

Today's Services of Holy Communion

8:00 am (Book of Common Prayer)

Celebrant and Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland

Lay Reader: Rosemary Bishop

10 am (Book of Alternative Services)

Celebrant: The Rev. Graham Goode

Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland

Lay Readers: Lorraine Grant and Jeff Oneski

The Leadership Team at St Peters

*If you or someone you know is ill or in need of pastoral care,
please leave a message at the office or email one of our clergy.*

Please feel free to direct any inquiries, questions or concerns to one of the wardens.

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October 27th, 2013

10:00 am



Growing in mission

2014

**St. Peter's Anglican Church
903-75th Avenue S.W., Calgary, Alberta 403-252-0393**

Welcome to our service of Holy Communion. If you are unfamiliar with the ritual customs of the Anglican Church, simply relax with the liturgy and let the rest of the congregation carry you in worship. As today's service begins, a gong will sound, calling us to stillness before God. As its sound fades away, we stand to sing our processional hymn.

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Call to Silence

Processional Hymn: #380 O Worship the King (Blue Hymnal)

Greeting

The Lord be with you: **And also with you.**

We gather in this holy place, lifting our voices in praise.

We come to offer ourselves, heart and soul and mind and strength.

We seek God's presence, opening ourselves to God's living Word.

We come to be filled by the Holy Spirit, breath of all creation.

Wherever two or three are gathered, Christ is among us.

Let us worship the living God together.

~ Teri Peterson

Let us pray:

Almighty God, you bring to light things hidden in darkness, and know the shadows of our hearts: Cleanse and renew us by your Spirit, that we may walk in the light and glorify your name, through Jesus Christ, the Light of the world, Amen.

The Gloria

Glory to the Father:	Glory to the Son.
Glory to the Spirit:	For ever three in One.
Be glorified in Calgary:	Be glorified in the world.
Be glorified at home:	Be glorified in the Church.
Be glorified on earth:	Be glorified in heaven.
Glory to the Father:	Glory to the Son.
Glory to the Spirit:	For ever three in One.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!	Amen! Amen!

The Kenyan Rite

Collect

Gracious and loving God, **we rejoice in the gifts of love we have received from the heart of Jesus your Son. Teach us to see Christ in the lives we touch, to offer him living worship by love-filled service to our brothers and sisters. Help us to always use your gifts wisely and teach us to share them generously. Send your Holy Spirit to work through us, bringing your message to those we serve. May our faithful stewardship bear witness to the love of Jesus Christ in our lives. We pray with grateful hearts, in Jesus' name. Amen.**

Children's Talk

Children are invited to come forward, then leave for Spirit Zone and return for Eucharist

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**Old Testament Reading: Joel 2:23-32**

O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the Lord your God; for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before. The threshing floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil. I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you. You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the Lord, am your God and there is no other. And my people shall never again be put to shame. Then afterward I will pour out my spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions. Even on the male and female slaves, in those days, I will pour out my spirit. I will show portents in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke. The sun shall be turned to darkness, and the moon to blood, before the great and terrible day of the Lord comes. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved; for in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the Lord has said, and among the survivors shall be those whom the Lord calls.

Psalm 65, page 785 (Green Book)

New Testament Reading: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. At my first defence no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Gradual Hymn: #403 Let All Things Now Living

The Gospel Reading: Luke 18:9-14

Response: **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

Jesus also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."

Response: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

Homily: The Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland

The Prayers of the People

The Confession and Absolution

Holy One, We long to be faithful stewards of your abundant grace.

To serve each other in love and humility.

To serve your world with wisdom and energy.

Forgive us when we stumble over pride,
when our words and actions are not guided by love.

Turn our hearts when we act in folly.

Restore our energy when it is gone.

Sometimes, many times, O God, our efforts fail.

But your abundant grace is strong and eternal.

~ Joanna Harader

May the God of love and power forgive *you* and free *you* from *your* sins,
heal and strengthen *you* by his Spirit, and raise *you* to new life in Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The Peace

We are the body of Christ. In the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body. Let us then pursue all that makes for peace and builds up our common life.

The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**

Offertory Hymn: #455 Dear God, Compassionate and Kind

The Prayer over the Gifts:

God of constant love, **whose giving knows no ending, we offer up the treasure that you have entrusted to us; we offer up the skills and time that you have given to us; we offer up ourselves in service and praise. Receive these gifts by your grace. Multiply and use them through the power of the Holy Spirit to accomplish Christ's work of love in the world. Amen.**

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Eucharistic Prayer #2, page 196

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ. We who are many, are called to one body, **For we all share in the one bread.**

Agnus Dei

Jesus Lamb of God, have mercy on us,
Jesus bearer of our sins, have mercy on us,
Jesus redeemer of the world, give us your peace.

All are welcome to join us at the Lord's Table. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please cross your arms. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.

Prayer after Communion

God our guide, you have fed us with bread from heaven as you fed the people of Israel. May we who have been inwardly nourished be ready to follow you all our days; we ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Glory to God, 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.

Blessing

You are the people of God, a holy nation,
a royal priesthood, the temple of God's presence.
May God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
bless you in this calling, now and always. **Amen.**

Announcements

Recessional Hymn: #381 Praise, My Soul

The Dismissal of the Community

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

A Stewardship Prayer

My church is composed of people like me. I help make it what it is. It will be friendly, if I am. Its pews will be filled, if I help fill them. It will do great work, if I work. It will make generous gifts to many causes, if I am a generous giver. It will bring other people into its worship and fellowship, if I invite and bring them. It will be a church of loyalty and love, of fearlessness and faith, and a church with a noble spirit, if I, who make it what it is, am filled with these same things. Therefore, with the help of God, I shall dedicate myself to the task of being all the things that I want my church to be. Amen

Archdiocese of Rochester

Prayers

- In our worldwide Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the church of Sudan and their clergy, The Rt. Rev. Bernard Oringa Balmoi.
- In our Diocesan Prayer Cycle we pray for St. Benedict, High River; St. Thomas, Dinton; St. Aidan, Pekisko and their clergy, The Rev. Diane Beaman and The Ven. Robert Griffiths and the National House of Bishops.
- In our Companion Diocese in the Windward Islands we pray for St. Mary, Bequia with Holy Cross, Paget Farm; St. Michael Canouan Mustique; St. Matthais, Union Island, St. Vincent and Grenadines and The Ven. Charles Adams.
- In our own parish let us ask for God's healing love to uphold and sustain all who are in any kind of need, especially: Maria Dalla Costa, Kolby Thomson, Ruth Elford, Shelley, Alison James, Julienne Hendrickson, Gerry Dawe, Edith Jones, Connie Clarke, Wendy Both, Laurie Arsenault, Kenneth Robertson, Tracey (Janzen) Grenier, Virginia Goodman, Ernie Rice, Edith Lenko, Nellie Werth, Mandy Gravells, Marguerite Dimmer, Joan Brisbourne, Chad McGregor, Peggy Brookes, Mariam Jacobs, Emily Sharpe, Eileen Williams, Garnet Wallace, Andrew Howe.
- Today we remember the family of The Rt. Rev. Gary Woolsey who passed away October 18th and whose funeral was held at St. Peter's on October 22nd.

Flowers are given this morning to the glory of God by Edith Jones and family in loving memory of husband and father, Ken and daughter, Elizabeth and by Joan Siddall in loving memory of her husband Annis and brother Reg.

Warden on duty today is Arnold Williams.