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## Remembrance Day Sunday

### Processional Hymn: CP 307 When Long before Time

#### Welcome

#### *Land Acknowledgement*

#### *Sentence:*

Watch and be ready, for you do not know on what day you Lord is coming. *Matthew 24.42, 44*

#### Celebrant:

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

**People: And also with you.**

**Gloria      702 Glory to God: refrain, vs 1, refrain.**

#### Prayers of Penitence and Forgiveness

Celebrant: Loving God, Maker of all

**All: Have mercy on us.**

Celebrant: Jesus Christ, Servant of the Poor

**All: Have mercy on us**

Celebrant: Holy Spirit, Breath of life

**All: Have mercy on us**

*(Silence)*

**All: Before God, with the people of God,  
I confess to my brokenness:  
To the ways I wound my life  
The lives of others, and the life of the world.**

Celebrant: May God forgive you,

Christ renew you,

and the Spirit enable you to grow in love.

**All: Amen.**

### **Collect for Purity**

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.**

### **Collect of the Day**

Eternal God,  
who caused all holy scriptures  
to be written for our learning,  
grant us so to hear them,  
read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them,  
that we may embrace and ever hold fast  
the blessed hope of everlasting life  
which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, for ever and ever.

### **The Proclamation of the Word**

Let us listen for the Word of God in Holy Scripture.

**First Reading**                      [Joshua 24: 1-3, 14-25](#)    **Judy Antonelli**

**Psalm**                                **Psalm 78: 1-7 pg. 806**    **Sue Vickery**

**Second Reading**                [1 Thessalonians 4: 13-18](#)

**Gospel Acclamation: Screen Share**

**Gospel**                              [Matthew 25: 1-13](#)

Celebrant:

God is with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Celebrant:

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

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

Celebrant: The Gospel of Christ.

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

**Alleluia**

## **Sermon**

## **Affirmation of Faith**

***Hear O Israel***

Celebrant:

Let us confess our faith, as we say,

**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 the great commandment.**

**The second is like it:**

**Love your neighbour as yourself.**

**There is no commandment greater than these**

## **Prayers of the People**

## **The Peace**

The peace of Christ be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

## Offertory Hymn: CP 93 You Servants of the Lord

Let us pray.

Celebrant: Thanks be to you,

**All: Lord Jesus Christ,  
for all the benefits you have given us,  
and all that you have borne for us.  
In our sharing in this Eucharist,  
in Church or at home,  
we ask you to come spiritually into our hearts.  
O most merciful redeemer,  
friend and brother,  
may we know you more clearly,  
love you more dearly, and follow you more nearly,  
day by day.  
Amen.**

*St. John The Divine Anglican Church, Victoria B.C., Alastair Singh- McCollum*

## Prayer over the Gifts

Gracious God, your word to us is food indeed.  
Receive all we offer you this day,  
and let your loving-kindness be our comfort,  
for the sake of Jesus Christ, your living Word.

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.

**All: it is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## **The Great Thanksgiving**

*Scottish Episcopal Church, revised liturgy 2022*

Celebrant: Worship and praise belong to you, Creator,  
in every place and at all times.

You made us, all the people of the world,  
and everything that is.

You give us the daylight.

Your Word lights up our minds.

Jesus was born among us to be light in our darkness.

Your Spirit lives in us

so that we can look at the world with your eyes.

One day we will share your fullness of life,  
but already we laugh with the saints and angels,  
and sing their joyful song:

**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.**

Father, you never forget us or turn away from us,  
even when we fail you.

You sent your Son Jesus who gave his life for us.

He healed those who were sick,

cared for those who were poor,

and cried with those who were sad.

He forgave sinners and taught us to forgive.

For all your love we give you thanks  
in the way that Jesus showed us.

On the night before he died,  
while he was having supper with his friends,  
he took bread and offered you thanks.  
He broke the bread, and gave it to them saying:  
“Take, eat. This is my Body: it is broken for you.”

After supper, he took the cup of wine,  
he offered you thanks,  
and gave it to them saying:  
“Drink this, all of you.  
This is my Blood of the new covenant;  
it is poured out for you, and for all,  
that sins may be forgiven.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.”

So, as we do what he told us,  
we open our hearts to him;  
we remember how he died  
and rose again to live now in us.

Together with him we offer you these gifts:  
in them we give you ourselves.

Send your Holy Spirit on us and on this bread and this wine,  
that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ,  
and that, sharing your life,  
we may travel in your company to our journey's end.

With all your people we give you thanks and praise through the Son  
and in the Spirit, now and for ever.

Amen.

