

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

Sanctus: (S114) Willan
Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord, God of Hosts, heaven and earth are full of your glory, Glory be to Thee O Lord most high. Blessed is he who cometh, in the name of the Lord, Hosanna, in the highest.

Lord's Prayer (S119) plainsong
The Breaking of the Bread
Priest: We break this bread to share in the body of Christ
**All: We, being many, are one body,
for we all share in the one bread.**

Agnus Dei: (S158) Willan
O Lamb of God that takest away the sin of the world. Have Mercy upon us. (X2) O Lamb of God that takest away the sin of the world. Grant us Thy peace.
*(we receive communion at the altar either standing or kneeling as you feel comfortable.
We ask that you not lean on the rail please.)*

Prayer after Communion

Almighty and eternal God, may we who have received this eucharist worship you in all we do, and proclaim the glory of your majesty. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

Priest: **G**lory 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.

The Blessing

Hymn: 637: "How firma foundation" *Lyons*

The Dismissal

Priest: Go forth in the name of Christ.

All: Thanks be to God

Organ Postlude

Upcoming Events and Announcements

Welcome to everyone here today. Please join us after mass for refreshments and conversation in the parish hall

Meditation: will recommence on the second Tuesday of September @ 7:30p.m.

Next Sunday 11th Sunday after Pentecost: Exodus 3:1-15 , Psalm 105:1-6, 23-26, 45b , Romans 12:9-21 , Matthew 16:21-28

Vestment restoration fund: anyone wishing to donate to the restoration of the SSJD altar frontal please see Fr. Hoopes. Any amount would be appreciated.

Sunday breakfast: We are always looking for volunteers: please speak with Fr. David Hoopes

Coffee Hour: Anyone willing to help out at coffee hour please see Joy or Beckie

Be an active member of St. Stephen's by joining the Altar guild, Acolytes, Breakfast program or becoming a greeter. See Fr. David Hoopes.

Leaflet Deadline: 6pm Thursdays.

SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING AND B.B.Q Saturday, September 10th from 4–6 pm we will be celebrating our 153rd Anniversary. The congregations of the Free Church and the Toronto Worship Center will be joining us for this special occasion. Make plans now to be there and bring a friend. We need volunteers to help out. Please see Fr. David

Bishop Tonks Dinner: See Evernese or Joyce Benskin for tickets.

CHURCH OF ST. STEPHEN IN-THE-FIELDS

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Sung Eucharist: Sunday @ 11 o'clock am

Weekday Eucharist: TBA

Evening Meditation: Tuesdays @ 7:30pm

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**ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
AUGUST 28TH, 2011
SUNG EUCHARIST AT 11 O'CLOCK**

Organ Prelude

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

Response: 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.

Kyrie: (S91) Healey Willan

Gloria: (S201) Merebecke

Priest: Glory be to God on high,

All: and on earth peace, good will to men. We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory. O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only begotten Son,

Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen

Liturgy of the word

(a period of silence is observed after each reading)

Old Testament Lesson

Exodus 3:1-15

Psalm: 105:1-6, 23-26, 45b *(said responsively)*

O give thanks to the LORD, call on his name, make known his deeds among the peoples.

Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wonderful works.

Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.

Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually.

O offspring of his servant Abraham, children of Jacob, his chosen ones.

Then Israel came to Egypt; Jacob lived as an alien in the land of Ham.

And the LORD made his people very fruitful, and made them stronger than their foes,

whose hearts he then turned to hate his people, to deal craftily with his servants.

He sent his servant Moses, and Aaron whom he had chosen.

Praise the LORD!

The Epistle

Romans 12:9-21

Gradual Hymn: 248: “ To the Name... ”

Oriel

The Holy Gospel

Matthew 16:21-28

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to

All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

From that time on, Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, "God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you." But he turned and said to Peter, "Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things." Then Jesus told his disciples, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life? "For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom."

Priest: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

HOMILY: Fr. David Bryan Hoopes O.H.C.

The Nicene Creed

Priest: Let us confess our faith, as we say,

ALL: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

INTERCESSIONS

We remember in our prayers

Arcelia Hunte, Phyllis Coombs, Montelle Brathwaite, Tannis Duncan, William Howard, Vanesta Licorish, Marcelle De Freitas, Morgan Dougherty, Joseph, Thomas Craven, Matthew, Ken, Cuthbert Downes, Belinda, Jim Stiner, Louise Franklin, Dorothy Hatcher, Christine Moore, Nolan Ferarro, Beckie Hunte, Adonica Huggins, Lovena Bryan, Pamela Sellers, Lawrence Benjamin, Leonie Bell, Richard Troy, Anne Lightfoot, Tracey Lightfoot, Emile Garipey, John Quinelin & Richard Schenck, All those who suffer through war and injustice.

Confession and Absolution

Priest: 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, confident in God's forgiveness.

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.
AMEN

The laying on of hands

(please come forward if you desire a blessing)

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you

All: And also with you

Offertory Hymn: 516 “Come down O love...” *Down Ampney*

Prayer over the gifts

Living God, receive all we offer you this day. Grant that hearing your word and responding to your Spirit, we may share in your divine life. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.
Amen