



**Order of Service for November 20, 2022**

**Last Sunday after Pentecost**

**The Reign of Christ**

**Service of Holy Eucharist**

**9:30 am**

**Officiating: The Rev'd Dr. Norman Knowles**

**Guest Speaker: Yvette Biggs,**

**Assisting: The Rev'd Fergus Tyson**

**The Rev'd Betty Nadurak**



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# Service of Holy Eucharist

## The Gathering of the Community

**Pre-Service Music:** Common Praise (Blue Book -CP)#405 Alleluia # 1 (Please join in this time of worship, as we prepare for the Service.)

### **Welcome and Opening Prayer**

**Opening Hymn:** CP #322 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name (screens)

**Greeting** (screens)

**Collect for Purity** (screens)

**Glory to God** (screens)

**Collect of the Day** (screens)

**Children's Time** (screens)

## The Proclamation of the Word

### The First Reading

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the Lord. Therefore, thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the Lord. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord. The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: 'The Lord is our righteousness.' JEREMIAH 23:1-6

**Reader:** The word of the Lord.  
**People:** *Thanks be to God.*

**Canticle 19:** BAS, p. 88 (screens)

### The Second Reading

May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church;

he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

COLOSSIANS 1:11-20

**Reader:** The word of the Lord.  
**People:** *Thanks be to God.*

**Gradual Hymn:** CP #383 Jesus Shall Reign  
Where'er the Sun (screens)

### The Holy Gospel

**Leader:** The Lord be with you.  
**People:** *And also with you.*

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

**People:** *Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.*

**Gospel Acclamation:** The Alleluia (sung)

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. [[Then Jesus said, 'Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing.']] And they cast lots to divide his clothing. And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, 'He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!' The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, 'If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!' There was also an inscription over him, 'This is the King of the Jews.' One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, 'Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!' But the other rebuked him, saying, 'Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong.' Then he said, 'Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.' He replied, 'Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.'

LUKE 23:33-43

**Leader:** The Gospel of Christ.  
**People:** *Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.*  
**Gospel Acclamation:** The Alleluia (sung)

**Message from Our Guest Speaker:** Yvette Biggs, United Way Representative

**The Nicene Creed** (screens)

## The Prayers of the People

**Litany for the Reign of Christ** (screens)

**Confession and Absolution** (screens)

**The Peace** (screens)

## The Celebration of the Eucharist

**Offertory** (screens) Choir Anthem: These Alone Are Enough

**Prayer over the Gifts** (screens)

**Eucharistic Prayer 3:** p. 198 (screens)

**Proper Preface for the Reign of Christ:** p. 223 (screens)

**The Lord's Prayer, Form 1:** p. 211 (screens) (sung)

**The Breaking of the Bread, Form 3:** p. 212 (screens)

**The Communion** (You're invited to partake.)

**Communion Hymns:** Red Songbook (RSB) #320 Thou Art Worthy; RSB # 118 Holy and Anointed One; RSB # 350 Wonderful Grace (screens)

**Hymn after Communion** (Please stand.): RSB # 60 Come, See This Glorious Light (screens)

**Prayer after Communion** (screens)

**Doxology:** p. 214 (screens)

**The Blessing**

**Announcements** (screens)

**Closing Hymn:** RSB #265 Shout to the Lord (screens)

**Sending** (screens)

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You're invited to join us for Coffee, right after the Service, in-person in the Hall; and/or at 11:45, online via Zoom. Here's the Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87399496922?pwd=eWxvZDdTYUVuNjZdUZ4MjFHWFdQdz09>. We'd love to share these times of fellowship with you!

Reserved Sacrament can be picked up from the Office on Tuesday to Thursday from 9 am to noon. If you are not partaking during the Service, a written copy of the "Prayer for Communion" is available on our website in the same location as this Order of Service.

## Traditional Land Acknowledgement

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**Creator, you made all people of every land. In the spirit of respect and truth, we honour the traditional Treaty 7 territory of the Blackfoot Confederacy, including the Siksika, Kainai, and Piikani Nations, the Stoney Nakoda, including the Chiniki, Bearspaw, and Wesley Nations, and the Tsuu T'ina Nation. We acknowledge the Métis Nation of Alberta, Region Three. In the spirit of reconciliation and because we are all treaty people, we also acknowledge all people who make their homes in the traditional Treaty 7 territory of Southern Alberta.**



## Prayers for this Week

*(bold italics indicate new or special emphasis this week)*

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for *the Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean* .

In the Anglican-Lutheran Prayer Cycle: In the Anglican Church we pray for *the Secretary General and staff of the Anglican Communion Office* ; and in the Lutheran Church we pray for *the General Secretary and staff of the Lutheran World Federation* and *jointly we prayer for the members of the Joint Anglican-Lutheran Commission*.

