

Welcome to
St. Luke Cedar Hill
The Patronal Festival of St. Luke
Holy Eucharist
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of the Esquimalt, Songhees and WSÁNEĆ people,
the traditional custodians of these lands.*

Prelude (Please be seated.)

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

Please stand as you are able.

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.

Invitation to Confession

Priest: The grace of God has dawned upon the world
with healing for all.
Let us come to him, in sorrow for our sins,
seeking healing and salvation.

Confession

Priest: God our Father,

**All: long-suffering, full of grace and truth,
you create us from nothing and give us life.
You give your faithful people
new life in the water of baptism.
You do not turn your face from us,
nor cast us aside.
We confess that we have sinned
against you and our neighbour.
We have wounded your love
and marred your image in us.
Restore us for the sake of your Son,
and bring us to heavenly joy,
in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

Absolution:

Priest: May God who loved the world so much
that he sent his Son to be our Saviour,
forgive us our sins

and make us holy to serve him in the world,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Opening Hymn: CP 300 Christ is Made the Sure Foundation

(tune: Westminster Abbey)

**Christ is made the sure foundation,
Christ the head and cornerstone,
chosen of the Lord, and precious,
binding all the church in one,
holy Zion's help forever,
and her confidence alone.**

**All that dedicated city,
dearly loved of God on high,
in exultant jubilation
pours perpetual melody,
God the One-in-Three adoring
in glad hymns eternally.**

**To this temple, where we call thee,
come, O Lord of hosts, today;
with thy wonted loving kindness,
hear thy servants as they pray;
and thy fullest benediction
shed within its walls always.**

**Here vouchsafe to all thy servants
what they ask of thee to gain,
what they gain from thee forever
with the blessed to retain,
and hereafter in thy glory
evermore with thee to reign.**

**Laud and honour to the Father,
laud and honour to the Son,
laud and honour to the Spirit,
ever three, and ever one,
one in might and one in glory,
while unending ages run.**

Collect of the Day

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Priest: God of the gathering storm,
calling us to announce the nearness of your rule:
we praise you for the good news of Luke,
for stories of searching love
and grace found in the foreigner;
of women of strength and rebellion
and men called from the margins;
may we be bearers of the Word
to a world hungry for you;
through Jesus Christ, who feasted with sinners.

All: Amen.

Please be seated.

The Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING: Sirach 38: 1-4, 6-10, 12-14

Reader: *Genevieve Richards*

Reader: A reading from the Book of Sirach

The reading can be found here:

<https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2021-10-18>

At the end of the reading:

Reader: Word of God, Word of Life.

All: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 147: 1-7

Response: Great is our Lord and mighty in power.

Alleluia.

How good it is to make music for our God,
how joyful to honour him with praise.

The Lord builds up Jerusalem
and gathers together the outcasts of Israel. *(Response)*

He heals the brokenhearted
and binds up all their wounds.
He counts the number of the stars
and calls them all by their names. *(Response)*

Great is our Lord and mighty in power;
his wisdom is beyond all telling.
The Lord lifts up the poor,
but casts down the wicked to the ground. *(Response)*

Sing to the Lord with thanksgiving;
make music to our God upon the lyre. *(Response)*

Please stand as you are able.

Gradual Hymn: CP 598 Go To the Word

(tune: Engelberg)

**Go to the world! Go into all the earth.
Go preach the cross where Christ renews life's worth,
baptizing as the sign of our rebirth.
Alleluia!**

**Go to the world! Go into every place.
Go live the word of God's redeeming grace.
Go seek God's presence in each time and space.
Alleluia!**

**Go to the world! Go struggle, bless and pray;
the nights of tears give way to joyous day.
As servant church, you follow Christ's own way.
Alleluia!**

**Go to the world! Go as the ones I send,
for I am with you till the age shall end,
when all the hosts of glory cry, "Amen!"
Alleluia!**

THE GOSPEL: Luke 10: 1-9

Reader: *Genevieve Richards*

Reader: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

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

All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The gospel can be found here:
<http://bible.oremus.org/?ql=501063289>

At the end of the gospel:

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily: The Rev. Daniel Fournier

The Apostle's Creed

Priest: Let us stand and profess the faith of our baptisms
as we say:

**All: I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ,
his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power
of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again
to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.
Amen.**

Please be seated.

Prayers of Intercession: *Led by Genevieve Richards*
In response to the words, "God, in your deep mercy,"
the community prays, "Hear our prayer."

