St. Philip's Day

April 30, 2023, 10:00 am

A Parish of the Anglican Diocese of New Westminster
The Right Reverend John Stephens, Bishop
The Reverend Lorne Manweiler, Rector & Regional Dean of Point Grey

Welcome!

We're glad you're here!

We are happy and honoured that you've joined us this morning—whether in-person or online via Facebook and the parish website. If you need a place to take a break with your child, a nursery area is available. Washrooms are available on the main level of the church. Please ask a sidesperson or your neighbour if you have questions or need assistance. You're warmly invited to join us for refreshments in the Fireside Room following the service.

The Holy Eucharist

Book of Alternative Services, pp. 185 ff.

– The Gathering of the Community –

Prelude "Sarabande from Holberg Suite (op.40)" *Edvard Grieg (1843 - 1907)*

Welcome

Greeting *The celebrant greets the people, saying,*
Celebrant Alleluia! Christ is risen!
People **He is risen indeed! Alleluia, alleluia!**

Processional Hymn CP 397 – "Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness"

During the processional hymn, starting with banner-bearers from the back pews and progressing forward down the centre aisle, the crucifer, choir, and Rector lead those with ministry banners down the centre aisle to the front of the chancel. The banner bearers place their banner into the vessel before the altar and return to their seats via their respective north or south side aisles.

Represented Ministries and Groups at St. Philip's

Altar Guild	*Centering Prayer Group*	*Choir*
Church School	*Christian Education Groups*	*Christmas Fair*
Coffee Hour	*Communications*	*Counting Team*
Endowment Fund	*Envelope Secretary*	*Fellowship Committee*
Flowers Guild	*Godly Play*	*Greeters*
Healing Prayer Partners	*Intercessors*	*Jones Girls*
Lay Communion Administrators	*Livestream Team*	*Lay Readers*
Memorial Garden	*Neighbourhood Ministry*	*Outreach Committee*
Parish Council	*Parish Staff*	*Pastoral Care*
Photographer	*Property Committee*	*Refugee Care*
Rummage Sales	*Stewardship*	*Synod Delegates*
Treasurer	*Trustees*	*Vestry Clerk*
Wardens	*Youth Group*	*Unknown Saints!*

Acknowledgement

Celebrant We begin by acknowledging that we live, work, play, and worship on the traditional and unceded territory of the Coast Salish peoples including the xʷməθkwəy

əm (Musqueam), Sḵwx̱wú7mesh (Squamish) and Səl̓ílwətaʔ (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations.

All **May our words and our actions reflect our awareness and appreciation of this.**

A moment of silence for reflection is kept.

Celebrant The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

People **And also with you.**

Hymn of Praise CP 371 – "To God Be the Glory"

Collect of the Day

Celebrant Almighty God, you gave to your apostle Philip grace and strength to bear witness to your Son. Grant that we, remembering his victory of faith, may glorify in life and death the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns and you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

All **Amen.**

Children's Chat

– The Proclamation of the Word –

"Come and See!"

One of the twelve apostles. Philip was from Bethsaida in Galilee. He seems to have belonged to a small group who were under the influence of John the Baptist. In the synoptic gospels there is no mention of Philip except in the list of apostles. In the Gospel According to John he is mentioned several times. Philip said to Nathaniel, "We have found him of Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the sone of Joseph." When Nathaniel wondered whether anything good could come out of Nazareth, Philip answered, "Come and see!" (Jn 1:45-46). Eusebius and other early church writers contend that Philip preached the gospel in Phrygia and died in Hierapolis. Philip is commemorated in the Episcopal [Anglican] calendar of the church year on May 1, along with St. James the Less.

