

June 21, 2026
Pentecost 4
10 A.M. Morning Prayer
Rev. Jeanette Lewis
Lay Reader: Ruth
Reader: Dan
Organist: Cindy Kim

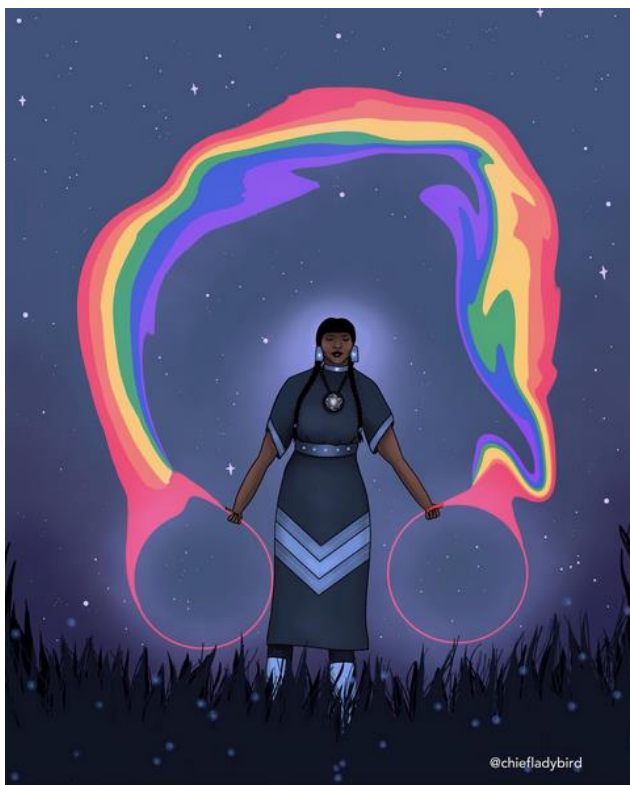
Welcome – *Rev. Lewis*

Artwork and text by Councillor
Chief Lady Bird Nancy King,
Chippewas of Rama First Nation.

"Happy Pride and Indigenous
History Month! We are here, we
are queer, we are decolonizing
everything; we are anything but
history- and I'm glad we are
continuing to educate,
acknowledge and fight for our
rights."

94 Calls to Action Audit

To mark the 10th Anniversary of
the Truth and Reconciliation
Commission the Bishop's
Collaborative for Right Relations
undertook an audit over the
course of 2025 to review our
Diocesan implementation of the 94
Calls to Action. Only 3 of the 13
Calls to Action that name the
Church have been completed.
This audit inspired our Bishops to
honour Call to Action #46 to renew
our Treaty relationships. This
June we are grateful to turn a red
X beside #46 to a blue line-
symbolizing that this work is now
"in progress."



The Gathering of God's People

Hymn CP146

Huron Carol

CCLI # 1903899, song #7150912

1 'Twas in the moon of
wintertime
when all the birds had fled,
that God the Lord of all the
earth
sent angel choirs instead;
before their light the stars grew
dim,
and wand'ring hunters heard
the hymn:

Refrain:

Jesus your king is born!
Jesus is born,
in excelsis gloria!

2 Within a lodge of broken bark
the tender babe was found;
a ragged robe of rabbit skin
enwrapped his beauty round;
but as the hunter braves drew
nigh,
the angel song rang loud and
high:
Refrain

3 The earliest moon of
wintertime
is not so round and fair
as was the ring of glory on
the helpless infant there.
The chiefs from far before him
knelt
with gifts of fox and beaver pelt.
Refrain

4 O children of the forest free,
the angel song is true;
the holy child of earth and
heav'n
is born today for you.
Come, kneel before the radiant
boy,
who brings you beauty, peace,
and joy.
Refrain

Rev. Lewis

Beloved in Christ, we come
together to offer to Almighty
God our worship and praise
and thanksgiving, to confess
our sins and to receive God's
forgiveness, to hear his holy
word proclaimed, to bring
before him our needs and the
needs of the world, and to pray

that in the power of his Spirit,
we may serve him and know
the greatness of his love.

Let us confess our sins to God
our Father.

Kneel or sit.

Silence is kept.

