



# Gathering Table

a Faith Community in the Anglican Church of Canada

**Presider & Preacher: The Rev'd George Porter, D. Phil.**

**Seventh Sunday after Pentecost**

**SEA SUNDAY**

July 8, 2018

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10:00 a.m.

**WELCOME TO THE FIRST GATHERING TABLE**

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*For thousands of years, First Nations people have walked on this land; their relationship with the land is at the centre of life and spirituality. We are gathered as treaty people on the traditional territory of the Anishnaabeg of the Fort William First Nation and acknowledge this people's stewardship of this land through the ages.*

The Lord has anointed me to preach good news to the poor and release to the captives. *Luke 4.18*

**Opening Hymn CP 388 "Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken"**

**Gathering of the Community**

**Time with the Younger People**

**The Gloria (spoken)**

**Collect Of The Day**

**Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ has taught us that what we do for the least of your children we do also for him. Give us the will to serve others as he was the servant of all, who gave up his life and died for us, but lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.**

*The Proclamation of the Word*

2 Samuel: 1 – 5, 9 - 10

Psalm 48

2 Corinthians 12: 2 - 10

**THIS IS THE WORD OF THE LORD  
Thanks be to God**

**Preparation for the Gospel: CP 712 “Alleluia”**

**The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according  
to... Mark 6: 1 - 13**

**All: GLORY TO YOU LORD JESUS CHRIST**

This is The Gospel of Christ

**All: PRAISE TO YOU, LORD JESUS CHRIST**

**Sermon**

**A Time of Silent Reflection**

**The Apostles' Creed – Page 189 BAS**

## **The Prayers of the People**

### **The Confession and Absolution – Page 191**

The Peace of the Lord be always with you  
**And also with you**

#### **Offertory:**

#### **CP 433 “Lord, You Give the Great Commission”**

##### **Prayer over the Gifts**

God of heaven and earth, receive our sacrifice of praise, and strengthen us for the perfect freedom of your service, through our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

#### **THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

#### **Eucharistic Prayer**

##### **THE LORD’S PRAYER**

Notawinan misiwe e ayayan  
Kiwiyowin Ke natenitawan  
Weticipaniew kit otenawiwin  
Mina tawi oticipaniw  
Kakina kewan ka itenitaman  
Tapishoic kicikishikok ishi  
bread.

Mininan oma anoc kakishikak  
trespasses,  
Ke oci pimatisiyak min  
trespass  
Ashenamawinan tato kewana  
Ita kashi macitotamak  
temptation,  
Ninanan e ashenamawakicik

Our Father, who art in heaven  
hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth, as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily

And forgive us our  
as we forgive those who  
against us.  
and lead us not into  
but deliver from evil.

Aniki ka wanitotakoyak

For thine is the kingdom,

Wiciinan eka tapimoteyak  
Kotenimiko winik ninanan  
Maka mita kwenamawinan eka  
Macatisiwini kekwana  
Kina ka tipenitan kakike  
Sokatisiwin keshtenitakwak

the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever.

## **The Breaking of the Bread – page 212-213.**

### **Receiving Holy Communion**

This is the table of Christ made ready for those who love him and for those who want to love him more. So come, whether you have much faith or little, have tried to follow or afraid you have failed. Come because it is Christ's will that those who want to meet him, might meet him here. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please indicate this by placing your arms across your chest. If you desire prayer, please go to the pews beside the organ where prayer team members will pray for you. We ask that you not dip the bread into the chalice. If you are not comfortable with the common cup, please receive only the bread. Our tradition says that to receive any part of the Eucharist is to receive the full grace of the Sacrament.

Communion: CP 701 "Agnus Dei"

CP 78 "Deck Yourself, My Soul, with Gladness"

### **Prayer After Communion**

O God, may we who have shared in holy things never fail to serve you in your world, and so come to the fullness of joy, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

**Doxology - page 214 BAS**

## **THE BLESSING**

Announcements:

### **Closing Hymn CP 278 “Jerusalem the Golden”**

**Dismissal:** Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

### **Ministers today**

Greeter:..... David Reid  
Readers: ..... Brenda Coopman & Jim Bolt  
Prayers of the People: ..... Linda Rintamaki  
Server: ..... Bruce Adderley  
Eucharistic Assistants: ..... Elizabeth Mickelson  
& Dale Sparkes  
Chancel Guild: ..... Lois Colpitts, Irene Roy  
Coffee Hosts: ..... Carol Kostyniuk,  
Dale & Sharon Sparkes  
Food Cupboard: ..... Connie, Grace, Shirley, Jim,  
Wayne, Marion, Sharon, Linda,  
Wayne E, Peter

