

A Creative Spiritual Community

Holy Eucharist



Seventh Sunday after Pentecost July 27, 2025 10:00 a.m. service

Welcome to St. Andrew's - all are welcome here.





<u>Altar Flowers</u> Thanking God for the gift that was my mother on her birthday, which she will celebrate in heaven; given gratefully by Marilyn Shade.

Prelude

Welcome

Announcements

<u>LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</u> - 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 #3) Morning Has Broken

1 Morning has broken like the first morning; blackbird has spoken like the first bird. Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them springing fresh from the Word!

2 Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven, like the first dewfall on the first grass. Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden, sprung in completeness where his feet pass.

3 Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning born of the one light Eden saw play! Praise with elation, praise every morning, God's re-creation of the new day!



The Gathering of the Community

Presider In this time and place

we gather on the ancestral territory

of the Coast Salish peoples.

All From many places and peoples

we come to this house in prayer.

Presider In this time and place

we gather in the name of the living God.

All We meet in the presence

of Jesus Christ, risen and alive.

Presider In this time and place

we gather with the community of faith - around the globe and across the ages.

All Today, heaven and earth are one.

Presider In this time and place

we are not alone, but one in Christ.

All We are knit together in the unity of the Spirit.

Presider In this time and place

we are hallowed, expectant, one people in God,

All in the name of the Holy and Blessed One,

Creator, Redeemer and Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Collect of the Day

Presider Provident God,

All with the prayer your Son taught us always on our lips,

help us so to seek that we may truly find, so to ask that we may joyfully receive, and so to knock that the door of mercy

may be opened for us;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The Proclamation of the Word

Hebrew Bible Reading

Reader A reading from the Book of Hosea (1:2-10).

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

All Thanks be to God.

Psalm 85

¹ You have been gracious to your land, O Lord, you have restored the good fortune of Jacob.

- ² You have forgiven all the iniquity of your people and blotted out all their sins.
- You have withdrawn all your fury and turned yourself from your wrathful indignation.
- ⁴ Restore us then, O God our Saviour;

let your anger depart from us.

⁵ Will you be displeased with us for ever?

Will you prolong your anger from age to age?

⁶ Will you not give us life again,

that your people may rejoice in you?

⁷ Show us your mercy, O Lord,

and grant us your salvation.

⁸ I will listen to what you, Lord God, are saying, for you are speaking peace to your faithful people and to those who turn their hearts to you.

- ⁹ Truly, your salvation is very near to those who fear you, that your glory may dwell in our land.
- ¹⁰ Mercy and truth have met together;

righteousness and peace have kissed each other.

 11 Truth shall spring up from the earth,

and righteousness shall look down from heaven.

¹² Lord, you will indeed grant prosperity,

and our land will yield its increase.

¹³ Righteousness shall go before you, and peace shall be a pathway for your feet.

Glory 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.

Epistle Reading

Reader A reading from the letter to the Colossians (2:6-15).

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Gradual hymn (CP#415) All Things Bright and Beautiful

Refrain:

All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made them all.

1 Each radiant flower that opens, each vibrant bird that sings,God made their glowing colors,God made their lively wings.

Refrain

2 The cold wind in the winter, the pleasant summer sun, the ripe fruit in the garden, God made them every one.

Refrain

Gospel Reading

Celebrant May God be with you.

All And also with you.

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

according to Luke (11:1-13).

All Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Celebrant The Gospel of Christ.

All Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gradual hymn continued

3 The rocky mountain splendour, the loon's wild, haunting call, the great lakes and the prairies, the forest in the fall.

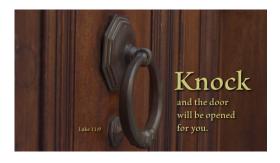
Refrain:

All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made them all.

