St. Philip's Anglican Church

All Saints Day

November 3, 2024, 10:00 am

A Parish of the Anglican Diocese of New Westminster

The Right Reverend Dr. John Stephens, Bishop

The Reverend Liz Ruder-Celiz, Celebrant and Preacher

Michael Murray, Director of Music

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 *Te Lucis* *Marcel Dupré (1886-1974)*

Welcome

Acknowledgement

Celebrant We acknowledge that we are gathered on the traditional territory of the *xʷməθkwəy̓əm* (Musqueam), *Sḵwx̱wú7mesh* (Squamish) and *Sə́l̓ílwətaʔ* (Tsleil-Waututh)—nations who have sought to walk gently on this land.

All **We seek a new relationship with the original Peoples of this land, one rooted in and based on honour and deep respect.**

A moment of silence is kept.

Processional Hymn CP 284 – "Blessed Feasts of Blessed Martyrs"

Greeting

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

All **And also with you.**

Gloria in Excelsis CP 365 – "Glory to God On High"

Collect of the Day

Celebrant Almighty God,
whose people are knit together in one holy Church,
the mystical Body of your Son,
grant us grace to follow your blessed saints
in lives of faith and commitment,
and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared
for those who love you;
through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

All **Amen.**

Children's Moment

– THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD –

First Reading Isaiah 25:6-9 *Read by Michael McKenzie*

Reader Word of God, word of life.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 24: 1-8 *Read responsively*

Second Reading Revelation 21:1-6a *Read by Janet Brown*

Reader Word of God, word of life.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation CP 715 "Celtic Alleluia" *Refrain, Verse 1, Refrain*

The Holy Gospel John 11:32-44

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 Gospel

Celebrant The Gospel of Christ.

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

Sermon

The Apostles' Creed

Celebrant Let us confess the faith of our baptism,
as we say,

All
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.

The Prayers of the Community

Intercessor, John Dolman

Silence is kept.

Celebrant Most merciful God,
All **we confess that we have sinned against you**
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us,
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your name. Amen.

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy upon you,
pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,
and keep you in eternal life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
All **Amen.**

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
All **And also with you.**

The Preparation of the Gifts

Offertory Hymn CP 278 – "Jerusalem The Golden"

Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant Holy and mighty God,
we give you thanks for the triumph of Christ
in the lives of all his saints.
Receive all we offer you this day,
and help us, like them, to run our course with faith,
that we may come to your eternal kingdom.
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

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;
in the multitude of your saints
you have surrounded us
with so great a cloud of witnesses,
that we, rejoicing in their fellowship,
may run with patience the race that is set before us,
and together with them receive the crown of glory
that never fades away.
Therefore with angels and archangels
and with all who have served you in every age,
we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

Sanctus *(all sing)* CP 735 by Franz Schubert, arr. R. Proulx

Celebrant We give thanks to you, Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made know 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." Therefore, Father, according to his command,

All **We remember his death,**
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory

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.

All **Amen**

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 "I am the bread of life," says the Lord.
"Whoever comes to me will never be hungry;
whoever believes in me will never thirst."

All **Taste and see that the Lord is good;**
happy are they who trust in him!

Agnus Dei CP 747 by Franz Schubert, arr. R. Proulx

The Communion

Hymn "O Thou Who At Thy Eucharist Did'st Pray" by M. Wöldike

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant Lord of hosts,
we praise your glory reflected in your saints.
May we who share at this table

be filled with the joy of your eternal kingdom,
where Jesus is Lord, now and for ever.

All **Amen.**

Parish Announcements *Given by the Churchwardens*

Stewardship Moment

Celebrations

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.**

Blessing

Closing Hymn CP 276 – "For All The Saints"

Dismissal *The celebrant dismisses the people, saying,*

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude *Toccata for All Saints* *Marcel Dupré (1886-1974)*

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Upcoming at St. Philip's

Full details available at stphilipsdunbar.com

The coming week…

Sat Nov 2	2:00am	**Reminder –** turn clocks back one hour
Sun Nov 3	10:00am	**All Saints Day** ISAIAH 25:6-9; PSALM 24; REVELATION 21:1-6a; JOHN 11:32-44
Mon Nov 4	1:00pm	**The Gospel According to Musical Theatre with the Very Reverend Peter Elliott** – Fireside Room
Tues Nov 5	10:00am – noon	**Dunbar Seniors' Café** – Fireside Room
	1:30pm	**Weekly Staff Meeting** – Upstairs Room
Weds Nov 6	7:30 – 9:00pm	**Centering Prayer** – Sanctuary
Thurs Nov 7	10:00am	**Crafting** – Fireside Room
Sun Nov 10	10:00am	**Remembrance Day Service** IN FLANDERS FIELDS; WISDOM OF SOLOMON 3:1-9; PSALM 116:1-8; JOHN 6:37-41

Save the date…

Tues Nov 15	*See website*	**Dicken's *A Christmas Carol*** – tickets on sale
Mon Nov 21	*See website*	**Christmas Fair** – plant and chocolate order deadline
Sat Nov 30	10:00am – 2:00pm	**St Philip's Christmas Fair**
Sun Dec 1	4:00pm	**Advent Lessons & Carols**
Sun Dec 8	7:30pm	**Abendmusik Advent Vespers**
Sun Dec 15	7:00pm	**Dicken's *A Christmas Carol***
Thurs Dec 19	7:00pm	**Carol Sing-Along**
Tues Dec 24	5:00pm	**Children's Nativity Pageant**
Weds Dec 25	10:00am	**Christmas Morning Eucharist**

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers: Noelle Baxter, Sarah, Kaley, Kathie Overton, Bruce Elvins and family, Mel Haney, Nathan Hepburn and family, Julian, Alex, Adele and Cameron Wonnick, and Ann. We pray for those who have recently died, especially Billie Niblock and Ryan Girling. We pray for all those whose ashes rest in our Memorial Garden, and for comfort and peace for all loved ones and friends who are experiencing loss.

FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR

The altar flowers before us today are dedicated to our beloved Mum, Mama, Granny and friend, Joanna Shepheard. Joanna loved, and was loved by, all. Min, Linda and family, and Keith honour her with these flowers. Joanna left us six years ago, and not a day has gone by where we haven't thought about her and how she made our world a better place. Joanna is forever in our hearts and we strive to honour her legacy. We love you, Joanna.

CONGRATULATIONS TO 'ORDER OF NEW WESTMINSTER' INDUCTEE BRIAN MIX
On November 2nd, Brian Mix was inducted into the Order of New Westminster (the highest honour our Diocese can give), by Bishop John, for his wonderful and hard work here at St. Philip's and in the Community. Thank you Brian, and Congratulations!!!!

PURSE FOR LORNE
After announcing that Lorne will not be returning to St. Philip's after his leave, your leadership team continues to work closely with the Bishop and will provide updates as soon as they are available. We are collecting a purse for Lorne; if you would like to contribute to his purse, you may give contributions to any Warden or drop them off in the office with Laura. Please note that these contributions are not eligible for a tax receipt. In addition, we hope to arrange a time with Lorne so that we can all celebrate his time with us at St. Philip's – please stay tuned for more information.

JONES GIRLS
This Monday November 4th, The Jones Girls will welcome the Very Reverend Peter Elliott who will speak about The Gospel According to Musical Theatre. Peter is a life-long musical theatre enthusiast and co-host of the podcast "The Gospel of Musical Theatre" with his friend the Very Reverend Nathan LeRud Dean of Trinity Cathedral in Portland Oregon. Peter and Nathan have taught courses at Vancouver School of Theology and the Sorrento Centre on the many and important links between musical theatre and theology. We welcome you to join with others in this time of music and inspiration! Jones Girls members-only lunch meeting at 11:45AM; all welcome at 1PM for Peter's presentation.

STEWARDSHIP 2025: *GATHER AND GROW*
We hope you enjoy hearing from our first Stewardship speaker in our service this morning. After listening to their words, consider how you support St Philip's in so many ways with your time, talent and treasure. The Stewardship package will be emailed to you sometime next week, and some paper copies will be available in the narthex from Nov 10 for those who absolutely need a paper version. Financial Promise pledge sheets (on pale blue paper) are available for every donor in the narthex. Mark your calendars to **gather** for **Commitment Sunday Parish Lunch** on Nov 24th after church. Stewardship will provide finger food for all for a light lunch. Do stay to **grow** community with your fellow parishioners of all ages.

THE CHRISTMAS FAIR - Nov 30, 10:00am - 2:00pm
People are busy getting ready for the Christmas Fair: Christmas Cakes, Baking, Preserves, Crafts, Gifts, Treasures, and more! The tearoom will be open from 11:00 on. Shop on our website soon for Christmas Plants and Chocolates to be ordered by Nov 21 and picked up at the Fair. Orders close Nov 21! Invite all your friends and family to this annual much-loved community event. More details will follow here next week. Watch the website Events page for details that are updated regularly.

CRAFTING
Thursdays at 10am (leading up to the Christmas Fair Nov 30), please join us for coffee and crafting as we finish up some projects.

DICKENS' *A CHRISTMAS CAROL* - Dec 15, 7:00 - 9:00 pm
Tickets this year are $30 and will be available on our website starting Nov. 15 (children under 15 are free). This event sells out online, so please mark the date to not miss out. Invite everyone you know to this beloved live reading by CBC and local talent!

CENTERING PRAYER GROUP

Join the Centering Prayer Group Wednesday evenings 7:30-9:00 pm. All are welcome to join us in the Sanctuary for a period of Centering Prayer, some sharing and book study. For further information, please contact Mary Lymburner (kmarylymburner@telus.net or 778-898-5117) or Gloria Sutcliffe (gloriasutcliffe@shaw.ca or 604-809-4195).

NEIGHBOURHOOD MINISTRY

Neighbourhood Ministry Clothing Drive

As the weather gets wetter and colder, please consider donating: Rain, winter and fleece jackets, rain pants and sweatpants, long underwear, men's socks and underwear, tarps (dark colours are preferred but not essential). Please only donate the above items, in washed, unripped and unstained condition. Sweatpants are especially popular and can be picked up inexpensively at the thrift store (e.g., Salvation Army, Kerrisdale). We also need food donations – specifically, cereal bars (soft - no nuts, seeds or oatmeal), cans of meat or fish, can openers and McDonald's gift cards ($15 or $10).

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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Contact the office manager@stpdunbar.com to register your email address and receive communication by email. If you would like to **add a news item to the bulletin,** the deadline for the submission of news items to the office for the bulletin is **Wednesday at noon**.

For more information about St. Philip's, visit www.stphilipsdunbar.com or call the office at 604-224-3238

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St Philip's Christmas Fair

Sat. Nov 30, 10:00-2:00

CHRISTMAS CAKES, BAKING,
PRESERVES, GIFTS, CRAFTS,
VINTAGE LINENS,
TREASURES, & MORE!

THE TEA ROOM OPENS 11:00

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