

Welcome to
St. Luke Cedar Hill

Trinity Sunday
May 30, 2021 10:00 am



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traditional territories of the Esquimalt, Songhees and WSÁNEĆ peoples.*

Welcome and Introduction (*The Rev. Daniel Fournier*)

Priest: Today we celebrate the relationships
at the heart of our faith.
As God eternally participates in the relationship
of Father, Son and Spirit,
we too participate in this sacred community
and in the great historic sweep of God's people
past, present, future.
Through baptism, we are called by God
to become part of this deeply connected family.
Let us commit to loving
and serving not only members of this family,
but all people.

Opening Hymn: CP 1 Holy, Holy, Holy

(tune: Nicaea)

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty!
Early in the morning
our song shall rise to thee:
holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed trinity!**

**Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns
around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.**

**Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
though our sinful human gaze
thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,
perfect in power, in love, and purity.**

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name,
in earth, and sky, and sea;
holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty,
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

Priest: 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.

Confession and Absolution

Priest: Let us confess our sins
against God and our neighbour.

**All: 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.**

Priest: Almighty God have mercy upon you,
pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,
and keep you in eternal life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

All sing:

**Glory be to God in heaven,
peace, goodwill to all the earth,
mighty God of all creation,
Father of surpassing worth.
We exalt you, we adore you,
we lift high our thanks and praise,
saints and angels bow before you,
here on earth our songs we raise.**

**Glory be to Christ forever,
Lamb of God and Lord of love,
Son of God and gracious Saviour,
you have come from heaven above.
On the cross you died to save us,
now you reign at God's right hand.
Hear our prayer, restore, forgive us,
in your promise firm we stand.**

**Holy One we now acclaim you,
Lord alone to you we call,
Holy One in faith we name you,
God most high, yet near to all.
Jesus Christ with God the Spirit,
in the Father's splendour bright,
for the peace that we inherit
glory be to God on high!**

The Collect of the Day

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Priest: Enfolding God, Trinity of love,
you are our source, our goal, our life:
may we be born again in you,
no more to live alone and unconnected,
but, sharing the Spirit's breath,
be carried to your heart;
through Jesus Christ, who lifts us up.

All: **Amen.**

The Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING: Isaiah 6: 1-8

Reader: *Tara Poilievre*

Reader: A reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah.

The reading can be found here:

<https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2021-05-30>

Reader: Word of God, Word of Life.

All: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 29

Response:

The Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace.

Ascribe to the Lord, you powers of heaven,
ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

Ascribe to the Lord the honour due to his name;
worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness. (*Response*)

The voice of the Lord is upon the waters;
the God of glory thunders;
the Lord is upon the mighty waters.

The voice of the Lord is mighty in operation;
the voice of the Lord is a glorious voice. (*Response*)

The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar trees;
the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon;
He makes Lebanon skip like a calf
and Sirion like a young wild ox. (*Response*)

The voice of the Lord splits the flash of lightning;
the voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness;
the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees writhe
and strips the forests bare; in his temple all cry, 'Glory!'
(*Response*)

The Lord sits enthroned above the water flood;
the Lord sits enthroned as king for evermore.
The Lord shall give strength to his people;
the Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace.

(Response)

THE GOSPEL: John 3: 1-17

Reader: *Sean Tiernay*

Reader: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Reader: A reading from the Holy Gospel
of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The gospel can be found here:

<https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2021-05-30>

At the end of the gospel:

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Reflection: The Rev. Daniel Fournier

Hymn: CP 436 I Bind Unto Myself Today

(tune: St. Patrick's Breastplate)

**I bind unto myself today
the strong name of the Trinity,
by invocation of the same,
the Three-in-One and One-in-Three.**

**I bind this day to me forever,
by power of faith, Christ's incarnation,
his baptism in the Jordan river,
his death on cross for my salvation.**

**His bursting from the spiced tomb,
his riding up the heavenly way,
his coming at the day of doom,
I bind unto myself today.**

**I bind unto myself today
the virtues of the starlit heaven,
the glorious sun's life-giving ray,
the whiteness of the moon at even,
the flashing of the lightning free,
the whirling wind's tempestuous shocks,
the stable earth, the deep salt sea
around the old eternal rocks.**

**I bind unto myself today
the power of God to hold and lead,
his eye to watch, his might to stay,
his ear to hearken to my need,
the wisdom of my God to teach,
his hand to guide, his shield to ward,
the word of God to give me speech,
his heavenly host to be my guard.**