### **Scripture Readings for Eighth Sunday after Pentecost**

Amos 7: 7 – 15

Psalm 85; 8 - 13

Ephesians 1: 3 – 14

Mark 6: 14 - 29

**Anglican Cycle of Prayer** Pray for: The Church of  
Pakistan (United)

**The Most Rev'd Humphrey Peters** Bishop of Peshawar &  
Moderator of the Church of Pakistan

**Anglican Lutheran Cycle of Prayer** : Please | Pray for:

**ACC** Bishop Fraser Lawton clergy, and people of the Diocese of Athabasca

**ELCIC** The dean, council, and congregations of the Swift Current Conference of the Saskatchewan Synod

**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer** : Please Pray for: **(Sea Sunday)**  
**St. Stephen the Martyr, Thunder Bay**

The Rev. Canon Ed Swayze

The Ven. Eric Paterson (Hon.)

The Rev. Barbara Fugelsang (Deacon Assoc.)

**Mission to Seafarers**

Almighty God, we give thanks for all those who work at sea. We acknowledge our need for the food and raw materials they transport. We recognize that they are often in danger and we are sorry that their long absences often involve sacrifices in their daily family life. Give us grace to show our gratitude not only in our words, but also in our actions. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Parish Cycle of Prayer:** Please pray for our **Lay Readers** Kim Bienvenue, Rose Jardine, Brenda O'Neill, & Jim Sutton Frances Bennett-Sutton. **Our Wardens:** Rector's Warden Marg Boone, Deputy Warden Marjorie Tutkaluk, People's Warden Jim Sutton, Deputy People's Warden Jim Green, our **Organist** Erik Riekko, **Pianist** Donna Hamill

## **Deanery BBQ Thank You**

By volunteering you have given the most expensive and priceless gift anyone could have ever given – kindness and love. Volunteers helped us to have another successful BBQ. Thank you.

### ***Acts 20:35***

In all this I have given you an example that by such work we must support the weak, remembering the words of the Lord Jesus, for he himself said, ‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.’”

**Parish News Anglican Journal, Algoma Anglican** - there are few copies of the most recent editions of these publications at the back of the church. **If you would like to receive a copy mailed to you, please put \$2.00 in an envelope and mark it Algoma Anglican and place it on the offertory plate with your name & mailing address.**

**EOP Donors:** Any changes that need to be made to your giving and/or donations, please complete the form which is available at the back of the church and forward it to the church office, give to a warden, or place on the offering plate.

**Gathering Table News:** as of Monday, June 4<sup>th</sup> we will be known as Gathering Table, a Faith Community in the Anglican Church of Canada.

Email [office@gatheringtable.ca](mailto:office@gatheringtable.ca)

Website <http://gatheringtable.ca>

Office Hours 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, Tuesday to Thursday



EOP               Forms are available at the back of the Church for the Gathering Table changeover

**Parish Gardens:** “Thanks to all the people who donated time, energy, and resources to the lovely church gardens. Please make some time before or after service to visit the gardens, particularly the hidden gem behind the old parish house.

”Brenda

### **CHURCH ENVELOPES NOW AVAILABLE**

Please see Gloria McKay if you would like envelopes, or to add or change your mailing address.

**Gathering Table Internet Mission** is looking for volunteers to help with running the equipment. If interested please see Jim Green or Sharon Corston. Our services are now on the St John’s website and can be viewed there.

**Sunday Sermons** can be heard on the St Luke’s website <http://www.stlukes-thunderbay.ca/home.html>. The whole service can be watched on our website <http://www.stjohnsthunderbay.ca/>. Note: Please note that you may be visible on the online stream.

### **Calendar for the Week**

July 8 – 14           Senior Camp – Ages 13 - 15  
July 15 – 21          Junior Camp – Ages 7 - 9  
July 22 – 28          Intermediate Camp Ages 10 - 12

### **BOOKING THE CHURCH FOR MEETINGS**

As we continue to shape various aspects of our life together, please note that requests for use time and space at Gathering Table should be cleared through Roberta, the Office Administrator. George+

## **Supporting Gathering Table Food Cupboard Mission:**

Gathering Table's Food Cupboard is mandated to provide two days food supplies to its clients. With assistance from RFDA, Lutheran churches, and our parish's support this goal can be met. You can support the Cupboard in the following ways.

