



**The Vine October 2021**  
**St. Helen's Anglican Church**  
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*Parish Clergy:*  
*The Rev. Canon Peter Lackey &*  
*The Ven. Susan Churchill-Lackey*

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### **Worship**

*Please note that all plans are subject to change.*

#### **Sunday, October 3 Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost:**

##### **Holy Eucharist, In-Person, 8 AM **Or** 10 AM**

You need register to attend one of these Sunday's services by filling out the form on our website, noting contact information and numbers. If you are not on computer you can still register by calling the church and providing the same information, indicating which service you will attend. Please register by the Thursday of each week by noon. Sunday services will not be online at this time

#### **Sunday, October 10 Harvest Thanksgiving: Holy Eucharist, In-Person, 8 AM and 10 AM**

Pre-registration required

#### **Sunday, October 17, Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost: Holy Eucharist, In-Person, 8 AM and 10 AM** Pre-Registration required

#### **Sunday, October 24, Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost: Holy Eucharist, In-Person, 8 AM and 10 AM** Pre-registration required

#### **Sunday, October 31 Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost: Holy Eucharist, In-Person, 8 AM and 10 AM** Pre-registration required

**Early Morning Prayers** For all you early risers! Visit our website to access the Early Morning Prayers video and start your day in mindful contemplation that you are in the presence of the Holy One, your Companion and Guide, whatever the day may bring. End the day with the **Compline Service**, also on our website.

Chair of Worship: The Venerable Susan Churchill-Lackey

## ***Discipleship***

**Faith Forum *Bringing Faith to Life and Life to Faith*** with The Rev. Canon Peter Lackey  
Wednesday, **October 20 7-8:30 PM**(Masked and distanced)

***Contemplative Prayer* Thursdays 9:30 AM-10AM and *Climate Change Through the Lens of Scripture* Thursdays 10 AM- 11 AM** with The Rev. Kay Richardson:

**The Branches** Leaders: Eric Jones and Berthorie Beauvoir

"We are currently seeking out adult mentors from our parish for The Branches, our youth ministry. Our mission statement is to intentionally develop friendships and character, as well as to grow in the Spirit within a safe environment; all of which we hope to do while having fun and reaching out to the community. For the upcoming 2021-2022 year, we are planning to meet twice a month, virtually (this is subject to change). During a typical meeting, we talk about God working in our lives through regular discussions. We also try to incorporate time for games and sharing news.

We are seeking out individuals that are optimistic, appreciative of different perspectives and opinions and passionate about mentoring youth. Due to the pandemic, a lot is subject to change thus we would need someone who is flexible and can adapt to new situations. If you feel that this may be your calling, we would love to meet with you whenever you have the chance. If you know someone who you think would fit this role, please do not hesitate to share their name with us."

**Quiet Garden Devotional for Early Autumn** On our website.

Chair of Discipleship: Jeff McRae

## ***Stewardship***

**Finances** Thank you to those who continue to give to the church financially. Please consider **PAR(Pre-Authorized Remittance)** as a tool for consistent support. Call the church office (613-824-2010) or send an e-mail to [st.helen@on.aibn.com](mailto:st.helen@on.aibn.com) to apply. Or choose to regularly use the **Canada Helps** button on our website.

**Legacy Giving** Setting up your Will or making changes to it? Read the Legacy Giving section of Stewardship on our website.

**Lawn and Property Care** Thank you to all those who care for our property, inside and out.

Chair of Stewardship: Colin Taylor

## ***Outreach***

**Outreach Collection: Coffee mugs**(no chips or cracks) **for St. Luke's Table** (please put them in the collection box at the back of the church by the servery door) Thank you to Carol for the recent delivery to St. Luke's.