Let us bring the needs of the church, the world,
and all in need, to God's loving care;

On this Feast of St. Luke, our Patron Saint,
we give thanks to God for his life and legacy.
We pray for all who are involved
in the vocation of healing: doctors, nurses,
medical staff, EMT's, and all who work
to provide care and comfort to those who are suffering.
In this time, we pray for all in the medical profession
who are weary, carrying heavy burdens
of responsibility, and those living with PTSD
and other forms of trauma
due to the nature of their work.

Grant wisdom to all who work in medical research,
that their efforts may benefit those who need it most.
God, in your deep mercy,

All: Hear our prayer.

Holy God, we offer thanksgiving and prayer for all the
groups and people St. Luke is the patron saint for:
artists, bachelors, bookbinders, brewers, butchers,
glassworkers, goldsmiths, lacemakers, notaries,
painters, physicians, sculptors, stained glass workers,
and surgeons.

May we, like St. Luke, be faithful stewards
of the gifts you give each one of us.

God, in your deep mercy,

All: Hear our prayer.

God of each and every life,
you open our eyes on the world you love
to show us your presence
and your purpose in all creation.

We thank you for the wonders of the seasons
as they change, and for gifts of love and compassion
you offer us through friend and stranger.

We pray for the earth as it struggles
to support your many creatures.

Make us better stewards in creation,
and kinder neighbours to both friend and stranger.

God, in your deep mercy,

All: Hear our prayer.

God of justice, you open our eyes on the world
to show us struggle and conflict.

We see the burdens many are carrying,
and the way differences create division.

We pray for all those still struggling
with the economic impact of the pandemic
and for those feeling the stress of these days
in deeply personal ways.

Show us how to support those in difficulty
and mend relationships in our community.

God, in your deep mercy,

All: Hear our prayer.

God of compassion, you open our eyes
on the world to show us suffering and despair.

We see challenges for health care all around us,
and know many still face the effects of COVID-19
or other illnesses and complications
that make life hard to cope with.

We pray for those who suffer here
and in so many places in the world you love.
We name before you now the concerns
we carry in our own hearts.

(Keep silence for 15 seconds.)

Give strength and compassion
to all who offer treatment,
and courage and hope to all who wait for healing.
God, in your deep mercy,

All: Hear our prayer.

God of wisdom, you open our eyes
on the world to show us its complexities.
We see countries locked in old animosities
and communities overwhelmed by fresh upheaval.
We pray for the millions displaced
in current conflicts and by natural disasters,
and for leaders here and around the world.
Open their eyes to the suffering of the earth
and those in their jurisdictions.
And open all our eyes to ways
we can participate in solutions to situations
which break your heart and ours.
God, in your deep mercy,

All: Hear our prayer.

And so, in our prayers and by our actions
we pray for your kingdom to come, in Jesus' name.

All: Amen.

The Peace: *(Please stand as you are able.)*

*For the peace, please acknowledge your greeting of peace
by a simple bow – with no physical contact.*

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: And also with you.

Offertory Hymn: CP 78 Deck Yourself

(tune: Schmücke Dich)

**Deck yourself, my soul with gladness;
leave the gloomy haunts of sadness.
Come into the daylight's splendour,
there with joy your praises render
to the Lord whose grace unbounded
has this royal banquet founded;
though all other powers excelling,
with my soul he makes his dwelling.**

**Lord, I bow before you lowly,
filled with joy most deep and holy,
as with trembling awe and wonder
all your mighty works I ponder –
how, by mystery surrounded,
depth no one has ever sounded,
none may dare to pierce unbidden
secrets that in you are hidden.**

**Shining Sun, my life you brighten;
Radiance, you my soul enlighten.
Joy, the best of all our knowing,
Fountain, swiftly in me flowing:
at your feet I kneel, my Maker –
let me be a fit partaker
of this sacred food from heaven,
for our good, your glory, given.**

**Jesus, bread of life, I pray you,
let me gladly here obey you;
never to my hurt invited,
always by your love delighted:
from this banquet let me measure,
Lord, how vast and deep its treasure;
through the gifts your hands have given,
let me be your guest in heaven.**

The Preparation of the Table

Prayer over the Gifts:

Priest: In these gifts, O Lord, you provide humankind
with the food that nourishes
and the sacrament that gives us life.
Grant, we pray, that our minds and bodies
may never lack this strength and support.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Eucharistic Prayer:

[Source: "Eucharistic Prayer G, Common Worship – The Church of England (2000)]

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

Priest: Blessed are you, Lord God,
our light and our salvation;
to you be glory and praise for ever.

