

The Flowers at the Altar today are dedicated to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Wasył Melnechuk and Jaroslav Loffelmann from the family

Mon & Tues Feria  
Wednesday Clement, Bishop of Rome, 100  
Thurs - Sat Feria  
**Sunday** First Sunday of Advent

**WORSHIP, Parish Activities, Funeral Notice:**

**SUNDAY Nov 27<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30:** First Sunday of Advent

**SUNDAY Dec 4<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30:** Second Sunday of Advent, with Neil Mancor

**SUNDAY Dec 4<sup>th</sup> @ 19:00:** Christmas Singalong in the hall

**In the Rectory: THURSDAY, Nov 24<sup>th</sup> @13:30,** ACW Meeting

**WEDNESDAY Dec 7<sup>th</sup> @ 13:30** Sherry, Tea & Cake with ACW UCW WI and others

**RRA: FRIDAY Nov 25<sup>th</sup> @ 19:00,** Card Party in the UC Hall,  
with woodworking items for sale.

**ACW Christmas Craft Sale: SATURDAY November 26<sup>th</sup> 10:00-15:00;**  
Craft sale, bake sale, & Hot Dog Lunch, Parish Hall

**ECOL: MON: 13:00** in Rawdon: Urban Poling with Gail Lukian;

**THUR** 10:00 Rawdon; Movement workshop with Tania; 19:00 Bridge at the Rawdon Office.

**FRI: 10:00** in Rawdon; Friday Friends at the United Church Hall

**LEGION: Mon:** 09:30, Exercise; 13:00, Bingo. **Tue:** 13:00, Darts **Wed:** 09:30,  
Exercise; Supper: 18:00 **Thur** 19:00, Cribbage **Fri** 09:30, Exercise.

**CHRISTMAS BASKET DONATIONS: START DEC 4; END Dec 18**

The Great Christmas Cake Bakers fund raiser for 2022 has begun! We are turning on the ovens to bake our delicious brandy infused fruit cakes. Cakes weigh approximately 2 pounds and cost \$25.00. To place your order please call Thelma Ranger at 450-834-2044 or Clare Dowie at 450-834-2496; or catch them after church

**Activities in our Parish Hall This Week**

**MONDAY:** AA: 19:00-22:00

**TUESDAY:** ACW Military Whist Card Parties: 19:00. Cost is \$3

**WEDNESDAY:** CA: 19:00-22:00

**THURSDAY:** NA: 19:00-22:00

**FRIDAY:** Masonic Lodge: The second Friday of each month

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# Christ Church Rawdon

Located in the traditional territories of the  
Haudenosaunee and Huron-Wendat people

November 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022



## Reign of Christ: our 200<sup>th</sup> Feast of Title

Evening Prayer (from the four parishes of the Laurentians) is offered daily, Monday through Friday, except holidays, 5pm, online at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87202496304> or by phone at 438 809-7799, ID: 872 0249 6304.

**Please wear a mask while in Church. Thank you.**

**Prelude: organist, Brigitte Secco**

**Hymn CP 379: Rejoice the Lord is King, sung to CP 379, Darwall**

*BAS p185.* The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ ...

**Gloria in Excelsis, sung to CP 425, Ode to Joy**

**Glory be to God in heaven, peace to those who love him well; on the earth let all his people speak his grace, his wonders tell  
Lord we praise you for your glory, mighty Father, heaven's king;  
hear our joyful adoration and accept the thanks we bring.**

**Only Son of God the Father, Lamb who takes our sin away,  
now with him in triumph seated--for your mercy, Lord, we pray:  
Jesus Christ, most high and holy, Saviour, you are God alone  
in the glory of the Father with the Spirit: Three-in-One!**

*Collect:* Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, our Lord and King, grant that the peoples of the earth, now divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his gentle and loving rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

### PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

The First Reading: Jeremiah 23:1-6.

