



All Saints' Sunday

ORDER OF WORSHIP

All Saints Sunday, November 03rd, 2019 – 10:30 am

*Invites you to stand, as you are able

You are invited to say or sing the bold print

WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

MUSICAL PRELUDE: "Organ Symphony No. 4" Movement 3 WIDOR

WELCOME, BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

How are you today? **We are blessed and highly favoured.**

ACKNOWLEDGING THE LAND*:

Long before those of us who are settlers, and those of us who are descendants of settlers, came to this land, there were people here. We know these First Nations peoples were Haudenosaunee (Iroquois), Ojibway/Chippewa & Anishinabek, who made Treaty 16 possible.

Today, as we remember what it means to be good stewards, let us give thanks for this land and our commitment to live in right relations with all peoples.

LIGHTING OF CHRIST'S CANDLE

I am the light of the world!

You people come and follow me!

If you follow and love you'll learn the mystery

Of what you were meant to do and be.

GATHERING WORDS:

Wonderful Covenant Maker, we come before you,

We are your people and you are our God, and we rejoice!

Great Teacher from the beginning, we come before you,

We are ready for fresh understanding; your Word will open up new ideas.

Eternal Loved One, we come before you,

We know that your love at the depth of our being, your love at the heart of our Church, will transform everything.

(Prayers to Share – Year C by David Sparks)

***HYMN:** VU#412 "This Is The Day"

THIS IS THE DAY

1,4 This is the day, this is the day

that our God has made, that our God has made;

we will rejoice, we will rejoice,

and be glad in it, and be glad in it.

This is the day that our God has made,

we will rejoice and be glad in it.

This is the day, this is the day

that our God has made.

**2 Open to us, open to us
your gates, O God, your gates, O God;
we will go in, we will go in,
to your holy place, to your holy place.
Open to us your gates, O God,
we will go in to your holy place.
Open to us, open to us
your gates, O God.**

**3 You are our God, you are our God,
we will praise your name, we will praise your name;
we will give thanks, we will give thanks,
for your faithfulness, for your faithfulness.
You are our God, we will praise your name,
we will give thanks for your faithfulness.
You are our God, you are our God,
we will praise your name.**

PRAYER

Thank you, God of All!

Thank you for the gift of this day.

(Silence)

**Thank you for the people who are in our lives, young
and old, big and small, happy and sad, here and there,
and all around your world.**

Thank you for their wisdom;

**Thank you for their joy; for their questions and for the
life they share.**

Thank you, God of All!

**For the love that is in their lives, and for the love that
is in ours:**

(Silence)

a love that is filled with hope and possibility, ready to heal, to share, to transform and to make new.

Thank you, God of all!

Now and always and forever, in Christ name we pray - Amen. *(Prayer – Called to Be the Church – UCC, 2019)*

SILENCE

SUNG RESPONSE: VU# 958 "Halle, Halle, Hallelujah" CARIBBEAN
Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah!
Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ is ours: **We rise to greet our neighbours in the solidarity of the Prince of Peace.** *(Sharing of signs of peace with others)*

WE GROW AS GOD'S PEOPLE

***HYMN:** VU#289 "It Only Takes a Spark"(vv. 1 & 3) PASS IT ON
Collier's Kids are invited to gather as the hymn is sung for a talk and prayer.

- 1 It only takes a spark to get a fire going,
and soon all those around can warm up in its glowing:
that's how it is with God's love,
once you've experienced it:
you spread God's love to everyone,
you want to pass it on.**

- 3 I wish for you, my friend, this happiness that I've found -
on God you can depend, it matters not where
you're bound;
I'll shout it from the mountain top;
I want my world to know:
the Lord of love has come to me,
I want to pass it on.**

BIBLE READINGS: Luke 10:25-37

Robin Milani

²⁵ On one occasion an expert in the law stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he asked, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" ²⁶ "What is written in the Law?" he replied. "How do you read it?" ²⁷ He answered, "'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind'^[a]; and, 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'" ²⁸ "You have answered correctly," Jesus replied. "Do this and you will live." ²⁹ But he wanted to justify himself, so he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" ³⁰ In reply Jesus said: "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, when he was attacked by robbers. They stripped him of his clothes, beat him and went away, leaving him half dead. ³¹ A priest happened to be going down the same road, and when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. ³² So too, a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, as he traveled, came where the man was; and when he saw him, he took pity on him. ³⁴ He went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he put the man on his own donkey, brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵ The next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper. 'Look after him,' he said, 'and when I return, I will reimburse you for any extra expense you may have.'" ³⁶ "Which of these three do you think was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of robbers?" ³⁷ The expert in the law replied, "The one who had mercy on him." Jesus told him, "Go and do likewise."