From the beginning you have created all things
and all your works echo the silent music of your praise.
In the fullness of time you made us in your image,
the crown of all creation.

You give us breath and speech,
that with angels and archangels
and all the powers of heaven
we may find a voice to speak your praises:

**All: Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

Congregation may sit or kneel at this time.

Priest: How wonderful the work of your hands, O Lord.
As a mother tenderly gathers her children,
you embraced a people as your own.
When they turned away and rebelled
your love remained steadfast.

From them you raised up Jesus our Saviour,
born of Mary,
to be the living bread,
in whom all our hungers are satisfied.

He offered his life for sinners,
and with a love stronger than death
he opened wide his arms on the cross.

On the night before he died,
he came to supper with his friends
and, taking bread, he gave you thanks.
He broke it and gave it to them, saying:
"Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;
do this in remembrance of me."

At the end of supper, taking the cup of wine,
he gave you thanks, and said:
"Drink this, all of you;
this is my blood of the new covenant,
which is shed for you and for many
for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it,
in remembrance of me."

**All: Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.**

Priest: Father, we plead with confidence
his sacrifice made once for all upon the cross;
we remember his dying and rising in glory,
and we rejoice that he intercedes for us
at your right hand.

Pour out your Holy Spirit
as we bring before you
these gifts of your creation;
may they be for us
the body and blood of your dear Son.

As we eat and drink these holy things
in your presence,
form us in the likeness of Christ,
and build us into a living temple to your glory.

Remember, Lord, your Church in every land.
Reveal her unity, guard her faith,
and preserve her in peace.

Bring us at the last with St. Luke and all the saints
to the vision of that eternal splendour
for which you have created us;
through Jesus Christ, our Lord,
by whom, with whom, and in whom,
with all who stand before you in earth and heaven,
we worship you, Father almighty,
in songs of everlasting praise.

All: Amen.

The Lord's Prayer (Please stand as you are able.)

Priest: In the words that our Saviour taught us, we 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 the Bread:

Priest: Lamb of God,

**All: you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world,
grant us peace.**

The Giving of Communion

Priest: God's holy gifts for God's holy people.

All: Thanks be to God.

For the communion procession, please follow the directions of the sidespeople as each section is invited to come forward. Allow at least 2 metres (6 feet) between you and the person in front of you. As you come up to the communion station, stand behind the marked line and reach your hand forward to receive the host. Please exit to the chapel side and return to your seat.

Prayer after Communion (Please stand as you are able.)

Priest: Living God,

may we who have shared in these holy mysteries
enjoy health of body and mind,
and witness faithfully to your gospel,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: 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.**

Benediction:

Priest: God, who has prepared for you
a city with eternal foundations,
bring you, with all the saints,
to the eternal and triumphant joy of that city;
and the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.

All: Amen.

Closing Hymn: CP 525 The Church's One Foundation

(tune: Aurelia)

**The church's one foundation
is Jesus Christ our Lord;
we are his new creation
by water and the word:
from heaven he came and sought us
to be his holy bride;
with his own blood he fought us,
and for our life he died.**

**Elect from every nation
yet one o'er all the earth,
our charter of salvation
one Lord, one faith, one birth;
one glorious name we hallow,
partake one holy food,
and to one hope we follow,
with every grace endued.**

Though with dismay and wonder
we see the church oppressed,
by schisms rent asunder,
by heresies distressed:
yet saints their watch are keeping;
their cry goes up, "How long?"
And soon the night of weeping
shall be the morn of song.

'Mid toil and tribulation
and tumult of our war,
we wait the consummation
of peace for evermore,
till with the vision glorious
our longing eyes are blessed,
and the great church victorious
shall be the church at rest.

Yet we on earth have union
with God the Three-in-One,
and mystic sweet communion
with those whose rest is won.
O happy ones and holy!
Lord, give us grace that we
like them, the meek and lowly,
on high may dwell with thee.