In our Diocesan Cycle, we pray for the people of the parishes of *St. John the Divine, Siksika; and St. Barnabas, Tsu-ut'ina* and for their *clergy Larry Waterchief, and Ms. Jennifer Singh, Lay Minister*. *We also pray for Parish staff and volunteers.*

**We lift to you** our friends, in our Companion Diocese, the Windward Islands.

In our Parish Cycle, we pray today for *Dwyne, Jennifer, Chase and Brooke; Joyce; Jason, Jennifer, Trace, and Blake; and Ashton* . We remember our clergy, Fergus, Cyril, Norman, Bob, Betty and their families.

**We pray for our foster child** Desta Keweti.

**Heavenly Father**, giver of life and health, comfort and strengthen those of our parish who are sick, injured or distressed, and those approaching or recovering from surgery, especially we lift up to you *the family of Joy (Abby's sister); Herb & the family of Debbie; Antony; Judy; Roger and Helen (parents of Paul); Dinah; Bill; the family of John; Debra, Lori and family of Josie; Crystal (niece of Rosemarie); Bill & Pat; Sean, Shannon, & Steve; the family of Bob; the family of Carmen and Sonny; Shelly; John; the family of Bonnie; Gerald; Brian; Gerald and Louise (Shannon's father and mother); Megan and family, Molly (mother of Sian); the family of Anne; Stephen; Dwight (Dorothy-Ann's cousin); Chris; Jo; the family of Brenda (relative of the Collers); the family of Joan (mother of Richard); Tracy; Roxie and the family of Andy; Robert; Janet; Irma & Cyril; Julia; Vern (brother-in-law of Rick); the Herritt family; Gina; Gael; Verna and her family; Michael; Barb; Jen; the family of Leslie; Patrick; the family of Tom; Sandra; Jordan; the family of Lene; the family of Helen; Eleanor; Jackie K. (sister of Pauline); Dorothy; the family of Mauricia (mother of Ella ); Max & Rebecca; Anne; Dozy & Obie & family; Karla; the family of Kathy; Kevin; Richard (friend of Anne); Terry; Jerrod; Melissa and her family (friends of Jenn); Dennis; Mike; the family of Val; Alyssa (granddaughter of Betty), Martin; Chinazor; Sheila; the family of Linda; Melissa and her family; Adrianna; Peggy; Bob and Joanne; Laura (sister of Kim); the family of Douglas; Michelle; the family of Ian; Pat; Christine; Rick (brother of Sheila); Gwen; Jacquie; the family of Gwendoline; Jackie (cousin of Julie); Ellen; Pauline; Tucker (M'Laurel & Scott's child); Monika (mother of Dennis); Kathy (daughter of Bob & Joanne); King Charles & all the Royal Family; Trudy (cousin of Iona); Veronica (sister Of Cec); Len; Andrea and Andrew's family; Margaret; Ken; Marlene; the family of James (father of Allison); the family of Ginny; and Cindee (sister of Rick Coller).*

**We pray for containment of COVID-19 worldwide; actions guided by the safety of others; protection for all those on the front lines or especially vulnerable to its effects, in particular all who are homeless; and full restoration of health for all those who are ill. We also pray especially that our healthcare workers and healthcare system will not be overwhelmed by the number of cases of the virus. And we pray especially for all in our Parish who are sick with this virus. Please enable us to support them in any way they need.**

**We pray for all those whose lives have been thrown in turmoil** by storms, floods, fires, famine, or other climate disasters. We remember all who are struggling economically. Please help us all to stand together in hard times.

**We pray for the Indigenous Peoples of this land. We give thanks for the immeasurable privilege of sharing the journey of life together.**

**We pray for forgiveness for the terrible harm inflicted by Residential Schools, and for the racism that still infects our hearts and is an open wound in our country; for an end to all forms of prejudice and bigotry; for justice; for reconciliation, and new paths forward that respect and honour all of God's precious children.**

**We pray for peace and justice in our own country and throughout the world. We remember the people of Ukraine, the Holy Land, USA, Nigeria, and all whose lives have been torn apart by violence. We pray for safe haven for the over 80 million people in the world whom violence has forced to flee their homes. We stand in solidarity with all whose lives have been devastated by human evil, and all seeking to make the world as it ought to be.** We pray for protection and guidance for all in law enforcement or our military in danger at home or overseas. May your Holy Spirit guide world leaders to seek just resolutions to all conflicts, that all people may come to know your peace that passes all understanding and war be no more.

**We thank you for United Way, and pray for your hand of blessing to be upon it as it continues the ministry of spreading your love in Calgary and area and beyond.**

**We thank you** for your healing touch, which sustains us every day; and for all the many healings that have taken place in our parish; and your unending mercy as you hear our prayers.



*The flowers on the Altar are given to the Glory of God from hearts filled with gratitude for the sacrifices for our freedom.*