



ST. ELIZABETH'S
ANGLICAN CHURCH
聖公會頌主堂

Sunday, October 4, 2020
28th Church Anniversary,
18th Sunday After Pentecost
Holy Communion Service

This Sunday Roster

Preacher: **Bishop Patrick Yu** Worship Leader: **Fenella**
Host: **Paul** Reader: **Fr. Jim** Intercessor: **Charles**

Introduction before starting service – Fenella

We invite parishioners joining the live online service to join in on responses as you would in regular worship, but please note that all will be muted except for those scheduled to serve in the worship. This service will be recorded and subsequently posted to our website.

Opening Sentence (P. 384) – Fenella

I chose you and appointed you, says the Lord, that you should go and bear fruit, fruit that will last.

John 15:16

Grace (P.185) – Bishop Patrick Yu

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.**

The Peace (P.192) – Bishop Patrick Yu

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Collect of the Day (P. 381) – Bishop Patrick Yu

Celebrant: Let us pray.

All: **Almighty God,
you have built your Church
on the foundation of the apostles and prophets,
Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone.**

**Join us together in unity of spirit by their teaching,
that we may become a holy temple, acceptable to you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

Anthem – Love the Lord Your God

Love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul,
and with all your mind. Love your neighbour as yourself.

Matthew 22:37, 39

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Gospel Luke 1: 39-57 – Fr. Jim

Reader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

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

People: **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Reader: ***Mary Visits Elizabeth***

³⁹ In those days Mary set out and went with haste to a Judean town in the hill country, ⁴⁰ where she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth. ⁴¹ When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the child leapt in her womb. And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit ⁴² and exclaimed with a loud cry, 'Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. ⁴³ And why has this happened to me, that the mother of my Lord comes to me? ⁴⁴ For as soon as I heard the sound of your greeting, the child in my womb leapt for joy. ⁴⁵ And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfilment of what was spoken to her by the Lord.'

Mary's Song of Praise

⁴⁶ And Mary said,

'My soul magnifies the Lord,

⁴⁷ and my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour,

⁴⁸ for he has looked with favour on the lowliness of his servant.

Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed;

⁴⁹ *for the Mighty One has done great things for me,
and holy is his name.*

⁵⁰ *His mercy is for those who fear him
from generation to generation.*

⁵¹ *He has shown strength with his arm;
he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts.*

⁵² *He has brought down the powerful from their thrones,
and lifted up the lowly;*

⁵³ *he has filled the hungry with good things,
and sent the rich away empty.*

⁵⁴ *He has helped his servant Israel,
in remembrance of his mercy,*

⁵⁵ *according to the promise he made to our ancestors,
to Abraham and to his descendants for ever.'*

⁵⁶ *And Mary remained with her for about three months and then
returned to her home.*

The Birth of John the Baptist

⁵⁷ *Now the time came for Elizabeth to give birth, and she bore a
son.*

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Sermon – Bishop Patrick Yu

The Apostles' Creed (P.189) – Fenella

Leader: Let us confess our faith, 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 (P.117 Litany 9) – Charles

Parish Cycle of Prayer

Parish: Rev. Maria Ling's her transition to St. E, church reopening

Anglican: Tanzania - The Most Revd Dr Maimbo Mndolwa,
Consecration of The Very Rev. Matthias Der as Bishop of Diocese of
Hong Kong

Diocesan: All Saints Church - Community Centre, Rev. Canon Jennifer Reid

Infirm: Esther Chen

Condolences: Yuk Jun Tse (Barby Choi's mother)

Please join in the response indicated by the Intercessor

Intercessor: Let us pray to the Lord, saying, "Lord, have mercy."

Intercessor: Let us ask the Lord for a day of fulfilment and peace.

People: **Lord, have mercy.**

Intercessor: Let us ask the Lord to teach us to love others as he has
loved us.

People: **Lord, have mercy.**

Intercessor: Let us ask the Lord for peace and justice in the world.

People: **Lord, have mercy.**

Intercessor: Let us ask the Lord to strengthen and relieve those who are
in need.

People: **Lord, have mercy.**

Intercessor: Let us ask the Lord to renew the Church through the power
of his life-giving Spirit.

People: **Lord, have mercy.**

Parish Anniversary Prayer - Charles

Intercessor: Let us pray.

