



ST. PAUL'S

ANGLICAN CHURCH

Connecting people with God and each other

Sunday, August 09, 2026: 11th Sunday After Pentecost

I wait for the Lord; in his word is my hope. (Psalm 130:4)



WELCOME TO ST. PAUL'S!

VISITING TODAY?

We want to get to know you! Please join us in the Hall for coffee and conversation after the service. The greeters are available to answer any of your questions. Please fill out a welcome card in the back of the pew and put it in the offering basket, or give to any volunteer, staff, or vestry member.



ABOUT ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN

Services:

- Eucharist services: **Sundays at 10:00am**
- **Morning & Evening Prayer** Services:
Mon–Sat at **8:00am** on Zoom
Daily at **9:15pm** on Zoom.
- Sermons are available on our Website
- We also have small groups

Office Hours:

- Tues. 9:30am to 3:30pm
- Office is closed: Wed–Mon (and Holidays)

PRAYER

For the Prayer Chain, email or phone:
prayer@stpauls-anglican.ca – 780-455-0771

For pastoral emergencies call:
(825) 771-1700

ACCESSIBILITY

We have accessible washrooms and lifts available for anyone who needs them. If you need help, please speak to a greeter.

PLEASE SILENCE YOUR PHONE ☺

Serving St. Paul's: Email office@stpauls-anglican.ca

- Join a Ministry Team (Service Team, Music, Altar Guild, Sound/Video, etc.)

Giving to St. Paul's: One-Time or Recurring

- Giving can be done by Cash, Cheque, Automatic Debit/Credit, or E-Transfer to office@stpauls-anglican.ca
- We can also receive donations through our Website or the Tithely App.



LARGE PRINT MATERIALS

Large print Bibles and BAS (Book of Alternative Services) are available at the main door.

ASSISTED LISTENING DEVICES



**Assisted Listening is available.
Please ask a greeter for assistance.**



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Our Narrative Statement of Identity: We love to be together, persevere, and practice the ways of Jesus together. Even though we're at different places on our journey, we share a guiding story as given through the Bible, and we all look for Jesus in each other and in the world we live in. We share faith, we share music, we share differences, and above all we share God's love of us in Jesus. We all give, we all receive. We are a diverse family who laughs, cries, and prays together, and is learning how to love and care for each other. Our greatest ambition is to share this love with everyone around us – in our neighbourhoods and around the world.

Christ Be Magnified

Were creation suddenly articulate
With a thousand tongues to lift one cry
Then from north to south and east to west
We'd hear Christ be magnified

Were the whole earth echoing His eminence
His name would burst from sea and sky
From rivers to the mountain tops
We'd hear Christ be magnified

**O Christ be magnified
Let His praise arise
Christ be magnified in me
O Christ be magnified
From the altar of my life
Christ be magnified in me**

When ev'ry creature finds its inmost melody
And ev'ry human heart its native cry
O then in one enraptured hymn of praise
We'll sing Christ be magnified **(To Chorus)**

The Gathering of the Community

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

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: 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.

Celebrant: *(Collect of the Day...)*

Lectionary Question

The Proclamation of the Word (← [Click to read online](#))

GENESIS 37:1-4, 12-28 (pg.28 in the red pew Bible)

PSALM 105:1-6, 16-22, 45C - Read

ROMANS 10:5-15- *(pg. 802 in the red pew Bible)*

Gospel Proclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia, allelu, alleluia (Repeat)

The Gospel Reading:

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

The Gospel Reading: MATTHEW 14:22-33 (pg. 692 in the red pew Bible)

Reader: *The Gospel of Christ.*

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Worship Through Song

Holy Forever

A thousand generations falling down in worship

To sing the song of ages to the Lamb

And all who've gone before us

And all who will believe

Will sing the song of ages to the Lamb

Your name is the highest

Your name is the greatest

Your name stands above them all

All thrones and dominions

All powers and positions

Your name stands above them all

And the angels cry Holy

All creation cries Holy

You are lifted high Holy

Holy forever (2 nd time to Chorus 2)

