



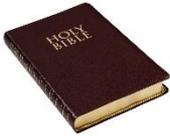
# Anglican Parish of Hampton Newsletter

St Paul's Anglican Church

*Growing spirituality and building community through discipleship, worship & service*

25 September 2016

## SCRIPTURE READINGS



First Reading	Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15
Psalm	Psalm 91: 1-6, 14-16
Epistle	1 Timothy 6: 6-19
Gospel	Luke 16: 1-31

September 25	9:00 am HC – BCP	10:30 am HC – BAS
Music Leader	Glenna Geer	Christian Gowan
Layreader	Myra Stites <i>Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15</i> <i>Psalm 91: 1-6, 14-16</i>	Betty Kennett <i>Psalm 91: 1-6, 14-16</i>
Reader	Claire Kelly <i>1 Timothy 6: 6-19</i>	Stephen MacMackin <i>1 Timothy 6: 6-19</i>
Greeters	R & C Kelly	MacMackin Family
A/V	Elaine Robichaud / Kevin Scott	
Sunday School	Jessie Gowan / Shelby Scott	
Nursery	Jenny Vautour /	
Chancel		
Counters	Joanna DiProse /	

### Collect:

Grant, O merciful God, that your Church, being gathered by your Holy Spirit into one, may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory of your name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

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## 1 TIMOTHY 6: 6-19

6 Of course, there is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; 7 for we brought nothing into the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; 8 but if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. 9 But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. 10 For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains.

11 But as for you, man of God, shun all this; pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness. 12 Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life, to which you were called and for which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. 13 In the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you 14 to keep the commandment without spot or blame until the manifestation of our Lord Jesus Christ, 15 which he will bring about at the right time—he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords. 16 It is he alone who has immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see; to him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen.

17 As for those who in the present age are rich, command them not to be haughty, or to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but rather on God who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. 18 They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, 19 thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is life.

## LUKE 16:19-31

19 “There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. 20 And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, 21 who longed to satisfy his hunger

with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. 22 The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. 23 In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. 24 He called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.' 25 But Abraham said, 'Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. 26 Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.' 27 He said, 'Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father's house— 28 for I have five brothers—that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.' 29 Abraham replied, 'They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.' 30 He said, 'No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' 31 He said to him, 'If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead.'"

*Both the Gospel and our reading from 1 Timothy this morning reflect on the dangers of an unhealthy relationship with money. What signs or symptoms of an unhealthy relationship with wealth do these readings describe?*

*What solutions, if any, do our readings this morning provide for resisting an unhealthy relationship with wealth and money?*

*What difference does our understanding of the purpose of wealth make in our relationship with wealth?*

We pray and give thanks for

International

- Our Companion Diocese of Ho - Bishop Matthias

Mission of the Month

- Hampton Refugee Action Committee

Diocese

- Our Bishop David and his wife Janet
- Retired Bishops Harold, George, William and Claude.

Government

- Prime Minister Justin Trudeau
- Premier Brian Gallant
- Mayor Ken Chorley and the town council

Deanery

- Parish of Gondola Point – Rev. George Eves
- Retired Clergy - Rev. Dr. Lee Whitney

Parish

- Rev. David & Family
- Rev. Deacon Deborah Cochran & Family

St Paul's Prayer Corner

Don Buchanan, Loretta Derrah, Barb Glauser, Pat Keirstead, Dawn Lent, Paul Robichaud, Lloyd Ryder, Sue Scribner, Erika Wisted

October 2	9:00 am HC – BAS	10:30 am HC – BAS
Music Leader	Glenna Geer	Christian Gowan
Layreader	Marg Petrie <i>Habakkuk 1: 1-4, 2: 1-4</i> <i>Psalm 37: 1-9</i>	Heather Miller <i>Psalm 37: 1-9</i>
Reader	<i>2 Timothy 1:1-14</i>	Diana Bastarache <i>2 Timothy 1:1-14</i>
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