People: **Almighty God,
we celebrate the foundation of our church for your glory.
We thank you for those who have served you in this
church. Grant that all who seek you here may find you,
and receive your gift of infinite joy and peace. We praise
you for those church members who worship you faithfully**

**and perpetually; we also pray for those who have left this church; let them never depart from your love.
Amen.**

Confession (P.191) – Fenella

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

All: **Most merciful God, 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.**

Absolution (P.192) – Bishop Patrick Yu

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

St. Elizabeth's rely on the generosity of its donors to support its ministries. Due to current health and safety measures, the offering plate will not be passed around. Please use the offering box located at the back of the worship hall or use these other ways to support our ministries:

1. **Online:** [Donate](#) button on our website
2. **Cheque:** send cheque payable to 'St. Elizabeth's Anglican Church', and mail to: 1051 Eglinton Ave. W, Mississauga, ON, L5V 2W3
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Offertory Hymn – St. E 28th Anniversary Theme Song

*1. Here at St Elizabeth's seekers will find
Fellowship and warmth
with those who follow Christ.
Through the toil and hardships
our faith will prevail
As silver refined by the fire.*

(Refrain)

*Let us tell of His Grace with a joyful song.
Laughs and tears, both we've shared throughout all these
years.
By the rod and the staff, Christ,
He leads us on.
His blessings ever endure.*

*2. Hearts as one we set out to carry His cross.
Through the desert wilderness we journey on.
At the promised land,
that's where we'll build his Church,
And ever his glory proclaim!*

(Refrain)

*3. By His new commandment
let's all live in love.
Let the Holy Spirit's flame our hearts inspire.
Christ as our example we set forth once more,
In God we trust, His will shall be!*

(Refrain)

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Prayer over the Gifts (P.385) – Bishop Patrick Yu

Celebrant: God of truth,
receive all we offer you this day.
After Pentecost 385

Make us worthy servants,
strong to follow in the pattern
of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ

All: **Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving - Eucharistic Prayer 2 (P.196-7)

– Bishop Patrick Yu

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: We give you thanks and praise, almighty God,
through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ,
our Saviour and Redeemer.
He is your living Word,
through whom you have created all things.
By the power of the Holy Spirit
he took flesh of the Virgin Mary
and shared our human nature.
He lived and died as one of us,
to reconcile us to you,
the God and Father of all.
In fulfilment of your will
he stretched out his hands in suffering,
to bring release to those who place their hope in you;
and so he won for you a holy people.
He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows,
and to give up his life on the cross,
that he might shatter the chains of evil and death,
and banish the darkness of sin and despair.
By his resurrection
he brings us into the light of your presence.
Now with all creation we raise our voices
to proclaim the glory of your name.

All: **Holy, holy, holy Lord,**

**God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

Celebrant: Holy and gracious God,
accept our praise,
through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ;
who on the night he was handed over
to suffering and death,
took bread and gave you thanks,
saying, "Take, and eat:
this is my body which is broken for you."
In the same way he took the cup,
saying, "This is my blood which is shed for you.
When you do this, you do it in memory of me."
Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection,
we offer you this bread and this cup,
giving thanks that you have made us worthy
to stand in your presence and serve you.
We ask you to send your Holy Spirit
upon the offering of your holy Church.
Gather into one
all who share in these sacred mysteries,
filling them with the Holy Spirit
and confirming their faith in the truth,
that together we may praise you
and give you glory
through your Servant, Jesus Christ.
All glory and honour are yours,
Father and Son,
with the Holy Spirit
in the holy Church,
now and for ever.

People: **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer (P.211) – Bishop Patrick Yu

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.**

The Breaking of the Bread (P.212 #2) – Bishop Patrick Yu

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.**

The Communion

Due to current health and safety measures, only the consecrated bread will be distributed to communicants.

Communicants must wear masks and come forward in a physically distanced manner following the floor markings.

Communicants receive the host while still wearing a mask.

They will stop at a two metre distance from the communion minister, hear the words, “The body of Christ...” and respond with “Amen”.

Then move forward to receive the wafer in their hand.

They then move away (two metres) from the communion minister, stop to remove their mask, and consume the host.

The communicant will replace their mask and then clean their hands with hand sanitizer made available there before returning to their seat.

Prayer after Communion (P.385) – Bishop Patrick Yu

Celebrant: Almighty God,
may we who have been strengthened by this eucharist
remain in your steadfast love,
and show in our lives
the saving mystery that we celebrate.
This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

People: **Amen.**

Doxology (P.214) – Bishop Patrick Yu

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 (P.683 ii) – Bishop Patrick Yu

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.

