

# Proper 27 (32)

NOVEMBER 8, 2020 | 5:30PM

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Psalm 40:5-11: Matthew 9:35-38

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**WELCOME!** Thank you for joining the Cathedral's St. Brigid's community in-person and via livestream for worship during *Proper 27 (32)*. You are welcome to this historic Anglican Cathedral Church on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territory of the Musqueam, Squamish, and Tsleil-Waututh Nations located in the heart of Vancouver.

If you have any questions about the St. Brigid's ministry please visit our website at <u>stbrigid.ca</u>. If you have any questions about the Cathedral, its ministries or congregations, please visit our website at <u>thecathedral.ca</u>.

# CATHEDRAL SERVICES & DAILY READINGS

	MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9 Feria		SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15 Remembrance Sunday
	Daily Readings • Titus 1:1-9; Psalm 24:1-6; Luke 17:1-6		Pre-Registration via <u>Eventbrite</u> for all In-Person services.
	TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10 Leo the Great, Bishop of Rome,		Please go to <u>Sunday Services on the</u> <u>Cathedral's new website</u> for the links.
	Teacher of the Faith, 461  Daily Readings • Philippians 2:1-13;  Psalm 77:11-15; Matthew 16:13-193	8ам	Holy Communion   In-Person <i>Preacher:</i> Captain The Rev. Julie Lees
	WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11 Remembrance Day	10:30AM	Choral Eucharist   In-Person & Livestream   Preacher: Captain The Rev. Julie Lees
10:10AM	Remembrance Day Service   In-Person Preacher: Dean Christopher A. Pappas		Music: Quartet & Rupert Lang, organist ASL interpretation provided  1PM Choral Eucharist & Family Service   In-Person Preacher: The Rev. Alisdair Smith Music: Quartet & Rupert Lang, organist  5:30PM St. Brigid's Eucharist   In-Person & Livestrean Preacher: The Rev. Alisdair Smith Music: Soloist & Ben Dobyns, pianist  8PM The Service of Compline   In-Person Officiant: The Rev. Alisdair Smith Music: Schola Quartet   Men's Voices Daily Readings • Judges 4:1-7; Psalm 123; 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11; Matthew 25:14-30
	Daily Readings • Micah 4:1-5; Revelation 21:1-6a	IPM	
	THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12 Charles Simeon, Priest, 1836	•	
	Daily Readings • Isaiah 26:1-9; Psalm 145:8-13; John 21:15-17	5:30РМ	
	FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13 Feria Daily Readings • 2 John 4-9;	8рм	
	Psalm 119:1-8; Luke 17:26-37	•	
	SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14 The Consecration of Samuel Seabury, First Anglican Bishop in North America, 1784 Daily Readings • Ezekiel 34:11-16;		

# Service of Holy Eucharist . . . .

Welcome

Opening hymn "Sleepers, Wake!" A Voice Astounds Us (CP 110)

7) Text: Philipp Nicolai (1566–1608); tr. Carl P. Daw, Jr. (1944–); Music: Melody Hans Sachs (1494–1576); adapt. Philipp Nicolai; adapt. & harm. Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750); Wachet Auf

- 1. "Sleepers, wake!" A voice astounds us; the shout of rampart guards surrounds us: "Awake, Jerusalem, arise!"

  Midnight's peace their cry has broken, their urgent summons clearly spoken "The time has come, O maidens wise!

  Rise up and give us light; the bridgegroom is in sight. Alleluia!

  Your lamps prepare and hasten there, that you the weddding feast may share.
- 2. Zion hears the watchmen singing.
  Her heart with joyful hope is springing; she wakes and hurries through the night.
  Forth he comes, her bridegroom glorious in strength of grace, in truth victorious: her star is risen, her light grows bright.
  Now come, most worthy Lord,
  God's Son, incarnate Word, alleluia!
  We follow all and heed your call to come into the banquet hall.
- 3. Lamb of God, the heavens adore you; let saints and angels sing before you, as harps and cymbals swell the sound. Twelve great pearls, the city's portals: through them we stream to join the immortals as we with joy your throne surround. No eye has know the sight; no ear heard such delight: alleluia! Therefore we sing to greet our King; for ever let our praises ring.