**Heavenly Father, we have
sinned against you and
against our neighbour in
thought and word and deed,
through negligence,
through weakness,
through our own deliberate
fault; by what we have done
and by what we have failed to
do.**

**We are truly sorry and repent
of all our sins.**

**For the sake of your Son
Jesus Christ who died for us,
forgive us all that is past;
and grant that we may serve
you in newness of life to the
glory of your name. Amen.**

Absolution *Rev. Lewis*
Almighty God, who forgives all
who truly repent, have mercy
on us, pardon and deliver us
from all our sins, confirm and
strengthen us in all goodness,

and keep us in eternal life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Hymn CP355

***All Creatures of Our God and
King***

CCLI # 1903899, song #360812

1. All creatures of our God and
King,
Lift up your voice and with us
sing
Alleluia, alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden
beam,
Thou silver moon with softer
gleam,

Refrain

O praise him, O praise him,
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

2. Thou rushing winds that art
so strong,
Ye clouds that sail in Heav'n
along,
O praise him, alleluia!
Thou rising morn, in praise
rejoice,
Ye lights of evening, find a
voice.

Refrain

3. And all ye saints of tender
heart,
Forgiving others, take your part,
O sing ye, alleluia!
Ye who long pain and sorrow
bear,
Praise God and on him cast
your care:

Refrain

4. Let all things their creator
bless,
And worship him in
humbleness,
O praise him, alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father,
praise the Son,
And praise the Spirit, Three in
One:

Refrain

First Reading *Dan*
Isaiah 40:25-31 *NIV*

²⁵ “To whom will you compare
me? Or who is my equal?”
says the Holy One.

²⁶ Lift up your eyes and look to
the heavens:

Who created all these?
He who brings out the starry
host one by one and calls forth
each of them by name.
Because of his great power and
mighty strength, not one of
them is missing.

²⁷ Why do you complain,
Jacob? Why do you say, Israel,
“My way is hidden from the
Lord; my cause is disregarded
by my God”?

²⁸ Do you not know? Have you
not heard? The Lord is the
everlasting God, the Creator of
the ends of the earth.

He will not grow tired or weary,
and his understanding no one
can fathom.

²⁹ He gives strength to the
weary and increases the power
of the weak.

³⁰ Even youths grow tired and
weary, and young men stumble
and fall; ³¹ but those who hope
in the Lord will renew their
strength. They will soar on
wings like eagles; they will run
and not grow weary, they will
walk and not be faint.

This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 19 NIV
Lay Reader

1 The heavens declare the
glory of God;
**the skies proclaim the work
of his hands.**

2 Day after day they pour forth
speech;
**night after night they reveal
knowledge.**

3 They have no speech, they
use no words;
no sound is heard from them.

4 Yet their voice goes out into
all the earth, their words to the
ends of the world.
**In the heavens God has
pitched a tent for the sun.**

5 It is like a bridegroom coming
out of his chamber,
**like a champion rejoicing to
run his course.**

6 It rises at one end of the
heavens and makes its circuit
to the other;
**nothing is deprived of its
warmth.**

7 The law of the Lord is perfect,
refreshing the soul.
**The statutes of the Lord are
trustworthy, making wise the
simple.**

8 The precepts of the Lord are
right, giving joy to the heart.
**The commands of the Lord
are radiant, giving light to the
eyes.**

9 The fear of the Lord is pure,
enduring forever.
**The decrees of the Lord are
firm, and all of them are
righteous.**

10 They are more precious
than gold, than much pure gold;
**they are sweeter than honey,
than honey from the
honeycomb.**

11 By them your servant is warned;
in keeping them there is great reward.

12 But who can discern their own errors?
Forgive my hidden faults.

13 Keep your servant also from willful sins; may they not rule over me.
Then I will be blameless, innocent of great transgression.

14 May these words of my mouth and this meditation of my heart be pleasing in your sight,
Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer.

Epistle Reading *Dan*
Philippians 4:4-9 *NIV*
Final Exhortations

⁴ Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice! ⁵ Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near. ⁶ Do not be anxious about anything, but

in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. ⁷ And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

⁸ Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable—if anything is excellent or praiseworthy—think about such things. ⁹ Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me—put it into practice. And the God of peace will be with you.

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Thanks be to God.

Canticle – Lay Reader
A Song from Ezekiel
Ezekiel 36.24–28

I will take you from the nations, and gather you from every country, and bring you home to your own land.

I will pour clean water upon you, purify you from all defilement, and cleanse you from all your idols.

A new heart I will give you,
and put a new spirit within you;
I will take from your body the
heart of stone and give you a
heart of flesh.

**I will put my spirit within you,
make you walk in my ways
and observe my decrees.**

You shall dwell in the land I
gave to your forebears;
you shall be my people,
and I will be your God.