EOP or cash donations allow bulk buying of needed goods/produce when on sale.

Donate items commonly needed:

Canned vegetables (peas, green/yellow beans, cream or kernel corn, and carrots)

Soup (mushroom, vegetable, chicken noodle, and tomato)

Canned meat (Holiday, Klilk, flakes of ham, chicken, turkey, tuna, and salmon)

Mac and Cheese KD

Canned meals (Pork & Beans, Stews, and Chef Boyardee)

Dry goods donated can be placed in baskets at church.

## **Gathering Table Parking Lot**

"The parking lot beside Gathering Table is a handy stopping place if you are going downtown through the week. There are yearly parking passes available at the church office for \$10 that allow you to park there anytime. This money is used to do plowing and maintenance on the lot. There are also monthly passes available for people working downtown which also helps defray costs. Sunday parking is obviously free and encouraged, but if you'd like to use the lot through the week please pick up a handy pass. You would also be very welcome to make a donation to the parking fund even if you don't come downtown very often. Every pass helps pay to maintain our parking lot."

Thanks Brenda O

**Camp Gitchigomee Camp Dates** - See Bulletin board for applications

**Senior Camp - |July 8 – 14**

**Junior Camp – July 15 – 21**

**Intermediate Camp – July 22 - 28**

**CAMP GITCHIGOMEE – STAFF NEEDED**

We are looking for Kitchen Staff & one Life Guard – if you know anyone that might be interested, please let Roberta Wolfe know at [wolfe428@shaw.ca](mailto:wolfe428@shaw.ca) or [gitchigomee@shaw.ca](mailto:gitchigomee@shaw.ca)



**Our Dining Hall is the centre of the camp and it needs a new roof. We are doing a “Fundraiser” Help us by making a \$30 donation for a bundle of shingles. See Jim Sutton or Roberta Wolfe (in the church office)**

# CLAY 2018 – Thunder Bay, ON August 15 – 19, 2018



A Great way to be part of the experience!

Stories are the diverse threads that God weaves together to form the tapestry of our lives. They can be ancient, personal, intimate, and can help us find meaning and purpose. We gather stories from each other and from our surroundings. Join youth from across Canada at **threads**, where we will learn how to discern our God-given stories.

Volunteer Role	Needed	Recommended persons	Time required
Camera operators*	3	Tony McGuire & Theymedia?	Wednesday training, all LGG's, 30 min prior to LGG's
Roaming camera followers	2	Able-bodied.	Wednesday training, all LGG's, 30 min prior to LGG's
On-stage sound	1	soundboard experience required	Wednesday training, all LGG's, all rehearsal times
Video switcher & content	1	local, tech-savy.	LGG's
Lyrics-Powerpoint	1	local, tech-savy	5 LGG's, incl. 15 min prior
Ushers	4-6 people	local	5 LGG's, incl. 15 min prior & 20 min clean-up after
Pastoral care	2	Pastors/Priests	5 LGG's
Set-up crew	4-6 people	Safety boots (steel toed) req'd	4 hours, Wednesday morning
Tear-down crew	4-6 people	Safety boots (steel toed) req'd	4 hours, Sunday afternoon

**Volunteer Registration - Control + Click here NOW: <https://events.ely.com/CLAY2018>**

**Please Register Before: July 31<sup>st</sup>.**



**Want to be a part of one of the largest Lutheran-Anglican gatherings in Canada?**

Over 800 people will attend the 2018 CLAY gathering on the campus of Lakehead University, and we need volunteers to help in areas such as security, nursing, pastoral care, information, and transportation.

If you will be in Thunder Bay during the Gathering, we would love to have you attend as a volunteer!

**Important Note:** When you register, don't forget the last step: click "Submit to Registrar"! You have not successfully registered until you receive a confirmation email from the



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## Bishop Anne Germond's motto for 2018

"As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience...Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony."

(Colossians 2 3:12, 14)

Sunday, July 8<sup>th</sup> , 2018 –

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

A grace note from [www.thunderbay-northshoreanglicans.com](http://www.thunderbay-northshoreanglicans.com)

I intend to live forever – so far so good.

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O'Neill and Jim Sutton

Rector's Warden:

Marg Boone

Deputy Rector's Warden:

Marjorie Tutkaluk

People's Warden:

Jim Sutton

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Jim Green

### **Music Ministry at Gathering Table**

Organist/Music Director:

Erik Johannes Riekko

Pianist;

Donna Hamill,



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