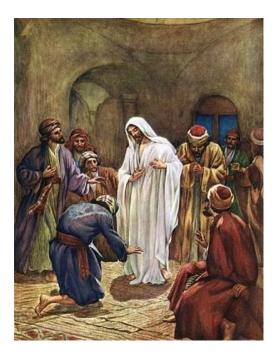


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Holy Eucharist



3rd Sunday of Easter April 14, 2024 10:00 a.m. service Welcome to St. Andrew's all are welcome here.



<u>Altar Flowers</u> - Given to the Glory of God in loving memory of Alex Moffoot. From Ruth, Jonathan and June

Prelude "'The Risen Christ' with 'Christ the Lord Is Risen Today'"

Welcome

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT - We gather on lands which have been the home of SENĆOTEN and HUL'Q'UMI'NUM' speaking Coast Salish peoples from time immemorial, and their encounter with the Creator in this place goes before our own.

Opening hymn (CP #212) Alleluia! The Strife is O'er

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

 The strife is o'er, the battle done; now is the victor's triumph won;
 O let the song of praise be sung: alleluia!

2 Death's mightiest powers have done their worst, and Jesus hath his foes dispersed; let shouts of praise and joy outburst: alleluia!

> 3 He closed the yawning gates of hell; the bars from heaven's high portals fell. Let songs of praise his triumph tell: alleluia!

4 On the third morn he rose again, Glorious in majesty to reign.O let us swell the joyful strain: alleluia!

5 Lord, by the stripes which wounded thee, from death's dread sting thy servants free, that we may live, and sing to thee: alleluia!

The Gathering of the Community			
Presider	God of the resurrection, we gather this morning as a community of believers. We come with joy to greet one another and to tell again and again the amazing news:		
All	Christ is risen! Love is victorious over death! You have given us new life in the name of your Son!		
Presider	May our singing, praying, listening, and proclaiming be a testimony to the power of your love,		
All	to make us a new creation as a community of faith. We pray in the name of the risen Christ. Amen.		
The Collect			
Presider All	Creator of the universe, you made the world in beauty, and restore all things in glory through the victory of Jesus Christ. We pray that, wherever your image is still disfigured by poverty, sickness, selfishness, war and greed, the new creation in Jesus Christ may appear in justice, love, and peace, to the glory of your name. Amen.		
Proclamation of the Word			
Reader	A Reading from the book of Acts (3:12-19).		
	Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.		

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Psalm 4

- 1 Answer me when I call, O God, defender of my cause; * you set me free when I am hard-pressed; have mercy on me and hear my prayer.
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- 3 Know that the Lord does wonders for the faithful * and will hear me when I call.
- 4 Tremble, then, and do not sin; * speak to your heart in silence upon your bed.
- 5 Offer the appointed sacrifices * and put your trust in the Lord.
- 6 Many are saying, "Oh, that we might see better times!" * Lift up the light of your countenance upon us, O Lord.
- 7 You have put gladness in my heart, * more than when grain and wine and oil increase.
- 8 I lie down in peace; at once I fall asleep; * for only you, Lord, make me dwell in safety.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Reader	A Reading from the 1st letter of John (3:1-7).	
All	Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people. Thanks be to God.	

Gradual hymn (CP #69) *We Who Live by Sound and Symbol* (alt. tune: CP #433 - Lord, You Give the Great Commission)

1 We who live by sound and symbol, we who learn from sight and word, find these married in the person of the one we call our Lord. Taking bread to be his body, taking wine to be his blood, he let thought take flesh in action; he let faith take root in food.

2 Not just once with special people,		
not just hidden deep in time, but wherever Christ is followed,		
earthly fare becomes sublime.		
Though to sound this seems a mystery,		
though to sense it seems absurd,		
	yet in faith, which seems like folly,	
	we meet Jesus Christ our Lord.	
Celebrant	May God be with you.	
All	And also with you.	
Celebrant	The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ	
	according to Luke (24:36b-48).	
All	Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.	
Celebrant	The Gospel of Christ.	
All	Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.	