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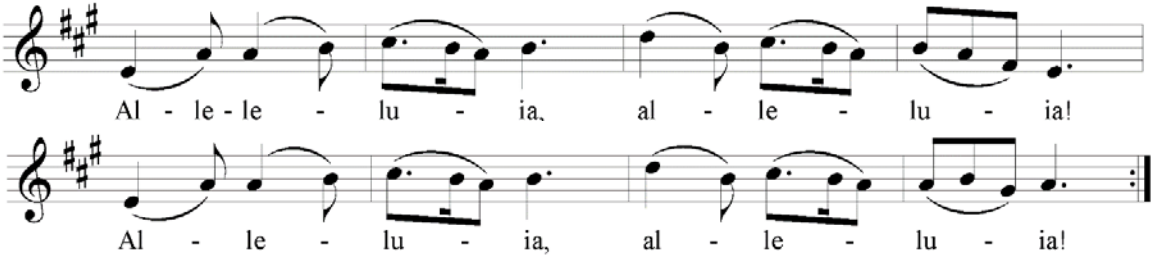
First Reading Isaiah 30:18-21 *read by Derek Simpkins*

Reader Word of God, word of life.
All **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 44:1-3, 20-26 – BAS 760 *Read responsively by half-verse.*

Second Reading 2 Corinthians 4:1-6 *read by Glenna Geddes*

Reader Word of God, word of life.
All **Thanks be to God.**

Alleluia *(sung twice through)*

The Holy Gospel John 6:1-14

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
All **And also with you.**

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
All **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

After the reading:
Celebrant The Gospel of Christ.
People **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Alleluia *(above)*

Sermon

The Nicene Creed BAS 188

The Prayers of the Community *Min Rundle, Intercessor*

Thanksgiving for Baptism *(ELW 97)*

The assembly stands as they are able. All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Celebrant Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God,
People **the fountain of living water,**
Celebrant the rock who gave us birth,
People **our light and our salvation.**
All **Amen.**

The presiding minister addresses the assembly.

Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism,
we are clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness.
Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

Water is poured into the font as the presiding minister gives thanks.

We give you thanks, O God,
for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters
and by your Word you created the world,
calling forth life in which you took delight.
Through the waters of the flood
you delivered Noah and his family.
Through the sea you led your people Israel
from slavery into freedom.
At the river your Son was baptized by John
and anointed with the Holy Spirit.
By water and your Word you claim us as daughters and sons,
[all your children], making us heirs of your promise
and servants of all.
We praise you for the gift of water that sustains life,
and above all we praise you for the gift
of new life in Jesus Christ.

People **Shower us with your Spirit, and renew our lives with your forgiveness, grace, and love.**

Celebrant To you be given honour and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

All **Amen.**

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The Preparation of the Gifts

& Offertory Hymn – "When Christ Came Ashore" *(see insert)*

– The Celebration of the Eucharist –

Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant Generous God, in this meal you offer your very self.

People **We give thanks for these gifts of the earth. In the breaking of this bread reveal to us the Risen One. In the pouring of this wine pour us out in service to the world;**

