

St. Luke's Church

The Day of Pentecost Sunday, May 23, 2010

10:00 a.m.

*The Parish of St. Luke's bids you a warm **welcome!**
Please join us for **fellowship** and **hospitality** after the service.
If you are visiting, please sign our guest book
just inside the main entrance to the church.*



*Wherever you may be on your faith journey,
there is room at God's Table for you.*

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Although the service is found in the bulletin, our liturgy is taken from the green Book of Alternative Services (BAS) , beginning on page 185.

The hymns can be found in the blue hymnal *Common Praise* (CP).

Handbell Prelude: *Come, Christians, Join to Sing
Jubilate, Amen*

Susan Geschke
Ruby Hollins

Meditation: *Holy Spirit, come to us,
Holy Spirit, come to us;
Come to us, come to us,
Holy Spirit, come to us.*

Processional Hymn: CP 645 *Come Down, O Love Divine*

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Celebrant: Alleluia! Christ is risen.
People: **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

May his grace and peace be with you.
May he fill our hearts with joy.

Almighty God,
**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 you Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy name;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Glory to God

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly king,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect of the Day:

Almighty and everliving God,
who fulfilled the promises of Easter by sending us your Holy Spirit
and opening to every race and nation the way of life eternal,
keep us in the unity of your Spirit, that every tongue may tell
of your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and
reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

First Lesson: Acts 2: 1-21

Louis Robayo

Psalm 104: 25-35, 37b

pg 844 BAS

Cantor: Barclay McMillan

Second Lesson: Romans 8:14-17

Jennifer Camfield

Gradual Hymn:

CP 649 *Breathe on Me, Breath of God*

Gospel Alleluia:

CP 715

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to John
Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The Holy Gospel: St. John 14: 8-17

The Gospel of Christ.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The Homily

Rev. Gregor Sneddon

Silent Reflection

We believe in God the Father,
God Almighty, by whose plan
earth and heaven sprang to being,
all created things began.
We believe in Christ the Saviour,
Son of God in human frame,
virgin-born, the child of Mary
upon whom the Spirit came.

Christ, who on the cross forsaken,
like a lamb to slaughter led,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
he descended to the dead.
We believe in Jesus risen,
heaven's King to rule and reign,
to the Father's side ascended
till as judge he comes again.

We believe in God the Spirit;
in one church, below, above:
saints of God in one communion,
one in holiness and love.
So by faith, our sins forgiven,
Christ our Saviour, Lord and friend,
we shall rise with him in glory
to the life that knows no end.

Text: Paraphrase of the *Nicene Creed* by Timothy Dudley-Smith

Confession and Absolution

Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy;
he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our
sins, our brokenness and need, confident in God's forgiveness.

Most merciful God,
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 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.

Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from
all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness and keep
you in eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The Peace

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

God's all-encompassing, inclusive, radical, extravagant love knows no barriers, no walls, not even death itself can separate us from the love of Christ. Though Holy Communion is for all baptized Christians, God welcomes all to the divine life and so all are invited and are welcome to receive at the Lord's Table.

Offertory Hymn: CP 40 *O Spirit of the Living God*

The Prayer over the Gifts: **Giver of life, receive all we offer you this day. Let the Spirit you bestow on your Church continue to work in the world through the hearts of all who believe. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer 3 page 198 BAS

Acclamation: ***We remember his death,
(sung 3 times) We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory.***

The Lord's Prayer, page 211 BAS

The Breaking of the Bread Sentence:

"I am the bread which has come down from heaven," says the Lord.
Give us this bread for ever.
"I am the vine, you are the branches."
May we dwell in him, as he lives in us.

***Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us,
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us,
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.***

Communion Hymn CP 63 *Eat This Bread, Drink This Cup*

Anthem: *If You Love Me*

Natalie Sleeth

Prayer after Communion:

Father,
may we who have received this eucharist live in the unity of your Holy Spirit, that we may show forth his gifts to all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

All your works praise you, O Lord,
And your faithful servants bless you. Gracious God we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. May we, who share his body, live his risen life; we, who drink his cup, ring life to others; we, whom the Spirit lights, give light to the world. Keep us firm in the hope you have set before us, so that we and all your children shall be free, and the whole earth live to praise

Announcements

Recessional Hymn: CP 643 *Holy Spirit, Come with Power*

The Dismissal

Go forth into the world,
rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

Thanks be to God.