People: **Amen.**

Announcements

<https://www.stechurch.com/announcements>

Dismissal – Fenella

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

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Please exit through emergency exit at front or side door through kitchen and patio

Next Sunday Oct 11 Roster

Preacher: **Fr. Jim Woolley**

Worship Leader: **Justin**

Host: **Fenella**

Reader: **Terence**

Intercessor: **Amy**

Announcements

1. Oct 4 Anniversary Sunday

- This Sunday Oct 4 we will be celebrating St. Elizabeth's 28th Anniversary. Even though we may not be able to celebrate in the same way as previous year, we hope you will join either our English or Cantonese services online or in person.
- We will be changing the English service time to 10am so that there is sufficient between services for clean up and decrease parishioner traffic flow in the building
- **Oct 4 10am English** Holy Communion service ([online](#) or at church)
- **Oct 4 11:15am Cantonese** Holy Communion service ([online](#) or at church)

- There will **not be online Mandarin service on Oct 4**, but we invite Mandarin members to join either English or Cantonese services.
2. **English Youth Group & Sunday Adult Bible Study Group Cancelled for Oct 4**
 - Due to Anniversary service times changing and English services returning at church the English adult bible study and youth group usually on Zoom will be cancelled on Oct 4.
 - Future meeting time for these group may also be changing to accommodate new schedule. Details will be confirmed in future announcements
 3. **Consecration Service of Bishop of the Diocese of Hong Kong**
 - The Very Rev. Matthias Der, Dean of Hong Kong Island, was ordained in the Diocese of Toronto in 1990 and served as Assistant Curate at St. John, York Mills, and Incumbent of St. Christopher, Richmond Hill until his move to St. John's Cathedral in Hong Kong in 2012. All are welcome to watch his consecration to the holy order of bishop of the Diocese of Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui, livestreamed on Oct. 3 at 3 a.m. (ET)/3 p.m. (HKT) on Youtube: <https://youtu.be/5NMNO-ribw4>
 - He will officially begin his ministry as the diocesan bishop of the Diocese of Hong Kong Island on January 1st, 2021. Please pray for his new ministry in Hong Kong.
 4. **Mississauga Food Bank Thanksgiving Food Drive**
 - We will be accepting donations for the Mississauga Food Bank between **October 7th, 2020 to October 21st, 2020**. We can all help our community by donating non-perishable food items to families in need during this season.
 5. **Property Management Notice**
 - We are going to give our church garden a final clean up on **Saturday October 24th from 9:00am to 12:00pm**. If you have gardening tools at home, please help us out by bringing your own. Those who want to help out, please contact Paul Seto, our property manager.
 6. **What's Changing Once We Reopen**
 - There are many other steps and precautions for your health and safety as well as changes to our services that we communicated in the past weeks through this weekly bulletin and also on our website: www.stechurch.com/health-safety-update
 - For those who do not wish to attend in-person service, online options will continue to be available. Visit our website for details: www.stechurch.com/services
 7. **Links to Online Services and Other Programs on Zoom**
 - [Sundays 9:00am Mandarin Service: Click here](#)
 - **Cancelled on Oct 4**
 - [Sundays 10:15am English Service: Click here](#) (meeting room opens 10am)
 - [English Service Bulletin \(PDF\)](#) is attached
 - [Sundays 11:15am Cantonese Service: Click here](#) (meeting room opens 11am)
 - [Cantonese Service Bulletin \(PDF\)](#) is attached
 - Phone **647 374 4685**
 - Meeting ID: **971 0493 5659 #**

- When it asks for participant ID just press #
 - Password: **494353** #
 - [Sundays 11am - 11:20am Children's Sunday School: Click here](#)
 - Meeting ID: **975 6220 2949** Password: **105101**
 - [Sundays 11:15am Youth Group: Click here](#)
 - **Cancelled on Oct 4**
 - Meeting ID: **219 137 9700** Password: **3944**
 - [2nd, 3rd, 4th Mondays 3:30pm - 5pm Cantonese Bible Study: Click here](#)
 - Meeting ID: **925 1299 3695**
 - If interested contact Margaret Loo or email info@stechurch.com
 - [Wednesdays 8pm English Prayer Meeting: Click here](#)
 - Meeting ID: **219 137 9700** Password: **3944**
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