Presider

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

All And also with you.

Presider Creator God,

All we give you thanks for all that you are

and all that you bring to us for our visit within your creation. In your presence and in the presence of this community gathered,

we acknowledge that we stand on the unceded territory of the Coast Salish peoples.

Help us to be mindful of our actions here, for you are God, now and forever. Amen.

Collect

Presider O God, you call us to choose between you and the false gods of this world.

In the midst of the darkness of sin and death

wake us from our slumber and call us forth to greet Christ,

so that with our eyes and hearts fixed on him, he may lead us to eternal light.

All Amen.

# Proclaiming the Word .....

Reading Joshua 24.1-3a, 14-25

Reader Word of God, Word of Life.

All Thanks be to God.

Psalm 78:1-7

Hear my teaching, O my people; \*

incline your ears to the words of my mouth.

I will open my mouth in a parable; \*

I will declare the mysteries of ancient times.

That which we have heard and known, and what our ancestors have told us, \*

we will not hide from their children.

We will recount to generations to come the praiseworthy deeds and the power of the Lord, \* who has done wonderful works.

The Lord gave a decree to Jacob and established a law for Israel, \*

commanding them to teach their children;

that the generations to come might know, and the children yet unborn; \*

that they in their turn might tell it to their children;

so that they might put their trust in God, \*

and not forget those mighty deeds, but keep the commandments;

Glory to God, Source of all being, eternal Word and Holy Spirit:\*

as it was in the beginning, is now and will be for ever. Amen.

Reading 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Reader Word of God, Word of Life.

All Thanks be to God.

All



Please stand for the reading of the Gospel
Reader The Lord be with you.
All And also with you.

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

All Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

Gospel Matthew 25:1-13

Reader This is the Gospel of Christ.

All Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

Silence & stillness

Sermon Dean Christopher A. Pappas

Silence & stillness

Please stand for the Affirmation of Faith

The Nicene Creed

All

Presider Let us confess our faith, as we say,

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

Leader We offer to God our prayers of intercession and thanksgiving.

After each bidding you are welcome to add your own petitions, either silently or aloud.

Leader We pray for your church throughout the world. For the Anglican Communion.

For all clergy and for all who exercise their baptismal ministry in the church. We pray for the ministries of Christ Church Cathedral and for the growth,

sustenance and witness of this St. Brigid's congregation.

We offer our prayers, silently or aloud

Leader In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Church in the Province of the West Indies.

In the joint Anglican & Evangelical Lutheran Churches in Canada Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Principal, faculty, students, and staff of the Vancouver School of Theology and the Principal-Dean, faculty, students, and staff of Martin Luther University College.

In the *Diocesan Cycle of Prayer* we pray for Melissa Skelton our Archbishop and Metropolitan; Linda Nicholls our Primate; Susan Johnson the National Lutheran Bishop in Canada;

Gregory Mohr the Evangelical Lutheran Bishop in British Columbia; our companion diocese,

the Episcopal Diocese of Northern Philippines and the Rt. Rev. Brent Alawas;

our companion parish, All Saints Cathedral, Bontac, Philippines and the Very Rev. Padi Luc;

and St. Martin (North Vancouver) and St. Margaret, Cedar Cottage (Vancouver).

In our Parish we pray for those who minister at our 8am, St. Brigid's and Compline Services.

We offer our prayers, silently or aloud

Leader We pray for our country Canada, for all those in authority,

for Hereditary Chiefs and Chiefs in Council

for the Musqueam, Squamish, and Tsleil-Waututh Nations.

We offer our prayers, silently or aloud

Leader We pray for the world

We offer our prayers, silently or aloud

Leader We offer our prayers of thanksgiving

We offer our prayers, silently or aloud

Leader We pray for those in need

We offer our prayers, silently or aloud

Leader We pray for those who have died and those who will meet death this night

We offer our prayers, silently or aloud

Leader Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord

All And let light perpetual shine upon them.

Leader May they rest in peace.
All And rise in glory.

Leader Brighten your Church, O God, with the promise of your kingdom,

and waken our hearts to its light.

Bid us hasten with faith undimmed to greet the bridegroom's return

and join the wedding feast.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ.

