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Office hours:

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday
9 a.m.–1:30 p.m.

Next Sunday – December 5, 2010

Advent 2

St Nicholas Day

8 am Holy Communion

10:30 am Sung Eucharist with Choir and Sunday School

Readings: Baruch 5:1-9
Psalm 107:33-43
1 John 4:7-14
Mark 10:13-16



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THEODORE
OF CANTERBURY • ANGLICAN CHURCH

November 28, 2010
Advent 1

8:00 am Holy Communion

10:30 am Sung Eucharist with Choir
and Sunday School

Incumbent: Rev. Claire Goodrich Dyer



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Our mission

To be a supportive Christian community allowing the Holy Spirit to grow within us so that we may become a living symbol of Christ's presence.

Advent 1

8:00 HOLY COMMUNION

Prayer Book

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Psalm 122

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Collect

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10:30 service

Readings: Romans 13:11-14

Matthew

24:36-44

10:30 HOLY EUCHARIST

Opening Sentence: *Look up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near.* Luke 21:28

Processional Hymn: *Herald! Sound the Note....*
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Children's Time

Children's Time: Lighting of the first Advent
Candle

*I light a candle on the wreath all made of holly
green*

For rocks and bones and shining stones

One candle now is seen

We await on earth the holy birth

And among the boughs of green

Our hopes arise with every flame

One candle now is seen

One candle now is seen.

In the first candle of Advent shine

The rocks and crystals in the mine

The rocks, the jewels and the stones

The seashells and our bones

Now the stones are on the earth

Waiting for the Christ Child's birth

Eucharist Begins

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Trisagion

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Collect: *Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility, that on the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge both the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.*

Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Isaiah 2:1-5

Psalm 122

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Second Reading: Romans 13:11-14

Gradual Hymn: *You Servants of the Lord*

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Gospel: Matthew 24:36-44

Sermon

Rev. Claire

Nicene Creed

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Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution

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The Peace

Offertory Hymn: *"Your Kingdom Come"...*

Celebration of the Eucharist

Prayer over the Gifts: *God of love and power, your word stirs within us the expectation of the coming of your Son. Accept all we offer you this day, and sustain us with your promise of eternal life. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Eucharistic Prayer #3

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Lord's Prayer

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Breaking of the Bread #5

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The Communion

Communion Hymns: *Lord Jesus, Think on Me*
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"Sleepers, Wake!"...

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Prayer after Communion: *God for whom we wait, you have fed us with the bread of eternal life. Keep us ever watchful, that we may be ready to stand before the Son of man. We ask this in the name of Christ the Lord. Amen.*

Doxology and Blessing

Announcements

Recessional Hymn: *People, Look East...*

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Dismissal

Now Go in Peace

Now go in peace, now go in love, from the Father above.

Jesus Christ the Son stay with you till the day

is done.

Holy Spirit encircle you in all you think and do. Once again God's blessing be with us. Amen.

Assisting today:

Readers: Bob Lambert
Viona Williams

Intercessor: Violet Farquharson
Lambert

Servers: Victoria Hodgins
Chantel Girdharry
Julia Girdharry

Chalice Bearers: Jacqueline Maree
Gloria Dodd

In your prayers please remember: Ruby, Steffie, Al, Derek, Ed, Eileen, Lloyd & Muriel, Shalima, Adrian, Andrew, Aneesa, Annette, Ansil, Barclay, Basil, Bishma, Christopher, Claudette, Connie, David, Donna, Doug, Eileen, Fatima, Felina, Godfrey, Gus, Heather, Ivy, Jackie, Jean, Jennifer, Joke, Jordan, Judy, Julie, Kathy, Leo, Leonie, Lisa, Marcel, Mark, Neal, Pamela, Patricia, Patrick, Patsy, Paula, Pearl, Penny, Ratinee, Robert, Rudolph, Ryan, Shirley, Steve, Thomas, Trevor, and Wilhelmina

This week we pray for: Oleg and Maria Ochakovski, Michelle and Arthur, Eileen Packwood, Gloria Pascall and Jamal, and their families.

The Altar Flowers are in memory of loved ones (Olive Masters) and in loving memory of my husband, Ralph and mother Mrs. Dora Hamilton (Shirley Moore).

