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Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

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WELCOME

We are glad you have joined us for worship this morning. There are candles in the Chapel for those who wish to light one and say a prayer at any time before and during the service. We ask that you please turn all cell phones and other electronic devices off or to "silent".

Please note that there should only be one person present in the Chapel area at a time.

Thank you.

St John's North Vancouver Parish recognizes we are on the unceded Coast Salish territories within the Musqueam, Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh First Nations.

Announcements

The Preperation

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

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

**All 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!**

The Invitatory - Jubilate

**Be joyful in the Lord, all you lands; *
serve the Lord with gladness
and come before his presence with a song.**

**Know this: The Lord himself is God; *
he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.**

**Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise; *
give thanks to him and call upon his name.**

**For the Lord is good;
his mercy is everlasting; *
and his faithfulness endures from age to age.**

The Proclamation of the Word

Psalm 99

**The Lord reigns; *
let the people tremble;
the Lord is enthroned upon the Cherubim; *
let the earth shake.**

**The Lord is great in Zion *
and is high above all peoples.**

**Let them confess your name, which is great and awesome; *
you are the Holy One.**

**“O mighty Sovereign, lover of justice, you have established
equity; *
you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.”**

**Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and fall down before
the footstool of God; *
the Lord is the Holy One.**

**Moses and Aaron among your priests, *
and Samuel among those who call upon your name, they called
upon you, O Lord, *
and you answered them.**

**You spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; *
they kept your testimonies and the decree that you gave them.**

**“O Lord our God, you answered them indeed; *
you were a God who forgave them,
yet punished them for their evil deeds.”**

**Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and worship upon the
holy hill of God; *
for the Lord our God is the Holy One.**

The First Reading

A reading from the book of Exodus

Moses said to the Lord, 'See, you have said to me, "Bring up this people"; but you have not let me know whom you will send with me. Yet you have said, "I know you by name, and you have also found favour in my sight." Now if I have found favour in your sight, show me your ways, so that I may know you and find favour in your sight. Consider too that this nation is your people.' He said, 'My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.' And he said to him, 'If your presence will not go, do not carry us up from here. For how shall it be known that I have found favour in your sight, I and your people, unless you go with us? In this way, we shall be distinct, I and your people, from every people on the face of the earth.'

The Lord said to Moses, 'I will do the very thing that you have asked; for you have found favour in my sight, and I know you by name.' Moses said, 'Show me your glory, I pray.' And he said, 'I will make all my goodness pass before you, and will proclaim before you the name, "The Lord"; and I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will show mercy on whom I will show mercy. But', he said, 'you cannot see my face; for no one shall see me and live.' And the Lord continued, 'See, there is a place by me where you shall stand on the rock; and while my glory passes by I will put you in a cleft of the rock, and I will cover you with my hand until I have passed by; then I will take away my hand, and you shall see my back; but my face shall not be seen.'

Exodus 33:12-23

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

All

Thanks be to God.

Music

Sung by a choir member

The Gospel

All stand for the reading of the Gospel.

Presider

The Lord be with you.

All

And also with you.

Presider

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Matthew

All

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, 'Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?' But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, 'Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax.' And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, 'Whose head is this, and whose title?' They answered, 'The emperor's.' Then he said to them, 'Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's.' When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

Matthew 22:15-22

Presider

The Gospel of Christ.

All

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon

The Reverend Patrick Blaney

Time for Reflection

The Apostles' Creed

**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.**

Intercessions and Thanksgivings

Music

Sung by a choir member

The Collect

Presider
All

Almighty and everliving God,
**increase in us your gift of faith,
 that forsaking what lies behind
 and reaching out to what is before,
 we may run the way of your commandments and
 win the crown of everlasting joy; 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

Presider

All As Our Saviour Christ taught us we are bold to say:
Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and for ever.
Amen.

Blessing

Dismissal

Presider

All Let us bless the Lord.
Thanks be to God.