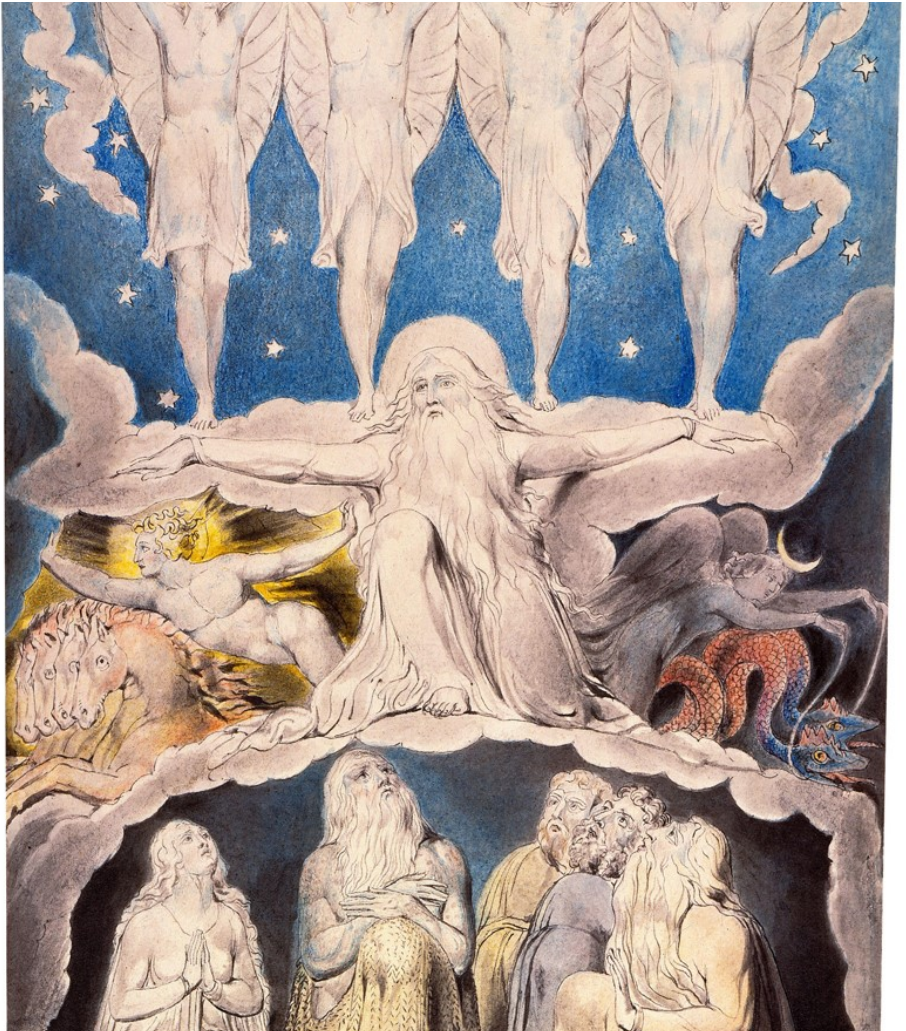


THE VALLEY BULLETIN

21st Sunday after Pentecost



October 17th, 2021



Parish of the Valley

Diocese of Ottawa
Anglican Church of Canada

WELCOME

If you are visiting, we welcome you into our midst.

Whoever you are and wherever you are on your journey in faith, you are welcome. It is a blessing to have you worship with us today!

The Parish of the Valley respectfully acknowledges that we gather for worship on the unceded territory of the Algonquin Anishinabeg people.

Let's Pray

For the Church in the World we pray for The Church in the Province of the West Indies. For our Companion Diocese of Jerusalem and the Middle East. We pray for Linda Nicholls, our Primate, Anne Germond, our Metropolitan, and Mark MacDonald, National Indigenous Archbishop.

In our Diocese of Ottawa we pray for:

- For Shane Parker, our Bishop; for Michael Bird, Honourary Assistant Bishop and our Incumbent; for our Associate Incumbents, Matthew Brown, Susan Clifford, and Gillian Hoyer.
- COVID 19 - Pray for all who are affected by this Pandemic.
- For St. Luke's, Ottawa, for Hospital & Nursing Home Ministries and for all clergy under the jurisdiction of the Bishop of Ottawa.
- For Holy Trinity, Pembroke, part of the Parish of the Valley.