If you've been forgiven and if you've been redeemed

Sing the song forever to the Lamb

If you walk in freedom and if you bear His name

Sing the song forever to the Lamb

We'll sing the song forever and amen (To Chorus 1)

Hear Your people sing Holy

To the King of Kings Holy

You will always be Holy

Holy forever

Holy Song

What joy to know You Lord to walk within Your ways
To live beneath the shadow of Your wing
Faithful You will lead me and I won't fear a thing
You alone my song will always be

**Holy holy holy
Is the Lord God Almighty
Worthy worthy worthy
All of the earth is full of Your glory**

What mercy to me Lord to choose me for Your own
That You would make my heart Your dwelling place
And when I stand in glory and we are face to face
Surely then my song will be the same **(To Chorus)**

Worthy now to receive
Power and wisdom and majesty
Unto You Christ our King
Splendor and honor eternally
Yours forever
Yours forever

What beauty to behold there before the throne
As all of earth and heaven hail the King
The Lion and the Lamb our God the Great I Am
To You alone our song forever be
To You alone our song forever be **(To Chorus)**

Listening Time: *Listen to God, in this moment. If you hear a word of exhortation or a scripture for the congregation, you may speak it loudly for all to hear.*

Sermon: ***Rev. Wally Cox***

(A page for notes is available separately)

Affirmation of Faith: ***The Apostles' Creed***

Celebrant: 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

(See BAS pgs. 110-123)

Confession of Sin

Invitation to confession...

Celebrant: 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.

Greeting of Peace

The Celebration of the Eucharist

This Is My Father's World

This is my Father's world
And to my list'ning ears
All nature sings and 'round me rings
The music of the spheres
This is my Father's world
I rest me in the thought
Of rocks and trees of skies and seas
His hand the wonders wrought

This is my Father's world
The birds their carols raise
The morning light the lily white
Declare their Maker's praise
This is my Father's world
He shines in all that's fair
In the rustling grass I hear Him pass
He speaks to me everywhere

This is my Father's world
O let me ne'er forget
That though the wrong seems oft so strong
God is the Ruler yet
This is my Father's world
The battle is not done
Jesus who died shall be satisfied
And earth and heav'n be one

The Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant: O God,

All: accept our praise and thanksgiving.
Help us in all we do
to offer ourselves as a true and living sacrifice;
through Jesus Christ the Lord.

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

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

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

Preface to Holy Communion (Eucharistic Prayer 1)...

Celebrant: Therefore, with them, and with all your saints...
to proclaim the glory of your name.

All: (Sung) Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty. Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty. Who was, and is, and is to come. Who was, and is, and is to come. Lift up his name with the sound of singing. Lift up his name in all the earth. Lift up your voice and give him glory. For he is worthy to be praised. For he is worthy to be praised. For he is worthy to be praised.

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Celebrant: *Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith.*

All: Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

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(Sung) 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 for ever. Amen.

Celebrant: 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.

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the People of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

You are welcome to receive communion or come forward for a blessing. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please fold your arms over your chest.s Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. Receiving only one kind includes the fullness of the sacrament. You may also receive prayer in the Chapel during this time.

Lamb of God

(Sung) Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us your peace.

Living Sacrifice

All on the altar

Surrendered again

Freely I lay down

My everything

This is my honor

The gift that I bring

I will be a living sacrifice

All my heart and soul to glorify

I offer nothing less than all my life

For Jesus Christ

I just want to bless You

Whatever it takes

With my mind and my body

My spirit and strength

You are a fire

Then set me ablaze **(To Chorus)**

He Will Hold Me Fast

When I fear my faith will fail
Christ will hold me fast
When the tempter would prevail
He will hold me fast
I could never keep my hold
Through life's fearful path
For my love is often cold
He must hold me fast

He will hold me fast

He will hold me fast

For my Savior loves me so

He will hold me fast

Those He saves are His delight
Christ will hold me fast

Precious in His holy sight
He will hold me fast
He'll not let my soul be lost
His Promises shall last
Bought by Him at such a cost
He will hold me fast **(To Chorus)**

