



A Creative Spiritual Community

Book of Alternative Services



5th Sunday of Easter

May 15, 2022

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 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

Altar Flowers - Given to the Glory of God in loving memory of Michael Connor. From Bidy and the family.

Monthly Mission

April - June - PWRDF - Ukraine

Readings for May 22, 2022

6th Sunday of Easter



Lesson: Acts 16:9-15

Psalm: 67

Epistle: Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5

Gospel: John 14:23-29

Looking Forward

May 16	Celebration of Life - Wendy Perry, 1:30 p.m.
May 29	Jerusalem Sunday
June 11	Celebration of Life - Verne Stables, 2:00 p.m.
June 25	Celebration of Life - Phyllis King, 2 pm
June 26	Outdoor service, 10:00 a.m.
July & August	Sunday Eucharist services, 10:00 a.m. only
August 13	Celebration of Life-George Emmond, 2 pm
September 11	Outdoor service, 10:00 a.m. (tentative)
September 18	Bishop Anna's visit

Prelude - “On “Kellingrove”” - Bédard

Announcements

A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another as I have loved you. *John 13:34*

Opening hymn, (CP #354) “Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

Come, thou Fount of every blessing,
tune my heart to sing thy grace;
streams of mercy, never ceasing,
call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet,
sung by flaming tongues above.
O the vast, the boundless treasure
Of my God’s unchanging love.

Here I make faith’s affirmation:
thus far by thy help I’ve come,
and I hope, by thy compassion,
safely to arrive at home.
Jesus sought me when a stranger,
wandering from the fold of God;
he, to rescue me from danger,
interposed his precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor
daily I’m constrained to be!
Let thy goodness, like a fetter,
bind my wandering heart to thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
prone to leave the God I love;
here’s my heart, O take and seal it,
seal it for thy courts above.

The Gathering of the Community

Lay Assistant Alleluia! Christ is Risen

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Lay Assistant May his grace and peace be with you.

People May he fill our hearts with joy.

Lay Assistant 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.

Glory to God

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.

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.

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.

The Collect of the Day

Lay Assistant

Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life. Give us grace to love one another and walk in the way of his commandments, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Proclamation of the Word

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles (11:1-18)

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people

All Thanks be to God

Psalm 23

- 1 The Lord is my shepherd; * I shall not be in want.
- 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures * and leads me beside still waters.
- 3 He revives my soul * and guides me along right pathways for his name's sake.
- 4 Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; * for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.
- 5 You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; * you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup is running over.
- 6 Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, * and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

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.

Gradual Hymn, (CP #709) "Gospel Acclamation"

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Gospel Reading

The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John
(13:31-35)

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

The Gospel of Christ.

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

Gradual hymn cont'd

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!



Sermon - The Rev. Canon Dr. Eric Partridge

Message of Music - "Halleluia" - Cohen

Amanda Reyes, Gracie Vanthuyne, Katie Van Bergeyk

The Shemah

Lay Leader Let us affirm our faith, in the words of the
Shemah,

All **Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God,
the Lord is one.**

**Love the Lord your God with all your heart,
with all your soul, with all your mind,
and with all your strength.**

**This is the first and great commandment.
The second is like it:
Love your neighbour as yourself.
There is no commandment greater than these.**

The Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution

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

Celebrant Most merciful God,
All 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 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

Celebrant 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.

People Amen.

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
All And also with you.

Offertory

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise him all creatures here below
Praise him above, ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Eucharistic Prayer #2

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People 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, 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.

People **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 #8

Celebrant Lord, we died with you on the cross.

All Now we are raised to new life.

Celebrant We were buried in your tomb.

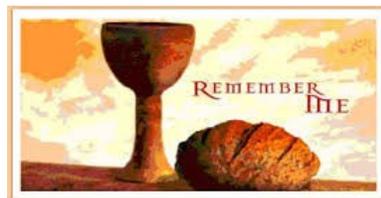
All Now we share in your resurrection.

Celebrant Live in us, that we may live in you.

Invitation

The gifts of God for the people of God.

All Thanks be to God.



