



# The Anglican Parish of Saint Barnabas

October 17, 2021

21<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Service of Holy Communion via Zoom

*Welcome to St. Barnabas Anglican Church*

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Hymn 500 "Sister, Let Me Be Your Servant" v.v. 1, 2, 6

*Sister, let me be your servant,  
let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace to  
let you be my servant too.*

*We are pilgrims on a journey,  
fellow travellers on the road;  
we are here to help each other  
walk the mile and bear the load.*

*Brother, let me be your servant,  
let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace to  
let you be my servant too.*

This Lord is nigh unto all them that call upon him, to all that call upon him in truth.

O LORD, open thou our lips;

**And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.**

O God, make speed to save us;

**O Lord, make haste to help us.**

GLORY be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

**As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

Minister. Praise ye the Lord;

**The Lord's Name be praised.**

**COME, let us sing unto the LORD: let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation. Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving, and show ourselves glad in him with psalms. For the LORD is a great God, and a great King above all gods. In his hand are all the corners of the earth: and the strength of the hills is his also. The sea is his, and he made it: and his hands prepared the dry land.**

**O COME, let us worship, and fall down, and kneel before the LORD our Maker. For he is the Lord our God; and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.**

**GLORY be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

Psalms 104:1-9, 25, 37B

Mary Douglas

Refrain: Lord, how manifold are your works! in wisdom you have made them all.

Bless the Lord, O my soul; O Lord my God, how excellent is your greatness! you are clothed with majesty and splendour. You wrap yourself with light as with a cloak and spread out the heavens like a curtain. **Refrain**

You lay the beams of your chambers in the waters above; you make the clouds your chariot; you ride on the wings of the wind. You make the winds your messengers and flames of fire your servants. **Refrain**

You have set the earth upon its foundations, so that it never shall move at any time. You covered it with the deep as with a mantle; the waters stood higher than the mountains. Refrain

At your rebuke they fled; at the voice of your thunder they hastened away. They went up into the hills and down to the valleys beneath, to the places you had appointed for them. You set the limits that they should not pass; they shall not again cover the earth. **Refrain**

O Lord, how manifold are your works! in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures. Hallelujah! **Refrain**

1st Reading: Job 38:1-7, 34-41

Mary Douglas

Then the Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind: "Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you shall declare to me. Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements - surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?"

"Can you lift up your voice to the clouds, so that a flood of waters may cover you? Can you send forth lightnings, so that they may go and say to you, 'Here we are'? Who has put wisdom in the inward parts, or given understanding to the mind? Who has the wisdom to number the clouds? Or who can tilt the waterskins of the heavens, when the dust runs into a mass and the clods cling together? Can you hunt the prey for the lion, or satisfy the appetite of the young lions, when they crouch in their dens, or lie in wait in their covert? Who provides for the raven its prey, when its young ones cry to God, and wander about for lack of food?"

**WE praise thee, O God; we acknowledge thee to be the Lord. All earth doth worship thee, the Father everlasting. To thee all Angels cry aloud, the Heavens and all the Powers therein. To thee Cherubim and Seraphim continually do cry, Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts; Heaven and earth are full of the Majesty of thy glory. The glorious company of the Apostles praise thee; The goodly fellowship of the Prophets praise thee; The noble army of Martyrs praise thee; The holy Church throughout all the world doth acknowledge thee, The Father, of an infinite Majesty; Thine honourable, true, and only Son; Also the Holy Ghost, the Comforter.**

**THOU art the King of Glory, O Christ. Thou art the everlasting Son of the Father. When thou tookest upon thee to deliver man, thou didst not abhor the Virgin's womb. When thou hadst overcome the sharpness of death, thou didst open the kingdom of heaven to all believers. Thou sittest at the right hand of God, in the glory of the Father. We believe that thou shalt come to be our Judge. We therefore pray thee, help thy servants, whom thou hast redeemed with thy precious blood. Make them to be numbered with thy Saints, in glory everlasting.**

**LORD, save thy people, and bless thine heritage; Govern them, and lift them up for ever. Day by day we magnify thee; And we worship thy Name, ever world without end. Vouchsafe, O Lord, to keep us this day without sin. O Lord, have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us. O Lord, let thy mercy lighten upon us, as our trust is in thee. O Lord, in thee have I trusted: let me never be confounded.**

2nd Reading: Hebrews 5:1-10

Mary Douglas

Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people.

And one does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was. So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed

by the one who said to him, "You are my Son, today I have begotten you"; as he says also in another place, "You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek."

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

3<sup>rd</sup> Reading: Mark 10:35-45

The Rev. Marcus Herrel

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to Jesus and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you."

And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?"

And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory."

