

We welcome all who worship with us today

The Life & Work of St. Andrew's...

Monday 23 November:

5 p.m. Session Meeting

Sunday 29 November:

1st Sunday of Advent - Sacrament of Holy Communion



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Mission Moments...

Stable Housing. Stronger Communities. Healthier Lives – Winnipeg Inner City Missions (WICM), a recognized Indigenous ministry in The Presbyterian Church in Canada, has long understood the connection between stable housing and social well-being. When a person is safely and adequately housed, it becomes easier to find employment, develop healthy relationships and break habits of addiction. WICM operates a transitional housing complex coupled with an employment program to help give people in Winnipeg's North End and inner city a place from which to heal, grow and become who God has made them to be.

As we gather for worship we acknowledge that the land on which we gather is the traditional unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq peoples. This territory is covered by the "Treaties of Peace and Friendship" which the Mi'kmaq peoples first signed with the British Crown in 1725. The treaties did not deal with surrender of lands and resources but in fact recognized Mi'kmaq title and established the rules for what was to be an ongoing relationship between nations.

Minister - Rev. Jeffrey Murray

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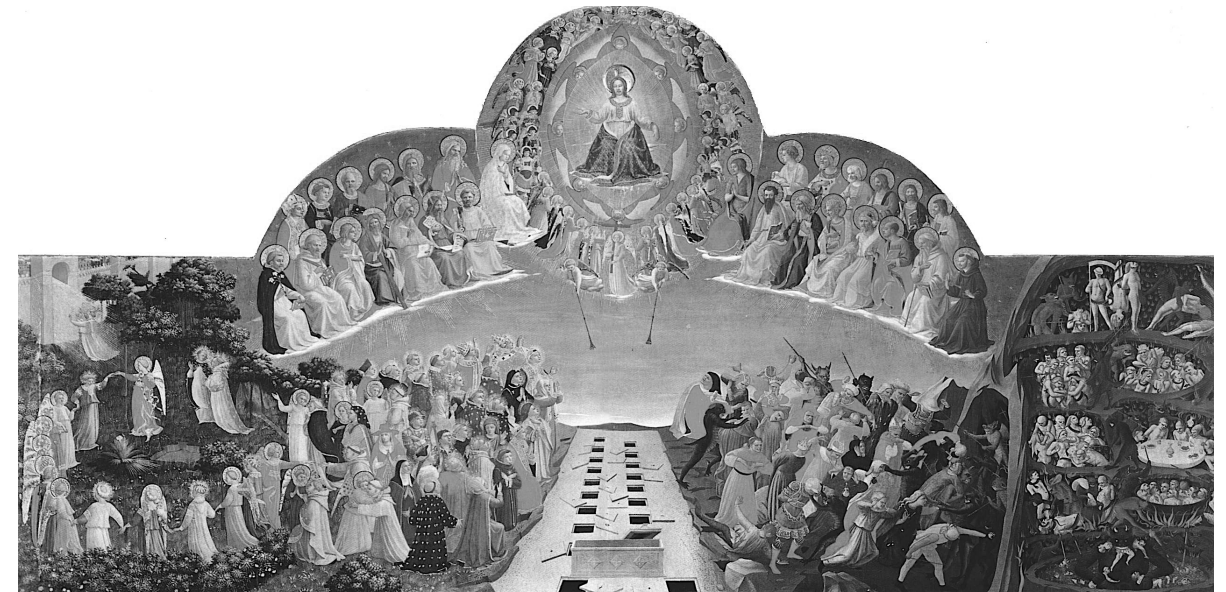
Today's Reader – Linda Trentini

Greeters – Richard Fillmore, Helen Amos,

& Beth Cockburn-Savoie

Prayer Tree - if you have prayer requests or wish to be part of
the Prayer Tree please contact Mary Bogaard: mbogaard@eastlink.ca

Sunday Bulletins & Calendar of events can be found at *www.sapres.ca*



Jesus separating people at the Last Judgement, by Fra Angelico, 1432-1435.

Our Purpose

*"To see Christ more clearly, to love him more dearly,
to follow him more nearly, day by day."*

Christ the King

*indicates to stand as able

Sunday, November 22, 2020

Red book – *The Book of Psalms*

WE APPROACH GOD

Prelude

*Entrance of the Bible

*Call to Worship (Responsive):

Minister: Worthy is the Lord our God and worthy is Christ the Lamb,
to receive glory and honour and power.

Congregation: *To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb
be blessing and honour and glory and might for ever and ever. Amen!*

Prayers of Approach

Adoration

Confession (*unison*):

*Almighty and most merciful God,
we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep,
we have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts,
we have offended against your holy laws,
we have left undone those things which we ought to have done,
and we have done those things which we ought not to have done.
But you, O Lord, have mercy upon us.
Restore those who are penitent,
according to your promises declared unto the world
in Christ Jesus our Lord;
and grant O most merciful God, for his sake,
that we may hereafter live a holy, just and humble life
to the glory of your holy name.
AMEN.*

{Silent Confession}

Assurance of Pardon

Anthem *How can I keep from singing?* Arr. Mary Lynn Lightfoot

Young Worshippers

GOD SPEAKS IN SCRIPTURE

Old Testament Reading: Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24, p. 702.

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 100

Epistle Reading: Ephesians 1:15-23, p. 949.

Gospel Reading: Matthew 25:31-46, p. 807.

Sermon *“Judgment Day: Sorting the herd”*

WE RESPOND TO GOD

*Affirmation of faith (*Unison*) from *Living Faith*, “Jesus Christ: Truly Human”

Jesus was truly human. Tried and tested as we are, yet without sin, he experienced the depths of life. Jesus understands us. He felt the joy of friendship, the pain of rejection, and died a human death. He trusted the Father completely and lived in the Holy Spirit. Neither temptation nor threat prevented him from loving God and his neighbour as himself. He showed us what it means to be a child of God.

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Presentation of Offerings

Prayers of Thanksgiving, Intercession,

& Lord’s Prayer

*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 debts,
as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil;
for thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory, for ever. Amen.*

WE ARE SENT BY GOD

*Charge & Benediction

Postlude