

# Church of the Ascension

## Sudbury, Ontario

‘With thee is the well of life: and in  
thy light shall we see light.’

(Psalm 36.9, Coverdale)

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## **In our prayers ...**

**The response during the Prayers of the People is - Turn our grateful hearts into lives that bring you praise.**

**In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer**, we pray for The Arctic - (Rupert's Land, Canada) The Rt Revd David Parsons, Suffragan Bishop of the Diocese of the Arctic - (Rupert's Land, Canada) The Rt Revd Darren McCartney

**In the Anglican Church of Canada**, we pray for our Primate, Archbishop Fred Hiltz, for our Metropolitan, Archbishop Colin Johnson, for our Diocesan Bishop, Bishop Stephen Andrews; for our Archdeacon Anne Germond and for our parish clergy Rev. Anne, Fr. Bob and Rev. Rhonda.

**In the Diocese of Algoma**, we pray for St. Alban the Martyr, Capreol, The Rev. Douglas Prebble

**Please pray for** the following people for God's continued healing and strength during the coming week., especially Bill Craig, Brian, Joyce Laking, Christina, Joanne, Quinton Doveton, Beryl Cole, Mike Dolan, Nancy Turner, Abraham (Bob) Peters, Chris Cresswell, Diane, Irene Ginson Fiss, Kay Winfield-Currie, Cam Locke, Floyd Laking, Adrienne, Sherry, Marie Moland, Sonia Moorhouse, Anne Vitone.

**We pray for those** who are living in retirement residences or nursing homes, or who find it difficult to join us for church on Sundays; Milt Fleming, Aileen Haslam, Ron Little, Margaret Villeneuve, Velma Tansley, Karin Hoffman, Daryl Keen, Jean Aceti, and Leila Dunlop. May they always feel God's presence in their lives.

**In our parish** we pray for our wardens and leaders and in our parish family for Kim & Michael Macwilliam, Mrs. Cheryl Hahaffy, Mrs. Eileen Malette, and their families.

**We pray for those** who are caregivers to sick and frail loved ones. We pray that the God of love will surround them with people to look after them, and grant them rest.

### **Prayer for the Election:**

Lord, keep this nation under your care. Bless the leaders

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# **Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost Harvest Thanksgiving 9 & 11 am Holy Eucharist**

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead!

## **Year B**

### **Music by Electric Kazoo**

#### **The Gathering of the Community**

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#### **Proclamation Of The Word**

First Lesson	Revelation 21.1-8
<i>A New Heaven and a New Earth.</i>	
Isaiah 12.2-6	
<i>Shout aloud and sing for joy .</i>	
Second Lesson:	Ephesians 1.3-14
<i>Praise for Spiritual Blessings in Christ.</i>	
Gradual	<b>tba</b>
Holy Gospel:	Matthew 5.1-12.
<i>Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven .</i>	
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#### **The Celebration of the Eucharist**

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of our land, that we may be a people at peace among ourselves and a blessing to other nations of the earth. Help us elect trustworthy leaders, contribute to wise decisions for the general welfare, and thus serve you faithfully in our generation to the honour of your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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**T**he flowers in the church are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Audrey Cawte - dear mother of Martin and Christopher, who died on 14th October 1964 at the age of 31. May her soul rest in peace and rise again in glory.

The flowers are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for the many gifts and talents of Stephanie as she celebrates her birthday - by Trish and Jane.

### **In the parish this week**

**YOUTH ALPHA** starts tonight at 6:30pm. Rev. Jeff Hooper and Cora Felbel will be leading this six week video teaching series. Dinner included. All youth are welcome to attend.

**Monday 19th October** - Election in Canada. Don't forget to vote.

**Tuesday 20th October** - 9am Wardens meeting  
7pm: Parish Life Meeting  
7:30pm Finance meeting  
8pm: Board meeting

**Wednesday 21st October:** 9:30am Eucharist and Lift Up Your Hearts Bible Study - "Jesus and his terrible table manners"  
6pm - 7:30pm Overview Webinar on learning about private refugee sponsorship

Thursday 22nd October: 10 am Inspection of the church and rectory by the deanery officials.

**Tree of Thanksgiving** - have you added your thanks to our tree of Thanksgiving yet? You'll find it at the back of the church and hope you'll find something to be grateful and add it to the tree.

The readings for today and the following two Sundays, until All Saints Day at the beginning of November, will reflect the theme of gratitude as we "Lift Up Our Hearts" and give thanks to God.