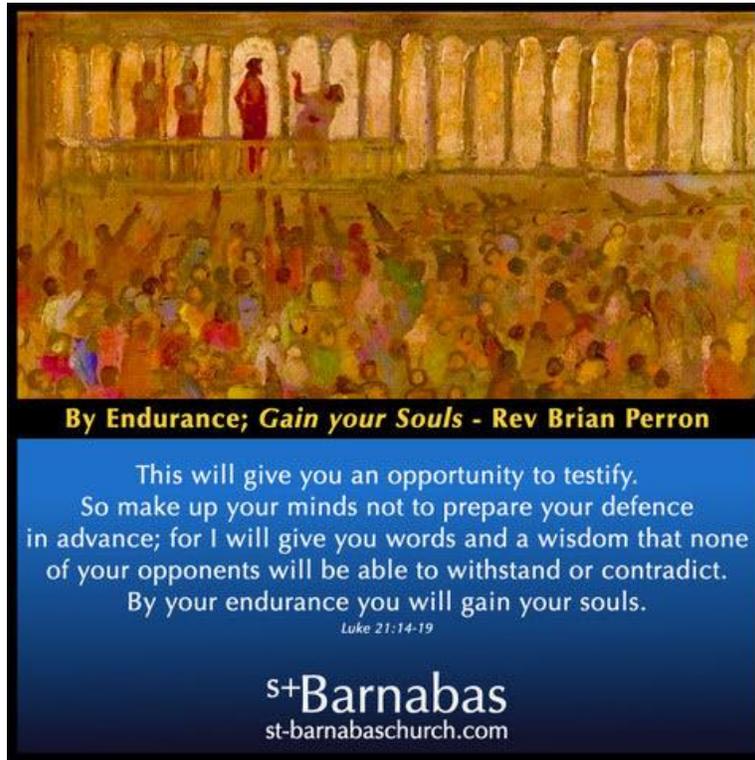


Mid-Week | Morning Prayer  
November 25, 2020 | le 25 novembre 2020

We encourage you to follow along with the service bulletin that continues below.  
Announcements and updates follow at the end of the service.



My brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of any kind, consider it nothing but joy,  
because you know that the testing of your faith produces *endurance*;  
and let *endurance* have its full effect, so that you may be mature and complete,  
lacking in nothing. James 1:2-4

Mes frères et sœurs, considérez comme un sujet de joie complète les diverses épreuves  
auxquelles vous pouvez être exposés, sachant que la mise à l'épreuve de votre foi produit  
la *persévérance*. Mais il faut que la *persévérance* accomplisse parfaitement sa tâche afin  
que vous soyez parfaitement qualifiés, sans défaut, et qu'il ne vous manque rien. Jacques 1:2-4

Welcome:

Church Offering Envelopes

St-Barnabas Giving Envelope boxes are being reordered. Recently, many parishioners  
have decided to give to our church using online technology and no longer require a box  
of envelopes. However, everyone who gives will retain a designated number, although  
in some instances, your number may change. **Please let us know if you no longer  
require a box of envelopes**, otherwise we will order a box for you and we expect to  
distribute your new box at the end of the year. Thank you to all who continue to  
support our church financially.

**Process of reopening:** St-Barnabas has been pleased to welcome up to our maximum of 25 parishioners and guests each week. There is room for you, so... **Please let us know by email: [barnabas@bellnet.ca](mailto:barnabas@bellnet.ca), if you plan to attend our November 29th service, include a list of people who will be attending with you and remember to bring your masks.** *In the meantime, for reasons of safety, there should be no entry into our church facilities without prior agreement from management.*

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**Our Opening Worship - Speak O Lord - Keith & Kristyn Getty** <https://youtu.be/ubRIJj8xkds>

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You  
To receive the food of Your Holy Word  
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us  
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness

That the light of Christ might be seen today  
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith  
Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us  
All Your purposes for Your glory

Teach us Lord, full obedience  
Holy reverence, true humility  
Test our thoughts and our attitudes  
In the radiance of Your purity

Cause our faith to rise, cause our eyes to see  
Your majestic love and authority  
Words of pow'r that can never fail  
Let their truth prevail over unbelief

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds  
Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us  
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time  
That will echo down through eternity

And by grace we'll stand on Your promises  
And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us  
Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built  
And the earth is filled with Your glory

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### Opening sentences

One thing I have asked of the Lord, this is what I seek:  
that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life;  
to behold the beauty of the Lord and to seek Him in His temple.

