

Church of the

Advent

Anglican Christian Witness on Victoria's Westshore

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***Together in Christ we seek to love God
and to love and serve all others***

The Right Rev Dr. Logan McMenamie, Bishop

The Rev Sandra Hounsell-Drover, Rector

The Rev Paul Schumacher, Deacon

April 15, 2018

3rd SUNDAY of EASTER



Sunday Services are at 8:30 a.m. (Traditional Rite)

10:00 a.m. (Contemporary)

Office Hours are Monday through Thursday from 9:00-Noon
Celtic Eucharist and Gospel Discussion Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m.

WELCOME TO THE CHURCH OF THE ADVENT

If you are a newcomer, please identify yourself to the Sidespersons or priest so we can welcome you and tell you about our church.

We recognize that we worship on the traditional lands of Coast Salish peoples. We commit ourselves to continue with our First Nations neighbours on the journey of healing, truth and reconciliation.

Reverend Sandra Hounsell-Drover preaches and presides

<p>8:30 a.m. Holy Communion Book of Common Prayer, p. 67</p>
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Acts 3:12-19

Psalm 4 pg 333

1 John 3:1-7

Luke 24:36b-48

Administrator

Sheila Bull

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Elizabeth Bennett

Rev Paul Schumacher

David Gregory

<p>10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Book of Alternative Services, p. 185</p>

*Liturgical Assistant is Sheila Dearsley
Crucifer & Acolyte is Sera Lowry
Sidespersons are Jose Perena Pratt & ??*

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Leader: As we meet together, we begin by remembering the people of the Coast Salish People, on whose traditional land we now gather in gratitude. We acknowledge their story and their stewardship of the land and water, the plants and animals, through the many generations.

As we meet together, we remember those who have called this place their home in recent years—the community of faith known as Church of the Advent, whose joyful spirit embraces us. Now let us greet one another with words and signs of welcome.

Sentence of the day: Lord Jesus, open to us the scriptures; make our hearts burn within us while you speak.

Opening Hymn: **CP 9 Today I Awake**

Greeting:

How joyful it is, to celebrate the good news of God's love!

We are called to be Easter people!

Darkness cannot claim us!

Fear cannot bind us!

Christ is risen!

Christ is risen, indeed! Alleluia!

Hymn of Praise: CP 405 Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks to the Risen Lord

Collect of the Day:

O God, your Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread. Open the eyes of our faith, that we may see him in his redeeming work, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Chat @ the Chancel:



Childrens Hymn: Halle, Hallelujah x2

Halle, halle, hallelujah, Halle, halle, hallelujah,
Halle, halle, hallelujah, Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Reading: Acts 43:12-19

Joan Hoffman

Psalm: 4

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Reading: 1 John 3:1-7

Helen Thomas

Gospel Hymn: Prayer of Peace

Verses 1, 2, & 3 before the Gospel with remaining verses following the Gospel

Peace before us, peace behind us, peace under our feet.

Peace within us, peace over us, let all around us be peace.

Love before us, love behind us, love under our feet.
Love within us, love over us, let all around us be love.

Light before us, light behind us, light under our feet.
Light within us, light over us, let all around us be light.

Christ before us, Christ behind us, Christ under our feet.
Christ within us, Christ over us, let all around us be Christ.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Peace before us, peace behind us, peace under our feet.
Peace within us, peace over us, let all around us be peace.

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Gospel: *Luke 24:36b - 48*

Rev Paul Schumacher

The Sermon:

Rev Sandra Hounsell-Drover

The Apostles Creed:

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Prayers of the People:

Sue Hamblin

The Confession and Absolution:

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The Peace:

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn: CP 243 Christ is Atonement, the Paschal Victim

Prayer over the Gifts:

Creator of all, you wash away our sins in water, you give us new birth by the Spirit, and redeem us in the blood of Christ. As we celebrate the resurrection, renew your gift of life within us. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the risen Lord. Amen.

Eucharistic Prayer #2

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Holy, Holy, Holy Lord ~Easter Sanctus~ *15c French Carol arr. by Rupert Lang

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Invitation to Communion: Friends, this is the joyful feast of unity. Christ has gathered his people around the earth to commune at this table. And so, come: you from the East and you from the West, from the North and from the South. Come. Come with your doubts, come with your hopes, come with your inadequacies and with your strengths. Come, for this is a table where all are invited, and all are welcome.

