

Church of the Ascension

Sudbury, Ontario

July 16, 2017

"How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of the messenger who announces peace, who brings good news, who announces salvation, who says to Zion, 'Your God reigns'." (Isaiah 52.7)

Bishop Anne's Motto for 2017



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Welcome to our worship -it's good to have you here with us. If you are visiting for the first time: The Anglican Church teaches that all who are baptised in any Christian tradition are welcome to receive the sacrament at the time of communion. It is God's invitation to the table; if you feel so moved, you are invited and welcomed.

If you do not wish to receive communion but would like a blessing, please come forward and cross your hands over your chest.

If you do not wish to drink wine from the chalice, please feel comfortable to receive the bread alone. Simply cross your arms over your chest so the Eucharistic Assistant knows.

Bulletin

For any changes, corrections or additions to the Weekly Bulletin please let Joan Servent know at joanservent@gmail.com or call the church at 705 566-2790.

Please share any contributions or suggestions of gratitude and future events, to include in the Weekly Announcements, by contacting Joan Servent at joanservent@gmail.com or (705) 690-9633 or 705 566-2790.

Flowers

Please let Anne Trimmer (705 566-8127) know if you wish to donate flowers on the altar.

The flowers in the church today are given in loving memory of David and Barry Nauss from Mom and Dad, Vanna and Earl Nauss, sister Nancy Nauss Belanger, brother-in-law Robert Belanger and nephew and niece, Tucker and Tatum Belanger.

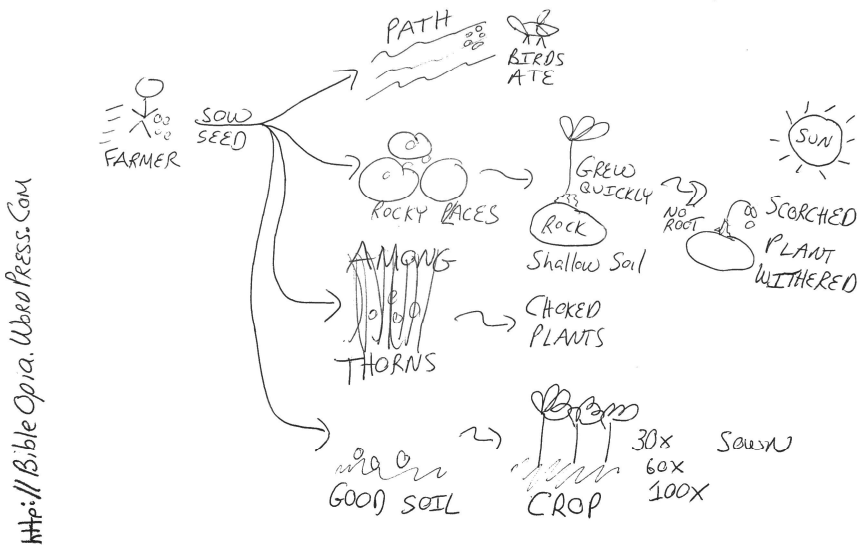
Attendance on 9th July was 89

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
10 am Holy Eucharist

The word is very near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart, so that you can do it.

Processional	# 560
Collect of the day	page 367
First Lesson	Genesis 25:19-34
<i>The lineage and heritage of Esau and Jacob</i>	
Psalms 119:105-112	Page 875
<i>Give me life, O Lord according to your word</i>	
Second Lesson	Romans 8:1-11
<i>Life in Christ Jesus</i>	
Gradual	#649
Holy Gospel	Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23
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Lectioary

23 July 2017 Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 28:10-19a

Jacob's ladder

Psalms 139:1-12, 23-24

Search me, O God, and know my heart

Romans 8:12-25

We suffer with Christ, that we may be glorified with him.

Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

The parable of the weeds of the field

30 July 2017 Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 29:15-28

Jacob serves Laban seven years to marry Rachel

Psalms 105:1-11, 45b or Psalm 128

Blessed is the person who fears the Lord

Romans 8:26-39

For those who love God, all things work for good.

Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52

The parable of the mustard seed.

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In our prayers ...

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for Ontario - (Ontario, Canada) The Rt Revd Michael Oulton

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

In the Diocese of Algoma, we pray for St. Peter the Apostle, Elliot LakeGowan Gillmor Memorial Chapel, Sagamok, Spanish RiverThe Rev. Henk WillemsThe Rev. Beth Topps Willems (Hon.)

We pray for the Church of the Ascension during this time of transition and discernment

We pray for the members of the ARK Refugee

Steering Committee as they prepare to bring a family to Sudbury.

We pray for the following people for God's continued healing and strength during the coming week., especially Nancy Turner, Diane, Linda, Richard, George, Derald Balson, Dan Turner, Barbara Blanchard, Inge, Priscilla Allurut, Canon Michael & Muriel Hankinson, Theresa Kuehl (Megan's grandma), Brandon, Heather Kennedy, Roz Jones, Jerry Howarth, Andrew, Donna Barnes, Rick McNaughton, Laurent Constantineau, Gibb Roy, Beaumont Nelson, Daryl Keen, and Donna.

We pray for these families, recently bereaved, Viren Rana and family, friend of Joan Servent, the Findlay Family.

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, Margaret Villeneuve, Velma Tansley, Karin Hoffman, Bessie Morgan, Irene Ginson-Fiss, Edna Bailer. May they al-

ways feel God's presence in their lives.

In our parish we pray for our wardens and leaders and in our parish family Wendy Sherrington, Chandra Simard, Dennis & June Simms, , 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.

In the Parish this Week

Today – 8:00pm Evening Prayer

Monday, July 17th –4:00pm – 8:00pm Jen Ames is in the office

Wednesday, July 19th – 9:00am Morning Prayer
8:00pm Evening Prayer

Friday, July 21st – 9:00am Morning Prayer
10:00am – 1:00pm Brent is in the office

News and Announcements

Summer Services

During August, the Epiphany will host the Ascension at their 10:00 am Sunday Eucharist services so that our clergy can also have time off. The Ascension will offer Sunday Morning Prayer in August at 8:30 am.

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School will be held from August 14 to 18 at the Ascension, and July 3 to 7 at St. John the Divine. 9:00 am to 12:00pm. The curriculum is based on the theme "Created by God, Built for a Purpose" and it is well-suited for children aged 12 and under. If any youth or adults are interested in volunteering, please contact Jennifer Ames at 705 618-2319. We are look-

ing for help on any day. Just let us know what suits you.

If you have any questions about VBS, please contact Cindy Caines at 705 524-5394 or email cindycaines@hotmail.com

Registration forms are available at the church and you can register on line at:

<https://vbspro.events/p/events/ascensionkidz>

<https://vbspro.events/p/events/stjohnskidz>

Sponsoring a Child for Vacation Bible School

If you are interested in sponsoring a child to attend VBS in the Deanery of Sudbury/Manitoulin, you can through the "Sponsor a Child Program". A suggested donation of \$20 helps to cover the cost of the following daily items: a craft, an imagination gadget, a take-home sheet as a reminder of the Bible story, and a daily scripture verse reminder. Any cheques should be made payable to "St John the Divine Anglican Church", with the memo line stating VBS 2017. Receipts for donation of \$10 or more will be given. Envelopes with more information are available at the back of church. Any amount you are able to give is appreciated.

If you have any questions about this arrangement, please do not hesitate to talk to one of the wardens or clergy. We'll be happy to answer any questions.