Gospel Reading

The Holy Gospel of our Lord
Jesus Christ according to
John 1:1-18 *NLT*

**Glory to you,
Lord Jesus Christ.**

The Word Became Flesh

1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. ² He was with God in the beginning. ³ Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made. ⁴ In him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind. ⁵ The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. ⁶ There was a man sent from God whose name was John. ⁷ He came as a witness to testify concerning that light, so that through him all might believe. ⁸ He himself was not the light; he came only as a witness to the light. ⁹ The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world. ¹⁰ He was in the world, and though the world was made through him, the world did not recognize him. ¹¹ He came to that which was his own, but his own did not receive him. ¹² Yet to all who did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave

the right to become children of God—¹³ children born not of natural descent, nor of human decision or a husband's will, but born of God.

¹⁴ The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.

¹⁵ (John testified concerning him. He cried out, saying, "This is the one I spoke about when I said, 'He who comes after me has surpassed me because he was before me.'") ¹⁶ Out of his fullness we have all received grace in place of grace already given. ¹⁷ For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ.

¹⁸ No one has ever seen God, but the one and only Son, who is himself God and is in closest relationship with the Father, has made him known.

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Message *Rev. Jeanette Lewis*

The Apostles Creed

Lay Reader

**I believe in God, the Father
almighty, creator of heaven
and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ,
his only Son, our Lord.**

**He was conceived by the
power of the Holy Spirit and
born of the Virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius
Pilate, was crucified, died,
and was buried.**

**He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose
again.**

**He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right
hand of the Father.**

**He will come again to judge
the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,**

the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Offertory Hymn R146

The Church's One

Foundation

CCLI # 1903899, song #55377

1. The Church's one foundation
Is Jesus Christ her Lord;
She is his new creation,
By water and the word;
From Heav'n he came and
sought her
To be his holy bride;
With his own blood he bought
her,
And for her life he died.

2. Elect from ev'ry nation,
Yet one o'er all the Earth,
Her charter of salvation
One Lord, one faith, one birth;
One holy name she blesses,
Partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses,
With ev'ry grace endued.

3. 'Mid toil and tribulation
And tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation

Of peace forever more;
Till with the vision glorious
Her longing eyes are blest,
And the great Church victorious
Shall be the Church at rest.

4. O happy ones and holy!
Lord, give us grace that we
Like them, the meek and lowly,
On high may dwell with thee;
There, past the border
mountains,
Where in sweet vales, the bride
With thee, by living fountains,
Forever shall abide!

Prayer over the Gifts *Jeanette*

Creator, you bless us with
many good gifts returned to you
from your creation. Feed us
with the Bread of Life, your Son
Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Prayers of the People

Parish Prayers *Lay Reader*

*These we encourage you to
pray for in your own prayer
through the week.*

Pray for the Adejumo Family,
Femi, Gbemi, Adebiyi,
Adedemiji, Adetomiwa

*Pray for all who serve and all
who lead, including;*

Wardens: Isabelle, Hugh, John,
Femi, and Dave

Rev. Jeanette Lewis
Parish Secretary, Jessie
Bookkeeper, Maggie
Organist, Cindy
All Volunteers

Pray for God's Wisdom and
Direction for Emmanuel's
participation in God's mission to
the world.

**We pray for the outreach
work of the Parishes in the
Diocese.**

Today we pray for St. John,
East Orangeville, its community
suppers, men's breakfast,
support of schools, community
services, and charities.

Pray for St. John, Ida and St.
John, Waverley for their
outreach in the community and
in Belize.

HEALING

Please join us in praying
throughout the week for
healing.

Mon	Sue M.	Glenn D.
Tues	Nima and family	Bev M.
Wed	Doreen T.	Mark B.
Thurs	Beatrice & Justice	Sahand
Fri	Terry M.	Sheila C.
Sat	Isabelle G.	Wells and the Goodwin family

Prayer is important to us!

To contact the Prayer Chain,
please call Elaine Pallister at
905-508-7740 before 6 pm.

All information is confidential

*Father's Day is a celebration of
appreciation for all fathers,
grandfathers, stepfathers, and
all the men who provide
leadership, guidance, and
protection in our lives.*

Dear God,
We thank you for the gift of Dads in this life.
We thank you that you are the greatest Dad ever, Abba Father, and we know that you cover us with your great love. We pray for your blessing, favor, and strength over every Father figure in this world, for those who are seeking to walk closely with you in a dark world, and for those who just need to be reminded that you are real. We ask for your renewed courage, for your boldness, for your Spirit to fill them. We ask that you would keep their footsteps firm, and guard their way. We ask that you would help them to always stand strong. We ask that you would fill their hearts with love, compassion, joy, faithfulness, and cover their lives with great peace. Amen

One prays from the heart,
not from the eyes.