**Christ be with me, Christ within me,
Christ behind me, Christ before me,
Christ beside me, Christ to win me,
Christ to comfort and restore me.
Christ beneath me, Christ above me,
Christ in quiet, Christ in danger,
Christ in hearts of all that love me,
Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.**

**I bind unto myself the name,
the strong name of the Trinity
by invocation of the same,
the Three-in-One and One-in-Three,
of whom all nature hath creation,
eternal Father, Spirit, Word.
Praise to the Lord of my salvation;
salvation is of Christ the Lord.**

The Nicene Creed

Priest: Let us confess the faith as we say,

**All: 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: *Led by Tara Poillievre*
In response to the words, "Let us pray...",
the community prays, "Caring God, Hear our prayer".

Creator God,
whose power is beyond compare
with glory beyond our understanding;
whose mercy is boundless,
and love for us is endless;
look upon us in your compassion.

For peace that calms our hearts and saves our souls,
and for peace in the whole world
and throughout creation,
let us pray...

All: Caring God, hear our prayer.

For the stability of our church
and the unity of our congregation,
for all who desire to follow you with faith
and reverence, and for the ministries
of your church around the world
in these challenging times,
let us pray...

All: Caring God, hear our prayer.

For our country, our leaders,
and all those in public service,
for this city, and for every city and nation,
and for all who offer themselves with diligence
and compassion as months of pandemic stretch on,
let us pray...

All: Caring God, hear our prayer.

For the Indigenous people in Canada,
and for all people who call Canada home;
for the nurturing of relationships
between all cultures and communities,
for healing of old hurts
and for repentance and reconciliation,
for new and better ways to walk
with one another in respect and care,
let us pray...

All: Caring God, hear our prayer.

For the safety of those who must travel
by land, sea, and air,
for those who long to travel but cannot,
and for all those who are separated
from those they love,
let us pray...

All: Caring God, hear our prayer.

For those who are sick, those who are suffering,
those who are isolated;
for victims of violence, refugees and captives,
and for our protection against all affliction,
danger, and distress.
For those on our minds and hearts
we pray in silence.

(A time of silence is held for individual prayers...)

Let us pray...

All: Caring God, hear our prayer.

To you, Holy God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
belongs all glory, honour and worship,
now and forever, and to the ages of ages.

All: Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Priest: Now as our Saviour has taught us,
let us pray.

All: 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.

Priest: 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.

The Conclusion and Blessing.

Priest: Go out and in all of life, worship the Lord.
Entrust yourself to the winds of God's Spirit;
put to death selfish desires,
and offer yourself for God's mission in the world.

And may God give strength to you and to all;
May Christ Jesus bless you with peace;
And may the Holy Spirit, whispering within your hearts,
give you assurance that you are God's children.

All: Amen.

Closing Hymn: CP 393 Immortal Invisible God Only Wise

(tune: St Denio)

**Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
in light inaccessible, hid from our eyes,
most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.**

**Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,
nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might;
thy justice like mountains high soaring above
thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.**

**To all life thou givest, to both great and small;
in all life thou livest, the true life of all;
we blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,
and wither and perish, but nought changeth thee.**

**Great Source of all glory and wisdom and light,
thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;
all laud we would render: O help us to see
'tis only the splendour of light hideth thee.**

Dismissal

Priest: We go in peace to love and serve the Lord,

All: In the name of Christ. Amen.

Postlude

Thank you to all who helped with this service: Presider: Rev. Daniel Fournier; Readers: Sean Tiernay and Tara Poillievre; Intercessions: Tara Poillievre; Musicians: Olivia Craster, Daniel Fournier, Sharon McMillan, Susanne Reul-Zastre, Matthew Robertson, Maria Ross, and Joan Scandrett; Videographers: Emma Robertson and Sam Ferraby; Service Planning and Service Outline: Daniel Fournier; Proofreading, Posting Bulletin and Livestream Link at the Website: Barb Prescott; Posting the Link at Facebook: Sharon McMillan; Printing Readings and Bulletins: Bonnie Watkins.

THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS – May 30th – June 6th
(New Items, *Revised Items)**

***The service today (May 30th) and the Sundays going forward will be livestreamed from the church** – Join the livestream link (www.stlukesvictoria.ca/live) to listen to the prelude starting at 10:00 am. The services will also be recorded to watch later.