Gradual hymn continued

3 God, our Maker, send your Spirit to pervade the bread we break.
Let it bring the life we long for and the love which we forsake. Bind us closer to each other, both forgiving and forgiven; give us grace in this and all things to discern the hand of heaven.

Sermon The Rev. Kelly Duncan

Message of Music "No Longer Slaves" - Katie Van Bergeyk - Alto

Affirmation of Faith

All	We believe in an Easter God who transforms darkness into light and despair into hope. We believe God is working for good, changing the darkness of the tomb into a vision of Easter joy!	
	We believe in the risen Christ who touches us through song and silence, word and witness; who calls us by name to enter the promise of paradise. We believe in the Holy Spirit who invites us to leave behind the empty burial clothes and walk in resurrection power.	
	We believe the Spirit is always renewing the church and making us people who act justly, love mercy and walk humbly with God.	
	We believe we are Easter people, welcoming everyone, and although we are not perfect, we are, by God's grace, a sign that with God, all things are possible. Amen.	
Prayers of the People		
The Peace		
Celebrant	My friends in Christ, may the peace of God be always with you.	
All	And also with you.	

Offertory hymn (CP #405) Alleluia #1

Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord. Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to his name.

1 Jesus is Lord of all the earth; he is the king of creation.

Refrain

2 Spread the good news o'er all the earth: Jesus has died and is risen.

Refrain

3 We have been crucified with Christ: now we shall live forever.

Refrain

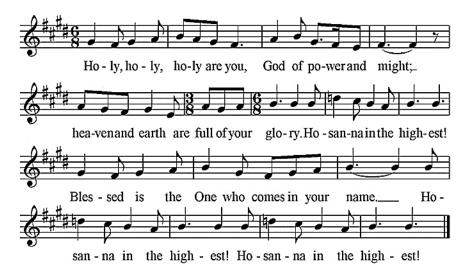
4 Come, let us praise the living God, joyfully sing to our Saviour.

Refrain

The Holy Eucharist

Prayer over th	e Gifts			
Presider	Blessed are you, O God,			
All	ruler of heaven and earth.			
	Day by day you shower us with blessings.			
	As you have raised us to new life in Christ,			
	give us glad and generous hearts,			
	ready to praise you and			
	to respond to those in need,			
	through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord.			
	Amen.			
Presider	May God be with you.			
All	And also with you.			
Presider	Lift up your hearts.			
All	We lift them to God.			
Presider	Let us give thanks to God our Creator.			
All	It is right to give our thanks and praise.			
Presider	It is indeed right that we should praise you			
	to proclaim the glory of your name.			

Sanctus





Fraction Sentence

Presider	Lord, we died with you on the cross.	
All	Now we are raised to new life.	
Presider	We were buried in your tomb.	
All	Now we share in your resurrection.	
Presider	Live in us, that we may live in you.	
Presider	These are the gifts of a gracious God.	
All	Thanks be to God.	

Communion



Communion hymn (JN #8) *All Heaven Declares*

All heaven declares The glory of the risen Lord Who can compare with The beauty of the Lord

Forever He will be The Lamb upon the throne I gladly bow the knee And worship Him alone

I will proclaim The glory of the risen Lord Who once was slain To reconcile man to God

Refrain

Communion hymn (JN #90) Bind Us Together

Bind us together Lord bind us together With cords that cannot be broken Bind us together Lord bind us together Bind us together with love

> There is only one God There is only one King There is only one Body That is why we sing *Refrain*

Made for the Glory of God Purchased by His precious Son Made with the right to be clean For Jesus the victory has won *Refrain*

We are the family of God We are the promise divine We are God's chosen desire We are the glorious new wine *Refrain*

Communion hymn (JN #143) He is Lord

He is Lord He is Lord He is risen from the dead and He is Lord Every knee shall bow every tongue confess That Jesus Christ is Lord

He is Lord He is Lord He ascended up on high and He is Lord Every knee shall bow every tongue confess That Jesus Christ is Lord

He is Lord He is Lord He will come as King of Kings and He is Lord Every knee shall bow every tongue confess That Jesus Christ is Lord

Prayer after Communion

Presider Life-giving God,

All	in the mystery of Christ's resurrection you send
	light to conquer darkness, water to give new life,
	and the bread of life to nourish your people. Send
	us forth as witnesses to your Son's resurrection,
	so that we may show your glory to all the world,
	through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.
	Amen.

