God for them. Amen.

OPENING PRAYERS

Presider The grace of our Saviour Jesus the Christ, and the love of God, and the companionship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.
All And also with you.

Presider Almighty God,
All To you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Saviour and Redeemer. Amen.

Presider Gracious God we are grateful for the communion of saints, for those we love and no longer see, for those who are present in our lives and who need your grace and healing, we lift up to you Gracious God those in our community who have asked for prayer. For . . . – teach us to be their support, to be the hands, and hearts of your healing grace.
All Amen.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider Friend of Moses
All strength of Elijah, you go with your people and give them your Spirit: may the Child of your heart transfigure the mortal world that love may know no bounds; through Jesus the Christ, the beloved one. Amen

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Reading Exodus 24:12-18, NRSV

A reading from the Elder Testament and the book of wanderings Exodus. God said to Moses, 'Come up to me on the mountain, and wait there; and I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction.'

So, Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. To the elders he had said, 'Wait here for us, until we come to you again; for Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them.'

Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. The glory of God settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day God called to Moses out of

the cloud. Now the appearance of the glory of God was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. Moses entered the cloud and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

Reader Listen for the leading of the Spirit

All Thanks be to God

Psalm 2, Inclusive Bible

Psalm 2 is a messianic psalm. In other words, it is a psalm that many understood to be a prophecy about the coming Jewish Messiah. The psalm is attributed to David, and it also declares David's God-given right of his line to rule. So, it is also a Royal Psalm. The psalm had both immediate and prophetic meanings. Jesus, David's heir, would eventually become the complete fulfillment of the psalm. I invite you to read the psalm with me.

Why are the nations creating such an uproar? Why all this commotion among the peoples? Those who hold power are taking their stand, gathering their forces against God and against God's anointed One. 'Let us break their chains,' they say, 'Let us throw off their shackles.'

But the one who sits enthroned in the heavens laughs; the Sovereign One derides them, then rebukes them in anger, and, enraged, terrifies them: "It is I who installed my ruler on Zion, on the mountain of my holiness!"

I will proclaim God's decree—God said to me: "You are my own; I have given birth to you today. Just ask—I will give you the nations as your inheritance! I will give you the ends of the earth as your possession! You will break them with an iron scepter; you will shatter them as easily as a clay pot."

So, you rulers, be wise! And you who hold power, stand warned! Serve God and rejoice—but do so with fear and trembling. Pay homage to God's Own, lest you be destroyed on your way in a blaze of anger—for

God's passion can flare up without warning. Happiness comes to those who make God their refuge!

Reading

2 Peter 1:16-21, NRSV

A reading from the Younger Testament and the Peter's Second Letter.
For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Saviour Jesus the Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of Christ's majesty. For Christ received honour and glory from God the Creator when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, 'This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.' We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

So, we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. First of all, you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, because no prophecy ever came by human will, but by people moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

Reader Listen for the leading of the Spirit
All **Thanks be to God**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Hymn 405

Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the Risen One.
Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to God's name.
Come, let us praise the living God, joyfully sing to our Savior.
Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the Risen One.
Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to God's name.

GOSPEL Matthew 17:1-9 *Inclusive Bible*

Gospeller May God be with you.

All **And also with you**

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Saviour Jesus the Christ according to Matthew.

All **Glory to you, Jesus the Christ.**

Six days later, Jesus took Peter, James and John up on a high mountain to be alone with them, and before their eyes Jesus was transfigured. His face became as dazzling as the sun, and his clothes as radiant as

light. Suddenly Moses and Elijah appeared to them, conversing with Jesus. Then Peter said, "Rabbi, how good that we are here. With your permission, I will erect three shelters here, one for you, one from Moses, and one for Elijah!"

Peter was still speaking when suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them. Out of the cloud came a voice which said, "This is my own, my Beloved, on whom my favour rests. Listened to him!"

When they heard this, the disciples fell forward on the ground, overcome with fear. Jesus came towards them and touched them, saying, "Get up! Do not be afraid." When they looked up, they did not see anyone but Jesus. As they were coming down the mountain side, Jesus commanded them, "Do not tell anyone about this until the Chosen One has risen from the dead."

Gospeller The Gospel of Christ

All Praise to you, Jesus the Christ.

Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the Risen One.

Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to God's name.

SERMON Rev. Samantha Caravan

Silence is kept for reflection.

APOSTLES CREED

Presider Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,

All I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Intercessor To you, O God, we pray,

All answer us with mercy.

CONFSSION AND ABSOLUTION

Presider Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy. Let us confess our sin, confident in God's forgiveness. Most merciful God,

People We confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus the Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

Presider Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sin, and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus the Christ our Saviour and Redeemer. Amen.

THE PEACE

Presider May the peace of Jesus the Christ be with you all.

All And also with you.

COMMUNION

OFFERTORY *Offertory Plates are at the front of the church.*
You are also invited to make an offering to the ongoing ministry of All Saints' Peterborough by either dropping off a cheque in the mailbox at the church or by clicking to donate button on our website.

HYMN WE HAVE COME AT CHRIST'S OWN BIDDING

ABBOT'S LEIGH

We have come at Christ's own bidding to this high and holy place,
Where we wait with hope and longing for some token of God's grace.
Here we pray for new assurance that our faith is not in vain,
Searching like those first disciples for a sign both clear and plain.

