

October 4, 2020

Harvest Sunday

10:00 a.m.

ANTE COMMUNION *

Gathering Songs: **This is What I Believe** John A. Schreiner/
Walt Harrah

I believe in God the Father
Maker of heaven and earth
And in Jesus, his only son
Born of a virgin birth
On the cross he was crucified
He descended into Hell
But on the third day Jesus rose again
He's alive and all is well

*This is what I believe
It is written on my heart
This is what I believe
Every promise every part
This is what I believe*

I believe the Lord's in heaven
And worshipped in majesty there
I believe he'll come again
And meet us in the air
I believe he's in the Church
To keep us on the way
Leading onward into truth
To that great eternal day

* "Ante" Communion is our full service with the exception of the Celebration of the Eucharist

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I Am Persuaded

Robin Mark

(Romans 8:38-39)

O God of righteousness, O God of love

Your Word is perfect

And your ways are just

When darkness shades the path

On which I walk

In you, O Lord,

I choose to place my trust

I know that my Redeemer lives

He is my life, my hope,

My strength and power

I know his word will be fulfilled

His Kingdom rules

And reigns forever more

I am persuaded neither death nor life

Nor powers on earth

Or in the realms above

Can ever take us from your hand O God

Can ever separate us from your love

Come to Me

Joel Chernoff

(Matthew 11:28-30, Malachi 4:2)

**Come to me, you who labor
All of you who are heavily burdened
Take my yoke and learn of me
I am gentle and Oh, so meek**

*My yoke is easy,
My burden light
Peace for you souls
There you'll find
Drink from the fountain
That will never run dry
Rest your soul in its sweet overflow*

***And for all of you
Who love and revere my name
Will the Son of Righteousness
Arise with healing in his wings
And we will all go forth
And leap for joy
Like a newborn calf from his stall
Hallelu, Hallelujah***

For the fruit of all creation,
thanks be to God;
gifts bestowed on every nation,
thanks be to God.

For the ploughing, sowing, reaping,
silent growth while we are sleeping,
future needs in earth's safe-keeping,
thanks be to God.

In the just reward of labour,
God's will is done.
In the help we give our neighbour,
God's will is done.
In our worldwide task of caring
for the hungry and despairing,
in the harvests we are sharing,
God's will is done.

For the harvests of the Spirit,
thanks be to God.
For the good we all inherit,
thanks be to God.
For the wonders that astound us,
for the truths that still confound us,
most of all, that love has found us,
thanks be to God.

Greeting

Green 185

Priest 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.**

Welcome

The Rev. Michelle Jones

Collect for Purity

Priest Almighty God,

People **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.**

Children's Focus/Blessing of the Pets

Tina Clarke

Collect of the Day

Green 396

Creator of the fruitful earth,
you made us stewards of all things.
Give us grateful hearts for all your goodness,
and steadfast wills to use your bounty well,
that the whole human family,
today and in generations to come,
may with us give thanks for the riches of your creation.
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

Reading:

2 Corinthians 9:6-15

Luigi Battista

Gospel Acclamation:

Cantor *Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

Together *Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

Cantor: Those who sowed with tears will reap with songs of joy.

The Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

Together *Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

Sermon: The Rev. Canon Byron Gilmore

Apostle's Creed Green 189

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

Luigi Battista

Confession & Absolution

Green 191

Celebrant Dear friends in Christ,
God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy;
he welcomes sinners
and invites them to his fellowship.
Let us confess our sins,
confident in God's forgiveness.

Celebrant Most merciful God,
People **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.**

Celebrant 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.

People **Amen.**

Offertory Hymn

What Kind of Love is This?

Bryn Haworth and Sally Haworth

**What kind of love is this
That gave itself for me?
I am the guilty one
Yet I go free
What kind of love is this
A love I'd never known
I didn't even know his name
What kind of love is this?**

**What kind of man is this
That died in agony?
He who had done no wrong
Was crucified for me
What kind of man is this
Who laid aside his throne?
That I may know the love of God
What kind of man is this?**

**By grace I have been saved
It is the gift of God
He destined me to be his child
Such is his love
No eye has ever seen
No ear has ever heard
Nor has the human heart conceived
What kind of love is this?**

Source of all life,
the heaven and earth are yours,
yet you have given us dominion over all things.
Receive the symbols of our labour and love
which we offer you this day,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Celebrant And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us,
we are bold to say,

All **Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Come, ye thankful people, come,
raise the song of harvest home!
All is safely gathered in,
ere the winter storms begin;
God, our maker, doth provide
for our wants to be supplied:
come to God's own temple, come,
raise the song of harvest home!

All the world is God's own field,
fruit unto his praise to yield;
wheat and weeds together sown,
unto joy or sorrow grown;
first the blade, and then the ear,
then the full corn shall appear:
Lord of harvest, grant that we
wholesome grain and pure may be.

For the Lord our God shall come,
and shall take his harvest home;
from his field shall in that day
all offences purge away;
give his angels charge at last
in the fire the weeds to cast;
but the fruitful ears to store
in his garner evermore.

Dismissal

Leader: *Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.*

People: Thanks be to God.

ALTAR FLOWERS

Are given to the Glory of God.