As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

### **The Lord's Prayer**

**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 forever.  
Amen.**

### **The Breaking of the Bread**

**Celebrant:**

**We break this bread  
to share in the body of Christ.**

**All**

**We, being many, are one body,  
for we all share in the one bread.**

**Celebrant:**

**The gifts of God for the people of God.**

**All:**

**Thanks be to God**

### **Lamb of God (screen share)**



**Distribution Hymns :    SNC 106 Come to Me, O weary Traveller  
                                      SNC 115 Long before the Night**

**Prayer after Communion:**

Living God,  
in the eucharist you fill us with new hope.  
May the power of your love,  
which we have known in word and sacrament,  
continue your saving work among us,  
and bring us to the joy you promise.  
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen**

**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,  
Forever and ever.  
Amen.**

**Blessing**

**Announcements**

**Recessional Hymn: CP 393 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise**

**Dismissal**

LA: Go in peace to love and serve our living God.

**All: Thanks be to God**

### **Parish Happenings**

**Office hours:** Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 9-1

**Coffee Hour:** Every Monday at 10 am. St. Matthew's room. (Also on Zoom).

**Prayer Chain:** Meeting is the first Wednesday of every month at 10:30. The next meeting is December 6.

**Midweek Eucharists:** all are welcome, please join us.

Wednesday: Midweek Eucharist 12:30

Thursday: Meditative Eucharist 12:30

**ACW:** Gathers every Friday at 10 am in the library.

**Mindfulness Group:** Meets every Wednesday at 3:30 in the church library.

### **Announcements**

If you would like to add anything to the announcements in the bulletin, email or call the church office. You can also leave a written note in the pocket on the office door or address the congregation.

- **Reverend Stephanie** will be away **November 12-26**.
- **Christmas Market:** November 18, 10 am to 3 pm. There is information on the website and feel free to share the Facebook invitation.
- **December 3, Advent tree lighting** starts. This is your opportunity to light a tree light in honour of a loved one, proceeds go to the hall floor.
- **December 9 Ladies Advent Breakfast:** 10 am at the Tempest Bistro 970 Shoppers Row. Let the church know that you will be attending (Limited Seating)
- **December 10, Blue Christmas/Healing Service:** 4 pm in the church

- **Prayer Chain Requests?** If you have a prayer request, email the Prayer Chain at [prayerchain@stpeterscampbellriver.com](mailto:prayerchain@stpeterscampbellriver.com). There is a box in the Narthex where you may leave a prayer message. Prayers will be offered for one month, if you wish longer, please contact the Prayer Chain.
- **Stand.earth**, the BC environmental organization, is showing their powerful, short (35 min.) documentary, "Fracking The Peace" on Friday, Nov. 17th, 5:30pm. The film tells the stories of the people living on Treaty 8 territory in northeast BC, whose lives, health and environment have been forever changed by fracking. To receive the zoom link to watch this fine film, email Murray Etty [murretty@telus.net](mailto:murretty@telus.net)
- **Advent Bible Study:** You are invited to join with members of the Anglican, Presbyterian and United Churches in a 4-session, weekly, Advent Bible Study. We will read and reflect on the 4 Gospel lessons for the 4 Sundays of Advent, and we will do so contemplatively; i.e. we will speak and listen to one another out of the silence, as we open ourselves to the depth dimension of soul and Spirit. We will meet Mondays, 10:30 -11:30am at St. Peter's Anglican Church, starting Monday, Nov. 27th. Clergy will offer leadership. You are asked to arrive a few minutes before 10:30, as we want to keep to the hour. For Info contact Murray Etty, [murretty@telus.net](mailto:murretty@telus.net)

# **WELCOME!**

## **Parish Staff and Leaders**

Rector's Warden: Lois Tirebuck

People's Warden: Pauline Woods

Deputy Wardens: Frank Maga and Tony Smith

Treasurer: Holly Finn

Church Administrator: Lori Gooldrup

Musicians: Georgia Smith, Kate Fitzsimmons, and Lori Gooldrup

Custodian: Janice Kozak

Prayer Chain: Sue Vickery

Communications Director: Trina Soltys

Envelope Secretary: Frank Maga

Healing Prayer Ministry: Sue Vickery

Lay Assistants and Readers: Pauline Woods

Mindfulness: Jane Jennings

Coffee Monday: Jennifer Coolen

Librarian: Jane Jennings

Safe Church: Andrea Charlton

PWRDF Rep: Barb Henshall

Building: George Wagner

ACW: Bev Lawrence

Sidesperson: Pam Hedderson

Zoom master : Tony Smith

*The parish of St Peter Anglican Church and St Saviour Anglican Church is located on the unceded, traditional territory of the Ligwi'da'xw people: the We Wai Kai, Wei Wai Kum, and Kwiakah First Nations; the unceded traditional territory of the Klahoose First Nation; the unceded traditional territory of the K'omoks First Nation and the unceded traditional territory of the Homalco First Nation. We seek a new relationship with the first peoples here; one based on honour and respect. We pray that we may live more deeply into the Calls to*

*Action of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.*