Coffee Time via Zoom will start at 11:15 am after the livestreamed service. Watch for the link, which will be sent out by e-mail and join us in your home via Zoom. Hope to see you there.

****Letter from the Bishop regarding Future Reopening** – The Bishop will be meeting on June 2nd with the archdeacons and synod staff to develop a reopening plan for the Diocese. Parishes could reopen over the summer or could wait until September. Please read the Bishop's letter at the **News page of St. Luke's website**.

***Sound System Upgrade Appeal** – Please read a letter from Daniel at the **News page of St. Luke's website** regarding an appeal for donations towards a very necessary upgrade to our sound system as livestreaming continues to be an important aspect of our ministry. **Thank you to those who have already made donations through your envelopes or through Canada Helps. Donations to date total \$550!** We are on our way to reaching our goal of \$3,900.

***Country Grocer Save A Tape Program Update** – Please continue to collect your Country Grocer receipts and turn them in to Bonnie at the Church Office, mail them to the Church Office, or put them in an envelope in the mail slot. **We now have \$2,676.35, which is more than halfway towards our goal of \$5,000 to receive a \$50.00 gift certificate.** Well done, everyone! Please keep dropping off your receipts. See more information at the **News page of St. Luke's website**.

Registration is Now Open for This Year's Amazing Journey Day Camp, which will be held this year August 9th to August 13th. This small group program will be held from 9 am to noon outdoors at St. George's, Cadboro Bay. The program is for children who have completed Grades 1 to 5. The registration form is available at the **News page of St. Luke's website**.

***2021 Plant Stand Fundraiser for the Shelbourne Community Kitchen** – An informal Plant Stand is set up at the end of the driveway at 3597 Thistle St. **through to July 1st**. Visit the plant stand to buy some plants for this year or to drop off some extras. **To date, \$3,200 has been raised for the Shelbourne Community Kitchen**. Let's see how much more we can raise. Questions? Please talk to Barb Prescott. See more information at the **Events page of St. Luke's website**.

***Thrifty Foods Smile Card Program Extended to June 15th** – Usually each year's Smile Card Program finishes at the end of April. **To date we have received \$1,860.66, which is two-thirds of our fundraising goal of \$2,800. Please continue to "load up" your Smile Card before June 15th, so that we can reach our fundraising goal before the program ends.** This year our project is the repair of the rock walls on the grounds. For more information about using your Smile Card, visit the **Thrifty Foods Smile Card Fundraising page** at St. Luke's website.

St. Luke's Anniversary T-shirts are now available to purchase at the church office. The t-shirts, with the wonderful, colourful design chosen through the T-Shirt Design Contest, are available in sizes S-3XL at a cost of \$20 each. As well as celebrating St. Luke's Anniversary, these t-shirts are a fundraiser for St. Luke's. See more information at the **News page of St. Luke's website**.

Thank You for your Support for the Ongoing Ministry of St. Luke's Church by writing a cheque, making a donation online through Canada Helps, and by signing up for ECP. Your

donations are greatly appreciated. Please refer to the **DONATE page** at the website for more information.

IN THE WORLDWIDE ANGLICAN PRAYER CYCLE, we pray for La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico - Francisco Moreno, Archbishop. **In the Canadian ACC/ELCIC Cycle of Prayer, we pray for** The Rt. Rev. Andrew Asbil, Bishop; The Rt. Rev. Kevin Robertson, Suffragan Bishop; The Rt. Rev. Riscylla Shaw, Suffragan Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Toronto (ACC), and the Lutheran Collegiate Bible Institute in Outlook Saskatchewan (ELCIC). **In our Diocesan Prayer Cycle, we pray for** Anna, our Bishop, and for the parish of Trinity Anglican/Lutheran Church, Pt. Alberni and their priest, Brenda Nestegaard Paul. **We also pray for** Lutheran Church of the Cross and Pastor Lyle and Pastor Lyndon, and the Diocese of Caledonia and Bishop David Lehmann.



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READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY June 6, 2021

1 Samuel 8: 4-20, (11: 14-15)

Psalm 138

2 Corinthians 4: 13-5: 1

Mark 3: 20-35

FLOWERS

Flowers today are given to the glory of God
and in loving memory of Lucille Fournier by her son, Daniel.
Forever loved...forever missed.

Flowers at St. Luke's are coordinated by Ann Séguin.