



**Diocese of New Westminster**  
ANGLICAN CHURCH OF CANADA

The Right Reverend John R. Stephens  
Bishop

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**Greetings for Shavuot**

Chag Sameach!

On behalf of the people of the Diocese of New Westminster I wish you all a happy Shavuot.

May your celebrations be filled with family, friends, and good food.

As you give thanks to God for the Torah, I am reminded of our need to have open hearts and ears to learn from you and create opportunities to work together for peace and justice. If there is a way to walk together in this pursuit, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Please know that we keep you and your communities in our prayer and are grateful to God that we are neighbours.

Faithfully yours,

The Right Revd John R. Stephens  
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