But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?"

They replied, "We are able."

Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

**BLESSED be the Lord God of Israel; for he hath visited, and redeemed his people; And hath raised up a mighty salvation for us, in the house of his servant David; As he spake by the mouth of his holy Prophets, which have been since the world began; That we should be saved from our enemies, and from the hands of all that hate us; To perform the mercy promised to our forefathers, and to remember his holy covenant; To perform the oath which he sware to our forefather Abraham, that he would grant us That we being delivered out of the hands of our enemies might serve him without fear, In holiness and righteousness before him, all the days of our life.**

**AND thou, child, shalt be called the Prophet of the Highest: for thou shalt go before the face of the Lord to prepare his ways; To give knowledge of salvation unto his people for the remission of their sins; Through the tender mercy of our God; whereby the day-spring from on high hath visited us; To give light to them that sit in darkness, and in the shadow of death, and to guide our feet into the way of peace.**

**GLORY be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

**I BELIEVE in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead, and buried: He descended into hell; The third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the**

**right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost; The holy Catholic Church; The Communion of Saints; The Forgiveness of sins; The Resurrection of the body, And the Life everlasting. Amen.**

The Lord be with you;

**And with thy spirit.**

Let us pray.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

**Christ, have mercy upon us.**

Lord, have mercy upon us.

**OUR Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. Amen.**

O Lord, show thy mercy upon us;

**And grant us thy salvation.**

O Lord, save the Queen;

**And mercifully hear us when we call thee.**

Endue thy Ministers with righteousness;

**And make thy chosen people joyful.**

O Lord, save thy people;

**And bless thine inheritance.**

Give peace in our time, O Lord;

**And evermore mightily defend us.**

O God, make clean our hearts within us;

**And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.**

The Collect of the Day: 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.**

GOD, who art the author of peace and lover of concord, in knowledge of whom standeth our eternal life, whose service is perfect freedom: Defend us thy humble servants in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in thy defence, may not fear the power of any adversaries; through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

LORD our heavenly Father, Almighty and everlasting God, who hast safely brought us to the beginning of this day: Defend us in the same with thy mighty power; and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger; but that all our doings may be ordered by thy governance, to do always that is righteous in thy sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Sermon

The Rev. Kersi Bird

Hymn 504 "Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love" v.v. 1, 2

*Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love,  
show us how to serve  
the neighbours we have from you.*

*Kneels at the feet of his friends,  
silently washes their feet,  
master who acts as a slave to them.*

*Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love,  
show us how to serve  
the neighbours we have from you.*

*Neighbours are rich and poor,  
varied in colour and race,  
neighbours are near and far away.  
Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love,  
show us how to serve  
the neighbours we have from you.*

We pray for our Diocese: St. Aidan & St. Chad, Cowley; St. John, Pincher Creek: The Rev. Doug Rawling, The Rev. Betty Piwowar; Creation Care Calgary

We pray for members of our parish family: Wes and Pat Bluhm; Pauline Booth; Derek and Lindsay Borden, and our confirmation candidates: Ali, Ella, and Eric.

We pray for those in need of God's healing gifts: Bill, Barry, Rafiq and Farzana, Nadine, Jennifer Parsons, Symon, Doreen Chyz, Mark, Len, Nieve, Elijah Richards, John, Sharon, James and Susan Norwood, Gwyneth Parker, Mike, Gail Croker, Marie Whatley, Jill, Kris, Jeff, Don Lee, Marian Standing, Pat and Tom Barton, Andy St. Onge, Arlene Parsons

ALMIGHTY God, the fountain of all goodness, we humbly beseech thee to bless our Sovereign Lady, Queen ELIZABETH, the Parliaments of the Commonwealth, and all who are set in authority under her; that they may order all things in wisdom, righteousness, and peace, to the honour of thy holy Name, and the good of thy Church and people; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, from whom cometh every good and perfect gift: Send down upon our Bishops and Clergy, and all Congregations committed to their charge, the healthful Spirit of thy grace; and that they may truly please thee, pour upon them the continual dew of thy blessing. Grant this, O Lord, for the honour of our Advocate and Mediator, Jesus Christ **Amen.**

GOD, the Creator and Preserver of all man-kind, we humbly beseech thee for all sorts and conditions of men; that thou wouldest be pleased to make thy ways known unto them, thy saving health unto all nations. More especially we pray for the good estate of the Catholic Church; that it may be so guided and governed by thy good Spirit, that all who profess and call themselves Christians may be led into the way of truth, and hold the faith in unity of spirit, in the bond of peace, and in righteousness of life. Finally we commend to thy fatherly goodness all those, who are any ways afflicted or distressed in mind, body, or estate; especially those for whom our prayers are desired; that it may please thee to comfort and relieve them, according to their several necessities, giving them patience under their sufferings, and a happy issue out of all their afflictions. And this we beg for Jesus Christ his sake. **Amen.**

