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FOR THE 120TH ANNIVERSARY OF ST. GEORGE'S-IN-THE-PINES**

Gala Fundraiser & Silent Auction

Sunday, November 1st, 2009

7:00 pm in The Alhambra Ballroom at The Fairmont Banff Springs



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THE FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

1 November, 2009 • Parish Thanksgiving & Eucharist at 11:00 am

Prelude

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Opening Hymn *ALL STAND TO SING* *Tune: Iste Confessor (Rouen)*

ONLY-BEGOTTEN, Word of GOD eternal,
LORD of Creation, merciful and mighty,
list to thy servants, when their tuneful voices
rise to thy presence.

Thus in our solemn Feast of Dedication,
graced with returning rites of due devotion,
ever thy children, year by year rejoicing,
chant in thy temple.

Here in our sickness healing grace aboundeth,
light in our darkness, in our toil refreshment;
sin is forgiven, hope o'er fear prevaieth,
joy over sorrow.

Hallow'd this dwelling where the LORD abideth,
this is none other than the gate of heaven;
strangers and pilgrims, seeking homes eternal,
pass through its portals.

LORD, we beseech thee, as we throng thy temple,
by thy past blessings, by thy present bounty,
smile on thy children, and with tender mercy
hear our petitions.

GOD in THREE PERSONS, FATHER everlasting,
SON co-eternal, ever-blessèd SPIRIT,
thine be the glory, praise and adoration,
now and for ever.

The Mutual Salutation *PLEASE REMAIN STANDING*

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.

Glory to God *ALL SING*

by David Hurd

GLORY to GOD in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.
LORD GOD, heavenly king, almighty GOD and FATHER,
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.
LORD JESUS CHRIST, only SON of the FATHER,
LORD GOD, Lamb of GOD,
you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the FATHER: receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the LORD,
you alone are the Most High, JESUS CHRIST,
with the HOLY SPIRIT, in the glory of GOD the FATHER. Amen.

The Collect of the Day *PLEASE KNEEL*

Celebrant Let us pray.

THE COMMUNITY MAY PRAY SILENTLY FOR A TIME.

Celebrant Almighty God, watchful and caring, our source and our end, all that we are and all that we have are yours. Accept us now, as we give thanks to you for this place where we have come to praise your name, to ask your forgiveness, to know your healing power, to hear your word, and to be nourished by the body and blood of your Son. Be present always to guide and to judge, to illumine and to bless your people. This we pray in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

THE ACT OF THANKSGIVING

Processional Psalm *ALL STAND*

Psalms 42.1-2, 7

THE CELEBRANT AND ATTENDANTS PROCEED TO THE FONT.

Cantor Like as the hart desireth the water-brooks, so longeth my soul after thee, O God.

My soul is athirst for God, yea, even for the loving God: when shall I come to appear before the presence of God?

O put thy trust in God, for I will yet give him thanks, who is the help of my countenance, and my God.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Celebrant We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over water the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through water you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In water your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

O blest communion, fellowship divine!
we feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
all are one in thee, for all are thine.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long,
steals on the ear the distant triumph-song,
and hearts are brave, again, and arms are strong.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

The golden evening brightens in the west;
soon, soon to faithful warriors comes their rest;
sweet is the calm of Paradise the blessed.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day;
the saints triumphant rise in bright array;
the King of glory passes on his way.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
and singing to FATHER, SON and HOLY GHOST:
Alleluia, Alleluia!

Dismissal

Minister Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Voluntary

WELCOME! A NOTE TO VISITORS

A very warm greeting to you. Please join us for coffee and light refreshments after our service. Since 1889, St. George's has welcomed visitors from all over the world to Banff National Park.

We feel we are called by God to serve as a centre of Anglican worship, community service, and connection with creation within the community of Banff. Anchored by the Anglican tradition, we open our doors and our hearts to all regardless of their faith or tradition. We strive to demonstrate Jesus' love and teachings through our services, events, activities and practices.

We hope you enjoy your trip, and learn more about us. Please visit our website at www.StGeorgesInThePines.org from time to time. We are a small, hard-working congregation that struggles to provide the resources to keep our ministry vital and our 120-year-old building viable. You may feel called to become a Friend of St. George's and share in this ministry. There are visitors' envelopes on the back table and your gift will be responsibly used and much appreciated. You can also click on the "Canada Helps" link on our website and

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant We break the bread of life, and that life is the light of the world.

People God here among us, light in the midst of us,
bring us to light and life.

The Invitation

Minister The gifts of God for the People of God.

People Thanks be to God.

Communion Psalm 126

Plainsong (Tone IV)

*ALL WHO ARE BAPTIZED, IN WHATEVER CHURCH, ARE WELCOME
TO RECEIVE THE SACRAMENT OR BLESSING. NO INTINCTION.*

Prayer after Communion PLEASE KNEEL

Celebrant Let us pray.