*This is the Word of God, for the People of God. **Thanks be to God.***

MUSIC MINISTRY: "Holy, Holy, Holy"(VU#315)

CHOIR

SERMON: "Let Thanksgiving Flow"*Hewitt Holmes*

WE REMEMBER THE SAINTS

***HYMN OF REMEMBRANCE:** VU#705 "For All the Saints" SINE NOMINE
(We remember those who have passed away since 2018)

- 1 For all the saints, who from their labours rest,
all who by faith before the world confessed,
your name, O Jesus, be forever blest.
Hallelujah, hallelujah!**

- 2 You were their rock, their fortress, and their might:
you were their captain in the well-fought fight;
you, in the darkness drear, their one true light.
Hallelujah, hallelujah!**

- 3 O blest communion, fellowship divine!
We feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
yet all are one within your great design.
Hallelujah, hallelujah!**

- 4 The golden evening brightens in the west;
soon, soon to faithful warriors comes their rest;
sweet is the calm of paradise the blest.
Hallelujah, hallelujah!**

- 5 But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day
the saints triumphant rise in bright array:
as God to glory calls them all away.
Hallelujah, hallelujah!**

- 6 From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:
Hallelujah, hallelujah!**

WE RESPOND AS GOD'S PEOPLE

OFFERING & CARE CARDS

Offering Music: "Prelude in G"

RIMBAULT

*Offering Response: MV#191 "What Can I do?"

What Can I do? What Can I bring? What Can I say?

What Can I Sing?

I'll Sing with Joy. I'll Say a Prayer. I'll Bring my Love.

I'll Do My Share.

*Offering Prayer

PASTORAL PRAYERS

THE PRAYER OF JESUS (The Lord's Prayer – Traditional): (VU, pg. 960)

Our Father (Creator), who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done, on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever, Amen.

WE GO TO BE GOD'S PEOPLE IN COMMUNITY

***HYMN:** VU#706 "Give Thanks for Life"(vv. 1-2 & 4)

SINE NOMINE

**1 Give thanks for life, the measure of our days,
mortal, we pass through beauty that decays,
yet sing to God our hope, our love, our praise,**

Hallelujah, hallelujah!

2 Give thanks for those who made their life a light caught from the Christ-flame, bursting through the night, who touched the truth, who burned for what is right, Hallelujah, hallelujah!

4 Give thanks for hope, that like the wheat, the grain lying in darkness does its life retain in resurrection to grow green again, Hallelujah, hallelujah!

***BENEDICTION & SENDING SONG:** Go Now in Peace N. Price/D. Besig
Go now in peace, never be afraid, God will go with you each hour of every day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know God will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there reaching out in love. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen, amen, amen.

POSTLUDE: "Processional"(Judas Maccabees) HANDEL
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Robin Milani, Mary Hekkenberg

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HEARING ASSISTS are available from an Usher.

SCRIPTURE READERS needed for worship? Contact Hewitt or Joyce Moore.

PARKING is available in the underground building next to the Lawyers office, on the streets and in the Church parking lot. **WE kindly ask you NOT TO PARK your vehicle in the marked pathway between designated accessibility parking spots. Thank you!**

...STAY CONNECTED...TODAY

WELCOME to worship at Collier. We are happy to have you with us. We ask our visitors to sign the book at the front main entrance. Feel free to worship the Holy One in Spirit and Truth. Please join us for a time of fellowship and refreshments in the Hall after the service. Today, we welcome back Ashley Tidy as guest organist.

MILESTONES

ANNIVERSARY – 69th Keith and Shirley Richards, Nov. 4th



BIRTHDAYS – Ryan Haggerman(Nov. 4), Gerard Vansaarloos(Nov. 5), Les Fairbarn, Lisa McArthur(Nov. 6), Steven Vasques Mayes, Bodhi Scott, Brooke Jermeay(Nov. 7), Marion Tizzard(Nov. 9), Janis Lees, Christopher Rayner- Giles(Nov. 10).

BIRTHDAY SONG: Happy birthday to you, to Jesus be true.
May God's richest blessing descend upon you!

...AS WE FORM COMMUNITY TOGETHER

COLLIER'S KIDS VOLUNTEERS Help needed immediately to teach and stay with children during Collier's Kids on Sundays in M5 and the Loft. Feel free to talk to Hewitt.

SESSION MEETING - Reminder **November 4**, 2019 at 7:00 pm.

SOUP MAKERS –Wednesday, Nov. 6th, at 10:00am we will be in the kitchen making soup. All people experienced or not are welcome.

CHRISTMAS FAIR - Saturday November 9, 2019, 10:30 to 1:30 pm. HELP NEEDED! We are looking for slightly used Christmas decorations, knitting, crocheting and homemade crafts for our General Store. Please drop these off at the Reception desk marked UCW Christmas Fair before November 6th. Baked goods such as loaves, tarts, tea biscuits, squares and of course shortbread should be dropped off at the church on Friday November 8th. between 10:00am and 2:00pm. and on Saturday November 9th. before 10:00am. Fudge, preserves, jams, jellies and pickles are welcome as well. If you are interested in helping in any way at this wonderful UCW fundraiser, please contact either Sharon Saint @ 705-722-9936 or Susan Storing @ 705-737-5436.