THE COMMUNION

Prayer After Communion

Lay Assistant

God of love, in this eucharist we have heard your truth and shared in your life. May we always walk in your way, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

Please Stand

Lay Assistant

All

**Glory to God,
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

Sending Hymn, (CP #505) "Be Thou My Vision"

Be Thou my vision Oh Lord of my heart
Naught be all else to me save that Thou art
Thou my best thought by day or by night
Waking or sleeping Thy presence my light

Be Thou my wisdom and Thou my true word
I ever with Thee and Thou with me Lord
Thou my great Father and I Thy true son
Thou in me dwelling and I with Thee one

Riches I heed not nor the world's empty Praise
Thou mine inheritance now and always
Thou and Thou only first in my heart
High King of heaven my treasure Thou art

High King of heaven my victory won
May I reach heavens joys, bright heaven's sun
Heart of my own heart whatever befall
Still be my vision O ruler of all

Go Now in Peace

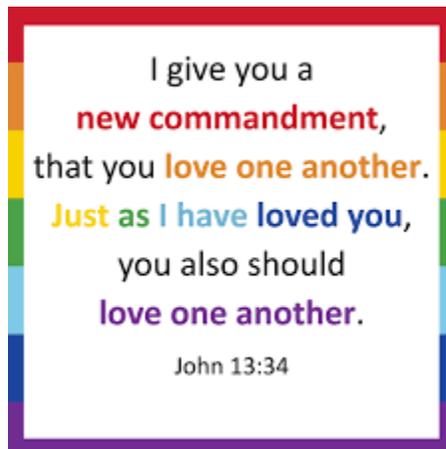
Go now in peace, never be afraid
God will go with you each hour of every day
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true
Know he will guide you in all you do
Go now in love and show you believe
Reach out to others so all the world can see
God will be there around us and above
Go now in peace, in faith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

Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Postlude – “On “Kellingrove”” - Bédard



Friendship Circle Invitation

Tuesdays 1:30 to 3:30 Church Hall

Join us for an opportunity for friendly conversation

Come once or as many times as you want

Stay as long as want

**Bring a friend or two.
They do not need to be members
of the congregation.**

Tea or Coffee and Goodies will be served



***** This Week at a Glance *****
(May 15– May 22, 2022)

Sunday May 15, 2022 - 5th Sunday of Easter

9:00 a.m. service

10:30 a.m. service

Masks required

Monday No events

Tuesday Friendship Circle, 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday 2:00 p.m. Zoom Prayer Gathering

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Thursday 10:00 a.m. Eucharist service

10:45 a.m. Bible Study

Friday - Saturday No events

Sunday May 22, 2022 - 6th Sunday of Easter

9:00 a.m. service

10:30 a.m. service

Masks required

Weekly Cycles of Prayer

In our parish, we pray for Helen Collicutt; Joan Cooper; Bruce Cowley; Suzanne Crerar; John Cribdon.

In our community, we pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ of St. Andrew, The Rev. Canon Dr. Eric Partridge, The Rev. Juli Mallett and The Ven. Canon Penelope Kingham.

In our Diocese, we pray for Anna, our Bishop, and all our brothers and sisters in Christ of the parish of St. Mary Magdalene, Mayne Island and St. Margaret, Galiano Island, The Rev. Canon Blair Haggart and The Rev. Sarah Tweedale.

We pray for all postulants, especially Kirsten Evenden.

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

In the world, we pray for The Scottish Episcopal Church.

Parish Announcements

CELEBRATION OF LIFE SERVICE - WENDY PERRY - A Celebration of Life service for Wendy Perry will be held tomorrow, May 16 at 1:30 p.m.

RECUPERATING - Many thanks to all St. Andrews parishioners for your prayers and the flowers which Fran Sterne delivered on your behalf on Sunday. After a few days in hospital, I returned home last Saturday and am doing well but taking it easy for a bit. I hope to see you in church before too long. Gary Davies

ABBNEYFIELD HOUSE - A rare opportunity exists at St Andrew's Abbeyfield. We currently have one vacancy. We are looking for an independent senior to join our warm, friendly Abbeyfield family. Our congregation led the building initiative to provide Abbeyfield small scale housing for seniors. Abbeyfield provides a private bed sitting room with en suite. Meals are included. Please contact Elizabeth at 250 652 5410 for information and a tour.

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE - Every Tuesday at 1:30 - 3:30 p.m. in the hall. Please bring a friend.

BURSARY APPLICATIONS - Application form and Criteria for the Pat & Keith Tucker, and the John and Margaret Twining Memorial Bursaries are now posted on the St. Andrew website.

[Education Bursary | St. Andrew Anglican Church \(standrewssidney.ca\)](http://standrewssidney.ca) .

The deadline for completed applications is June 16, 2022, 12 noon.

COFFEE HOUR - Please join us for coffee in the hall, 10 - 10:30 a.m. Masks are required until you sit down with your coffee, please.

NEIGHBOUR'S LUNCH - Neighbour's lunch is gearing up to re-start the soup kitchen in the next couple of months. **NEEDED: People to serve soup and for clean-up.** Please contact Sandi.



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