All Amen.

Silence & stillness

Confession & Absolution

Presider Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence & stillness

Presider Most merciful God

All we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves.

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.

For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us.

Forgive us, renew us and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

Presider God who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin,

and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved.

In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven.

Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit,

that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

All Amen.

Silence & stillness

Presider May the peace of Christ be always with you.

All And also with you.

In this time of COVID-19 we invite you to simply bow to one another and offer a blessing of peace to your neighbours.

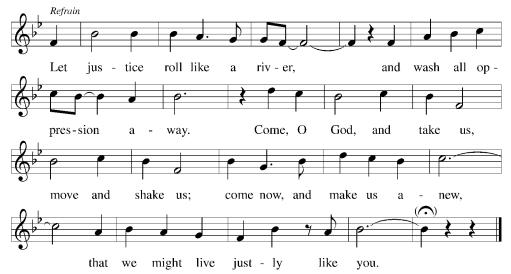
# Celebration of the Eucharist

#### The Offertory

You are invited to make a financial offering to further God's mission through the work of the church by texting "Give" to 639.739.0843 and following the instructions; or by clicking on this link thecathedral.ca/pages/give. Tax receipts are issued annually for gifts totalling \$20 or more. Your financial gifts matter and together with the bread and wine they are presented in spirit at the Altar as a sign of thanksgiving to God from whom all blessings flow.

Offertory Hymn Let Justice Roll Like a River

Text & Music: Marty Haugen



- "Take from me your holy feasts, all your off rings and your music. Let justice flow like waters, and integrity like an everflowing stream." Refrain
- 2. How long shall we wait, O God, for the day of your mercy to dawn, the day we beat our swords into plows, when your peace reigns over the earth? *Refrain*
- 3. Hear this, all of you who use the poor in your thirst of power and riches: the Lord will turn your laughter to tears, on the wondrous Day of our God. *Refrain*

- 4. "Even now, return to me, let your hearts be broken and humble, for I am gracious, gen'rous and kind." Come and seek the mercies of God. *Refrain*
- 5. You have been told the way of life, the way of justice and peace: to act justly, to love gently, to walk humbly with God. *Refrain*

Prayer over the Gifts

All God of all creation,

all you have made is good, and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be for the world

signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Guide. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

Presider May God be with you.

All And also with you.

Presider Lift up your hearts.

All We lift them up to God.

Presider Let us give thanks to God our Creator.

All It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Presider It is right in all times and in all places to thank and praise you Creator of all.

We praise you here where the Fraser River meets the Salish Sea, where city and farm, wilderness and industry are side by side.

We praise you at a time when the body of earth is broken again and again.

We give thanks for our place in the story of salvation.

Our ancestors journeyed with you in creation and migration. They depended on the land, were displaced from the land

and displaced others from their lands. They knew you in tents and cities,

on mountains and by wells, in families and in dreams,

and through wilderness prophets who spoke of cedars and listened to ravens.

Together with angels and ancestors, orca and salmon, bear and raven, salal and cedar we join our voices with all creation in this ancient honour song:



Presider

We give thanks to you for Jesus, whose first bed was a feed trough. He was baptized in the Jordan, tested in the wilderness, he traveled in fishing boats and told parables of farmers and seeds, labour and wages, yeast and bread.

On the night before he died, Jesus took bread, food of the poor, the work of field and hearth, he gave thanks, broke it and gave it to his friends saying: "Take and eat, this is my body, given for you, do this to remember me." Again after supper he took the cup of wine, fruit of the land, gave thanks and gave it to his friends saying: "This is my blood, which is shed for you. When you do this, do it in memory of me."

Remembering Jesus' life, death and resurrection and awaiting his coming kingdom, we offer you this bread and this cup. Creator, send your Spirit on these gifts so that we know Jesus in them and are gathered together with everyone who shares this sacred meal of justice and community.

Fill us with the courage and love of Jesus, that we may strive for justice and peace, respect the dignity of every human being, and safeguard the integrity of creation. Bring us with all your saints to your commonwealth of sparrow and lily, child and beggar which is both now and yet to come.

All honour and glory are yours, Creator, Christ and Spirit, now and forever.

All Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Presider

All

As Jesus taught us, and in the language of your heart, we now pray,

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. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Presider Come to the banquet, for now all is ready.

The gifts of God, for you, the people of God.

All Thanks be to God.



#### Share the Gifts (new information, please read)

If you know the brokenness of life, its fractures within and its division without, then you have participated in the broken body of Christ and you are invited to share in Communion.

If you wish to receive Holy Communion, the celebrant will come down and stand in front of the altar. Please keep your mask on and come forward one at a time, maintaining physical distancing with others in the congregation. If you prefer to receive a gluten-free wafer, please mention this to the Celebrant. The Celebrant will place the wafer in your hand. Please keep the wafer in your hand until you have returned to your seat. At your seat you may unhook your mask, consume the wafer, then replace your mask. If you would prefer to receive a contactless blessing, please keep your mask on, and place your hand over your heart.

If you're joining in via the livestream, please place your hand over your heart and say, "Come, Lord Jesus, come."

Music During Communion

# Sending Out of the Disciples.

#### Prayer after Communion

Presider Living God, in this sacrament we have shared

in your promised reign of justice and peace.

May we who taste this mystery

forever serve you in faith, hope and love.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

All Amen.

Presider Glory to God,

All 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.

#### Blessing the Community

All May the peace of Christ go with you, wherever she may send you;

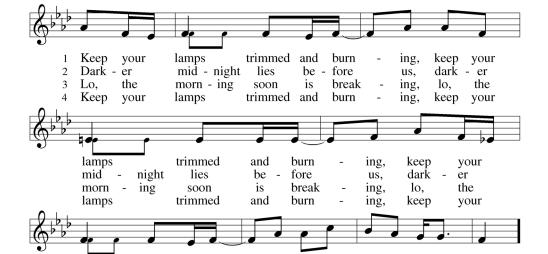
Keep Your Lamps Trimmed and Burning

may she guide you through the wilderness, protect you through the storm; may she bring you home rejoicing, at the wonders she has shown you;

may she bring you home rejoicing, once again into our doors.

#### Announcements

## Sending Song



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Text & Music: African American spiritual

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The Dismissal

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

At the conclusion of the service, we ask that everyone leave the building and have your visits outside. Please exit through the west doors leading into the Memorial Garden. Thank you for joining us today.



# BEATITUDES

FOR A GLOBAL PANDEMIC

BLESSED ARE THE UNEMPLOYED AND THE SELF-EMPLOYED



FOR THEIR NEED OF

BLESSED ARE THE CORNER SHOPKEFPERS



FOR THEY ARE THE PURVEYORS OF SCARCE THINGS

BLESSED ARE THE DELIVERY DRIVERS AND THE POSTAL



FOR THEY ARE THE BRINGERS OF ESSENTIAL THINGS

BLESSED ARE THE HOSPITAL WORKERS, THE AMBULANCE CREWS, THE DOCTORS, THE NURSES, THE CARE ASSISTANTS, AND THE CLEANERS



FOR THEY STAND BETWEEN US AND THE GRAVE, AND THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN IS SURELY THEIRS

BLESSED ARE THE REFUSE COLLECTORS



FOR THEY WILL SEE GOD DESPITE THE MOUNTAINS OF WASTE

BLESSED ARE THE TEACHERS



FOR THEY REMAIN
STEADFAST AND
CONSTANT IN
DISTURBING TIMES

BLESSED ARE THE CHURCH WORKERS; THE DEACONS, PRIESTS AND BISHOPS



FOR THEY ARE A COMFORTING PRESENCE IN A HURTING WORLD AS THEY CONTINUE TO SIGNPOST TOWARDS GOD

BLESSED ARE THE SINGLE PARENTS.



FOR THEY ARE COPING ALONE WITH THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES AND THERE IS NO RESPITE

BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO STAY INDOORS



FOR THEY HAVE PROTECTED OTHERS

BLESSED ARE THE CHECKOUT WORKERS



FOR THEY HAVE PATIENCE AND FORTITUDE IN THE FACE OF OVERWORK AND FRUSTRATION

BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO

ARE ISOLATED WITH THEIR

**ABUSERS** 

BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO ARE ALONE.



