

Sunday, November 1, 2020 All Saints' Day Cantonese Holy Communion Service

This Sunday Roster

Preacher: Fr. Jim Woolley	Interpreter: Joel Chiu	
Lay Reader & Intercessor: Wilson Loo	Reader: Patrick Lo	
Greeter: John Fung	Bee Team: Annie Fung	
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Introduction before starting service – Wilson

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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. 427) – Wilson

They are before the throne of God, and he who sits upon the throne will shelter them with his presence.

Revelation 7:15

Grace (P.185) - Fr. Jim

People:	And also with you.
	be with you all.
	and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
	and the love of God,
Celebrant:	The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,

The Peace (P.192) – Fr. Jim

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

People: And also with you.

<Please greet each other in the name of Christ>

Gloria – Wilson

Leader: Glory to God in the highest,

All: 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.

Collect for All Saints' Day (P. 428) - Fr. Jim

Celebrant: Let us pray.

All:

Almighty God, whose people are knit together in one holy Church, the mystical Body of your Son, grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you; through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

A Reading from Revelation 7:9–17 – Patrick

Reader: The Multitude from Every Nation

⁹ After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and

languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. ¹⁰ They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

'Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!'

¹¹ And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshipped God, ¹² singing,

'Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and might be to our God for ever and ever! Amen.'

¹³ Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, 'Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?' ¹⁴ I said to him, 'Sir, you are the one that knows.' Then he said to me, 'These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

- ¹⁵ For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.
- ¹⁶ They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat;
- ¹⁷ for the Lamb at the centre of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.'

Reader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Hymn – #406 Blest are the Pure in Heart

1. Blest are the pure in heart, for they shall see our God; The secret of the Lord is theirs, their soul is Christ's abode. 2. The Lord, who left the heavens Our life and peace to bring, To dwell in lowliness with men, Their pattern and their King,

3. Still to the lowly soul He doth Himself impart, And for His dwelling and His throne chooseth the pure in heart.

4. Lord, we Thy presence seek; may ours this blessing be: Give us a pure and lowly heart, a temple meet for Thee.

> Music: From Blodget and Goodrich's Hymnal Text: France R. Havergal; Accompaniment: www.smallchurchmusic.com Song leader: Elaine Wong CCLI License #2643036, Streaming License #20619056

Gospel Matthew 5:1–12 – Fr. Jim

- Reader: The Lord be with you.
- People: And also with you.
- Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to *Matthew*.
- People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Reader: The Beatitudes

¹ When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. ² Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

³ 'Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

⁴ 'Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

⁵ 'Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

⁶ 'Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

⁷ 'Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

⁸ 'Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

⁹ 'Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

¹⁰ 'Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

¹¹ 'Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. ¹² Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon – Fr. Jim (Interpreter: Joel)

The Nicene Creed (P.189) – Wilson

Leader: Let us confess our faith. as we say. All: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People (P.117 Litany 9) – Wilson

Parish Cycle of Prayer

- Parish: Rev. Maria Ling's ordination to priesthood and her transition to St. E, church reopening
- Anglican: Primate of the Church of the Province of West Africa The Most Revd Dr Jonathan Bau-Bau Bonaparte Hart
 Next Archbishop of the Hong Kong Anglican Church - The Right Revd. Andrew Chan, elected on Oct 18
- Diocesan: Tecumseth Deanery, Rev. Canon Jennifer Reid
- Infirm: Esther Chen

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.

Collect for All Souls' Day (P. 429) - Wilson

Intercessor: Let us pray. All: Father of all, we pray to you for those we love, but see no longer. Grant them your peace, let light perpetual shine upon them, and in your loving wisdom and almighty power, work in them the good purpose of your perfect will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Confession (P.191) - Wilson

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) - Fr. Jim

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

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Offertory Hymn – *The Church's One Foundation* HUP272 / CP525 vs 1, 2, 4, 5

1. The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ our Lord; We are his new creation by water and the word: From heaven He came and sought us to be his holy bride; With his own blood he bought us and for our life he died.

2. Elect from every nation, yet one o'er all the earth, Our charter of salvation, one Lord, one faith, one birth; One glorious name we hallow, partake one holy food, And to one hope we follow, with every grace endued.

4. 'Mid toil and tribulation and tumult of our war,
We wait the consummation of peace forevermore;
Till, with the vision glorious, our longing eyes are blessed,
And the great church victorious shall be the church at rest.

5. Yet we on earth have union with God the Three-in-One, And mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won, O happy ones and holy! Lord give us grace that we Like them the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with thee.

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Prayer over the Gifts (P.428) - Fr. Jim

Celebrant: Holy and mighty God, we give you thanks for the triumph of Christ in the lives of all his saints. Receive all we offer you this day, and help us, like them, to run our course with faith, that we may come to your eternal kingdom. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

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

– Fr. Jim

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) – Fr. Jim

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) – Fr. Jim

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.428) - Fr. Jim

Celebrant: Lord of hosts,

we praise your glory reflected in your saints. May we who share at this table be filled with the joy of your eternal kingdom, where Jesus is Lord, now and for ever.

People: Amen.

Doxology (P.214) - Fr. Jim

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) - Fr. Jim

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.

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Dismissal – Wilson

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

People: Thanks be to God.

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