

# St. George's Anglican Church

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# The Feast of Saint Michael and All Angels, commonly known as Michaelmas

# September 29, 2021



The Crowned Virgin: A Vision of John, Revelation 12:1-3. (1866). Gustave Doré (1832-1883). Illustration.

# Welcome!

Who are we? In response to the Gospel of Jesus Christ, the Parish of Saint George offers a unique combination of traditional Anglican worship and a commitment to Inner-City Ministry. Open to the community that surrounds it, Saint George's dares to be shaped by the Inner City, yet seeks to transform our neighbourhood by preaching, in Word and action, the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Come join us in worship, fellowship and outreach ministry.

# 7:00 pm Choral Holy Communion

Mass setting: Missa Audi filia – Claude Goudimel (1510-72)

Creed & Gloria: John Merbecke (1510-85)

Celebrant: Fr. Nicholas Hatt, Rector

Guest Lay Preacher: Matthew Vanderkwaak

## **Opening Hymn (see insert)** CHRIST, the fair glory

Coelites Plaudant

The Introit Psalm 103:19-22

tone V.1



THE LORD HATH established his throne in heav-en, /

and his kingdom rul-eth o-ver^all.

O praise the Lord, ye angels of his, ye that excel in *strength*, / ye that fulfill his commandment, and hearken unto the *voice* of his word.

O praise the Lord, all ye his *hosts*, / ye servants of his that *do* his plea-sure.

O speak good of the Lord, all ye works of his,

in all places of his do-min-ion: / praise thou the Lord, O my soul.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, / and to the Ho-ly^Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever *shall* be, / world with-out end. A-men.

Please kneel

The Lord's Prayer and Collect for Purity	
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The Summary of the Law

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The Kyrie

Kyrie eleison

Christe eleison

Lord have mercy upon us,

Christ have mercy upon us,

Kyrie eleison

Christ have mercy upon us, Lord have mercy upon us.

The Collect p. 294

Please sit

The Lesson (Revelation 12:7)

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Please stand

#### The Gradual Psalm 148:1-3

tone VIII.2



O PRAISE THE Lord from the heav-ens: / praise him in the heights.

Praise him, all ye angels of his: / praise him, all his host.

Praise him, sun and moon: / praise him, all ye stars of light.

The Holy Gospel (St Matthew 18:1)

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The Nicene Creed

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The Sermon	Matthew Vanderkwaak
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Offertory Hymn 204 STARS of the morning, so gloriously bright Trisagion

After the biddings, please kneel

The Prayer of Intercession & Invitation to Confession pp. 75-76

The Confession p. 77

The Absolution, Comfortable Words, & Thanksgiving p. 77-78

The Sanctus and Benedictus p. 81

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth, Pleni sunt cœli et terra Gloria tua.

Hosanna in excelsis.

Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis.

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of Hosts, Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord most high. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of

the Lord: Hosanna in the highest.

The Prayer of Consecration & Pax

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The Prayer of Humble Access pp. 83-84

The Agnus Dei Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. (bis). Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata

mundi, dona nobis pacem.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. (repeat). O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us thy peace.

### Holy Communion

The Anglican Church of Canada welcomes communicant members of all Churches who have been baptized with water in the Name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, to receive Holy Communion in faith, hope and charity.

#### Communion Hymn 375 YE holy angels bright Darwall

**Communion Motet** Factum est silentium – Richard Dering (c. 1580 - 1630)

Factum est silentium in cœlo, Dum committeret bellum draco cum Michaele Archangelo. Audita est vox millia millium dicentium: Salus, honor et virtus omnipotenti Deo. Alleluia.

There was silence in heaven while the dragon fought with the Archangel Michael. The voice of a thousand thousands was heard saying: Salvation, honour and power be to almighty God. Alleluia.

#### The Lord's Prayer p. 85 The Prayer of Thanksgiving pp. 85-86

The Gloria in Excelsis p. 86

Please kneel

The Blessing

**Closing Hymn 369** BRIGHT the vision that delighted

Redhead

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Voluntary

Toccata and Fugue in d, BWV 565 - J.S. Bach

## **Worship during the Pandemic**

The ongoing COVID-19 pandemic means that we must take extra precautions to help prevent the further spread of the virus. While in the church, please ...

- wear a mask;
- clean your hands upon arriving;
- check in with the greeter to record your name;
- do not sit in the pews marked off with a ribbon;
- refrain from shaking hands and try to cough or sneeze into your elbow.

At the time of the Holy Communion (during the 10:30 a.m. service only), please remain seated until the greeter has signaled that it is time for you to go. Those sitting around the outside aisles and the upstairs Gallery will go first, followed by those sitting around the centre aisle.

There are two stations for receiving the Sacrament, one on each side of the Communion rail. We ask that only one person or household go to each station at a time.

Upon leaving the Communion rail, follow the arrows back down the central aisle of the chancel.

At the end of the service, please exit the church using the door to the parking lot (side door to your right), or the Brunswick Street doors, leaving your prayer books in the box provided at the door. If physically possible, please consider using the Brunswick Street door, especially if you are seated near the back of the church.

At all times, we must observe physical distancing in the church, keeping six feet or two metres from those outside of your family or household. It is tempting to chat with friends and newcomers at the back of the church at the end of the service, but it is best for people to gather for such conversations outdoors where distancing is easier.

If you have travelled or have been in direct contact with someone who has travelled outside of Nova Scotia within the last fourteen days or are feeling unwell and have symptoms of COVID-19, please do not come to church. Let the Rector know if you are unwell so we can offer our care and our prayers for you.

# About today's preacher:

Matthew Vanderkwaak is a doctoral student at University College Dublin studying medieval philosophy. He and his wife, Amy, live at Trinity House.