

8:30 AM Service: 12th Sunday after Pentecost

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St. Margaret's Church

Sunday, Aug. 20, 2023

12th Sunday after Pentecost



Praise, my Soul, the King of Heaven

**[https://www.youtube.com/watch?
v=60JgQoJK9J8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=60JgQoJK9J8)**

Seek the Lord while he wills to be found, call upon him when he draws near; let the wicked forsake their ways, and the evil ones their thoughts; and let them return to the Lord, and he will have compassion, and to our God, for he will richly pardon. (Isaiah 55:6, 7)

**Dear friends in Christ,
as we prepare to worship almighty God,
let us with penitent and obedient hearts
confess our sins,
that we may obtain forgiveness
by his infinite goodness and mercy.**

Silence is kept.

**Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;**

**we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the
sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us
and forgive us, that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name.
Amen.**

**Almighty God have mercy upon 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.

Morning Prayer

BAS Page 47

Lord, open our lips,
And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

O God, make speed to save us.
O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Alleluia!

MP38 As We Are Gathered by John Daniels

**As we are gathered, Jesus is here;
one with each other, Jesus is here;
joined by the Spirit, washed in His blood
part of the Body, the Church of God.
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one with each other, Jesus is here.**

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part of the Body, the Church of God.
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Venite

BAS Page 49

**Come, let us sing to the Lord; let us shout for joy
to the rock of our salvation.**

**Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving
and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.**

For the Lord is a great God, and a great king above all gods.

In his hand are the caverns of the earth, and the heights of the hills are his also.

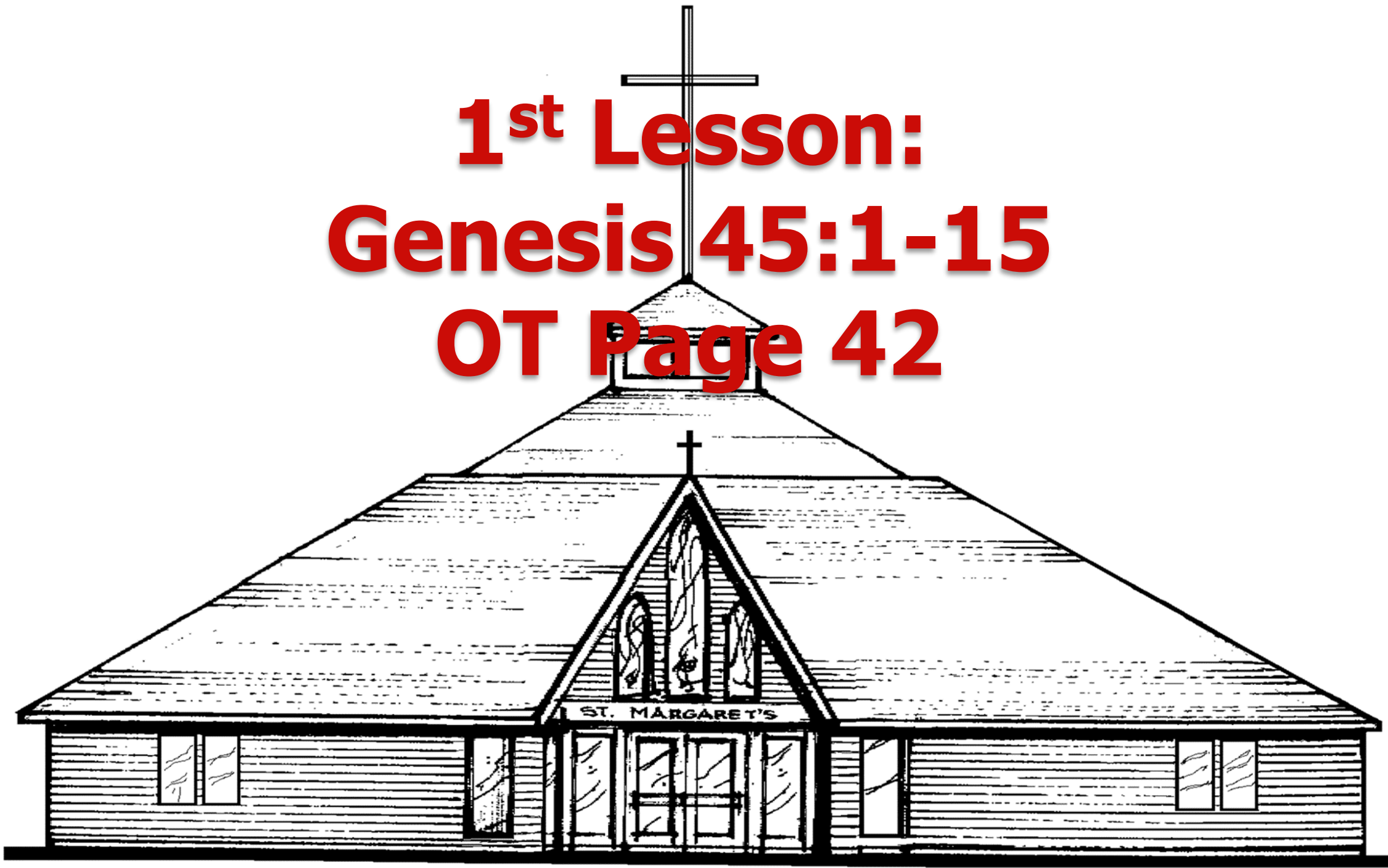
The sea is his for he made it, and his hands have moulded the dry land.

**Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, and
kneel before the Lord our maker.**

**For he is our God, and we are the people of his
pasture and the sheep of his hand.**

Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice!

1st Lesson:
Genesis 45:1-15
OT Page 42



Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

**Oh, how good and pleasant it is, when brethren
live together in unity!**

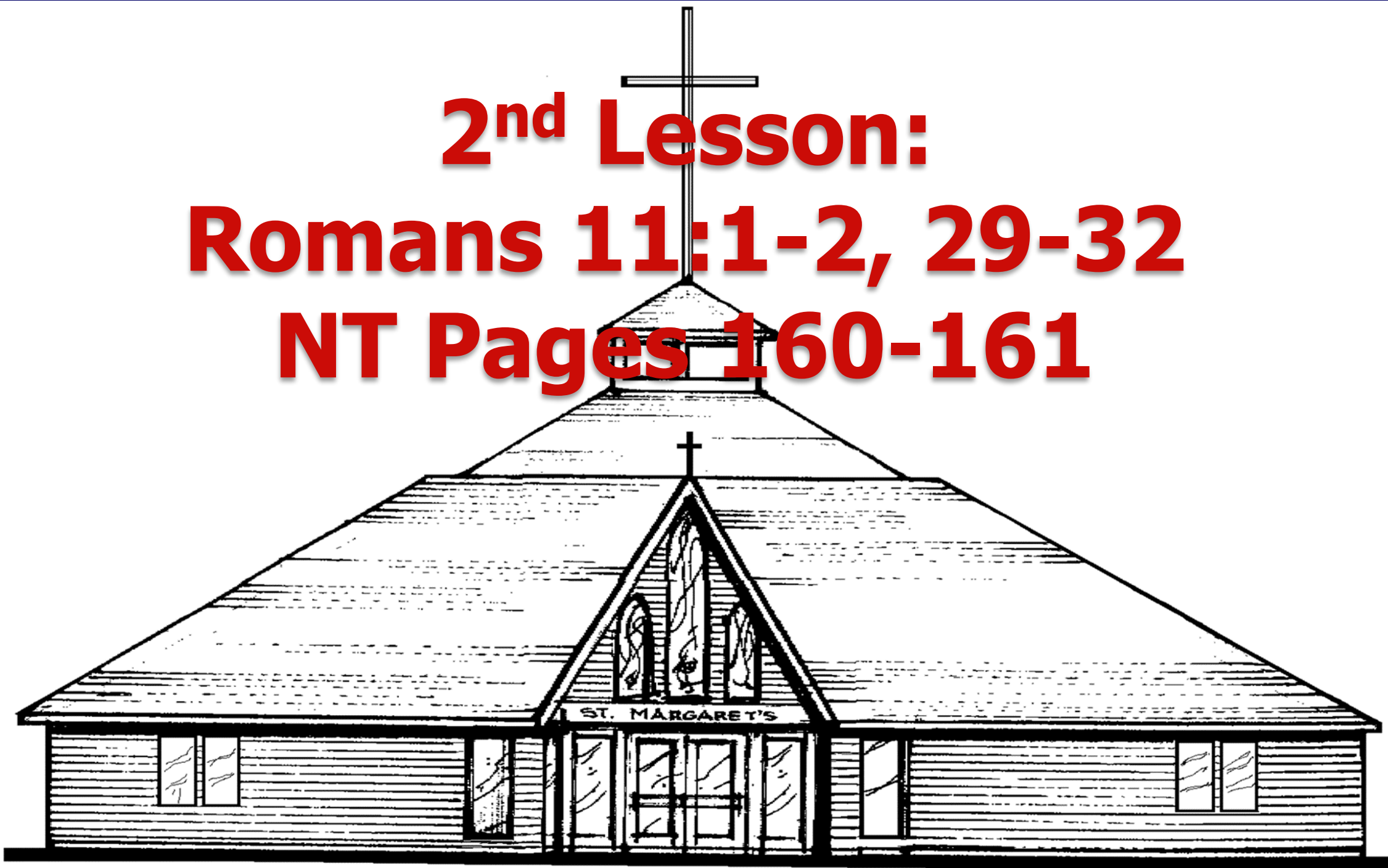
**It is like fine oil upon the head that runs down
upon the beard,**