“Song For The Sacred Elements” – Chenoa Egawa & Alex Turtle.” [*Swan Clan*](#)

Stand and face the North.
“Oh, spirits and angels of the North, where fierce storms come from. **Come to us and give us strength and courage.** Teach us to be strong like the buffalo who turns and faces the fierce winds and storms head on. **Come, spirits and angels of the North.**”

Face the East.
“Oh, spirits and angels of the East where the sun rises every day. **Bring light into our hearts and minds so we may also resurrect every morning,** acknowledging new life and creativity and renewed hope every day. **Come, spirits and angels of the East.**”

Face the South.
“Oh, spirits and angels of the South **where the sun shines the hottest.** Bring warmth into our hearts and friendships and

all our relations. **Come, spirits and angels of the South.**”

Face the West.

“Oh, spirits and angels of the West, where the sun sets every night. **Teach us to be at home in the dark and in the silence of the night**, and teach us to let go and to trust as we sink into the unknown and await the sun rising tomorrow. **Come, spirits and angels of the West.**”

Look Up to Father Sky.

“Come, spirits and angels from above. **Teach us to fly high with the eagle** and so, seek wisdom and perspective in life. **Come, spirits and angels from above.**”

Look Down.

“Come, spirits and angels from below. **Where all plants find their roots in Mother Earth.** Teach us to remain grounded and thankful for the Earth, our Mother, and to treat her with respect.

Come, spirits and angels from below.”

Cross hands on the Heart.

“Come, spirits and angels from all six directions, into our hearts. **Gather in our hearts and make them full with blood that is red, full of energy and flowing with love, gratitude and generosity.** Ah Ho. Amen.”

Collect Together
Creator God, from you every family in heaven and earth takes its name. You have rooted and grounded us in your covenant love, and empowered us by your Spirit to speak the truth in love, and to walk in your way towards justice and wholeness. Mercifully grant that your people, journeying together in partnership, may be strengthened and guided to help one another to grow into the full stature of Christ, who is our light and our life. Amen.

Announcements

There are envelopes in the pews for your donations or e-transfer from your bank to donationtoemmanuel@gmail.com

Please see the Diocesan website for more detailed information about the churches for whom we have prayed.

Blessing *Rev. Lewis*

The peace of God which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God and his son Jesus Christ.

The blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn CP200 We Sing the Praise of Him Who Died

CCLI # 1903899, song #7012333

1 We sing the praise of him
 who died,
of him who died upon the cross;
the sinner's hope let men
 deride,
for this we count the world but
 loss.

2 Inscribed upon the cross we
 see
in shining letters, 'God is love';
he bears our sins upon the tree;
he brings us mercy from above.

3 The cross! It takes our guilt
 away:
it holds the fainting spirit up;
it cheers with hope the gloomy
 day,
and sweetens every bitter cup.

4 It makes the coward spirit
 brave,
and nerves the feeble arm for
 fight;
it takes its terror from the grave,
and gilds the bed of death with
 light:

5 The balm of life, the cure of
 woe,
the measure and the pledge of
 love,
the sinner's refuge here below,
the angels' theme in heaven
 above.

The Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve
the Lord;
Thanks be to God.



Land Acknowledgement

"We are gathering on lands that have been home to First Nations Peoples from time immemorial. We acknowledge that what we now call Richmond Hill is on the Treaty Lands and Territory of the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation and the Mississauga and Chippewa Nations of the Williams Treaty. We also recognize that we are on part of the traditional territories of the Haudenosaunee and the Huron Wendat.

We would also like to acknowledge all First Nation, Inuit and Métis peoples from across North America, also known as Turtle Island, who now reside in the City of Richmond Hill. We are committed to rebuilding constructive and cooperative relationships."

Servants

June 21, 2026

Pentecost 4

Morning Prayer

Warden: Femi

Lay Reader: Ruth

Reader: Dan

A.V. Hugh

Welcomer: Hugh

Fellowship: Henry and Dave

July 5, 2026

Morning Prayer

Pentecost 6

Warden: Isabelle

Lay Reader: Ruth

Reader: Debbie

A.V. Hugh

Welcomer: Joan

Fellowship: Adejumo Family

June 28, 2026

Pentecost 5

Holy Euchaist

Warden: Femi

Holy Table:

Server: Souzan

Lay Reader: Ruth

Reader: Dan

A.V. Hugh

Welcomer: Hugh

Fellowship: Henry and Dave

July 12, 2026

Holy Eucharist

Pentecost 7

Warden: Femi

Holy Table: Daniel

Server: Adedemiji

Lay Reader: Gbemi

Reader: Adetomiwa

A.V. Hugh

Welcomer: Hugh

Fellowship: Ruth



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