SHORTBREAD WANTED! Lot and lots of shortbread! Plain or decorated for the Christmas Fair. Demand increases every year. Anyone with Christmas cookie tins please donate to the fair for the shortbread table. Drop off November 4th – 8th.

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH – Nov. 20th @ 12pm. Tickets are \$13 and available after service.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD - Collier provides struggling children in the developing world with toys, school supplies, hygiene items, etc. through Operation Christmas Child. Empty shoeboxes are available in the Reception area. Collection date is **November 20th**.

THE LINK- The next publication of the LINK will be **Dec. 1st**. The deadline for submissions is **Nov. 11th**. We welcome articles and photos of any church happenings. Please email Vickie at officeadmin@collierunited.ca or leave items in her mailbox.

PRAYER REQUESTS - *write on a care card and place in the offering plate.* Please hold in your prayers the following (at their request): Melanie Moffat, Rid & Agnes Groves, Louise Hamilton, Carol Duckworth, Ruby Johnston, Shirley Dunstan & Steve Tilleczek.

THANK YOU - We do not have the words to adequately express to our Collier family how very much your concern and caring has meant to us over the past two years and especially at Jim's passing. You are special people and we thank you sincerely. Tizzard Family (Marion, Terry, Jason & Families)

COMMITMENT CARDS 2020 – will be received and dedicated on **Nov. 17th** during worship.

INCOME & EXPENSES FOR COLLIER ending September 30, 2019

Thank you for your financial support for the second quarter of the year. Please be reminded that *PAR:

	Budget	Actual
Income		
Total Receipts/Givings	213,520	204,062
Other	113,850	122,478
Sub Total	327,370	326,540
Expenses	346,866	320,839
Balance as of September 30	-19,496	5,701

Pre-Authorized Remittance (Automatic Bank Withdrawal) is an available option which can be started, changed or cancelled at any time -

Laurie Crosson, Treasurer

...AS WE WORSHIP GOD

November: "Stewardship Focus"

Nov. 10	Matt. 25:31-46	Remembrance Sunday	Hewitt Holmes
Nov. 17	James 1:19-25	Listening to Respond	Hewitt Holmes
Nov. 24	Acts 11:27-30	Loving Together	Hewitt Holmes

...AS WE LEARN & GROW IN FAITH

DAILY READING - *Physical Exercise is good but of limited value, Godliness is very dear, a pledge of life, both there and here. (1 Timothy 4:8).* So, we spend some time with God and the Scriptures each day this week: Mon., Nov. 4 – Heb. 1 Tues., Nov. 5 – Heb. 2 Wed. Nov. 6 – Heb. 3 Thurs., Nov. 7 – Heb. 4 Fri., Nov. 8 – Heb. 5
Sat., Nov. 9 – Heb. 6

CHAPEL - located on the 2nd floor, is open for daily prayer and meditation. Communion in the Chapel will be November 17, 2019 after morning's worship.

...SHARE THE GOOD NEWS

COLLIER'S EMAIL NEWSLETTER - We are now sending occasional newsletter emails to congregants (weekly or bi-weekly) with Collier news, events and updates. We encourage you to sign up to receive these emails. You can either call the office to give them your email address or go to the website - you can sign up right on the homepage under "Subscribe to our newsletter".

Collier's Activities – Week of Sunday, November 3rd, 2019

SUNDAY

9:15am Friendship Bible - Chapel
10:15am Nursery - M6/7
10:30am Worship – Sanctuary
10:45am Colliers Kids – M5

WEDNESDAY

9:00am Amicae – Kitchen

THURSDAY

6:00pm Music Committee - Sanctuary
9:30am Women’s Bible Study – Lounge
7:00pm Choir – M2, Sanctuary

MONDAY

6:00pm Rainbows – L1-L5
6:30pm Amicae - Lounge
6:45pm Jesus Walk – Hall
7:00pm Session – M5

FRIDAY

9:00am UCW Fair Setup – Hall

TUESDAY

9:30am Prayer Shawl - Lounge

SATURDAY

11:00am Christmas Fair - Hall



WE REMEMBER

Sarah Mildred Elliott

Grace Mason

Sandra McNee

Jean Knox

Audrey MacMillan

Ron Smith

William Reeve

Dorothy Ley

David Johns

Joyce Johns

David Rodgers

Bernice Nickless

Ken Gresswell

Carol Woolner

Allan Bell

Esther Wilson

Joyce stratton

Beatrice Brown

Vic Doner

Jacklyn Pierce

Mary Stephens

Margaret Woodbridge

Paul Michael

Jim Lamont

Albert Naylor

Roberta Roberts

Leon Periard

Jean Perrin

Bruce Owens

Debbie Nelder-Brown

Howard Hamilton

John McLaurin

Betty Arnold

Fran Pudden

Mary Tims

Maidie Clark

Bud Moore

Ken Cox

Jim Tizzard

