

# Christ Church Deer Park

July 13, 2025  
Fifth Sunday after Pentecost  
**Holy Eucharist**  
at 10:30 am



‘With all wisdom and insight he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ....

*Jesus Baptized  
by John the  
Baptist*  
Belltower  
Entrance

....as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.’

**Welcome to CHRIST CHURCH DEER PARK**  
**We are glad to have you worship with us!**

Whether this is your first time through our doors or your one thousandth, we are glad you are here! At our church you are welcome to participate as much or as little as you are comfortable doing.

### **What is our community like?**

Well, we are a church community from different generations and different walks of life. We are here because we want to follow Jesus and live in community with one another and our neighbours in this little corner of Toronto. We care deeply about feeding the hungry and welcoming refugees; we affirm that all people, including our LGBTQ2SI+ siblings, are made in the image of God and should be included in all the practices of our life of faith; and, no matter where we are on our spiritual journeys, we strive to lament together, rejoice together, and hold each other up on this journey of faith and life.

## The Gathering of the Community

The order of service is found in the dark green book: *The Book of Alternative Services* (BAS).

All hymns, unless printed in the bulletin, are from the blue hymnal: *Common Praise* (CP).

The Propers for the Fifth Sunday after Pentecost begin on pg. 367 in the BAS.

**Prelude**     *Le Jardin Suspendu*

Jehan Alain

**Welcome**

**Opening Hymn** – CP#397 – Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness

NETTLETON

**Apostolic Greeting** – BAS pg. 185

*(please remain standing)*

**Collect for Purity**

**Gloria** – *A Community Mass*

Richard Proulx

Glo - ry to God in the  
high-est, and peace to his peo-ple on earth. Lord God, heav-en-ly  
King, al - might - y God and Fa-ther, We wor - ship you, we  
give you thanks, we praise you for your glo-ry.  
Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord, God,  
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world: have  
mer-cy on us; You are seat - ed at the  
right hand of the Fa-ther: re - ceive our pray'r, re -

ceive, re - ceive our pray'r.

For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a - lone are the

Lord, you a - lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ with the Ho - ly

Spir - it in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther.

A - men. A - men.

Music: *A Community Mass*, Richard Proulx, © 1971, 1977, GIA Publications, Inc.

### The Collect of the Day

Presider: Almighty God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless until they find their rest in you. May we find peace in your service, and in the world to come, see you face to face; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All: **Amen.**

### The Proclamation of the Word

Presider: Let us prepare ourselves for the Word of God as it comes to us in the reading of Holy Scripture.

All: **Our hearts and minds are open.**

### The First Reading

*(please be seated)*

Reader: A reading from the Book of Colossians

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father. In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful



Cantor: The words you have spoken are spirit and life,  
O Lord; you have the words of eternal life. *See John 6.63, 68*

**All: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia**

### **The Holy Gospel**

Gospeller: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Gospeller: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

**All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

An expert in the law stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?" He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind and your neighbor as yourself." And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live." But wanting to vindicate himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and took off, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while traveling came upon him, and when he saw him he was moved with compassion. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, treating them with oil and wine. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care of him, and when I come back I will repay you whatever more you spend.' Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise." *Luke 10:25-37*

Gospeller: The Gospel of Christ.

**All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

**Sermon**

*(please be seated)*

**Music for Reflection**

**The Apostles Creed** – BAS pg. 189

*(please stand as you are able)*

**Prayers of the People**

*(please stand, kneel, or sit as you are able)*

**The Peace**

*(please remain standing)*

**Offertory Hymn** – CP#585 - Lord, Whose Love in

BEACH SPRING

## Sharing What We Have

We invite everyone to contribute financially to support the work of the Gospel and Christ Church Deer Park. We give as an expression of gratitude for all that God has done for us and because God has designed us to be givers.

## Ways to Give Financially

- Through automatic monthly credit card or pre-authorized debit donations contact [bookkeeper@christchurchdeerpark.org](mailto:bookkeeper@christchurchdeerpark.org) to set up a monthly offering
- Cash or cheque made out to Christ Church Deer Park
- Debit/credit via the mobile credit machine: please see warden on duty
- E-transfer to [donations@christchurchdeerpark.org](mailto:donations@christchurchdeerpark.org)
- Online via Canada Helps (scan the QR code to the right to be brought to the website)



We are thankful for all your gifts as they sustain the life and work of this parish.

*The congregation is invited to remain standing for the offertory.*

## Prayer over the Gifts

Presider: O God, your word creates in us a yearning for your kingdom. Receive all we offer you this day, and keep us in your peace; for the sake of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

