

OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Service Bulletin

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

November 2nd, 2025

P: Pastor

L: Liturgist

C: Congregation

Prelude

GATHERING

Welcome/Land Acknowledgment/Affirming Statement

CALL TO WORSHIP

P: Sing to the LORD a new song! Rejoice and give thanks, for the LORD takes pleasure in the people. Hallelujah!

CALL TO CONFESSION

P: For the peace and unity of the saints, trusting in the promise of grace, let us confess our sin to God and to one another.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

C: God of the covenant, who calls all people to reconciliation, you have made us members of the very body of Christ; yet we persist in wounding that body with our divisions, our suspicions, and our neglect. Forgive us, and teach us to nurture unity and peace. For the sake of Jesus Christ and the world He came to save. Amen

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

P: In the great compassion of our God, the death and resurrection of Christ Jesus has shown us God's forgiveness for our sins. Therefore, I declare to you the entire forgiveness for all your sins in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Gathering Song ~ **ELW #422 ~ For All the Saints (verses 1,2,6,7)**

APOSTOLIC GREETING

P: God of hosts most gracious, God the Son who saves us, God the Spirit placed upon us, be with you all.

C: And also with you

L: Today we gather to remember the saints, everyone who has died and now rests in God's loving embrace. We also acknowledge that we are made saints, not by the good things we do, but because God touches our lives and makes it so. We may look like imperfect people, and indeed we are, but, through Jesus, God sees us as his holy people. What an amazing gift!

L: And so we thank you, God.

C: For all the saints who went before us, who have spoken to our hearts and touched us with your fire, we praise you, O God.

For all the saints who live beside us, whose weaknesses and strengths are woven with our own, we praise you, O God.

For all the saints who live beyond us, who challenge us to change the world with them, we praise you, O God.

L: We praise you, O God, for those who loved and served you here on earth, who now rest from their work

L: *Names read aloud*

L: Let us pray.

O Lord our God, you are in every place and no space or distance can separate us from you. We know that those who are not with us are with you. We ask that in you we might be closer to them, bound together by the unseen chain of your love, in the connection with your Holy Spirit, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

Hymn ~ **ELW #463 ~ Love Divine, All Loves Excelling**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. 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 Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

WORD

First Reading – Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

Psalm 149

The psalm for the day is spoken responsively.

1. Hallelujah! Sing to the LORD a new song, God's praise in the assembly of the faithful.
- 2. Let Israel rejoice in their maker; let the children of Zion be joyful in their ruler.**
3. Let them praise their maker's name with dancing; let them sing praise with tambourine and harp.
- 4. For the LORD takes pleasure in the people and adorns the poor with victory.**
5. Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; let them sing for joy on their beds.
- 6. Let the praises of God be in their throat and a two-edged sword in their hand,**
7. to wreak vengeance on the nations and punishment on the peoples,
- 8. to bind their kings in chains and their nobles with links of iron,**
9. to inflict on them the judgment decreed; this is glory for all God's faithful ones. Hallelujah!

Second Reading – Ephesians 1:11-23

Gospel Acclamation – ELW pg. 188

The assembly stands, if you are able, to welcome the gospel.

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia.

Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel – Luke 6:17-31

The holy gospel according to Luke.

C: Glory to you O Lord

SERMON

Hymn of the Day ~ **ELW #436 ~ Wake, Awake, for Night Is Flying**

For those who are able, please rise

NICENE CREED - ELW pg. 104

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

PEACE

P: Siblings in Christ, rejoice. Mend your ways, encourage one another, agree with one another, live in peace. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

OFFERING

Offering Prayer (ELW pg. 190)

L: Let us pray.

God of mercy and grace, the eyes of all wait upon you, and you open your hand in blessing. Fill us with good things at your table, that we may come to the help of all in need, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and Lord.

C: Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING (ELW pg. 190)

P: The Lord be with you. **C: And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts. **C: We lift them to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY (ELW pg. 190)

**C: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of pow'r and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory,
full of your glory.**

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (ELW pg. 191)

P: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

C: 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 bread;

and forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us;

and lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power,

and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

Come, taste and see that the Lord is good.

COMMUNION SONG – Lamb of God (ELW pg. 191)

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;

have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;

have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;

grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

Prayer after Communion

L: Let us pray.

O God, we give you thanks that you have set before us this feast, the body and blood of your Son. By your Spirit strengthen us to serve all in need and to give ourselves away as bread for the hungry, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

SENDING

Announcements

Blessing

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.

The Lord look upon you with favour and + give you peace.

C: Amen.

Sending Song ~ **Worship #439 ~ Soon and Very Soon**

DISMISSAL

L: Let us go in peace to continue to love and serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God. Amen

Postlude

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Communion	Louise Ewen

OSLC Calendar of Events:

November 2, 2025 12:30 PM- All Saints' Sunday worship of Holy Communion with Ven. Peter Zimmer. We will be remembering the saints in our lives. You are welcome before the service to add names to the list of those we want to remember and to light a candle.