Closing Responses

Presider	We go out into the world as the people of	
	God in this place,	
All	and may the God who raised Jesus from the dead	
	grant us grace,	
	the Son who gave his life for us give us peace,	
	and the Spirit who is with us day by day,	
	inspire us to great service both now and forever.	
	Amen.	

Recessional hymn (CP #598) Go to the World

1 Go to the world! Go into all the earth. Go preach the cross where Christ renews life's worth, baptizing as the sign of our rebirth. Alleluia!

2 Go to the world! Go into every place.Go live the word of God's redeeming grace.Go seek God's presence in each time and space.Alleluia!

3 Go to the world! Go struggle, bless, and pray; the nights of tears give way to joyous day.As servant church, you follow Christ's own way. Alleluia!

4 Go to the world! Go as the ones I send, for I am with you till the age shall end, when all the hosts of glory cry, "Amen!" Alleluia!

PresiderAlleluia! Go in peace...AllThanks be to God. Alleluia!

Postlude "To God Be the Glory"



St. Andrew's Anglican Church - Sidney BC

Parish Administrator

Position Overview

The Parish Administrator is the public face of our dynamic church community. We are seeking a compassionate person with strong office management skills, able to welcome visitors in person and on the phone, support the clergy and executive council, prepare printed and online materials, assist with bookkeeping and the website, schedule the use of church facilities, maintain confidentiality, manage time well and work to deadlines. A tall order, but a challenging and rewarding career in a caring environment.

Duties

1. Clerical, Reception and Communications

++Prepare printed and online materials: e.g. bulletins, handouts, giving envelopes, annual reports, event tickets

- ++Assist with advertising of church services
- ++Prepare reports for submission to the synod office
- ++Receive visitors to the office and respond to telephone and email inquiries
- ++Direct incoming mail to the appropriate recipient and prepare outgoing mail
- ++Maintain parish records: e.g. parish directory, documents, minutes
- ++Assemble and distribute materials for parish council or other meetings
- ++Arrange for volunteers to participate in Sunday and/or weekday services

2. Technical

- ++Assist with website and other social platforms
- ++Secure appropriate copyright information for music and liturgy texts
- ++Maintain office equipment and arrange for servicing when required

3. Facilities

- ++Manage calendar of events and rental or use of church facilities for special services
- ++Maintain office, worship and hospitality supplies
- ++Manage cleaning staff, ensuring facilities are clean and well-maintained

4. Financial

- ++Prepare cheques for signature
- ++Issue donation receipts for occasional donors
- ++Manage petty cash
- ++Assist bookkeeper, envelope secretary and treasurer with financial record keeping

Qualifications and Skills

Software: Quickbooks, Microsoft Office, Handy Backup, PowerChurch Plus. Website maintenance. Ability to manage time, handle many competing tasks, meet deadlines, work with clergy, volunteers, parishioners and the general public, deal with confidential information. Educational background and experience in office administration and secretarial skills. Familiarity with the Anglican Church would be helpful.

Criminal Record Check is required.

Job Specifications

20 hours per week, Monday to Friday. Reporting: The Rector and Executive Council (wardens) are responsible for overall supervision and annual review. Day to day reporting is to the Rector. Salary range: \$30,000-\$40,000. Benefits and vacation: To be determined. Start date: June 3, 2024

Email applications to: wardens@standrewssidney.ca.

