



## 10:00am Morning Prayer Service

**20TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST      OCT 6, 2024**

### THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

*Processional Hymn*

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### THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

#### **FIRST READING: GENESIS 2:18-24**

<sup>18</sup>Then the LORD God said, "It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper as his partner." <sup>19</sup>So out of the ground the LORD God formed every animal of the field and every bird of the air, and brought them to the man to see what he would call them; and whatever the man called every living creature, that was its name. <sup>20</sup>The man gave names to all cattle, and to the birds of the air, and to every animal of the field; but for the man there was not found a helper as his partner. <sup>21</sup>So the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and he slept; then he took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. <sup>22</sup>And the rib that the LORD God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man. <sup>23</sup>Then the man said, "This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; this one shall be called Woman, for out of Man this one was taken." <sup>24</sup>Therefore a man leaves his father and his mother and clings to his wife, and they become one flesh.

#### **PSALM: 8**

O LORD, our Sovereign,  
**how majestic is your name in all the earth!**  
**You have set your glory above the heavens.**  
Out of the mouths of babes and infants  
**you have founded a bulwark because of your foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger.**  
When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,  
**the moon and the stars that you have established;**  
what are human beings that you are mindful of them,  
**mortals that you care for them?**  
Yet you have made them a little lower than God,  
**and crowned them with glory and honor.**  
You have given them dominion over the works of your hands;  
**you have put all things under their feet,**  
all sheep and oxen,  
**and also the beasts of the field,**  
the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea,  
**whatever passes along the paths of the seas.**  
O LORD, our Sovereign,  
**how majestic is your name in all the earth!**

#### **PSALM PRAYER**

Blessed are you, creator of heaven and earth; amid the immensity of the universe, you are mindful of us and seek us out. Blessed are you for the gift of your Son, who humbled himself to share our life that we might be raised with him to glory and splendour. Blessed be your holy name, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever.

#### **SECOND READING: HEBREWS 1:1-4, 2:5-12**

1:1Long ago God spoke to our ancestors in many and various ways by the prophets, 1:2but in these last days he has spoken to us by a Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, through whom he also created the worlds 1:3He is the reflection of God's glory and the exact imprint of God's very being, and he sustains all things by his powerful word. When he had made purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high 1:4having become as much superior to angels as the name he has inherited is more excellent than theirs. 2:5Now God did not subject the coming world, about which we are speaking, to angels. 2:6But someone has testified somewhere, "What are human that you are mindful of

them or mortals that you care for them? 2:7You have made them for a little while lower than the angels; you have crowned them with glory and honor, 2:8subjecting all things under their feet." Now in subjecting all things to them, God left nothing outside their control. As it is, we do not yet see everything in subjection to them, 2:9but we do see Jesus, who for a little while was made lower than the angels, now crowned with glory and honor because of the suffering of death, so that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone. 2:10It was fitting that God, for whom and through whom all things exist, in bringing many children to glory, should make the pioneer of their salvation perfect through sufferings. 2:11For the one who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one Father. For this reason Jesus is not ashamed to call them brothers and sisters, 2:12saying, "I will proclaim your name to my brothers and sisters; in the midst of the congregation I will praise you."

#### **THE HOLY GOSPEL – MARK 10:2-16**

2 Some Pharisees came, and to test him they asked, "Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?" 3 He answered them, "What did Moses command you?" 4 They said, "Moses allowed a man to write a certificate of dismissal and to divorce her." 5 But Jesus said to them, "Because of your hardness of heart he wrote this commandment for you. 6 But from the beginning of creation, 'God made them male and female.' 7 'For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, 8 and the two shall become one flesh.' So they are no longer two, but one flesh. 9 Therefore what God has joined together, let no one separate." 10 Then in the house the disciples asked him again about this matter. 11 He said to them, "Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her; 12 and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery." 13 People were bringing little children to him in order that he might touch them; and the disciples spoke sternly to them. 14 But when Jesus saw this, he was indignant and said to them, "Let the little children come to me; do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs. 15 Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it." 16 And he took them up in his arms, laid his hands on them, and blessed them.

Sermon: **David Wilson**  
The Apostles Creed  
Offertory Hymn

## ST PAUL'S – PARISH NEWS

We remember in our Prayers  
*Jean, Dale, Joe, Don, & Bill*

### **PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS**

God of truth, receive all we offer you this day. Make us worthy servants, strong to follow in the pattern of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

*Prayers of the People Pg. 110-128*

### **THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

Almighty God, you have built your Church on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone. Join us together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may become a holy temple, acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

*The Lord's Prayer*

*Announcements*

*Recessional Hymn*

*Dismiss*

#### **Liturgical Ministries**

**Celebrant:** David Wilson      **Reader:** Audrey Michaud  
**Greeter:** Bill & Barb Richards      **Music:** Anne Byers

#### **Common Lectionary Readings for Next Sunday:**

TO BE ANNOUNCED

### **WELCOME TO OUR PARISH!**

*If you are a newcomer, not receiving weekly bulletins in your email, or need your contact information updated, please feel welcome to fill out a brief information sheet located by the main door. We want to include you in all the great happenings here! If you would like to hear from Rev Mike on your birthday, fill that in too! All information given is confidential.*

**2025 CHURCH CALENDARS:** They are here in limited number. \$10 each. Cash Please. Please see Office Admin, Cindi-Lee.

**ALPHA COURSE AFTER THANKSGIVING:** Rev Mike will be leading the course. What is Alpha? A series of group conversations that freely explore the basics of the Christian faith in an open, friendly environment. Everyone is welcome, no matter your background, where you are in your faith journey or beliefs. Speak to Mike if you have questions and or are interested.

**OUTFLOW: OCT 30, 2024** is our next serving night at Outflow. Anyone who would like to be involved, please contact April Medford 738-2396 or Paula Nason 738-2437

### **OUTFLOW IS IN NEED OF COOKIES PLEASE**

**OFFERINGS:** The offering plate is located at the back of the seating area, in the center isle. You may leave your offering there, or Email transfer to therezadm@gmail.com NO PASSWORD NEEDED. Rhythmic giving is also available by EFT (automatic electronic fund transfer) Contact Jean Wilson at 757- 8004 or jean\_wilson@msn.com

**SUNRISE PLAYPARK :** Check out the website: www.sunrisepark.ca for hours of operation and how to book a party!!

**WALKING CLUB:** Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 10 – 11 AM in Rez Sanctuary.

**COZY CORNER:** COME ONE, COME ALL!!!! A clothing exchange for everyone. WE ACCEPT GENTLY WORN, CLEAN CLOTHING! REGULAR HOURS ARE: Monday: 10 AM – 12 PM, Thursday: 12 PM – 2 PM & 6 PM – 8 PM Saturday: 10 AM – 12 PM

**COZY CORNER WILL BE CLOSED FOR THANKSGIVING Saturday, Oct 12 & Monday Oct 14**

**PENNY FOOD PANTRY:** Is located in The Resurrection driveway! This wonderful project has been formed and led by a group of volunteers in our Community. Our participation is welcomed!

### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS:**

**Week of Oct 7: (Tue, 8:30 – 3:30) (Wed 12:30 – 4:00)**  
**Week of Oct 14: (Wednesday 8:30 – 3:30)**

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