For the life & members of our Parish of the Valley Community, this week we pray for:

Crystal & Chris Vereyken, Richard Verheijan, Pia Voorand & Tom Smith, Patsy Wade, Geneva Wagner, and all members of their families.

For those who have died and for all members of their families as they grieve:

Dakota Schwerdtseger, Bernie Drouin.

For the sick and those who have asked for our prayers ...

Alice & Petawawa: Trent, Steven, Sharon, Peter, Mark, Brian, Al, Dave, Laura, Joan, Laurie.

Barry's Bay & Whitney: Patricia, Elspeth, Debra, Mary-Jayne, Violet, Fern, John, Shirley, Marilyn, Betty, Elva, David, Susie, Freda, Andrew.

Beachburg: Thyra, Anne, Sandra, Nathan, Bill.

Killaloe/Tramore & Eganville: Jack, Bert, Maureen, Phyllis, Bob, Sue, Pauline, Jim, Hanna, Scarlett, Toots, May, Denise, Forest, Rosemary.

Pembroke: Lynne, Wyatt, Marie, Ray, Alix, Rita, Lois, Susan, Kevin, Anne, Gale, Lomie, Rob, Jessie.

Stafford / Cobden: Margaret, Susan, Ryan, Haley, Ruth, Iris, James, Sharon, Dave, Nicholas, Peggy, Carolyn, Hillary, Sharon, Glen, Andrew, John.

Readings

OCTOBER 17, 2021– 21ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Job 38:1-7, 34-41; Psalm 104:1-9, 25, 37b; Hebrews 5:1-10; Mark 10:35-45

Upcoming Readings

Readings may vary in some congregations - please check with your clergy.

OCTOBER 24, 2021– 22ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Job 42:1-6, 10-17; Psalm 34:1-8; Hebrews 7:23-28; Mark 10:46-52

OCTOBER 31, 2021– ALL SAINTS DAY (ANTICIPATED)

Wisdom 3:1-9; Psalm 24; Revelation 21:1-6a; John 11:32-44

OCTOBER 31, 2021– 23RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Ruth 1:1-18; Psalm 146; Hebrews 9:11-14; Mark 12:28-34

Offerings

Please continue to make your regular offerings, as our major expenses continue during this time of pandemic. All members of the Parish of the Valley are encouraged to mail in weekly offerings (cash or cheque), sign up for Pre-Authorized Remittances (PAR), or give online with credit card using the website *Canada Helps*. Please see our website for a list of church and treasurer mailing addresses and online giving information.

Open for In-Person Services

Our church buildings across the Parish of the Valley are open for Sunday worship with Yellow COVID protocols in place. Visit the Anglican Diocese of Ottawa [Covid-19 plan](#) for more information.

In Person Services October 24, 2021

9am - Ascension Killaloe

9am - St. Stephen's Micksburg

9:30am - St. George's South Alice

8 & 10am - Holy Trinity Pembroke

11am - St John's Eganville

11am - St. Paul's Cobden

11am - Epiphany Barry's Bay (Morning Prayer)

11:15am - All Saints Petawawa

Parish Announcements

- **Today is Foodbank Sunday.** We thank all parishioners across the Parish of the Valley for their generous donations of non-perishable foods and cash in support of our local food banks across Renfrew County.
- This fall's diocesan book study began on Wednesday September 22nd at 7pm on Zoom. The study will run weekly until October 27th. This fall's book is *An Altar in the World: A Geography of Faith* by the Rev. Barbara Brown Taylor. Anyone interested in joining the study is asked to contact Canon Susan by emailing susanclifford@valleyanglicans.ca or by calling 613-732-0313.
- **Today is "Valley Sunday" across our area parish.** Rev. Gillian leads services in Pembroke, Bishop Michael is in Killaloe and Eganville, Canon Susan is in Whitney and Barry's Bay, and Rev. Matthew is in Alice, Petawawa and Beachburg. Morning Prayer is offered at St. Paul's Cobden. The next "Valley Sunday" will be held on Sunday November 28th.



Cover:

When the Morning Stars Sang Together, William Blake, 1805-1806

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