Chairs of Outreach: Carol Danson & Sharon Tremaine

## Community

**St. Helen's Holiday Market** is planned for November 6, 2021, 9 AM-2 PM. Available for purchase: crafts, quilts, knitted items, preserves, home-baked goods, pre-loved jewelry etc. The format will be a walk through sale, entrance at the front door of the church and exit through the back doors of Trinity Hall. Payment by cash, cheques, credit card and debit. Covid screening, masks and social distancing will be observed. Donations of preserves, craft items etc. can be dropped off and placed in the Grace Room at the church during office hours (generally Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 9-11:30 AM Call first 613-824-2010) or on Sunday mornings. Baked goods will be accepted on November 4 and 5. For more information: Sandra Clark [sandraleeclark@hotmail.com](mailto:sandraleeclark@hotmail.com) or Helen Giroux [hlgiroux@rogers.com](mailto:hlgiroux@rogers.com)

**Art Fair 2022 For Your Calendars...** We had a successful virtual Art Fair last May with eighteen (18) artists participating, five of whom were from the parish, offering 137 art works for sale. Twenty-four (24) pieces of art were sold for a total of \$3,683, with \$2,771 going back to the local arts community. Entry fees for the Fair totaled \$685 with \$855.60 in commissions, resulting in a net revenue of \$1,440.60 for St. Helen's.

As majority of the artists indicated an interest in participating in another art fair with St. Helen's, we are encouraged to plan for another Art Fair. Council has approved a plan for an in-person Art Fair to be held on Saturday, May 28, 2022. There will be an option to change to a virtual Fair if conditions require but we will initially promote the Art Fair as an in-person event. Artists will be invited to participate and submit their art using our [sthelensartfair.ca](http://sthelensartfair.ca) website which should be available later in November and will open for public viewing as soon as we have an artist's work to display. As an in-person Art Fair will require more support than the virtual Fair, a call for volunteers will be coming soon. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Brian Glenn  
Art Fair Coordinator  
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## Pastoral Care Ministries

**Pastoral Care Team** The work of the Team continues, primarily through telephone calls, emails and "snail mail". Thanks to John Leech for hosting our monthly zoom meetings.

The **Prayer Chain** is prepared to offer intercessions on behalf of others for God's blessing upon any number of concerns, needs or issues. Please e-mail Maggie Lorimer, for pastoral care or prayer support, [mlorimer@rogers.com](mailto:mlorimer@rogers.com) or call or e-mail the church to speak with the clergy.

Chair of Community: Lorna Ponting

## In the Diocese...

Launch of **Project Anti-Racism: Advancing Inclusion and Reconciliation in the Anglican Diocese of Ottawa** (facilitated by the Bishop, senior staff and other advisors and led by the international consultancy firm GlobalLK; for all clergy in the Diocese) launched September 22, 2021

October 2, 2021 Virtual **Purple Tie Gala fundraiser for Cornerstone** See [cornerstonewomen.ca](http://cornerstonewomen.ca)

From the parish of St. Aidan's: **PWRDF** Ottawa is participating in Ride for Refuge this year; and to support PWRDF's Solar Suitcase Project, we have put our own spin on it called "Share the Light"! Since our parishes are all in the same general geographic area, you are invited to meet us at the **Tennis Courts area in Windsor Park (1 Windsor Ave), at 9:30 am on Saturday, October 2nd**. We will briefly "Share the Light," pray and celebrate this great project, and grab a picture for Crosstalk, too; masks and distancing will be observed. If you would like to join or support our PWRDF Ottawa Team, check out our page here:

<https://secure.e2rm.com/registant/TeamFundraisingPage.aspx?teamID=958132>

**Diocesan Synod** Preparation Meetings Oct...Synod Service Thursday, October 28, Christ Church Cathedral (Virtual), Synod: Saturday, October 30. Please keep our Synod members Felicia Kwamena, Kathy Pearce, Peter Humphries and your clergy in your prayers.



**Building a Community of Hope:** Virtual Fundraiser, Silent Auction and Tour October 21, 12:30-1:15To Register: <https://www.todayfortomorrow.ca/event-registration>