



A Creative Spiritual Community

Book of Alternative Services



21st Sunday after Pentecost

October 17, 2021

9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. services

Acknowledgement - As we gather we recognize that we live, work and play on the traditional lands of the SENĆOTEN and HUL'Q'UMI'NUM speaking Coast Salish Peoples. We also join in a line of Anglicans who have worshipped on these lands. As we continue we commit ourselves as a settler church and people to continue with our First Nations neighbours on the journey of truth and reconciliation.

Altar Flowers - Given to the Glory of God Flowers are offered up in gratitude to God for the life of my husband, Donald Whiteley, and the thirty-four years we were given together.
From Catherine Whiteley



Prelude - "Psalms 124 and 91" - Denis Bédard

Announcements

The Son of man came also not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many. *Mark 10:45*

Opening Hymn (CP #3) "Morning Has Broken"

Morning has broken like the first morning
Blackbird has spoken like the first bird
Praise for the singing
Praise for the morning
Praise for them springing fresh from the Word

Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven
Like the first dewfall on the first grass
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden
Sprung in completeness where His feet pass

Mine is the sunlight, Mine is the morning
Born of the one light Eden saw play
Praise with elation Praise every morning
God's recreation of the new day

Gathering of the Community

Celebrant Almighty God,

All to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen

Gloria

All Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant Let us pray.

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.**

Proclamation of the Word

Psalm 91

- 1 You who live in the shelter of the Most High, who abide in the shadow of the Almighty,
- 2 **will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress; my God, in whom I trust."**
- 3 For he will deliver you from the snare of the fowler and from the deadly pestilence;
- 4 **he will cover you with his pinions, and under his wings you will find refuge; his faithfulness is a shield and buckler.**
- 5 You will not fear the terror of the night, or the arrow that flies by day,
- 6 **or the pestilence that stalks in darkness, or the destruction that wastes at noonday.**
- 7 A thousand may fall at your side, ten thousand at your right hand, but it will not come near you.
- 8 **You will only look with your eyes and see the punishment of the wicked.**
- 9 Because you have made the Lord your refuge, the Most High your dwelling place,
- 10 **no evil shall befall you, no scourge come near your tent.**
- 11 For he will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways.
- 12 **On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.**
- 13 You will tread on the lion and the adder, the young lion and the serpent you will trample under foot.
- 14 **Those who love me, I will deliver; I will protect those who know my name.**
- 15 When they call to me, I will answer them; I will be with them in trouble, I will rescue them and honor them.
- 16 **With long life I will satisfy them, and show them my salvation.**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

A Reading from Paul's letter to the Hebrews (5:1-10)

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

All **Thanks be to God**

Gradual Hymn, (CP #56) "I Am the Bread, The Bread of Life"

I am the bread, the bread of life;
Who comes to me will never hunger.
I am the bread, the bread of heaven;
Who feeds on me will never die.
And as you eat, remember me –
My body broken on the tree:
And life was given to set you free,
And I'm alive for evermore.

Gospel Reading

The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Mark
(10:35-45)

All **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

The Gospel of Christ.

All **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

Gradual hymn cont'd

I am the vine, the living vine;
Apart from me you can do nothing.
I am the vine, the real vine;
Abide in me and I in you.
And as you drink, remember me –
My blood was shed upon the tree:
My life was given to set you free,
And I'm alive⁶ for evermore.

So eat this bread, and drink this wine,
And as you do, receive this life of mine.
All that I am, I give to you,
That you may live for evermore.

Sermon - The Rev. Canon Dr. Eric Partridge

Anthem - "The Truth I'm Standing On" - Pruis, Crawford and West
Lois Ainey - Mezzo Soprano

The Prayers of the People

Confession

As we prepare to meet the living Christ at the Table, let us humbly confess our sins.

All Most merciful God, you are always true to us in love and yet we so often fall short of that love. We are truly sorry for our faithlessness to you and to one another, for our forgetting of the poor and the broken, for our failure to cherish creation. Give us life, O God, to enable us to change ourselves and the world, that we may walk in your way and glory in your name. We ask this in the name of your son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

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. **Amen.**

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All And also with you.

Offertory

Eucharistic Prayer #2

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

All **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Celebrant We give you thanks and praise, almighty God, through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Redeemer. He is your living Word, through whom you have created all things.

By the power of the Holy Spirit he took flesh of the Virgin Mary and shared our human nature. He lived and died as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

In fulfilment of your will he stretched out his hands in suffering, to bring release to those who place their hope in you; and so he won for you a holy people.

He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows, and to give up his life on the cross, that he might shatter the chains of evil and death, and banish the darkness of sin and despair. By his resurrection he brings us into the light of your presence.

Now with all creation we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

All **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

Celebrant Holy and gracious God, accept our praise, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; who on the night he was handed over to suffering and death, took bread and gave you thanks, saying, "Take, and eat: this is my body which is broken for you." In the same way he took the cup, saying, "This is my blood which is shed for you. When you do this, you do it in memory of me."

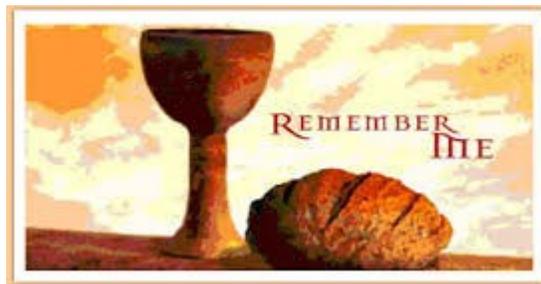
Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, we offer you this bread and this cup, giving thanks that you have made us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you.

