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### **Bishop**

The Right Rev. Anna Greenwood-Lee
Diocese of Islands and Inlets
April 7, 2024

**Second Sunday of Easter** 



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**Morning Prayer** 

Officiant: Kate Fitzsimmons, Lay Leader

Opening Hymn: CP 231 That Eastertide With Joy Was Bright

#### Welcome

Land Acknowledgement

### **Opening Sentence:**

Have you believed, Thomas, because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet believe. John 20.29

(All stand)

Officiant Lord, open our lips,

People And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Praise the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

He gave us new life and hope by raising Jesus from the dead. Rejoice, then, even in your distress.

We shall be counted worthy when Christ appears.

God has claimed us as his own.

He called us from our darkness into the light of his day.

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# The Invitatory

Officiant God rules over all the earth: O come, let us worship.

#### Christ our Passover

1 Corinthians 5:7-8; Romans 6:9-11; 1 Corinthians 15: 20-22

#### Alleluia!

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us; \* therefore let us keep the feast,

Not with the old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil, \* but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

Alleluia!

Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; \* death no longer has dominion over him.

The death that he died, he died to sin, once for all; \* but the life he lives, he lives to God.

So also consider yourselves dead to sin, \* and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord. Alleluia!

Christ has been raised from the dead, \*
the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep.

For since by a man came death, \*

by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.

For as in Adam all die, \*

so also in Christ shall all be made alive. Alleluia!

Gloria: on screen

# **The Readings**

First Reading Acts 4:32-25 Dave Storrie

**Psalm** Psalm: 133, P. 890 Andrea Charlton

Second Reading 1 John 1:1-2.2 Dave Storrie

**Gospel Acclamation:** Words on screen

Gospel Reading John 20:19-31 Kate Fitzsimmons

Officiant: The Lord be with you People: And Also with you...

Officiant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to

John

People: Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

John 20:19 - 31

Officiant: The Gospel of Christ

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

#### Alleluia

Silence is kept.

Sermon: Rev. David Fitzsimmons

### **Affirmation of Faith**

# The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified. died. and was buried.

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven,

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again

to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

# Offertory Hymn: CP 237 Now the Green Blade Rises

# The Prayers of the People

## **The Collect**

Almighty and eternal God, the strength of those who believe and the hope of those who doubt, may we, who have not seen, have faith and receive the fullness of Christ's blessing, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

## The Lord's Prayer

Officiant Gathering our prayers and praises into one, let us pray as

our Saviour taught us,

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.

## Dismissal

Officiant Let us bless the Lord. People **Thanks be to God.** 

Officiant May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace in

believing through the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

People Amen.

#### **Announcements**

## Closing Hymn CP 460 Lord, the Light of Your Love Is Shining

Lay Assistant And now go in peace to love and serve our living God.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

## **Parish Happenings**

 Office hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 9—1.
 Closed on Fridays. Tel: 250-286-1613 Email: admin@stpeterscampbellriver.com

- Coffee Hour: Every Monday 10 am, St. Matthew's room. Also on Zoom
- **Prayer Chain** meeting Is the first Wednesday of every month at 10:30.
- Midweek Eucharists: all are welcome, please join us:

Wednesday—Midweek Eucharist 12:30 Thursday – Meditative Eucharist 12:30

- ACW Gathering Every Friday 10 am in the library
- Mindfulness Group: Every Wednesday in the library at 3:30.
- TRIVIA NIGHT—April 27 from 7 to 9. Purchase tickets in advance from the office—\$20 each.
- PLANT SALE—May 4

# **Announcements**

• **Prayer Chain Requests?** Email the Prayer Chain if you have a prayer request <a href="mailto:prayerchain@stpeterscampbellriver.com">prayer chain@stpeterscampbellriver.com</a>.

#### WELCOME!

Incumbent's Warden: Tony Smith People's Warden: Pauline Woods

Deputy Wardens: Pam Hedderson, Lois Tirebuck

Treasurer: Holly Finn

Church Administrator: Trina Soltys

Musicians: Georgia Smith, Kate Fitzsimmons

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

Sides Person: Pam Hedderson Zoom master: Tony Smith

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Sides persons	s: Ted & Jan
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