Father, you have given us this time of joy and have nourished us in heavenly things. Grant that we may show in our lives the love of Christ who is our God and Saviour.

All Amen.

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

Blessing

Celebrant The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

All Amen.

Closing Hymn ALL STAND TO SING

Tune: Sine Nomine

FOR all the saints, who from their labours rest,
who thee by faith before the world confessed,
thy Name, O JESUS, be forever blessed.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

Thou wast their Rock, their Fortress and their Might;
thou, LORD, their Captain in the well-fought fight;
thou, in the darkness drear, their one true Light.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

O may thy soldiers, faithful, true, and bold,
fight as the saints who nobly fought of old,
and win, with them the victor's crown of gold.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

We thank you, Father, for the water of baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection.

Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we celebrate our fellowship in him in faith.

We pray that all who here pass through the water of baptism may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Saviour.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, now and for ever.

All Amen.

Processional Psalm ALL REMAIN STANDING Psalm 119.105–106, 108, 111 THE CELEBRANT AND ATTENDANTS PROCEED TO THE LECTERN.

Cantor Thy word is a lantern unto my feet, and a light unto my path.

I have sworn, and am stedfastly purposed, to keep thy righteous judgements.

Let the free-will offerings of my mouth please thee, O Lord, and teach me thy judgements.

Thy testimonies have I claimed as mine heritage for ever; and why? they are the very joy of my heart.

Prayer at the Lectern

Celebrant Almighty God, your eternal Word speaks to us through the words of holy scripture. Here we have read of your mighty acts and purposes in history, and here we have learned about those whom you have chosen to be agents of your will. Inspired by the revelation of your Son, we seek your present purposes. Give us ears to hear and hearts to obey. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

The First Reading PLEASE BE SEATED

I Kings 8.22–30

Reader A reading from the eighth chapter of the First Book of Kings, beginning at the twenty-second verse.

Solomon stood before the altar of the Lord in the presence of all the assembly of Israel, and spread out his hands to heaven. He said, "O Lord, God of Israel, there is no God like you in heaven above or on earth beneath, keeping covenant and steadfast love for your servants who walk before you with all their heart, the covenant that you kept for your servant my father David as you declared to him; you promised with your mouth and have this day fulfilled with your hand. Therefore, O Lord, God of Israel, keep for your servant my father David that which you promised him, saying, 'There shall never fail you a successor before me to sit on the

throne of Israel, if only your children look to their way, to walk before me as you have walked before me.’ Therefore, O God of Israel, let your word be confirmed, which you promised to your servant my father David. But will God indeed dwell on the earth? Even heaven and the highest heaven cannot contain you, much less this house that I have built! Have regard to your servant’s prayer and his plea, O Lord my God, heeding the cry and the prayer that your servant prays to you today; that your eyes may be open night and day towards this house, the place of which you said, ‘My name shall be there’, that you may heed the prayer that your servant prays towards this place. Hear the plea of your servant and of your people Israel when they pray towards this place; O hear in heaven your dwelling-place; heed and forgive.”

Reader The word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Psalm 122 *ALL SING*

Single Chant by David Hurd

- 1 I was glad when they | said to | me,
“Let us | go to the | house of the | LORD.”
- 2 Now our | feet are | standing
within your | gates, | O Je|rusalem.
- 3 Jerusalem is | built as a | city
that is at | unity | with it|self;
- 4 To which the tribes go up, the | tribes of the | LORD,
the assembly of Israel, to | praise the | Name of the | LORD.
- 5 For there are the | thrones of | judgements,
the | thrones of the | house of | David.
- 6 Pray for the | peace of Je|rusalem :
— | “May they | prosper who | love you.
- 7 Peace be with | in your | walls
and | quietness with | in your | towers.
- 8 For my brethren and com | panions’ | sake,
I | pray for | your pros|perity.
- 9 Because of the house of the | LORD our | God,
I will | seek to | do you | good.”

Glory to the Father, and | to the | Son,* and | to the | Holy | Spirit :
As it was in the be|ginning, is | now, * and | will be for|ever. A|men.

in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, a death he freely accepted, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, “Take, eat: this is my body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, “Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

All Therefore, Father, according to his command,
we remember his death, we proclaim his resurrection,
we await his coming in glory;

Celebrant and we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that they may be the sacrament of the body of Christ and his blood of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we, made acceptable in him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation;

by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, now and for ever.

All Amen.

The Lord’s Prayer

Celebrant As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

All 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.

to know that CHRIST has freed us, that prisons are no more; for those who seek his kingdom, CHRIST opens every door. The love of JESUS calls us in swiftly changing days, to be GOD's co-creators in new and wondrous ways; that GOD with men and women may so transform the earth, that love and peace and justice may give GOD's kingdom birth.

Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant Father, hear the prayers of your faithful people. Grant that all who celebrate this eucharist may please you by the offering of themselves and the fulfilling of your will. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

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.