Call: *Who is it that you seek?*

Response: **We seek the Lord our God.**

Call: *Do you seek Him with all your heart?*

Response: **Amen. Lord, have mercy.**

Call: *Do you seek Him with all your soul?*

Response: **Amen. Lord, have mercy.**

Call: *Do you seek Him with all your mind?*

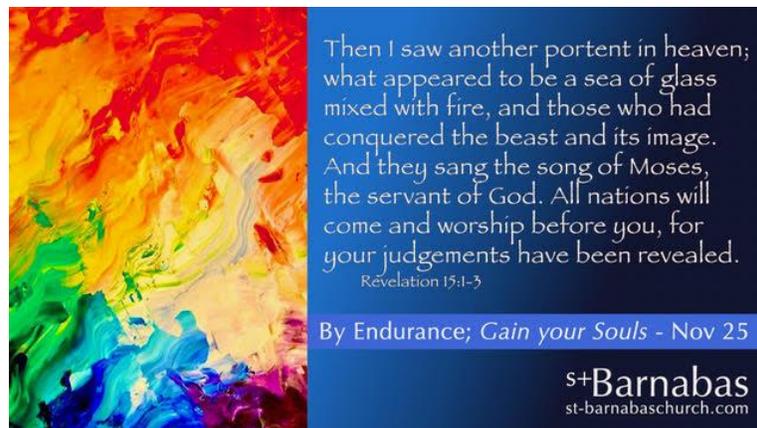
Response: **Amen. Lord, have mercy.**

Call: *Do you seek Him with all your strength?*

Response: **Amen. Christ, have mercy.**

### *The Song of Moses Exodus 15.1-3, 6, 11, 13, 17-18*

I will sing to the Lord for his glorious triumph;  
the horse and the rider he has hurled into the sea.  
The Lord has become my strength and refuge;  
the Lord himself has become my saviour.  
He is my God and I will praise him;  
my father's God and I will exalt him.  
The Lord himself is a mighty warrior;  
the Lord, the Lord is his name.  
Your right hand, O Lord, is majestic in power;  
your right hand, O Lord, shatters the enemy.  
Who is like you, O Lord, among the gods,  
holy, awesome, worker of wonders?  
In steadfast love you led your people,  
you guided your redeemed with your great strength.  
You brought them in safety to your holy place,  
and planted them firm on your own mountain.  
You brought them into your own house.  
The Lord shall reign for ever and ever. Amen



### *Today's Scripture Readings: Revelation 15:1-4 The Angels with the Seven Last Plagues*

<sup>1</sup>Then I saw another portent in heaven, great and amazing: seven angels with seven plagues, which are the last, for with them the wrath of God is ended. <sup>2</sup>And I saw what appeared to be a sea of glass mixed with fire, and those who had conquered the beast and its image and the number of its name standing beside the sea of glass with harps of God in their hands. <sup>3</sup>And they sing the song of Moses, the servant of God, and the song of the Lamb: 'Great and amazing are your deeds, Lord God the Almighty! Just and true are your ways, King of the nations! <sup>4</sup> Lord, who will not fear and glorify your name? For you alone are holy. All nations will come and worship before you, for your judgements have been revealed.'



### Psalm 98 *Praise the Judge of the World*

O sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvellous things. His right hand and his holy arm have gained him victory.

**The Lord has made known his victory; he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations.**

He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

**Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises.**

Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody.

**With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the King, the Lord.**

Let the sea roar, and all that fills it; the world and those who live in it.

**Let the floods clap their hands; let the hills sing together for joy at the presence of the Lord, for he is coming to judge the earth.**

He will judge the world with righteousness, and the peoples with equity.

Our Gospel Hymn - Psalm 98 - Sing Unto the Lord - *Shane & Shane* [https://youtu.be/jzX5d\\_td44](https://youtu.be/jzX5d_td44)

Let the seas roar and all that fills it  
Let the world rejoice and all who are in it  
Let the rivers clap their hands  
And the mountains sing  
Strike up the band  
Come usher in Jesus the King

Sing unto the Lord  
A new song for what He's done  
He's made known to us  
His salvation  
Make a joyful noise  
O all the earth  
Break forth in joyous song  
Sing praise

Moses and Aaron were before Him

Samuel called upon His Name  
And He answered them  
Through a cloud by day  
What they knew by faith  
We know by Name  
Jesus the King

Sing unto the Lord  
A new song for what He's done  
He's made known to us  
His salvation  
Make a joyful noise  
O all the earth  
Break forth in joyous song

Sing praise sing praise  
Sing praise sing hallelujah  
Sing praise sing praise  
Sing praise sing hallelujah  
Sing praise sing praise  
Sing praise sing hallelujah

Sing unto the Lord  
A new song for what He's done  
He's made known to us  
His salvation  
Make a joyful noise  
O all the earth  
Break forth in joyous song  
Sing praise  
Sing praise