ALMIGHTY God, Father of all mercies, We thine unworthy servants do give thee most humble and hearty thanks for all thy goodness and loving-kindness To us and to all people; particularly to those who desire now to offer up their praises and thanksgivings. We bless thee for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; But above all for thine inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; For the means of grace, And for the hope of glory. And we beseech thee, give us that due sense of all thy mercies, That our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful, And that we show forth thy praise, Not only with our lips, but in our lives; By giving up ourselves to thy service, And by walking before thee in holiness and righteousness all our days; Through Jesus Christ our Lord, To whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. **Amen.**

ALMIGHTY God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications unto thee; and dost promise that when two or three are gathered together in thy Name thou wilt grant their requests: Fulfil now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants, as may be most expedient for them; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

THE grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. **Amen.**

#### Announcements

Hymn 560 “God, Whose Almighty Word” v.v. 1, 2

*God, whose almighty Word  
chaos and darkness heard,  
and took their flight:  
hear us, we humbly pray,  
and where the gospel-day  
sheds not its glorious ray,  
let there be light!*

*Saviour, who came to bring  
on your redeeming wing  
healing and sight,  
health to the sick in mind,  
sight to the inly blind:  
now for all humankind  
let there be light!*

#### Dismissal

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We pray for Christ’s Holy Catholic Church: ACC: The Rt. Rev. Lynne McNaughton, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Kootenay. ELCIC: The dean, council, and congregations of the Vancouver Island Region of the British Columbia Synod.

We pray for our Companion Diocese of the Windward Isles: St. James, Layou with St. Mary, Buccament on St. Vincent: The Rev. Fr. Justice Tetteh Apo, Priest-in-Charge

CCLI Licence #11392823. Readings for October 24: Job 42:1-6, 10-17; Psalm 34:1-8; Hebrews 7:23-28; Mark 10:46-52

The service on October 24 will be on Zoom.

Kersi will be on vacation from October 22 to November 6.

Link for the livestream of Sunday’s service (note: you will be directed to YouTube:  
<https://youtu.be/Tf1pAqH7IBk>. If you are unable to watch the service live, you can view it after 1:00 PM on our YouTube channel:  
[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5Gx5gap54L0yVH8-t\\_dQUQ](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5Gx5gap54L0yVH8-t_dQUQ).

Link for Zoom events: click on <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/7825637683>. ID: 782 563 7683; use the mute function at the bottom of the screen unless you are speaking. To join with a landline, dial 587-328-1099 at the appointed time, enter meeting ID 782 563 7683 followed by #; you will then be asked for your own ID – press # to bypass this message and you will be connected to the call. This week’s Zoom events are:

- Midweek Prayer Group at 10:00 AM on Wednesday; readings for October 20 are Psalm 136 and John 15:18-end.

The altar guild is looking for more members. See the newsletter for details on duties. Please speak to Angie Martinac for more information.

Diocesan ACW Fall Events on Zoom: book study, "Women in The New Testament" begins on Monday, October 18th with The Rev. Betty Piwowar, Chaplain at 7:00 PM; a service of Lessons and Carols on December 6th at 7:00 PM. For more information or to register, please email: [dioceseofcalgaryacw@gmail.com](mailto:dioceseofcalgaryacw@gmail.com).

Outreach Update: Can't get enough of those cute animals from the Blessing of the Animals service? Help us continue to support our furry companions by participating in our October outreach initiative for the Calgary Humane Society. The Calgary Humane Society is Calgary's only open-admission animal shelter. They are committed to providing world-class foster care to animals, as well as helping them find their forever homes. Please refer to the newsletter for the complete list of needed items as well as information on how to donate.

Join the new St. Barnabas Book Club! Our inaugural meeting will be over Zoom on Wednesday, November 3rd at 6:30 PM. The first book we are going to read is "God's Smuggler" by Brother Andrew. It is a bestselling book of international intrigue and the discovery of faith.

Here is a brief synopsis: Andrew van der Bijl (born 11 May 1928 in Sint Pancras, Netherlands), known in English-speaking countries as Brother Andrew, is a Christian missionary famous for his exploits smuggling Bibles to communist countries in the height of the Cold War, a feat that has earned him the nickname "God's smuggler".

"God's Smuggler" by Brother Andrew (Chosen Books, 2015 edition) is available for order on [amazon.ca](http://amazon.ca) and through Chapters/Indigo. Please have read the book by November 3rd and come prepared to share your thoughts!

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