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***The word of the Lord abides forever. That word is the good news which was preached to you*****Processional Hymn: # 353****The Gathering of the Community**

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**The Collect of the Day**

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**The Proclamation of the Word**

Lamentations 1: 1 - 6

Psalm 137

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2 Timothy 1: 1 - 14

**Gospel Acclamation # 712****The Holy Gospel:** Luke 17: 5 - 10**The Sermon:****The Confession and Absolution****The Peace****Offertory Hymn # 352****The Holy Eucharist****Prayer over the Gifts**

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**Eucharistic Prayer****Sanctus: # 735****The Lord's Prayer**

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**The Breaking of the Bread**

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**Agnus Dei: # 701****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 are 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. 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. (Gluten free bread is available on request).***Communion & Ablutions Hymn # 624****Prayer after Communion**

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**The Doxology****The Blessing****Announcements****Recessional Hymn: # 601****Dismissal****Our Ministers today:**

Host: Sharon Sparkes

Greeter: Dale Sparkes

Readers: Elizabeth Whalley, Laurie Hardman

Prayers of the People:

Servers: Bruce Adderley

Eucharistic Assistant: Linda Rintamaki, Dale Sparkes

Chancel Guild: Erminie Reid, Cyndi Roy

Coffee Hosts: Mary Ripley, Grace Dawson, Erminie Reid

Food Cupboard: Closed

**Anglican Cycle of Prayer:** Our prayers are asked for the Church of the Province of West Africa and The Most Revd Dr Daniel Sarfo, Primate & Metropolitan, CPWA, Archbishop of the Internal province of Ghana and Bishop of Kumasi.**Anglican Lutheran Cycle of Prayer:** We are asked to pray for Bishop Lonnie McMenamie and the people & clergy of the Diocese of British Columbia of the ACC; and the dean, council and congregations of the Greater Vancouver Conference of the British Columbia Synod of the ELCIC.**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:** Our prayers are asked for the Lay Readers of the Diocese as they attend their Conference in the Deanery of Sudbury-Manitoulin and for the ministries of all Lay Readers in the parish, deanery and diocese.**Parish Cycle of Prayer:** Kenneth & Irene Roy, John (Sandy) & Honor Shaw, Solomon & Janet Sofea, and Dale & Sharon Sparkes.**Scripture Readings for next Sunday – 19th Sunday after Pentecost**

Jeremiah 29: 1, 4 - 7

Psalm 66: 1 - 11

2 Timothy 2: 8 – 15

Luke 17: 11 – 19

**Parish Statistics (last week)**

Sunday 9:30: 53

Parochial: EOP: \$1292.79

Givings: \$885.00

Total: \$2177.79

Required to meet our budget: \$2314.83 per week.

**A note about hospital visits:** *When visiting the Regional Hospital, George only has access to a list of patients designated St. Luke's or St. John's Anglican. Unfortunately, despite the ongoing efforts of the Council of Clergy and others, on average, only 40% of the patients have any religion listed. In order to receive a visit when in the hospital, please have a family member or friend notify him (at the numbers on the bulletin) that you are in hospital and would appreciate a visit.*

### **CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK**

#### **Wed. Oct. 5**

7 p.m. Parish meeting to prepare for upcoming Electoral Synod

#### **Thurs. Oct. 6**

7 p.m. Choir rehearsal

#### **Fri. Oct 7**

10 a.m. Craft Group

### **PARISH NEWS**

**Wed., Oct. 5 @ 7 p.m.** there will be a parish meeting in Langworthy Hall to discuss the upcoming Synod for the election of our new Bishop. Our voting representatives, Sharon Corston and Dale Sparkes as well as Garth O'Neill (Diocesan Registrar) will be in attendance. There is a handout at the back of the church with info about the 5 candidates or for those with access to the internet more info can be accessed via the Diocese of Algoma home page. BYO beverage (coffee/tea/water) and help give Sharon, Dale and Garth your direction on Wed. eve.

**Congratulations** to David Reid who is away with his golf team from Confederation College to the Ontario Colleges Athletic Association provincial golf championships

**The Anglican Journal, Algoma Anglican, St. John's Lamplighter** - there are copies of the most recent editions of these publications at the back of the church. If you have not received copies in the mail and would like one, please take one.

### **NEIGHBOURHOOD NEWS**

**Celebration of New Ministry – Today** - The formal installation of The Rev. Jonathan Blanchard will be held at St. Thomas' Church at 7 p.m. All are welcome.

**Mission to Seafarers –** After a busy summer, the port is getting ready for the fall harvest coming into the port. The Mission to Seafarers would appreciate donations of **warm, men's clothing** – all sizes. Many sailors come from warmer countries and our fall weather can be rather cold. Donations can be put in the drop off box outside the Seafarers' Centre or given to the Mission to Seafarer Rep at each Anglican parish. Donations are needed by Nov. 21 for **Christmas Gift Bags** that will be given to seafarers in December. Suggested donations include mittens, gloves, writing paper, and wrapped candy. For further information go to [www.missiontoseafarers.ca/thunderbay](http://www.missiontoseafarers.ca/thunderbay) or call (807) 344-8241.

### **Upcoming Events:**

- Oct. 4** – Fall Deanery Meeting. St. Mary's, Nipigon CANCELLED to be rescheduled
- Oct. 4** – Mother's Union meeting @ 7 p.m. in Haddon Hall at St. Thomas's Church All are welcome.
- Oct. 4** – Grace Place Two-Bit auction – fundraiser for a new roof. Moose Hall, 317 May St. upstairs, doors open at 6 p.m. auction at 7 p.m. Adm. \$5.
- Oct. 21** – Anglican-Lutheran Women Two-Bit Auction at Hilldale Lutheran Church at 7 p.m.
- Oct. 21** – St Michael & All Angels, Soup and Sandwich lunch, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. \$12.
- Oct. 23** – St. Stephen's Pasta Supper at the church – sit down @ 5:30 p.m.
- Oct. 28** – St. George's Fish Fry – at the church – 5:30 p.m., \$15 under 8 - \$7
- Oct. 29** – St. Thomas' Tea 1 – 3 p.m.
- Oct. 29** - St. Paul's Chili Lunch – details to follow