Dismissal

Priest: Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

All: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Thank you to all who helped with this service: Presider: Rev. Daniel Fournier; Liturgical Assistant: Gillian Bloom; Reader and Intercessions: Genevieve Richards; Musicians: Patricia Bates, Daniel Fournier, Barbara Reul, Susanne Reul-Zastre, Genevieve Richards, Matthew Robertson, and Maria Ross; Sidespersons: Heather Simpson and Barb Prescott; Creation of Prayers of Intercession: Joan Scandrett; Videographers: Sharon McMillan and Ray Lett; 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: Justine Soles.

THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS October 17th – 24th
(New Items, *Revised Items)**

****Thank you to the Altar Guild members and all who helped** decorate the church for the Harvest Thanksgiving Festival last Sunday. The church looked beautiful, decorated with produce and all of the food donations for the Shelbourne Community Kitchen. Please see pictures and a letter of thanks from the Shelbourne Community Kitchen at the **News page of St. Luke's website**. The letter is also posted on the bulletin board in the hall.

****Parish Office Transitions** – The Parish Executive is pleased to announce that Mr. Andrew Lloyd will be taking on the position of Parish Administrator. Some of you may have met Andrew as he is Leslie Flynn's partner. Andrew brings with him previous office and administration experience having worked at both St. Matthias and St. Peter and St. Paul (Esquimalt). Andrew begins his work with us this Monday, October 18th.

****Thank to Justine Soles**, who filled in so well for us during this interim time. Our best wishes to Justine in her future endeavours.

Next Sunday's In-person Eucharist service will be at 10 am.

Anyone wishing to attend will need to register by phoning (250-477-6741) or e-mailing the office (admin@stlukecedarhill.ca) before 11 am on the Friday, prior to the Sunday service you wish to attend. (This will help us manage our capacity limits at this time.) **You will need to wear a mask, be distanced in the church except within family groups or established bubbles, and use hand sanitizer when entering the church.**

The services will be livestreamed and recorded as well as being in-person. The Bishop encourages those who are unvaccinated to watch the online services.

Coffee Time via Zoom will start at 11:45 am after the in-person and 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.

Thursday morning services are now being held at 10:30 am in the chapel. Everyone is welcome at this mid-week Eucharist service.

The October issue of the Diocesan Post is now available online at the News page of St. Luke's website. Print copies are available in the church or from the parish office. Or please call the office (250-477-6741) to ask to have a copy delivered.

Thank You for Your Support for the Ongoing Ministry of St. Luke's Church through your offerings by writing a cheque, making a donation online through Canada Helps, and by signing up for ECP. **Note that the offerings will now be taken forward to the altar each Sunday during the service, but we can't pass around the collection plate at this time.** If you miss putting in your donation as you enter the church, donations left in the collection plates after the service will also be collected.

Livestreaming Help Needed – We are hoping to create a roster of people who can help with the livestreaming each Sunday. **If you are interested in learning new skills in this area, please talk to Sharon or Ray after the service, or to**

Daniel, or leave your name at the office. An orientation session and training will be provided.

***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 made donations through your envelopes or through Canada Helps.

Donations as of October 12th total \$3,953.05. We have reached our goal of \$3,900. Well done, everyone!

***Country Grocer Save A Tape Program Update** – Please continue to collect your Country Grocer receipts and turn them in to the Church Office, mail them to the Church Office, or put them in an envelope in the mail slot. We have now collected \$5,000.23 in grocery receipts and have reached our first goal of \$5,000 in receipts to receive a \$50.00 gift certificate. **As of October 13th, we have \$2,507.85 towards our next goal of \$5,000 to receive a second \$50.00 gift certificate.** So please keep dropping off your receipts. See more information at the **News page of St. Luke’s website.**

IN THE WORLDWIDE ANGLICAN PRAYER CYCLE, we pray for the Church in the Province of the West Indies - The Most Revd. Howard Gregory, Primate. In the Canadian ACC/ELCIC Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the Rt. Rev. Lynne McNaughton, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Kootenay (ACC) and the dean, council, and congregations of the Vancouver Island Region of the British Columbia Synod (ELCIC). In our Diocesan Prayer Cycle, we pray for Anna, our Bishop, and for the Congregation of Christ Church, Gabriola Island, and their priest, Karen Hollis. We also pray for Lutheran Church of the Cross and Pastor Lyle and Pastor Lyndon, and for the Diocese of Caledonia and Bishop David Lehmann.

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READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY October 24, 2021

Job 42: 1-6, 10-17

Psalms 34: 1-8 (19-22)

Hebrews 7: 23-28

Mark 10: 46-52

FLOWERS

Today's flowers are given to the glory of God.

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