

Proper Preface: *Preface of the Lord's Day* BAS, p. 218

Sanctus (*Common Praise 732*) Proulx

Lord's Prayer (BAS p. 918) McNeil Robinson

Breaking of the Bread BAS, p. 212

Agnus Dei (*Common Praise 745*) Senchur

All baptized persons are welcome to receive communion.

*If you wish to receive a blessing rather than communion,
please cross your arms over your chest when the priest approaches.*

Communion hymn 52: *O God, unseen yet ever near*

ST FLAVIAN

Please stand, as able, for the prayer after communion.

Prayer after Communion BAS, p. 382

Doxology

Priest: 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,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Blessing

Announcements

Closing hymn 524: *O Christ, the great foundation* AURELIA

Dismissal

Priest: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Postlude: *Wir danken Dir* W.F. Bach

Welcome to everyone here today!

*Please join us after Mass for refreshments
and conversation in the parish hall.*

Intercessions List

A list is available each Sunday on the small table at the entrance.
Please feel free to add your own petitions, and the names of
those you would like prayed for during Mass.

Prayers have been asked today for:

Phyllis, Vanesta, Marcelle, Becky, Mark, Montelle, Jermaine,
Alex, Tejah, Damien, Tannis, Cyrlene & Harmon, Richard,
Beck, Kevin, Neville, Lovina, Michael, Chris

**For announcements and up-coming events,
see the separate take-home leaflet.**



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Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 18, 2016

SUNG MASS AT 10:30

**You know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor,
so that by his poverty you might become rich.**

2 Corinthians 8.9

We acknowledge that we are on the traditional territory of the Mississaugas of New Credit (an Anishnaabe people), the Haudenosaunee Confederacy, and the Huron-Wendat Nation.

The service begins on page 216 of the Book of Alternative Services (BAS).
Hymns and service music are found in the blue Common Praise hymnal, which is available in regular print (with music) and large print (no music).

Gluten-free wafers are available for communion. If you require one, please pick up one of the red cards from the small table near the entrance, and add it to the collection plate at the time of the offertory.

Prelude: Now thank we all our God J.S. Bach, arr. V. Fox

Opening hymn 521: Dear Shepherd of your people, hear
STOCKTON

Priest: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

All: And also with you.

Priest: 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 Lord. Amen.**

Confession and Absolution

Priest: Dear friends in Christ,

*God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy,
welcoming sinners and inviting us to this table.*

Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Priest: Most merciful God,

**All: 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.**

*Priest: 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.*
All: Amen.

Laying on of hands

(Please come forward if you desire prayer for healing or a blessing).

Peace

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you

All: And also with you.

Gloria (Common Praise 686) Hurd

Collect of the Day BAS, p. 381

Liturgy of the word

(A period of silence is observed after each reading and the homily).

First Lesson: Jeremiah 8.18 – 9.1

Psalm 79.1-9: *Deus, venerunt*



- 1 O GOD, the heathen have come into your inheritānce;
they have profaned your ho-ly tem-ple; /
they have made Jerusalem a heap of rub-blë.
- 2 **They have given the bodies of your servants
as food for the birds of the air, /
and the flesh of your faithful ones to the beasts of the fiëld.**
- 3 They have shed their blood like water
on every side of Je-ru-[^]sa-lem, /
and there was no one to bu-[^]ry thëm.
- 4 **We have become a reproach to our neigh-bours, /
an object of scorn and derision to those a-round üs.**
- 5 How long will you be an-gry, O Lord? /
will your fury blaze like fire for ev-[^]ër?
- 6 **Pour out your wrath upon the heathen
who have not known you /
and upon the kingdoms
that have not called up-on-[^]your näme.**
- 7 For they have de-vous-ed Ja-cob /
and made his dwell-ing[^]a ru-[^]in.

- 8 **Remember not our past sins;
let your compassion be swift to meet us; /
for we have been brought ve-ry löw.**
- 9 Help us, O God our Saviour, for the glo-ry of your Name; /
deliver us and forgive us our sins, for your Name's säke.

Epistle: 1 Timothy 2.1-7

Gospel Acclamation: Celtic Alleluia

Gospeller: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

*Gospeller: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Luke.*

All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Holy Gospel: Luke 16.1-13

Gospeller: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily: Mtr Andrea Budgey

Nicene Creed BAS, p. 188

Intercessions

(Names and prayers may be added to the list at the entrance)

*Please respond to the petition: Help us, O God our Saviour,
with: **For the glory of your name.***

When the departed are prayed for:

V: Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord.

R: And let light perpetual shine upon them.

V: May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

R: Amen.

Celebration of the Eucharist

Offertory hymn 533: *Jesus, lover of my soul* ABERYSTWYTH

Prayer over the Gifts BAS, p. 382

Eucharistic Prayer 3 BAS, p. 198

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.