**Upon the beard of Aaron, and runs down upon
the collar of his robe.**

**It is like the dew of Hermon that falls upon
the hills of Zion.**

**For there the Lord has ordained the
blessing: life for evermore.**

2nd Lesson:
Romans 11:1-2, 29-32
NT Pages 160-161



Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

I Love to Tell the Story

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=av21kbeX-3g>

Holy Gospel:
Matthew 15:10-28
NT Page 17



**Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to St. Matthew.**

People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

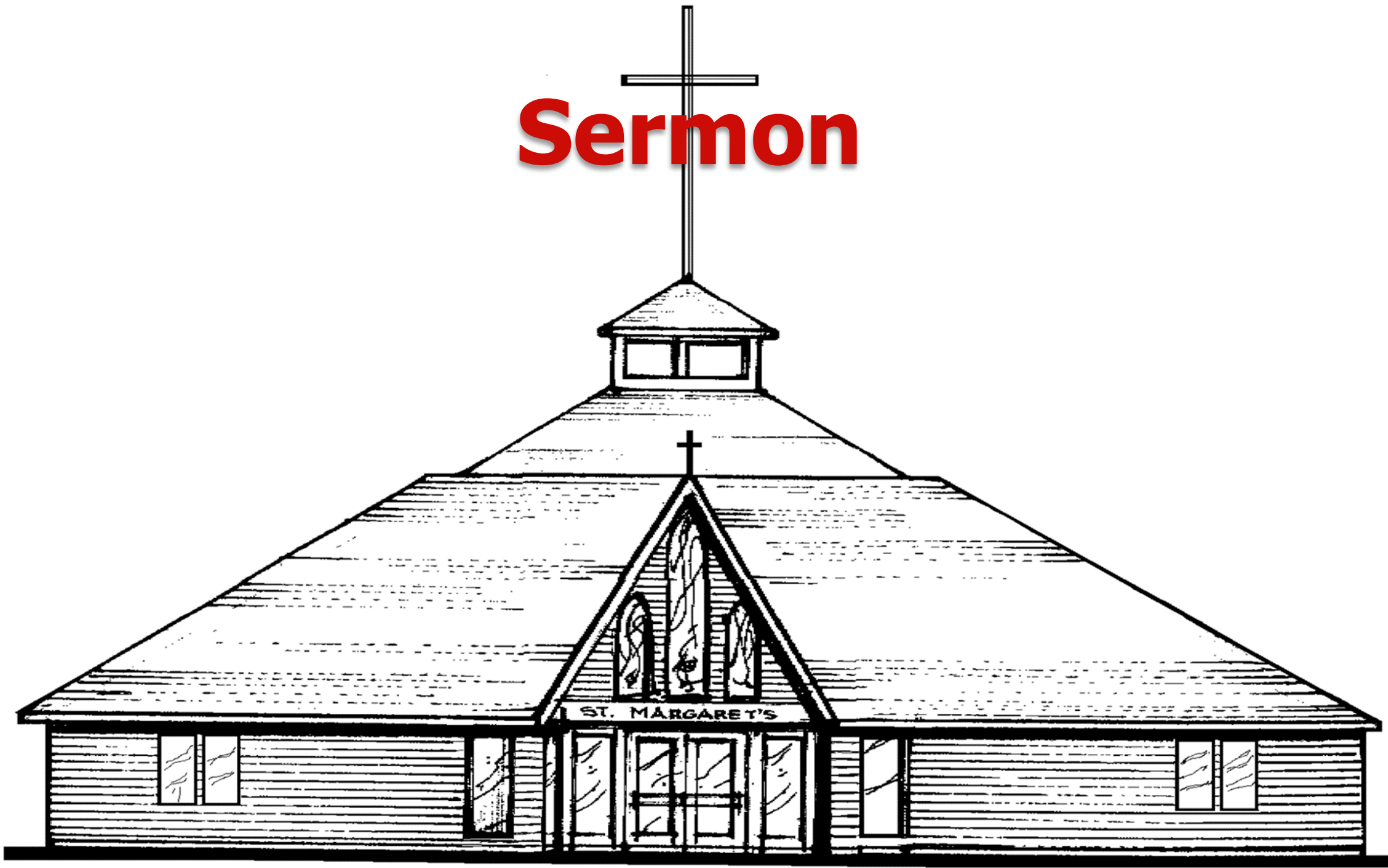
Holy Gospel:
Matthew 15:10-28
NT Page 17



Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon



The Apostles' Creed

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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.

The Announcements



Offertory Sentence

BAS Page 374

Jesus preached the gospel of the kingdom and healed every infirmity among the people. (See Matthew 4:23)

Offertory Hymn: What a Friend We Have in Jesus

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-
2skxuowcaY](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-2skxuowcaY)

The Prayer Over the Gifts

BAS Page 375

Loving God and Father, you have adopted us to be your heirs. Accept all we offer you this day and give us grace to live as faithful children. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayers of The People 1

BAS Pages 110-111

(In peace let us pray to the Lord, saying, “Lord, have mercy.”)

For peace from on high and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For our bishops, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For Charles our King, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For this city of Fredericton, for every city and community, and for those who live in them in faith, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For good weather, and for abundant harvests for all to share, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

**For those who travel by land, water, or air,
for the sick and the suffering (especially . . .
) , for prisoners and captives, and for their
safety, health, and salvation, let us pray to
the Lord.**

Lord, have mercy.

**For our deliverance from all affliction, strife,
and need, let us pray to the Lord.**

Lord, have mercy.

For the absolution and remission of our sins and offences, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For all who have died (especially . . .), let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

Remembering St. Margaret and all the saints, we commit ourselves, one another, and our whole life to Christ our God.

To you, O Lord.

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications to you, and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together you will hear their requests.

Fulfil now our desires and petitions, as may be best for us, granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come eternal life; for you, Father, are good and loving, and we glorify you through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, in the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Collect of the Day:

BAS Page 374

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and sent into our hearts the Spirit of your Son. Give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that all people may know the glorious liberty of the children of God; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

BAS Page 54

Celebrant: And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

All: **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,
forever and ever. Amen.**

The Dismissal

BAS Page 55

Let us bless the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. **Amen.**

The Blessing



Closing Hymn: My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TIX-
m4KfD90](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TIX-m4KfD90)

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Send Us Out

**Send us out in the power of Your Spirit Lord.
May our lives bring Jesus to the world.
May each thought and word bring glory to Your
name;
Send us out in Your Spirit Lord we pray.**

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God be with you!