The Aumbry Candle burns in loving

memory of Gordon (Hugh and Toni Spooner).

Announcements:

***World AIDS Day:** Wednesday the first of December is World AIDS Day. Please remember those suffering from AIDS around the world.

***Roster:** Please pick up the Roster and check it. Please let the office know asap if you are unable to fulfill your commitment. It is also available on our website.

***Christmas Greetings:** If you have greetings that you would like included in the December issue of Canterbury Tales, please pick up a card in the Narthex after the service.

***St Nicholas Day:** The Sunday School is collecting new and unwrapped toys for the Yonge Street Mission so that no child goes without. Suggested items are action figures, art and craft baskets, basketballs, soccer balls, etc., board games, books, cars, trucks, boats, crayons, colouring books, dolls (including Barbie), electronic games, hockey sticks, Lego and Duplo building toys, puzzles, science kits, and gift cards (for the older youth). Please bring donations to the church **next week** so that they can be blessed.

***Blessings:** Please take a moment to add your special date to the Blessings' Binder. Blessings will take place the last Sunday of each month.

***2010-11 Envelopes:** The envelopes for the upcoming year are available at the back of the church.

***2011 Canadian Church Calendar:** The calendars are available in the church office. Please leave \$5.00 in the envelope marked "Calendars".

***Christmas Cards:** Support the Primate's World Relief and Development Fund this

season by purchasing your Christmas Cards from PWRDF. The cards are \$10.00 for a package of 12. A colour poster with details is on the bulletin board. Orders can be placed by telephone or online at rdecastro@pwrdf.org

***Advisory Board Minutes:** The minutes from the NCD Presentation by Dave Robinson are available on our website or on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

Upcoming Dates:

Today after the 10:30 service	Please join us to clean up the Church grounds. All are welcome!
Dec. 1 7:30pm at the Church	Eucharist and Reflection
Dec. 2	Choir at Thorne Mills
Dec. 3	Choir and Tunes at Markham Stouffville Hospital
Dec. 4	Cleaning of the Narthex and Stairwells
Dec. 5 afternoon Christ Church Deer Park. 1570 Yonge Street at 4:00pm. Tickets are \$30 for adults, \$25 seniors or students.	Tunes and Choir to Guelph Toronto Classical Singers The next in the 2010/11 series. Rev. Claire is part of the choir.

Dec 8 7:30pm at the Church	Eucharist and Reflection
Dec 11 7:30pm Tickets are \$ 10 at the door and all proceeds will benefit The North York Harvest Food Bank.	A Christmas Carol will feature Theatre Ontario Executive Director, John Goddard, as well as members of St. Theodore of Canterbury Church. The Tunes and the Choir of St. Theodore's will provide the musical accompaniment.
Dec 12 7:30pm at the Church	Healing & Bereavement Service with St. Seraphim's
Dec 15 7:30pm at the Church	Eucharist and Reflection
Dec 19 10:30am	Annual Lessons and Carol Service

2010 Financial Position (to October 31, 2010)

General Account only

Cash Inflows	\$117,000
Cash Outflows	<u>\$115,000</u>
Net cash inflows	2,000
Opening cash	<u>\$400</u>
Cash balance, at October 31, 2010	\$2,400
Outstanding invoices (est.)	<u>\$14,000</u>
Net deficit, October 31, 2010	<u>(\$11,600)</u>

Outstanding invoices includes 2 Synod bills (totaling \$10,000) and unpaid invoices (including those expected but not yet received).

Thanks, Pat

Christmas Flowers

Advent is here and Christmas will soon be upon us. The Altar Guild of St. Theodore's takes great pride in decorating the church for Christmas. We order poinsettias and extra flowers to adorn our altar. After Christmas the plants and flowers are taken to our shut-in or ill members.

If you would like to help us with the cost of these flowers, please fill in the form below and place it in an envelope marked "**Christmas Flowers**" together with your donation and put it either on the collection plate or hand it into the church office. We will print the list of memorial and thank offerings in our Christmas leaflets; therefore, *we need this request/donation by Tues. Dec. 14.*

In loving memory of

_____ (please print)

In thanksgiving for

(please print)

Name of Donor

(please print)

Envelope # _____

Amount of gift \$ _____