Celebrant through Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving *BAS*

Celebrant The Lord be with you

All **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

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

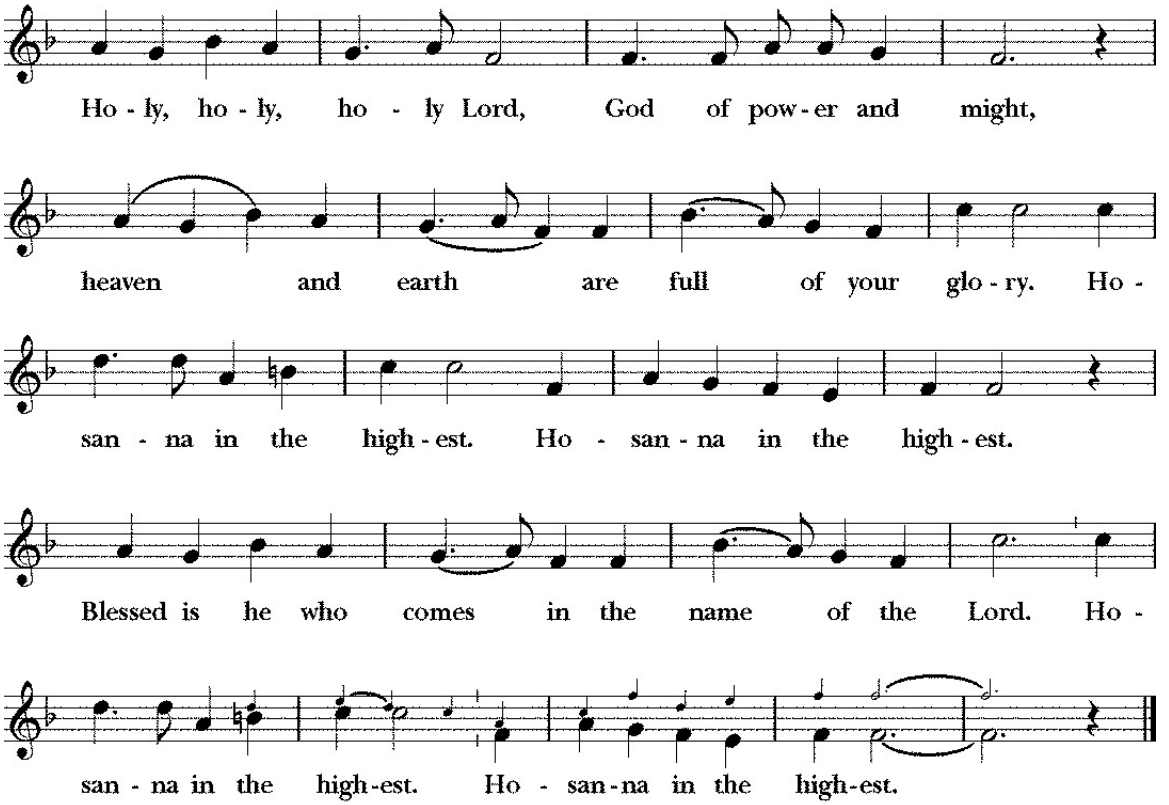
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

Celebrant Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; we give you thanks and praise for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true paschal lamb who has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us eternal life. Therefore, joining our voices with St. Philip

and the whole company of heaven, we sing our joyful hymn of praise to proclaim the glory of your name.

Sanctus *(all sing)*



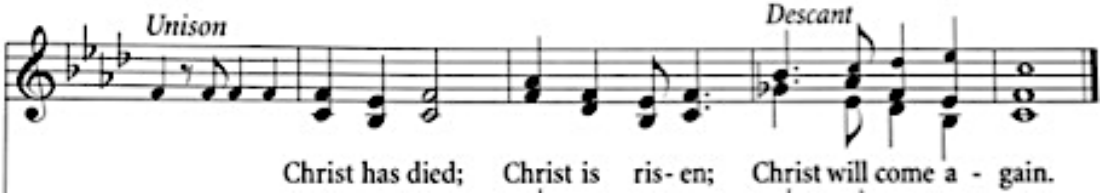
Celebrant We give thanks to you, Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, a death he freely accepted, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given

thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, " Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, 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. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Gracious God, your Son's perfect sacrifice destroys the power of sin and death; by raising him to life you give us life for evermore. Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith.

People:

Celebrant and we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that they may be the sacrament of the body of Christ and his blood of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we, made acceptable in him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation;

by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, now and for ever.

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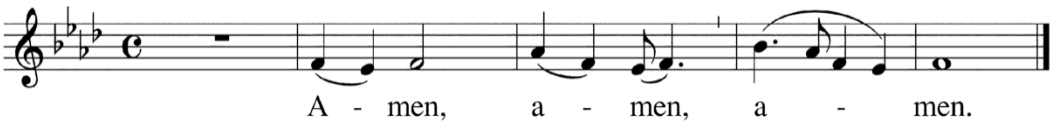
The Lord's Prayer

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.

The Breaking of the Bread

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 The gifts of God for the People of God,

All **Thanks be to God.**

Communion Anthem *(all sing the Alleluias)* CP 750 – "Christ, Our Passover"

The Communion **Hymn** CP 285 – "The Eternal Gifts of Christ the King"

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant Let us pray.

All **God of life, bring us to the glory of the resurrection promised in this Easter sacrament. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the risen Lord. Amen.**

Parish Announcements *Given by the Churchwardens*

Presentation of the Steward of St. Philip's Awards *to Debbie Matheson and Brian Mix*

Doxology

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.**

Benediction

Celebrant May the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in you that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ; to whom be glory for ever and ever.

