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CHAMBLY AND GRACE CHURCH, L'ACADIE**



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**MORNING PRAYER (BAS)
REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY
SUNDAY, NOV. 12TH, 2023**

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

"We believe we are called by God to be a faithful ministry to God through our actions, while true to the Gospel and spiritually alive in prayer, worship and service, to reach out to our community and grow in ministry."

MORNING PRAYER
Officiant: Rev. Andy O'Donnell
Organist: Colin Langille

Opening Hymn: O Canada

O Canada! Our home and native land!
True patriot love in all of us command,

Car ton bras sait porter l'épée,
Il sait porter la croix!
Ton histoire est une épopée
Des plus brillants exploits,

God keep our land glorious and free!
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

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Moment of Silence.

The Act of Remembrance

The symbolic ceremony finishes with an officiate reciting of the Act of Remembrance.

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old;
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We will remember them.

To which all participants respond with "**We will remember them.**"

Sentence: Watch and be ready, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming.
{Matthew24.42,44}

The service resumes on Page 47 of the BAS [Green book]

The Invitatory: Pentecost #12 [pg. 48]

Jubilate: [Psalm 100] [pg. 49]

In Flanders Fields by John McCrae

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Betty Cunningham

The Psalm for this morning is Psalm 116 verses 1-8 starting on Pg.864 of the BAS. We will all repeat the Psalm together with the Prayer at the end.

Today's first reading is taken from Wisdom of Solomon Chapter 3 verses 1-9
{Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-9}

Listen now for the word of God.....

But the souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment will ever touch them. In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace. For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace, he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt-offering he accepted them. In the time of their visitation, they will shine forth and will run like sparks through the stubble. They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them for ever. Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones, and he watches over his elect.

{Silence followed by}

For the Word of God in Scripture, for the Word of God among us, for the Word of God within us. **THANKS BE TO GOD.**

This morning's second reading is taken from 1 Peter Chapter 1 verses 3-9
{1 Peter 1:3-9}

Listen now for the Word of God....

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you rejoice, even if now for a little while you have had to suffer various trials, so that the genuineness of your faith—being more precious than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed. Although you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, for you are receiving the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

{Silence followed by}

For the Word of God in Scripture, for the Word of God among us, for the Word of God within us.....

THANKS BE TO GOD.

Gradual Hymn: #528 – O God, Our Help in Ages Past - {Tune:St. Anne}

Rev. Andy O'Donnell: The Lord be with you.

People: And also, with you

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint John, in the 11th Chapter, beginning at the twenty-first verse. [John 11:21-27]

People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Martha said to Jesus, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. But even now I know that God will give you whatever you ask of him.' Jesus said to her, 'Your brother will rise again.' Martha said to him, 'I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day.' Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?' She said to him, 'Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one coming into the world.'

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

ALL: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Homily: Rev. Andy O'Donnell

Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed: Page 52

Prayers of the People with Thanks to Lowell Grisham

Dorothy Cunningham

Presider: Gracious One, you have made us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Make known to us your radiant and unfading wisdom, that we may participate in your work of reconciling love, as we pray: Fix our thoughts on your wisdom, **which is perfect understanding.**

Litanist: Guard your Church, O Holy One, and let your Wisdom appear to us in our paths to meet us in every thought. Fix our thoughts on your wisdom, **which is perfect understanding.**

Guide the leaders of our nation and those who exercise authority throughout the world to plan with wise foresight; grant them your Wisdom to seize the moment of decision and to act in accordance with your will. Fix our thoughts on your wisdom, **which is perfect understanding.**

Come speedily to aid the poor and needy and bring them the comfort of your divine compassion. Fix our thoughts on your wisdom, **which is perfect understanding.**

Give us wisdom in this community to be faithful stewards of your gifts, that we may not consume the resources you have given us but preserve them for ourselves and our neighbours for generations to come. Fix our thoughts on your wisdom, **which is perfect understanding.**

Liberate from their cares and anxieties those for whom we pray in intercession, especially for our Foster Children Kasu and Maria, the Agley family, the Goodfellow family, Bill and Joyce, Lynn Pearce, Olga, the McConnell family, the Stedman family, Lil and Joe Robinson, Ann Hopkins, Sylvia Dawson, Joel and Sarah, Donald Sloane, Jennifer, Derek Marchand, Ted Neville, & Roslyn Macgregor. In the wider community we pray for Patrick Turgeon, Virginia, Brianna Walsh, Brahim, Kevan, David, Bob Carveth, Robbie, Mark, Keith Donahue, Dianne, Luna Utrera, Yolanda, Pauline, Jerry Prokoki, Ann Barton, Alvin Powell, Sheila & Art Atwood, Veronica Valentine, Carole Alain, Dr. and Mrs. Patenaude, Jordan, Tamara & Chris Esther, Sylvie & Guy, Sharron Edmunds Gillis, Frank Schneider, Bernard LaFleur, Nicole Dubois, Brent O'Donnell and Pauline Ulric. Fix our thoughts on your wisdom, **which is perfect understanding.**

Presider: Deepen our desire for instruction, O God, that we may love Wisdom and follow in your way, through Jesus Christ our Saviour, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God for ever and ever. **Amen**

In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we uphold in prayer Mary our Bishop, David our Metropolitan, Linda our Primate, Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury, and all Priests, Clergy, Deacons and Lay readers in the Diocese. We pray also for the Standing Committees of Council Finance, The Rev Joel Amis, Chair. In the world we pray for Igreja Anglicana de Mocambique eAngola. We also remember in prayer Rt. Rev'd. Dr. Bruce Myers, Bishop, Diocese of Quebec and for our partnerships with the Territory of the Peoples, and for the Diocese of Masasi, Bishop James Almasi and the Rev'd Linus Buriani and our developing friendship with the Diocese of Kinshasa, Bishop Achille. Lord in your mercy; **Amen**

Offertory Hymn: #48 – Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence – {Tune: Picardy}

The flowers on the Altar are in loving memory of Paul, Leo and Raymond Poirier from Mom, Michael, Matthew and Chloe, and for Todd Derry from Bev and Ralph.

Offertory Prayer: Pg. 392

Collect: Pg. 391

The Lord's Prayer – Pg. 54

Birthdays this Week

Mario Jutras (Ward) – Nov. 12th

Ursula Agley – Nov. 14th

**“Happy Birthday to you, To Jesus be True,
May God's many blessings, Keep falling on you”**

Closing Hymn: LP #153 & MP #456 – Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

Dismissal/Blessing: Pg. 55

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

Blessing: (Officiant)

All: Amen.

Coffee will be served in Randell Hall immediately following the service courtesy of Mike & Wendy Gareau.

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