Celebrant Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; heaven itself cannot contain you and your glory fills all the world. You accept our setting apart of places for your worship and in them pour out your gifts of grace upon your faithful people. This table is a sign to us of the heavenly altar, where your saints and angels praise you. Here we have recalled the sacrifice of your Son; here we have been fed with the body and blood of your Son; here our sins have been forgiven; here we have tasted the joys of your eternal kingdom. Grant that in these mysteries we may be united with one another and strengthened for service in your world. Therefore with angels and archangels and those who worship you in every age, we raise our voices in joyful praise to proclaim the glory of your name.

Holy, Holy, Holy

by Jim Strathdee

All Sing Holy, holy LORD, GOD of pow'r and might,
heaven and earth are full, full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest!

Blessèd is he who comes in the name of the LORD,
blessèd is he who comes, comes in the name of the LORD.
Hosanna in the highest!

PLEASE KNEEL

Celebrant We give thanks to you, Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all

The Second Reading

Revelation 21.1-6a

Reader A reading from the twenty-first chapter of the Book of Revelation. I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away." And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end."

Reader The word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn *ALL STAND TO SING*

Tune: O Quanta Qualia

WHAT their joy and their glory must be,
those endless Sabbaths the blessèd ones see;
crown for the valiant, to weary ones, rest:
GOD shall be All and in all ever blest.
What are the monarch, the court and the throne?
What are the peace and the joy that they own?
O that the blest ones, who in it have share,
all that they feel could as fully declare!
Truly "Jerusalem" name we that shore,
city of peace, that brings joy evermore;
wish and fulfillment can severed be ne'er,
nor the thing prayed for come short of the prayer.
There, where no troubles distraction can bring,
we the sweet anthems of Zion shall sing;
while for thy grace, LORD, their voices of praise
thy blessèd people eternally raise.
Now, in the meantime, with hearts raised on high,
we for that country must yearn and must sigh,
seeking Jerusalem, dear native land,
through our long exile on Babylon's strand.
Low before him with our praises we fall,
of whom and in whom and through whom are all;
of whom, the FATHER; and in whom, the SON;
through whom, the SPIRIT, with them ever One.

The Holy Gospel *REMAIN STANDING*

John 20.19–21

Gospeller The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint John.

People Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gospeller When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.” After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.”

Gospeller The Gospel of Christ.

People Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Prayer at the Pulpit *REMAIN STANDING*

Preacher Almighty God, we have heard your words to us in holy scripture, and know your call to each of us. In every age you have spoken through the voices of prophets, pastors, and teachers. We give you thanks that over the years we have heard you speak to us through the preaching of your word in this place. Grant that those who preach in this place may proclaim the crucified and risen Christ and interpret your word with sensitivity and insight, that we may hear that word inwardly and respond to it in all our life. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ, your living Word.

All Amen.

Homily *PLEASE BE SEATED*

The Right Reverend Derek Hoskin

The Prayers of the People *PLEASE KNEEL*

Leader For the Church universal, of which these buildings are a visible symbol,

People We thank you, Lord.

Leader For your presence whenever two or three have gathered in your name,

People We thank you, Lord.

Leader For this place where we may be still and know that you are God,

People We thank you, Lord.

Leader For the fulfilling of our desires and petitions as you see best for us,

People We thank you, Lord.

Leader For our past and a vision of the future that lies ahead,

People We thank you, Lord.

Leader For the gift of the Holy Spirit and new life in baptism,

People We thank you, Lord.

Leader For the pardon of our sins when we have fallen short of your glory,

People We thank you, Lord.

Leader For the holy eucharist in which we have a foretaste of your eternal kingdom,

People We thank you, Lord.

Leader For the blessing of our vows and the crowning of our years with your goodness,

People We thank you, Lord.

Leader For the faith of those who have gone before us and for our encouragement by their perseverance,

People We thank you, Lord.

Leader For all the benefactors of this place who have died in the peace of Christ and are at rest,

People We thank you, Lord.

Leader For the fellowship of all your saints, and especially for Saint George, our patron,

People We thank you, Lord.

A PERIOD OF SILENCE FOLLOWS.

Leader O God, from living and chosen stones you prepare an everlasting dwelling place for your majesty. Grant that in the power of the Holy Spirit those who serve you here may always be kept within your presence. This we pray through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and ever.

All Amen.

The Peace *ALL STAND*

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn *ALL STAND TO SING*

Tune: Aurelia

THE LOVE of JESUS calls us our joyous praise to sing; our deeply felt thanksgivings we now together bring, for all GOD’S many blessings, unasked yet still received, and for the generations who faithfully believed.

The love of JESUS calls us, that we may always be companions on a journey, where all the world may see that serving CHRIST is freedom which time does not destroy; where CHRIST’S command is duty, and every duty joy.

The love of JESUS calls us to go where he would go, to challenge all that limits, to change, to learn, to grow,