November 9, 2025, 12:30 PM- Worship with Lauren Aldred

November 16, 2025, 12:30 PM- Worship with Lauren Aldred

Sunday November 16, 2025 - 1:30 PM: Soup Bus: OSLC is invited to join with Grace Anglican to help with Soup Bus at St. Vincent De Paul. Contributions for the soup bus may be left in the bin at the back of the sanctuary.

Sunday November 23, 2025 - 10 AM: Worship: Grace Anglican Parish warmly invites the OSLC community to join them in worship on Sunday, November 23rd, at 10 AM. Together, we will celebrate a service of Welcoming and Thanksgiving to honour our shared fellowship.

On this Sunday, Our Saviour's will not have the 12:30 PM worship service.

For those wishing to worship on-line, please join with Grace Anglican Church at 10 AM. **The live-stream is on Facebook: Grace Anglican Parish PG BC**

Monday November 24, 2025 - 3 PM (Zoom): Bible Study: Season of Spiritual Renewal Bible Study with Bishop Clara Plamondon. This is a four week study. Details are included below.

Sunday November 30, 2025 - 12:30 PM: First Sunday of Advent Worship with Rev. Wendy McRae presiding at this service of Holy Communion.

Sunday November 30, 2025 - 10 AM: Lessons and Carols: Our Saviour's is invited to join Grace Anglican and St. Micheal and All Angles on this First Sunday of Advent service of Lessons and Carols. The worship service will be at Grace Anglican Parish.

ADVENT BIBLE STUDY - All are Welcome

Bishop Clara Plamondon is leading an Advent Bible Study - Season of Spiritual Renewal – where you will explore the Advent lectionary readings for year A and learn basic bible Exegesis (tools to learn how to interpret scripture).

**They will be held on Mondays in Advent on Zoom from 3-5 pm
November 24, December 1, 8, 15**

To register, please email as noted on the poster.

REQUIRE FURTHER DETAILS?

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Advent 2025

Season of Spiritual Renewal Bible Study

LED BY BISHOP CLARA PLAMONDON

Explore Advent Lectionary Readings for Year A

Learn basic Bible Exegesis (tools to learn how to interpret scripture)

Excellent for Sermon Preparation and for personal growth

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WHEN:
MONDAYS 3-5PM
NOVEMBER 24
DECEMBER
1, 8, 15
VIA ZOOM

TO REGISTER:
EMAIL THE
TERRITORY
OFFICE BY
NOVEMBER 17,
2025

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Join the
conversation as
we go deeper
into the
scriptures



Youth Group: Sundays, 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM - 2SLGBTQIA+ and Allies Youth Group for ages 15-29 at 2640 Goheen Street, use back basement entrance.

Food Bank: Tuesdays, 10AM- Noon, use back basement entrance

Phone: We are happy to report that our phone has been reconnected. The office phone number is: **250-564-4336** and we also can connect by text/phone: **250-617-9716**.

Offering / Giving

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- OSLC website: Canada Helps: [Donate Now - Our Saviour's Lutheran Church in Prince George \(canadahelps.org\)](https://canadahelps.org) – **Canada Helps will issue a tax receipt directly to you**

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READINGS FOR THE DAY

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FIRST READING – Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

¹In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: ²I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, ³and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

¹⁵As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. ¹⁶I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: ¹⁷"As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. ¹⁸But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess

the kingdom forever—
forever and ever."

L: Word of God, word of life.

C: Thanks be to God.

SECOND READING – Ephesians 1:11-23

¹¹In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, ¹²so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. ¹³In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; ¹⁴this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

¹⁵I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and

your love toward all the saints, and for this reason ¹⁶I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers, ¹⁷that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, ¹⁸so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may perceive what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, ¹⁹and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. ²⁰God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, ²¹far above all rule and authority and power and dominion and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. ²²And he

has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, ²³which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

L: Word of God, word of life.

C: Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL READING - Luke 6:17-31

C: Glory To You, O Lord

¹⁷He came down with them and stood on a level place with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon. ¹⁸They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases, and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. ¹⁹And everyone in the crowd was trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them.

²⁰Then he looked up at his disciples and said:

"Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the kingdom of God.

²¹ "Blessed are you who are hungry now,
for you will be filled.

"Blessed are you who weep now,
for you will laugh.

²² "Blessed are you when people hate you and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. ²³ Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven, for that is how their ancestors treated the prophets.

²⁴ "But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.

²⁵ "Woe to you who are full now,
for you will be hungry.

"Woe to you who are laughing now,
for you will mourn and weep.

²⁶ "Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is

how their ancestors treated the false prophets.

²⁷ "But I say to you who are listening: Love your enemies; do good to those who hate you; ²⁸ bless those who curse you; pray for those who mistreat you. ²⁹ If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also, and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. ³⁰ Give to everyone who asks of you, and if anyone takes away what is yours, do not ask for it back again. ³¹ Do to others as you would have them do to you.

P: The gospel of the LORD.

C: Praise to you, O Christ