For my life He bled and died
Christ will hold me fast
Justice has been satisfied
He will hold me fast
Raised with Him to endless life
He will hold me fast
Till our faith is turned to sight
When He comes at last **(To Chorus)**

Salvation Belongs To Our God

Salvation belongs to our God
Who sits upon the throne
And unto the Lamb
Praise and glory wisdom and thanks
Honour and power and strength

Be to our God forever and ever

Be to our God forever and ever

Be to our God forever and ever Amen

And we the redeemed shall be strong
In purpose and unity
Declaring aloud
Praise and glory wisdom and thanks
Honour and power and strength **(To Chorus)**

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Honour and power and strength **(To Chorus)**

Prayers After Communion

Celebrant: 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

Lectionary Discussion *(Please share aloud your thoughts from hearing the Word of God)*

Congregational Announcements – Junior S.

Hymn Of The Holy Spirit

Holy Spirit guide my vision
Help me see the way You see
Always Jesus ever Jesus
Christ in all as Christ in me

Holy Spirit guide my speaking
Words of grace and truth abound
Let my lips be filled with stories
Of the mercy that I've found

**You're the light You're my path
You're the Shepherd of my soul
All I am all I have
Holy Spirit lead me on**

Holy Spirit guide my hearing
Wake my ears to words You speak
In the thunder in the stillness
Let Your voice be clear to me
Let Your voice be clear to me

Holy Spirit lead me onward
Walking through the great unknown
Trusting leaning holding clinging
Till the day You lead me home **(To Chorus)**

Dismissal

Celebrant: Go in peace to love & serve the Lord.
All: Thanks be to God.

Please join us for coffee and fellowship in the Hall after the service! We also invite you to bring your own refillable mug to reduce waste.

Community Dinner

Our next Community Dinner is Saturday August 22, 2026. If you would like to participate, please see our website for the volunteer signup information.
Otherwise, we would love to see you there at 4:30-6:00pm.

Kids Church on Break over Summer

Our Kids Church ministry is on break over the Summer - giving our teachers a rest and enabling children to be part of the entire Sunday gathering. Children are very welcome throughout the

gathering, there is an activity corner at the back and a small playroom for younger children. Kids Church programming will resume September 6th.

Church Office Administration

Our church administrator Hannah will be out of office on holidays from August 4th-11th. If you have an immediate need, please contact office@stpauls-anglican.ca. Otherwise Hannah will respond to any emails as soon as she is back.

Synod Scene

Read our Diocese's Synod Scene newsletter at www.edmonton.anglican.ca/newsletters/latest

This Week's Ministry Teams

Music/Sound/Tech: Andrew's Team, Rosalie & Yohana

Service Team: B Team

Prayers of the People: Carol R.

Vestry-on-Duty: Junior S.

Chapel Prayer: Dudley & Pat

Kids Sanctuary:

Next Week's Teams: August 16

Music/Sound/Tech: Liska's Team, John & Jacob

Service Team: Green & Friends Team:

Prayers of the People: Gay G.

Vestry-on-Duty: Nancy W-S.

Chapel Prayer: Kjeryn & Joan

Kids Sanctuary:

Cycle of Prayer for St. Paul's

Barb Dixon

Gay Gering

Neil and Laura Rogers

Rick and Barb Mickelson

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Diocese of British Columbia: the Rt. Rev. Anna Greenwood-Lee, Bishop. **St. Mary, Vegreville:** Laureta Blondin, Rector. **Buyé Diocese, Gitobe Parish:** Joseph Hakizimana, Rector. **Cold Lake First Nation.**

St. Paul's Staff

Rector: [Rev. Wally Cox](#)

Assistant Priest: [Rev. Dr. Eric Kregel](#)

Community Facilitator: [Michelle Schurek](#)

Office Administrator: [Hannah Fortune](#)

St. Paul's Vestry

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Rector's Warden: Paul Dowie

People's Warden: Gay Gering

Parish Treasurer: David Heritage

Vestry Members: Debbie Liska, Jim Egeto, Ryan Young, Junior Stanley, & Nancy Whistance-Smith.



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