*David Bennett*

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the Lord. Therefore thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the Lord. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord. The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The Lord is our righteousness." Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church. **Thanks be to God.**

The Song of Zechariah, BAS p88. alternating by verse.

*Clare Dowie*

The Second Reading: Colossians 1:11-20.

*Brenda Purcell*

Brothers and sisters: May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers - all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross. Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church. **Thanks be to God.**

**Jesus, remember me, when you come into your kingdom x 4**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus

Christ according to Luke [23:33-43] **Glorify to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing." And they cast lots to divide his clothing. And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!" The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" There was also an inscription over him, "This is the King of the Jews." One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!" But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise." The Gospel of Christ. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

**Jesus, remember me, when you come into your kingdom x 2**

**SERMON; THE APOSTLES' CREED** *BAS p189*

**INTERCESSIONS**

*Marion Loffelmann*

Let us pray to the Lord for pardon and peace in the Church and in all the world. We offer our prayers in the name of Christ, saying **"the King of glory" [R]**

Keep the Church strong under Christ her head, faithful to the inheritance of his sacrificial love. We pray for all who are in positions of authority and leadership in the church, ..... Make your priests and ministers good shepherds of the flock entrusted to their care. We offer our prayers in the name of Christ, **R.**

We pray for those who do evil things from ignorance of the truth. .... Where nations and races are divided, may they be reconciled through the love of Christ. We offer our prayers in the name of Christ, **R.**

We pray for our own Parish, ..... We offer our prayers in the name of Christ, **R.**

We pray for the victims of our society, ..... Have mercy on all who are derided for their beliefs or their way of life. Save and relieve all who suffer under power that is abused in the name of law. We offer our prayers in the name of Christ, **R.**

We pray for all who are in danger, ... and especially for Kitty (Murial) Arsenault, Simonne Bouthillier, Glenn Cartwright, Ann Clark, Susan Coombs, Bobby Dowie, Muriel Fleming, Danny Fogarty, James Fogarty, Francois Fruhauf, Eileen Hale, Ken Hubbard, Shea Kerin, Douglas Lake, Kathleen Loranger, Shirley Tinkler Moore, Maureen Parkinson, Lois Morris, Pearl Rourke, Debbie Sweeney, Sharon Tinkler, Viola Wilde, and their families; and for all seeking prayers at this time whom we remember in the silence of our hearts. Grant us loving wisdom towards all those who need our care. Bless our children and the children of our friends and neighbours. Support with grace all who do caring work in our community. We offer our prayers in the name of Christ, **R.**

We pray for those who have died in the peace of Christ, for those who have repented and turned to Christ in the hour of death, and for those whose faith is known to you, Lord, alone, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom. We pray for Alma Dalco, Michael Edward, and Sheila (Boyce) Christopher who died this week, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time, and especially from our Book of Remembrance, for Peggie Sheppard (née Muckersie), Edna Quenneville (née Bennett) and Gertrude Brunswig (née Wagner). Receive them in your love, to be with him in his Kingdom for ever. We offer our prayers in the name of Christ, **R.**

Remembering .... we commit ourselves, ... to Christ our Lord. **To you, O Lord. AMEN.**

**CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION** *BAS p191*

**Hymn 383: Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun, sung to CP 383 Duke Street**  
*Ushers: Ted Kimber and Judy Buffler*

**THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

Eternal God, by your grace you have raised us up and enthroned us with Christ in the heavenly realms. Receive all we offer you this day, and lead us in those good works for which you have created us. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **AMEN.**

*BAS p193 [Eucharistic Prayer #1; Sanctus CP 719], ...BAS p211*

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

Almighty God, you have made us a royal priesthood in the kingdom of your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Make known his victory through us, we pray, that all the world may see his light. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **AMEN.** *BAS p214*

**COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS, THEN BLESSING AND DISMISSAL**

**Hymn CP 384: Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, sung to CP 384 Lobe den Herren**  
**Postlude: organist, Brigitte Secco**