This will give you an opportunity to testify. Do not to prepare your defence in advance; for I will give you words and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to withstand or contradict. By your endurance you will gain your souls. Luke 21:14-19

By Endurance; *Gain your Souls* - Nov 25

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### The Gospel of Christ – Luke 21:10-19

<sup>10</sup>Then he said to them, 'Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom;

<sup>11</sup>there will be great earthquakes, and in various places famines and plagues; and there will be dreadful portents and great signs from heaven. <sup>12</sup>But before all this occurs, they will arrest you and persecute you; they will hand you over to synagogues and prisons,

and you will be brought before kings and governors because of my name. <sup>13</sup>This will give you an opportunity to testify. <sup>14</sup>So make up your minds not to prepare your defence in advance; <sup>15</sup>for I will give you words and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to withstand or contradict. <sup>16</sup>You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, by relatives and friends; and they will put some of you to death. <sup>17</sup>You will be hated by all because of my name. <sup>18</sup>But not a hair of your head will perish. <sup>19</sup>By your endurance you will gain your souls.

Sermon *By Endurance; Gain your Souls* - Rev Brian Perron

Anthem of Reflection – The Song of Moses <https://youtu.be/SY7d38eUIeU>

Oh the Lord, our strength and song,  
highest praise to him belongs  
Christ the Lord, the Conquering King,  
Your Name we raise, Your triumphs sing

*Chorus:* Praise the Lord, our Mighty Warrior  
Praise the Lord, the Glorious One  
By his hand we stand in victory,  
By his Name we overcome

Though the storms of hell pursue,  
In darkest night we worship You  
You divide the raging sea,  
From death to life You safely lead (Chorus)

All the saints and angels bow,  
Hosts of heaven crying out  
Glory, Glory to the King,  
You reign for all eternity (Chorus)

*Bridge:* The Lord shall reign forever and ever  
The Lord shall reign forever and ever x 3

*Chorus x 2*

### Today's Meditation

For everything that was written in the past was written to teach us, so that through the endurance taught in the Scriptures and the encouragement they provide we might have hope.

*Romans 15:4*

### Prayers for others

**Heavenly Father, bless the work that is done, and the work that is to be.  
Heavenly Father, bless the servant that I am, and the servant that I will be.**  
Thou Lord and God of power, shield and sustain us this day.

*The Lord's Prayer - Rejoicing in the presence of God, let us pray as Jesus taught*

**Our Father, 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.**

**And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

#### Canticle

Christ, as a light illumine and guide me. Christ, as a shield overshadow me.  
Christ under me; Christ over me; Christ beside me on my left and my right.  
This day be within and without me, lowly and meek, yet all-powerful.  
Be in the heart of each to whom I speak; in the mouth of each who speaks unto me.  
This day be within and without me, lowly and meek, yet all-powerful.  
Christ as a light; Christ as a shield; Christ beside me on my left and my right.

#### Blessing

May the peace of the Lord Christ go with you, wherever He may send you.  
May He guide you through the wilderness, protect you through the storm.  
May He bring you home rejoicing at the wonders He has shown you.  
May He bring you home rejoicing once again into our doors.

**Amen.**

#### **The peace of all peace be ours this day.**

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**

#### Closing Hymn - God Be With You <https://youtu.be/IQnSZCiPfm4>

God be with you till we meet again;  
By His counsels guide, uphold you,  
With His sheep securely fold you;  
God be with you till we meet again.

*Refrain:* Till we meet, till we meet,  
Till we meet at Jesus' feet.  
Till we meet, till we meet,  
God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again;  
Neath His wings protecting hide you;  
Daily manna still provide you;  
God be with you till we meet again. (Refrain)

God be with you till we meet again;  
When life's perils thick confound you;  
Put His arms unfailing round you;  
God be with you till we meet again. (Refrain)

God be with you till we meet again;  
Keep love's banner floating o'er you,  
Strike death's threatening wave before you;  
God be with you till we meet again. (Refrain)

#### Postlude - Speak to Me - Kathryn Scott <https://youtu.be/ZN5YVSNA24c>

*This is a time for us to meditate in quiet reflection and prayer.*

How I love to hear the voice  
That speaks my name  
You give me faith  
To stand and sing with hope again  
And when I hear Your words of life  
A hunger stirs like a fire inside  
Speak to me  
Call me from the darkness  
Just one word  
Can break my heart  
With what breaks Yours  
Jesus I hear You  
Singing over me  
You call my name  
How sweet the sound  
The voice of God  
When God speaks  
Nations will tremble  
When God speaks  
Everything changes  
When God speaks we will surrender  
Oh God speak  
Whisper Your love song  
Oh God speak  
set me on fire  
Oh God speak and I will surrender  
Speak to me  
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## Announcements