Please include the contact information for three references

Deadline to apply: April 22, 2024

Looking Forward			
Every Tuesday	Friendship Circle, 1:30 p.m.		
Every Wednesday	Neighbour's Lunch soup kitchen, 11:30 - 12:45		
Every Wednesday	Zoom Prayer Gathering, 3:00 pm		
Every Thursday	Holy Eucharist, 10:00 am		
Every Thursday	Bible Study, 10:45 am		
Every Thursday	Youth Group, 7:00 pm		
Every 1st Thursday	Beechwood Eucharist service, 11:15 a.m.		
of the month			
April 15	Parish Council meeting, 7 pm		
April 16	Vancouver Island Chamber Choir, 7 pm		
May 9	Ascension Day		
May12	Jerusalem Sunday/ Mother's Day		
May 19	Pentecost		
May 25	Wardens' and Treasurer's Day		
May 26	Trinity Sunday		
June 16	Father's Day		
Nov 1-2	Synod 2024		
March 7, 2025	World Day of Prayer, hosted by St. Andrew		

*** This Week at a Glance at St. Andrew*** (April 14 – April 21, 2024)

Sunday	April 14, 2024 - 3rd Sunday of Easter 8:00 am Holy Communion BCP 10:00 am Holy Eucharist BAS
Monday	1:30 pm Friends of St. Andrew delivery 7:00 pm Parish Council meeting (boardroom)
Tuesday	1:30 pm Friendship Circle 7:00 pm Vancouver Island Chamber Choir (by donation at the door)
Wednesday	11:30 - 12:45 Neighbour's Lunch 2:00 pm Zoom Prayer Gathering
Thursday	10:00 am Holy Eucharist 10:45 am Bible Study 7:00 pm Youth Group 7:00 pm Choir Practice
Friday	1:30 Friends of St. Andrew delivery
Saturday	None
Sunday	April 21, 2024 - 4th Sunday of Easter 8:00 am Holy Communion BCP 10:00 am Holy Eucharist BAS



Readings for April 21, 2024 1st Lesson: Acts 4:5-12 Psalm: 23 Epistle: 1 John 3:16-24 Gospel: John 10:11-18

Monthly Mission

April - June - Saanich Peninsula Lions' Food Bank

Weekly Cycles of Prayer

In our parish, we pray for Magda and Peter Van Zyl; Janice and Dennis Varga; Michael and Hazel Varga; Rebecca and Kees Vermeer; Angeline Vollenhoven; Freda Voysey.

In our community, we pray for students, staff and administration of Bayside Middle School, Brentwood Bay.

In our Region, we pray for your faithful of the Parish of the Church of the Advent.

In our Diocese, we pray for Anna, our Bishop, and the Parish of St. Columba, Port Hardy and St. John, Port Alice. We pray for all postulants, especially Jennifer Sharlow.

In our Ecclesiastical Province of BC and Yukon, we pray for the Diocese of New Westminster, Bishop John Stephens.

In Canada, we pray for The Most Rev. Linda Nicholls, Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada.

In the world, we pray for The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia.

Announcements

Welcome to all! Thank you for coming to worship and fellowship at St. Andrew's. Please come to the hall today for coffee/tea and fellowship after the 10:00 am service. See you there!

<u>WELCOME TO VISITORS TO ST. ANDREW</u> - Would you like to receive a tax receipt for your offering (over \$20)? Please pick up an offering envelope from the plastic stand on the credenza at the entrance to the church. So lovely to have you at church today.

<u>COFFEE VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR NEEDED</u> - Lois is stepping down from coordinating the Sunday morning coffee volunteers. All it entails is producing a volunteer roster and perhaps, at times, asking for new volunteers. Please call Lois, at the office (250-656-5322), if this sounds like something you'd like to take on.

DAY BY DAY DEVOTIONALS - Devotionals for May-June-July are now available at the back of the church. Large print copies are perfect for our shut-in friends. \$2 suggested donation each, regular and large print copies.

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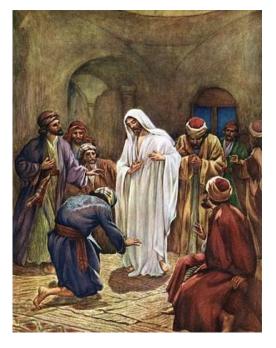
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