We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering of your holy Church. Gather into one all who share in these sacred mysteries, filling them with the Holy Spirit and confirming their faith in the truth, that together we may praise you and give you glory through your Servant, Jesus Christ.

All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and for ever.

All

Amen.



The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant As our Saviour 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 for ever. Amen.

Breaking of Bread #2

Celebrant We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.

Invitation

The gifts of God for the people of God.

All Thanks be to God.

THE COMMUNION



Prayer After Communion

God of peace, you have nourished us in this sacrament with the body and blood of Christ. May we who have taken holy things keep faith in our hearts and lives, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

Celebrant **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.**

Sending Hymn, (JN #304)

My Jesus my Saviour
Lord there is none like You
All of my days I want to Praise
The wonders of Your mighty love
My comfort my shelter
Tower of refuge and strength
Let every breath all that I am
Never cease to worship You

**Shout to the Lord all the earth let us sing
Power and majesty Praise to the King
Mountains bow down and the seas will roar
At the sound of Your name
I sing for joy at the work of Your hands
Forever I'll love You forever I'll stand
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Blessing

Go Now in Peace

**Go now in peace, never be afraid
God will go with you each hour of every day
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true
Know he will guide you in all you do
Go now in love and show you believe
Reach out to others so all the world can see
God will be there around us and above
Go now in peace, in faith and in love**

Dismissal

Postlude – “Psalm 100” - Bédard

***** This Week at a Glance *****

(October 17- October 24, 2021)

Sunday **October 17, 2021 - 21st Sunday after Pentecost**
9:00 a.m. service
10:30 a.m. service
(Pre-registration required, 1 or 2 vaccines and mask)

Monday - Tuesday All Events CANCELLED until further notice

Wednesday 2:00 p.m. Weekly Zoom Prayer Gathering
(link sent by email)

Thursday 11:00 a.m. Zoom Bible Study

Friday - Saturday All Events CANCELLED until further notice

Sunday **October 24, 2021 - 22nd Sunday after Pentecost**
9:00 a.m. service
10:30 a.m. service
(Pre-registration required, 1 or 2 vaccines and mask)

Monthly Mission

Mission for October, November & December -
'FRIENDS' of St. Andrew -
Outreach Ministry to Sidney's homeless community

Readings for October 24, 2021



1st Lesson: Job 42:1-6, 16-17
Psalm: 34:1-8
Epistle: Hebrews 7:23-28
Gospel: Mark 10:45-52

Pray of the Peace of Jerusalem

Pray for peace in Jerusalem - for peace among all the many faith traditions and peoples of the middle east and especially those in Jerusalem".

Weekly Cycles of Prayer

In our parish, we pray for Suzanne Crerar; Joan and John Cribdon; Tim and Helen Cribdon; Pat Csimá; Judy Curran.

In our community, we pray for students, staff and administration of Lochside Elementary School.

In our Diocese, we pray for Anna, our Bishop, and our brothers and sisters in Christ of the parish of Christ Church, Gabriola Island, The Rev. Karen Hollis.

We pray for all postulants, especially Jill Harris.

In our Ecclesiastical Province, we pray for the Diocese of Caledonia, Bishop David Lehmann.

In the world, we pray for the Church in the Province of the West Indies.

Looking Forward

October 22	Collation and Installation of Canons of the Cathedral Christ Church Cathedral, 10:30 a.m.
October 23	Order of the Diocese of BC service Christ Church Cathedral, 10:30 a.m.
October 24	Bishop Anna's Pastoral Visit
November 30	St. Andrew's Day
November 1	All Saint's Day
November 6	Vocation Day, 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. UVIC Multi-faith room, or zoom
November 7	Time Change - 1 hour back
November 7	International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church

Parish Announcement

CHURCH CALENDARS 2022 - A limited number of 2022 Church Calendars are available in the office. \$5.00 each

OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE YOUR CHURCH COMMUNITY - The Altar Guild is looking for new members. Members assist with the set-up and clean up of the Altar once monthly. On special occasions, like Easter, Thanksgiving and Christmas, we have the joy of decorating of the church. Please contact Lois at the office and we will get back to you.

'FRIENDS' of St. Andrew - OUTREACH MINISTRY TO OUR HOMELESS NEIGHBOURS - Our new Community Outreach ministry for our neighbours who are homeless and/or food insecure is now up and running. We are now active in the community handing out sandwiches, muffins, coffee and juice. If you are interested in joining our team of volunteers to prepare food and/or to serve our 'FRIENDS' in the community please contact Lois () or

FRIENDS GoFundMe page link -

'FRIENDS of St. Andrew is the Monthly Mission for October-December.

WARM CLOTHES - BLANKETS AND COATS FOR THE NEEDY - With autumn and chilly nights upon us, we are again **collecting blankets and outerwear** (i.e. coats, gloves, boots, etc.). They can be brought in to the office, Mon-Thurs, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. They will be donated either to FRIENDS of St. Andrew homeless in Sidney, or to the Our Place Outreach Program and dispersed among the needy of Victoria's streets.

CHURCH OFFICE ACCEPTING OFFERINGS - Offerings can be dropped off at the church office Monday through Thursday from 9 to 1. Please consider **Pre-Authorized offerings** - forms are available on the webpage: <https://www.standrewssidney.ca/pages/parish-documents> and in the office.

Please drop off any envelope offering using the office mail slot.



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