FOR THEY ARE CHILDREN OF GOD AND WITH HIM THEY WILL NEVER BE LONELY

BLESSED ARE THE BEREAVED.



FOR WHOM THE WORST HAS ALREADY HAPPENED. THEY SHALL BE COMFORTED

FOR ONE DAY-WE PRAY-THEY WILL KNOW SAFETY BLESSED ARE ALL DURING THIS TIME WHO HAVE PURE HEARTS;
ALL WHO STILL HUNGER AND THIRST FOR JUSTICE; ALL WHO
WORK FOR PEACE AND WHO MODEL MERCY

















MAY YOU KNOW COMFORT. MAY YOU KNOW CALM. AND MAY THE GRACE OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, AND THE LOVE OF GOD, AND THE FELLOWSHIP OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, BE WITH US ALL. AMEN

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#### IN THE EVENTS CALENDAR THIS WEEK

# **Morning Prayer**

Monday - Friday | 9:30am - 10am

## **Centering Prayer**

Tuesday | November 10 | 6:30pm

# Remembrance Day Service

Wednesday | November 11 | 10am

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# **Supporting Cathedral Ministries**

While in person gatherings have changed, the Cathedral's ministry has not stopped. New ways continue to be developed to allow ministries to continue their work. Your support is just as vital now as ever before, and there are several easy ways to make a contribution.

If you normally support the Cathedral by leaving a donation in the collection plate, please consider signing up for automated giving if you are able. Sign up at <a href="mailto:thecathedral.ca/pages/give">thecathedral.ca/pages/give</a> or by calling Vanessa Ho, Finance Administrator at 604.682.3848, ext. 21 or email vanessa@thecathedral.ca.

You can also make a gift to support the ministries of Christ Church Cathedral on your smart phone! Just go to the App Store, choose the app "tithe.ly" — from the store, download, enter your information and... voilà—you can connect directly to the Cathedral and make your gift in whatever amount you wish.

Prefer to give by text? You can do that too! Text the word "give" to 639.739.0843 (the Cathedral's tithe.ly text giving phone number) and follow the instructions on the screen.

Thank you for your support!



St. Brigid's is the Sunday Evening congregation of Christ Church Cathedral, a place where questions are honoured, faith is nurtured, and discipleship pursued.

You are welcome to this historic Anglican Cathedral Church in the heart of Vancouver located on the traditional territory of the Musqueam, Squamish, and Tsleil-Waututh First Nations.

We gather to share in the Eucharist, to be transformed by our encounters with God and each other, and to be sent out into the world to serve. We aspire to live integrated lives, and to be agents of Christ's reconciling, shalom-seeking, and justice-oriented love in the culture and cultures of which we are part.

The Rev. Marnie Peterson (our priest) provides leadership that helps us to grow more deeply in our Christian life and practice.

For more information on our Sunday gatherings and other opportunities to connect at St. Brigid's, please visit <u>stbrigid.ca</u>.



#### SUNDAY SERVICES

8am | HOLY COMMUNION | IN-PERSON
Pre-registration is required via Eventbrite.\*

IO:30AM CHORAL EUCHARIST IN-PERSON & LIVESTREAM This is a Choral Eucharist service, complete with live music under the direction of Rupert Lang. Pre-registration is required via Eventbrite.\* This service is also livestreamed on the <u>Cathedral's website</u> and <u>YouTube</u> channel.

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5:30 PM | ST. BRIGID'S | IN-PERSON & LIVESTREAM Pre-registration is required via Eventbrite.\*

8PM | THE SERVICE OF COMPLINE | IN-PERSON This is a timeless, contemplative, and centring service that seamlessly blends music, scripture, and prayer. Reminding us of God's nearness in the darkness, as well as, in the light. Pre-registration is required via Eventbrite.\*

\* Please go to <u>Sunday Services on the</u>
<u>Cathedral's new website</u> for the Eventbrite links.

#### 5:30PM | ST. BRIGID'S | MINISTERING THROUGH LITURGY

Presider The Rev. Marnie Peterson
Preacher Dean Christopher A. Pappas

Music Guest Vocalist with Ben Dobyns, Pianist

#### COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

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