Light breaks in upon our darkness, splendour bathes the flesh-joined Word,
Moses and Elijah marvel as the heavenly voice is heard.
Eyes and hearts behold with wonder how the Law and Prophets meet:
Christ, with garments drenched in brightness, stands transfigured and complete.

Strengthened by this glimpse of glory, fearful lest our faith decline,
We like Peter find it tempting to remain and build a shrine.
But true worship gives us courage to proclaim what we profess,
That our daily lives may prove us people of the God we bless.

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Presider Covenant God,
All as a sign of devotion to you and your vision for the world, we bring these gifts. May they bring light to those who have lost their way, hope to the despairing, and freedom for those held in bondage. In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

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Presider May God be with you.
All And also with you.
Presider Lift up your hearts.
All We lift them up to God.
Presider Let us give thanks to our Saviour God.
All It is right to give our thanks and praise.
Presider Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth, you are the source of light and life for all your creation, you made us in your own image, and call us to new life in Jesus the Christ our Saviour and Redeemer. Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.
All Holy, holy, holy One, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.
Blest is the One comes in the name of God.
Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.
Presider We give thanks to you, Creator God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son. For in these last days, you sent him to be incarnate from your servant, to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life. On the night he was handed over to

suffering and death, a death he freely accepted, our Saviour Jesus the Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sin. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore, according to Christ command,

All We remember his death, we proclaim his resurrection,
 we await his coming in glory;

Presider and we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, God of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that they may be the sacrament of the body of Christ and his sacrifice of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we, made acceptable in him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your children; through Jesus the Christ our Saviour and Redeemer, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation; by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty God, now and forever.

All Amen

LORD'S PRAYER

Presider Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

All Our Father, in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,
 your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread.
 Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
 Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.
 For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
 now and forever. Amen.

STATEMENT OF COMMUNITY

Presider We break this bread of life, and that life is the light of the world.
All God here among us, light in the midst of us, bring us to light and life.
Presider The gifts of God for the people of God.
All Thanks be to God.

AGNUS DEI CHOIR

COMMUNION

*All are welcome to receive Communion at All Saints'; this is God's table open to all.
Please follow the instruction of the sides people.*

*For those present in spirit, the following prayer may be said to
make a spiritual communion.*

*I worship and adore you, Saviour and Redeemer, Jesus the Christ, present in bread
and wine, and present in your people, who are gathered in spirit. In this moment I
join with them to receive you in my heart, and in our community. May you, present in
bread and wine, be present in my heart and feed and renew my soul. Amen.*

ANTHEM FROM THE RISING OF THE SUN

From the rising of the sun unto the going down of the same
My name shall be great, shall be great among the Gentiles
And in every place, and in every place incense shall be offered up unto my
name For my name shall be great among heathen, thus saith the Lord

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Presider Almighty God,
All once again you have given us what we need: sacrament, one another,
hope for a better day. With renewed energy we offer ourselves to be sent
out in your name; hopeful, grateful, useful, leaders of liberation,
proclaimers of your love. Amen.

Presider Glory to God,
All 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, forever and ever. Amen.

BLESSING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN 169 JESUS ON THE MOUNTAIN PEAK

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Jesus, on the mountain peak stands alone in glory blazing.
Let us, if we dare to speak, join the saints and angels praising:
Alleluia!

Trembling at his feet we saw Moses and Elijah speaking.
All the prophets and the law shout through them their joyful greeting:
Alleluia!

Swift the cloud of glory came, God, proclaiming in its thunder,
Jesus as the Son by name! Nations, cry aloud in wonder:
Alleluia!

Jesus is the chosen One, living hope of every nation.
Hear and heed him, everyone; sing with earth and all creation:
Alleluia!

Presider Followers of Jesus, inspired by the Holy Spirit,
serve the world God loves!

All **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE PRELUDE AND FUGUE IN B FLAT MAJOR

J. S. BACH



EASTER CHOCOLATE MAKING



It is that time again – the making of the Easter Eggs.

There are a schedule and link on the website for you to sign up to help. Many hands make light work. Our goal this year is to make 1500 eggs!

Go to the website to sign up to volunteer.



Sun, Feb 15 ~ Feast of the Transfiguration

8am Communion & 10am Communion and Family Ministry

Tues, Feb 17 ~ Pancake Supper & Community Meal

5 - 6:30pm - Pancakes and fun!

Wed, Feb 18 ~ Ash Wednesday

7 pm Communion and the Imposition of Ashes

Sun, Feb 22 ~ Lent 1

8am Communion & 10am Communion and Family Ministry

Sat, Feb 28 ~ Music in the Hall ~ Irish Millie

7 – 9 pm – Tickets are \$25 and available from the church office or on the website.

JOIN US FOR OUR
2026

Pancake Sipper

FEBRUARY'S
Community
Meal



Tuesday, Feb. 17th
5:00 - 6:30 pm
235 Rubidge St.
Upper Parish Hall

EVERYONE
WELCOME





Proudly presents:

Seven-time Canadian Folk
Music Award nominated fiddler,

IRISH MILLIE



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28 @ 7 pm

Doors open at 6:30 pm

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**Maar's
Music**



Tickets to this family-friendly event can be purchased at the All Saints' office, via www.allSaintspeterborough.org, and (limited tickets) available at the door