Communion Distributors: **Donna Brandle, Rose Chandler, & Dianne Langdon**

Parish Choir sings at Communion; **Alleluia** by William Boyce

Prayer after Communion:

Author of life divine, **in the breaking of bread we know the risen Lord. Feed us always in these mysteries, that we may show your glory to all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Doxology:

Glory to God,
whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.

SENDING FORTH

Blessing:

Shared Ministry:

Commissioning Hymn CP 210 Yours Be the Glory, Risen, Conquering Son

Commissioning:

One: Go in courage and peace, proclaiming the Risen Lord to all! Be those who bring hope and justice to a hungry and hurting world! The peace of the Lord is with you now and forever.

We go in peace proclaiming the Risen Lord. Alleluia.

Please join us for coffee, tea, or juice after the service.

TODAY WE PRAY

For The Church of Ireland The Most Revd Richard Lionel Clarke Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All Ireland and Metropolitan.

For Fred our Primate, John our Metropolitan, Logan our Bishop, Sandra our Rector and Paul our Deacon.

Diocese of New Westminster - Bishop Melissa Skelton.

For S. Peter, Quamichan - Mary-Jane Leewis-Kirk & Heather Cutten. In the Selkirk Region for The Church of the Advent.

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED US TO PRAY FOR THEM

Joan, Val, Maureen, Brad and Tytti, Alan, Dave, Jack, Jane, Peter, Allen, Marie, Steve & Brenda.

FOR THOSE WHO MOURN

*For the family and friends of Alan Bodman.
May he rest in peace and rise in glory.*

SHARED MINISTRY

THIS WEEK

Tuesday, April 17 - Whatsever 10:00; funeral for Alan Bodman 1:00.

Wednesday, Apr. 18 - Mid-week Eucharist at 10:00 a.m., Yes We Can meeting 1:30, Choir Practice at 7:30 p.m.

Friday, April 20: Office is closed; Rev. Sandra's day off.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

May 5: 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. – Annual Garage Sale.

June 9: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. – Strawberry Tea & Craft Fair.

July 6 to 13: Parish Camp Out – Parksville.

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK:

Acts 4:5-12; Ps 23; 1 John 3:16-24; John 10:11-18;

KEN LAVIGNE – Friday May 11th 7:30 pm. TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE

See Mary Wills or The Church Office....Only \$30.00 NOW or \$35.00 at the door IF there are any tickets left!

GARAGE SALE - Our Garage Sale is May 5th. We know you are all setting aside items to contribute. Please hang on to them until May 1st. If you need help, please contact Mary Wills. Sign-up sheets will be out after April 4th. If you can help the week of set up and/or the day of the sale, that's wonderful. This is our big fund raiser and our 25th annual sale. Thank you all so much!

From the Cookie Jar:

A kindergarten teacher was walking around observing her classroom of children while they were drawing pictures. As she got to one girl who was working diligently, she asked what the drawing was.

The girl replied, "I'm drawing God."

The teacher paused and said, "But no one knows what God looks like."

Without looking up from her drawing, the girl replied, "They will in a minute."

Muldoon lived alone in the Irish countryside with only a pet dog for company. One day the dog died, and Muldoon went to the parish priest and asked, "Father, me dog is dead. Could ya' be saying' a mass for the poor creature?"

Father Patrick replied, "I'm afraid not; we cannot have services for an animal in the church. But there are some Baptists down the lane, and there's no tellin' what they believe. Maybe they'll do something for the creature."

Muldoon said, "I'll go right away Father. Do ya' think \$5,000 is enough to donate to them for the service?"

Father Patrick exclaimed, "Sweet Mary, Mother of Jesus! Why did ya' not tell me the dog was Catholic?"

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WE WANT TO KNOW YOU ... but we need to be able to contact you, so ...

If you are a newcomer, or if we can help in any way, please let us know. Please fill in the relevant information and give it to a Sidesperson or place it on the collection plate. **Completion of the following information indicates your consent for this parish to gather this information and to use it for reasonable purposes of the church under The Privacy of Information Act.**

NEWCOMER

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

COURSE INFORMATION

HELP

SETUP CONTRIBUTIONS

YOUTH CONNECTION

Name	
Address	Postal Code
Email	Phone

We ask congregants to limit the use of fragrances.

THANK YOU!