Handbell Postlude: *Siyahamba*

Tammy Waldrop

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OUR PRAYER CALENDAR THIS WEEK

We pray this week: for all who have special needs including Helen, Jennifer, Lillian, Errol, Ab, Sally, Wayne, Kathryn, Jack, Belva, Lynn, Daniel, Gary, Lucy, Rev. Helen Resmer, Josie and any others known to us whom we mention now aloud or hold in our hearts; for those who cannot be present especially Joyce Hudson and Muriel Montgomery

Today: for peace in the world; for John our bishop; for our rector Gregor, and all who serve at St Luke's especially those who assisted in our worship this morning.

Monday: Anglican Cycle of Prayer: for the Anglican Diocese of Ottawa

Tuesday: In our Diocesan family we pray for the parish of St. James the Apostle, Carp; Christ Church, Huntley; St. John's, Sixth Line, The Reverend Mark Whittall

Wednesday: for the staff of the Administration Office: Michael Hervert, Jude Green, Joyce Couvrette, Beverly Skelton, Wendy FitzPatrick, Sandra McDonald and Bill Gilbert

Thursday: for the ministry of **St. Luke's Choir (7:00pm)**; for Roger's House, and for Centre 454

Friday: for St. Luke's Lunch Club and Drop-in Centre's members, staff and volunteers; for the members of the Financial Affairs Committee and its sub-committees

Saturday: for St. Peter's Chinese Church and all who minister there

Next Sunday: Trinity Sunday

Proverbs 8: 1-4,22-31 Psalm 8 Romans 5: 1-5 St. John 16: 12-15

ASSISTING THIS MORNING

Altar Guild:	Toni Larsen
Eucharistic Ministers:	Debbie Dugas, Toni Larsen
Sides persons:	Inez and Rene Backs
Refreshment Hosts:	Joan Scott
Lunch Club Laundry:	_____ Laraine and Michel Paradis

TODAY'S MUSIC: We are delighted to welcome back the Junior Handbell Ringers from Winchester United Church (Winchester ON). They have been under the direction of Robert Jones since 2004. The three octaves of bells were manufactured by Malmark (of Pennsylvania). The lowest bell in the set is equivalent to the piano's middle c. Their music looks like piano music: ringers in the lowest octave read their notes from the bass clef staff and the upper octaves read from the treble clef staff. Each ringer is responsible for two notes (C&D; E&F, G&A etc) plus the sharps and flats that go with it. In our set, the handles are colour coordinated like the piano keyboard: the sharps and flats have black handles. Ringers (lowest to highest bells): Sydney Steele, Samantha Benoit, Mason Steele, Alex Porteous, Bart Steele, Riley Steele, Orian Steele, Ron Porteous, Bridget Porteous, Marshall Steele.

Centering Prayer will resume on Monday, May 31 at 5:30 pm

For more information, please contact John Price at 613-724-3846

ZIMBABWEAN FUND-RAISING DINNER

Saturday, May 29, 2010 Time: 6:00 p.m.

Venue: St. Thomas the Apostle Anglican Church

Tickets: \$15 before the 29th, which are now available at our coffee hour, and \$20 at the door for adults and Children 6-12 years \$6

Menu: Zimbabwean food

Please come and have a taste of Zimbabwean foods and have an experience of Zimbabwean culture.

Guest Speaker: The Reverend George Kwari

**Once again St. Luke's will be taking part in
DOORS OPEN OTTAWA
on Saturday, June 5 & Sunday, June 6.
If you are passionate about your church,
please sign up to show it off.**

We need 3 to 4 people per session.

The sign up sheet is in the narthex.

For more information, please see Jennifer Camfield or Toni Larsen.

* Note: Last year 67 people came to see our beautiful church.

GUIDED LABYRINTH MEDITATION

Due to the *Open Doors* on the first Friday of June,
our Guided Labyrinth will take place on Friday, June 11
at 7:00 p.m. For more information, please contact Barclay
McMillan at 613-563-4178



NEXT JUBILEE DEADLINE - June 15 Please email your article to
Heather Matchett at hmatchett1@sympatico.ca or see her after the
service.

The Worship is over, your Service begins!

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