All **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn CP 341 – "God of Mercy, God of Grace"

Dismissal *The celebrant dismisses the people, saying,*

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ is risen!

People **He is risen indeed! Alleluia, alleluia!**

Postlude *Canzona* *Johann Kaspar Kerll (1627 - 1693)*

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Notices for 4th Sunday after Easter - April 30, 2023

Upcoming at St. Philip's

Sun 30 Apr	10:00am	**4th Sunday after Easter. St Philip's Day Celebration of the Community** Eucharist celebrated with Rev. Lorne Live Streamed Worship at 10 AM at https://www.stphilipsdunbar.com/ Recorded on Facebook https://www.facebook.com/stphilipsanglicandunbar
Tues 2 May	7:30pm	Trustees' Meeting
Sun 7 May	10:00am	**5th Sunday after Easter:** Eucharist celebrated by Rev. Lorne Manweiler *Readings: Acts 7:55-60, Ps.31:1-5, 15-16, 1 Peter 2:2-10 John 14:1-14*
Sat 13 May	10:00 - 2:00	**Heavenly Flowers** (pick up) **and Bake Sale**, in time for Mother's Day
Sun 14 May	2:00 - 4:00	*Tea & Talk* with Ukrainian guests and their children
May 26 & 27		"**Spring Cleaning**" **Rummage Sale**. Mark your calendars and tell 10 friends.

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers at this time: Evelyn Anderson, Kathy Shier, Dorothy Martin, Jenny, Diana Bragg, Sally Clinton, Nathan Hepburn, Jane Davis, Sarah, Adele and Cameron Wonnick, Leslie and David, Ann Ringgold, Billie, and Greg.

We pray for those who have died: Helen Weatherall and John Standen. We remember all those interred in our memorial garden. We pray for comfort and peace for all loved ones and friends who are experiencing loss.

FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR

If you would like to make a donation towards the church flowers in thanksgiving of a Birthday, Anniversary, or In Memory of a loved one, please contact Tiffany Ho at 604-224-3238. All donations are most appreciated.

CHURCH SCHOOL:

If there is a date listed, we have a Godly Play teacher this Sunday. We need more teachers to join Erin and Deb. Contact Deb Hamilton if you are drawn to this ministry. debsham11@telus.net

HEAVENLY FLOWERS AND MOTHERS DAY BAKE SALE: May 13, 10:00 - 2:00

Pick up your flowers in the gym on Sat May 13 when you can also buy delicious home baking! Calling all St Philip's bakers! We are having our ever popular Mother's Day Bake Sale. Please make some of your favourite treats and drop them off to the kitchen on May 12 from 2-4 or at 6 pm. Please package and label your baking. It would be great to know what to expect so send a note to Sheryl MacKay at Sheryl.mackay@gmail.com and let me know what you're planning to bring!

We need volunteers to help us set up for the flower basket handout and the bake sale, and/or to work on the day. Shifts are Friday, May 12, 9 am - table set-up; Flower & Bake Sale sorting 2-4 pm and 6-8 pm. Saturday May 13th - volunteer shifts selling 9:45 am - 12:00 pm and 12:00 - 2:15 pm and Clean-up 2:00 - 2:30 pm. Sign up online at:
https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/22261496071/true#/invitation
Or tell Suzi Noetzel at church or via email spnoetzel@me.com

ST PHILIP'S DAY, Sunday April 30

Philip the Apostle asked Jesus how on earth to feed the 5,000 who had gathered to hear him preach. Yet, somehow five loaves and two fish miraculously were enough. In honour of Philip, we celebrate the community of St Philip's in its people of all ages. In recognition of the loaves & fishes, please **bring tins of fish** to the Narthex basket for the Neighbourhood Ministry, and stay after church to celebrate over bread at coffee time.

AGING FAYRE: May 7, 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM
Resources! Ideas! Decluttering! Planning! Fall Prevention! Dying to Know? Come to a workshop on Growing Old that answers many of your questions. Hosted at Pacific Spirit United Church, Memorial Centre's East -West Room.

