

Church of the Ascension

Sudbury, Ontario

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"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

Lectionary

6 August 2017

9th Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 32:22-31

Jacob wrestles with God

Psalms 17:1-7, 15

Incline your ear to me, hear my words.

Romans 9:1-5

The Messiah comes from Israel

Matthew 14:13-21

Jesus feeds the 5,000

13 August 2017

10th Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28

Joseph's brothers conspire against him.

Psalms 105: 1-6, 16-22, 45b

Glory in the holy name of the Lord

Romans 10:5-15

The nature of righteousness

Matthew 14:22-33

The power of faith

20 August 2017

11th Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 45:1-15

Joseph's brothers meet him in exile.

Psalms 133

Kindred living in harmony is precious treasure

Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32

God will not rescind God's gifts and calling

Matthew 15: (10-20), 21-28

The faith of the Canaanite woman

27 August 2017 12th Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 1:8-2:10

Persecution the Israelites and the birth of Moses

Psalms 124

It is the Lord who saves us from all peril

Romans 12:1-8

We have gifts that differ according to the grace we have received

Matthew 16:13-20

Peter declares that Jesus is the Messiah

3 September 2017 13th Sunday after Pentecost

Exodus 3:1-15

God commands Moses to lead the people out of Egypt

Psalms 105:1-6, 23-26, 45b

Glory in the Lord's holy name

Romans 12:9-21

Be ardent in spirit and serve the Lord

Matthew 16:21-28

Jesus speaks of his ultimate fate

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