## The Celebration of the Eucharist

**Eucharistic Prayer 2** – BAS pg. 196

*(please remain standing)*

**Sanctus & Benedictus** – CP# 732 *A Community Mass*

Richard Proulx

**The Lord's Prayer (sung)** – The tune is found on pg 918 of the BAS

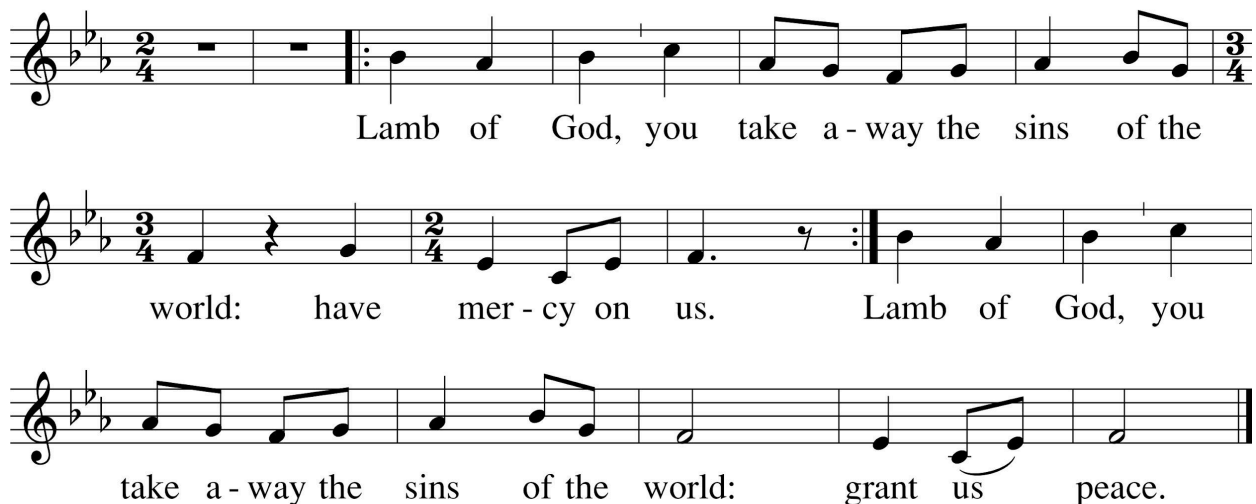
M. Robinson II

**Breaking of the Bread #2** – BAS pg. 212

*(please be seated)*

**Agnus Dei** – *Community Mass*

Richard Proulx



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the  
world: have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you  
take a-way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

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**All are welcome to receive communion with us**

- **To receive a blessing**, as you reach the priest with the bread, cross your arms over your chest. Return to your seat after receiving the blessing.
- **To receive the bread**, hold your hands in front of you, palms up.
- **To receive the wine from the cup**, take the bottom of the cup and the base and guide it to your mouth. (Dipping bread into wine is not permitted in the Diocese of Toronto.)
- **If you prefer to take only the bread**, you may indicate this to the cup bearer by crossing your arms over your chest, or simply walking past them.

**Communion Motet** – Give Almes of Thy Goods (Sung by Choir)

Christopher Tye

Give almes of thy goods,  
and turn never thy face from any poor man,  
and then the face of the Lord  
shall not be turned away from thee.

**Communion Hymn** – CP#500 - Sister, Let Me Be Your Servant

SERVANT SONG

**Prayer after Communion**

*(please stand as you are able)*

Presider: Living God, in this sacrament we have shared in your eternal kingdom. May we who taste this mystery forever serve you in faith, hope, and love. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

**Doxology** – BAS pg. 214

**Blessing**

Presider: Eternal God, we rejoice in your greatness and power, your gentleness and love, your mercy and justice. Enable us by your Spirit to honour you in our thoughts, and words and actions, and to serve you in every aspect of our lives; and may God our Creator bless you and keep you all of your days, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Announcements** – Refer to the separate announcements bulletin.

**Closing Hymn** – CP#425 – Joyful, Joyful

ODE TO JOY

**Postlude** Litanies

Jehan Alain

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***Assisting with the Liturgy***

Presider & Preacher: Cathy Gibbs

Prayers: Winnie Tang

Organist: Dermot Muir

Warden on Duty: Katherine MacDonald

Vocal Quartet- Emily Ding, Julia Barber, Lucas Kuipers, Peter Warren

Greeters: Andrew Harding

Reader: Dorothea Mihaila

Livestream Technician:  
James Finnerty

Verger: Rikk Scapillato

## Staff

The Rev. Dr. Stephen Drakeford – *Interim Priest-in-Charge*  
The Rev. Cathy Gibbs – *Adult Education*  
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## Lay Leadership

*Rector's Warden* – Stephen Clark  
*Deputy Warden* – Paul Kingston

*People's Warden* – Katherine MacDonald  
*Treasurer* – Nick Strube

## Ways to Serve & Get Involved

*Community Breakfast* – Carl Wehniainen, Lead  
*Congregational Care Team* – Ann Atkins, Lead  
*Prayer Circle* – Jan D'Angelo, Coordinator

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## Land Acknowledgement

We acknowledge the land on which we worship is the traditional territory of many nations including the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishinabek, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee and the Wendat peoples. This territory is part of the Dish with One Spoon Treaty, an agreement between the Anishinabek, Haudenosaunee, and allied nations to peaceably share and care for the resources around the Great Lakes.

Today, Toronto is still home to many Indigenous people from across Turtle Island (North America) and we seek to live in respect, peace, and right relations with them as we meet and worship on their territory. We are grateful for the resources we are using, and honour all the First Nations, Métis, and Inuit people who have been living on this land since time immemorial.

## Visitor Information

Hearing Assistance Devices are located on the table beside the bell-tower entrance.

Large Print Orders of Service are available.

## THIS SUMMER AT A GLANCE

**Saturday, July 5, 19, 26**

(pausing in August)

8:00am Community Breakfast

**Sundays**

8:00am Holy Eucharist (BCP)  
9:15am Contemporary Worship  
10:30am Holy Eucharist (BAS)\*

*\*In person & Livestreamed*

**Tuesday, July 15**

**Thursday, August 14**

6:00pm Summer Potluck



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