### Process of reopening

Please let us know preferably by email: [barnabas@bellnet.ca](mailto:barnabas@bellnet.ca) or by phone: (450) 672-5560, **if you plan to attend our November 29th Sunday service, include a list of people who will be attending with you and remember to bring your masks.** Visit our website for more safety guidelines & updates: [http://www.st-barnabaschurch.com/st-barnabas\\_home](http://www.st-barnabaschurch.com/st-barnabas_home)

### **ECS – (Ecumenical Community Services) – 40<sup>th</sup> Christmas Baskets Campaign:**

This year, more than ever, please help St-Barnabas as we host the preparation and distribution of all ECS baskets from our Memorial Hall. Due to pandemic restrictions, we ask you to consider a financial contribution at this time, that will be especially and gratefully accepted this year; payable to **St-Barnabas St-Lambert RE: ECS** by cash, cheque or online: [St-Barnabas on-line Donations Page](#). Thank you for your support!

### Your Tithes and Offerings

*We thank each & everyone one of you who have found a way that is comfortable for you to give.* We understand these are new and different ways, and yet we are pleased to say that

St-Barnabas has been able, because of you, to maintain itself financially during these difficult times. May you be blessed as you continue to safely give to God by supporting the work of your church by donating online through links found on the [St-Barnabas on-line Donations Page](#). It's easy; by [e-Transfer](#) or [St-Barnabas CanadaHelps](#), or new [PayPal link](#), and as always through Canada Post to: 95, avenue Lorne, Saint-Lambert, QC J4P 2G7. Your ongoing donations are critical at this time. **Complete confidentiality is assured, as all donations are received and processed only by our Church Treasurer.**

**Thank you for your ongoing generosity.** Remember your tithes and offerings are how you give to God; given to the church of your choice as one called to be good stewards with your offerings. The work of the church continues well beyond the Sunday morning as we, the Church, reach out to our neighbours. **Speaking of Neighbours...**

### **Les Jardins Intérieurs**

We are broadcasting twice a week on the corporate TV Channel of Les Jardins:  
**Wednesday afternoons at 3:00pm and Saturday mornings at 9:15am.**

### **Stay connected through our social media links**

Listen to our on-line messages posted on our [St-Barnabas website](#) and [Facebook](#) page, as well as in the emails that we send twice a week. I encourage you to share these posts and this bulletin with your families and friends, as words and thoughts of encouragement. Also, if you hear of individuals in need of something, let us know; we will see what we can do with members who have put their names forward to help in a safe and manageable way.

### **Share your stories**

Send us an email at [barnabas@bellnet.ca](mailto:barnabas@bellnet.ca) of what you have been up to, and to share your experiences of getting through this isolation. Share your stories with us to brighten the lives of others, and stay safe.

### **Keep in touch**

So stay tuned and reach out to members you feel concern for, allow the Holy Spirit to speak to you and to minister to those shut-in and alone at this time. Be safe, 'Stay Home', for your sake and for the well being of others, and... wash your hands!

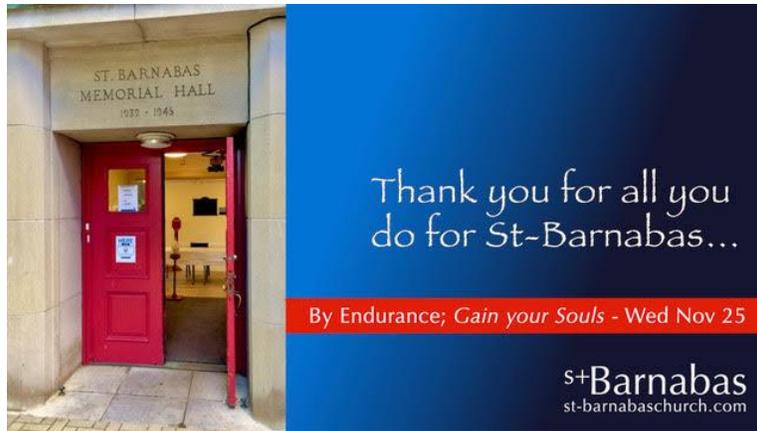
God bless you and thank you for your thoughts and prayers,

*Brian and Joyce*

The Reverend Brian Perron  
*St-Barnabas St-Lambert*

### **A Word of Happiness for 2020**

I myself am God, your God: Keep my statutes and live by my laws.  
Keep my Sabbaths as holy rest days, signposts between me and you,  
signalling that I am God, your God. *Ezekiel 20 :20*



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