THE NEIGHBOURHOOD MINISTRY
Thank You for bringing tinned fish on St Philip's Day! We appreciate your support!
St Philip's is one of the four churches that forms the Westside Anglican Neighbourhood Ministry. Each week we send teams out onto the street from one of the four parishes, the donations of food and clothing are warmly received from those we share them with. The Mobile Care Unit (MCU) is back up and running every other Saturday morning at Kits Showers. The MCU has a medical team and a social work team providing non-urgent medical care and support for various social services.
The Neighbourhood Ministry Team at St Philip's is currently requesting the following donations:

- Can openers
- Men's sports socks and underwear
- Rain and fleece jackets
- Rain pants and sweatpants
- McDonald's Gift cards ($10)

Please put your donations in the Narthex baskets on Sundays, or in the blue bin on the courtyard east porch on Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays 8:00-4:00 and Tuesdays and Wednesdays 8:00-7:00. The street outreach report: The Neighbourhood Ministry | Outreach | St. Philip's Anglican Church
For more information contact: Rhona Thornton, Parish Liaison to the Neighbourhood Ministry
https://neighbourhoodministry.com/

SPRING CLEANING RUMMAGE SALE: May 26, 6 - 8 PM & May 27, 10 AM- 1 PM
This St Philip's rummage sale will bring in the community to browse tables of toys, clothing, treasures, electrical items, linens, housewares, white elephant, sports, gifts, and fine ladies' wear. Donate May 18 - 25. No books, shoes or art, please. We need an army of sorters and sellers to sign up online here: https://signup.com/go/rsWJMjM See Debbie Matheson and Daphne Francis at Coffee Time if you'd like to jump in to help.

AMICA SENIORS' RESIDENCE
Amica Senior Lifestyles has applied to the City of Vancouver for rezoning West 41st Ave at Blenheim to build a six-storey, 232 unit, private-pay seniors' residence offering a continuum of care, from assisted living to long-term care to memory care. The City of Vancouver is hosting a virtual open house on this rezoning application until May 2. You can visit the City's project page, view the detailed application information and plans, scroll down to "send your comments", and submit. 3329-3429 W 41st Ave and 5649-5683 Blenheim St | Shape Your City Vancouver.

LIVE-STREAM VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to keep our live-streaming available
Ash Noetzel, Duncan Wilson & Euan Wilson run the live-streaming team. To help keep our live-streaming available on Sunday mornings, please contact a Warden, or talk to Ash, Duncan or Euan after church.

VANCOUVER MARATHON: Sunday May 7
Detours and closures in UBC, UEL, Point Grey, Dunbar & Kerrisdale: https://bmovanmarathon.ca/detours

FALSE MESSAGES FROM YOUR RECTOR
Some false text messages and emails were received by parishioners recently. First, Rev Lorne does not communicate with parishioners by telephone text. Second, an email from Lorne would come from his "lorne@stpdunbar.com" account and not from a somewhat similar type of address. Third, Lorne would never claim to be too busy to call you directly, or to ask for assistance in a text or email. If you have been deceived by these folks, please call the police immediately and report this criminal activity. Notify Rev Lorne if this continues. Please pass the word to parishioners who might be drawn in.

RECEIVE NEWS, BULLETIN AND ORDER OF SERVICE BY EMAIL
Please sign up to be on the email list. Contact Tiffany Ho in the office (604-224-3238) or at manager@stpdunbar.com or fill in the contact form in the Narthex and put it in the collection plate.

DEADLINE FOR THE BULLETIN: Wednesday at Noon
We include the Bulletin in the Order of Service which is emailed to all parishioners on our list, and is printed for those attending church. Send items for the bulletin to Tiffany Ho manager@stpdunbar.com

STAFF & CLERGY
- Parish Manager Tiffany Ho's office hours 9:00 am to 1:00 pm Mon - Fri
- Parish Caretaker Pat Brandon's Sabbath days are Thurs and Fri (new cell 236-339-8744)
- Music Director Michael Murray is available at various times, pls email or leave a voicemail
- Parish Accountant Christine Cen is currently working from home and is available via email
- Rector and Dean Reverend Lorne's Sabbath days are Fri and Sat.

CONNECT

Parish administration and lay leaders are your servant-leaders. We're happy to hear from you about any questions or concerns, to offer help and support, and invite you to reach out to us:

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