THIS WEEK AT CHRIST CHURCH

- ✘ Tuesday, October 6, 2020
 - Lectio Divina @ 8:00 pm via Zoom (*see notice*)
- ✘ Thursday, October 8, 2020
 - "Church On-Line" production @ 4:00 – 8:00 Sanctuary
- ✘ Friday, October 9, 2020
 - Lectio Divina @ 10:00 am via Zoom (*see notice*)



TODAY

BLESSING OF THE PETS



JOIN US FOR
"CHURCH ON-LINE"
&
THE BLESSING
(Virtually This Year)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4 @ 10:00 AM



Registered Parishioners are encouraged to join us for our Annual Meeting of Vestry ("Anglican-speak" for Annual General Meeting) **today at noon via Zoom. Everything you need is available on the website** (Zoom link, Annual Report, Draft F2020 Financial Statements, Draft F2021 Budget)



Annual Meeting of Vestry

Sunday, October 4, 2020

12:00 Noon - 1:30 p.m.

Via Zoom and/or Telephone ✓

✓ Links will be available Sunday, October 4
Posted: Sunday, September 20, 2020



DISCIPLESHIP DEVELOPMENT



GOD WANTS EWE

"SUNDAY SCHOOL"

Gospel-inspired learning, prayer & crafts
for kids aged 4-12 via Zoom from 11:30 am - 12:00 noon

Contact Tina Clarke via email at:
tina.clarke.brampton@gmail.com

Join for Sunday School On-Line at 11:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon. Children aged 4-12 are warmly welcome to join for a time of Gospel-inspired stories, games & crafts. Contact Tina for a Zoom invitation at:

tina.clarke.brampton@gmail.com



Bishop's Fall Teaching Series via Zoom | Wednesday Evenings @ &7:30
(October 21, 28 & November 4)

PRAYER: What, Why, How?



Wednesdays 7:30pm by Zoom
Oct 21, 28 & Nov 4

Curious and seeking welcome.
No experience necessary



Diocese of Toronto
Anglican Church of Canada

Bishop Jenny's Fall Study Series
York-Credit Valley Area

To Register:

<http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07ehbmo8853aeb3e6a&llr=zulsehqab>

Lectio Divina is offered twice weekly

**Longing to spend time with God?
Wanting to deepen your prayer life?
Why not try Lectio Divina.**



The Rev. Michelle Jones provides a brief introduction and invitation video that can be accessed here:

<https://www.christchurchbrampton.ca/lectiodivina>

What?

A simple but comprehensive practice of praying the scripture that leads gradually but steadily from the mind to the heart. Each week we will focus on a fragment of scripture from the upcoming Sunday in a guided prayer exercise that deepens your understanding of God's love for you or may provide insight into a difficult situation. As this is a prayer practice rather than a course, you may join at any time and there is no issue about missing a week or two ~ it's that easy.

When?

1. **Tuesdays @ 8:00 pm** combined with a short service of Compline (night prayer) lasting approximately 45-60 minutes
2. **Fridays @ 10:00 am** lasting approximately 30-45 minutes

Where?

In the comfort of your own home. We suggest that you select a quiet spot where you will be undisturbed. Have your bible handy and perhaps a candle to help your focus.

How?

The prayers sessions will be offered via Zoom. Participants can join the sessions either by audio/video from their devices or by simply calling in. Contact The Rev. Michelle Jones for a Zoom invitation and/or any questions. Michelle can be reached by phone @ 416-418-3912 or by email @ curate.christchurchbrampton@gmail.com

Amber Phase Guidelines

Released September 4, 2020

Below is an excerpt from our guidelines. Full communication is available on our website.

In mid-August, the Diocese of Toronto released guidelines for the reopening of the churches. These guidelines are common to all Anglican parishes in the Province of Ontario. We are hopeful that will be re-open for in-church worship on Sunday, September 13 with modifications in place.

Christ Church has produced this brochure to provide an overview of the guidelines and what to expect as we resume in-church worship.

The guidelines come from a place of love, responsibility and a desire to be good shepherds of our parish family, to promote health and well-being. Should the situation warrant it, the Diocese and/or Christ Church may make changes to these guidelines.

How to register for in-person Sunday Worship

In-church worship will require pre-registration. With reduced capacity there is a fixed number of people allowed in the building each Sunday. To register:

1. **Register on-line** via our website using Eventbrite.
2. **Phone the office** @ 905-451-6649 Tuesday – Thursday from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm.

We will be continuing to offer Church On-Line on Sunday mornings at 10:00 am with Sunday School at 11:30 am via Zoom.

Everything you need is accessible from our website at:

www.christchurchbrampton.ca

All are invited | All are welcome | No experience required

Amber Phase Attendee Guidelines



**September
2020**

Resource Management

Financial Giving

Because the life and vitality of our Church is important to us, we are each called to make a financial commitment to ensure that the ministry of our church continues to flourish during this unprecedented time. We are so grateful for the intentional, purposeful and sacrificial gifts that enable us to invite, welcome and connect all of us together with Him who abides with us in all times and circumstances.

If you are not on PAR (pre-authorized remittance), now is a good time to do so. If you wish to go on PAR call the church office and speak to Martha or leave a message and she will return your call at her earliest convenience. Martha can be reached at:

Office: (905) 451-6649 / Phone or Text: 416-420-3765

A note from the office.
(while we are using a postage stamp) 😊

Christ Church is now able to accept e-Transfers.

- Set up Christ Church Brampton as a payee
- Payee email address is:
christchurchbrampton@bellnet.ca
- No password is required
- Offerings will be included in your annual tax receipt

Phone or text Martha if you need help at 416-420-3765

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Follow Christ Church on both Facebook and Instagram. Liking, commenting and sharing our posts is an easy way to share with others about Christ Church. And probably one of the easiest ways to invite family, friend and neighbours to join us for Church On-Line. Keep an eye on our website for all current information at: www.christchurchbrampton.ca