4 God gave us eyes to see them, and lips that we might tell how great is the Creator, who has made all things well.

Refrain

Sermon The Rev. Kelly Duncan



The Affirmation of Faith

Presider Our God is the God of all humans,

High voices the God of heaven and earth,

the God of seas and rivers,

Low voices the God of sun and moon,

the God of all heavenly bodies,

High voices the God of the lofty mountains, Low voices the God of the lowly valleys.

High voices God is above all the heavens;

and beneath the heavens.

Low voices Heaven and earth and sea,

everything in them,

such God has as an abode.

High voices God inspires all things,

gives life to all things.

Low voices God stands above all things,

and stands beneath all things.

High voices God enlightens the light of the sun,

strengthens the light of the night and the stars.

Low voices God makes wells in the arid land and dry islands in

the sea, and places the stars in the service of the

greater lights.

All And there is the Son who is co-eternal with God,

and similar in all respects

neither is the Son younger nor older; and the Holy Spirit breathes in them.

And the Father and the Son

and the Holy Spirit are inseparable.

Amen.

Prayers of the People

The Confession

Presider In humility, as children of God and siblings in

Christ, we receive God's mercy and respond to

God's call to make new all relationships.

Silence is kept.

Presider Merciful Lord, your Spirit hovered over the waters

where diversity sprouted and flourished.

All We confess our difficulty to live with difference.

Forgive us those attitudes of mind, words and actions that do violence to unity in diversity.

Presider Merciful Christ, grace and joy of the multitude,

listener and teacher,

you give birth to new visions of hope and heal the wounds of mind and body.

All We confess that we have failed to listen

to voices different from our own,

failed to say words that bring healing and hope,

and we have turned a blind eye

to those who cry out for solidarity and fellowship.

Presider Merciful Lord, you are the source of all creation,

the Eternal and life-giving Word.

All We confess that we do not listen to your creation

that groans and cries out for liberation and

renewal. Help us to walk together and to hear your voice in all living things that suffer and yearn for

healing and care.

Presider O God, fountain of mercy and grace,

pour over us your pardon.

All May your love transform us

into a source of living water

to restore the strength of your people.

We make our prayer through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Absolution

Presider Almighty God,

who in Jesus Christ has given us a kingdom that cannot be destroyed,

forgive you your sins,

open your eyes to God's truth, strengthen you to do God's will

and give you the joy of God's kingdom,

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

The Peace

Presider The peace of God be always with you.

All And also with you.

Offertory hymn (JN#304) Shout to the Lord

My Jesus, my Saviour,
Lord, there is none like You;
all of my days I want to praise
the wonders of Your mighty love.
My comfort, my shelter,
tower of refuge and strength,
let every breath, all that I am
never cease to worship You.

Refrain:

Shout to the Lord, all the earth, let us sing power and majesty praise to the King; mountains bow down and the seas will roar at the sound of Your name.

I sing for joy at the work of Your hands, forever I'll love You, forever I'll stand, nothing compares to the promise I have in You.

(Repeat verse and refrain)

Prayer over the Gifts

Presider Creator,

All you bless us with many good gifts

which are returned to you from your creation.

Feed us with the Bread of Life,

through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The Holy Eucharist

Presider God is here

All The Spirit is with us.

Presider Lift up your hearts and minds.

All We lift them to God.

Presider Let us give thanks to God the Creator.All It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Presider Holy and eternal One ...

... to care for everything given and received.

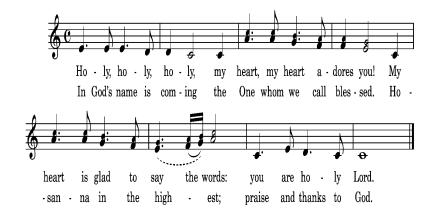
All Glory to you, source of all life.

Presider From the earliest days the peoples ...

... these sacred relationships with all life.

All Glory to you, source of all life.

Presider In Jesus Christ, you came into our world...



Presider Blessed are you, most holy One ...

... and follow him in lives of selfless service and

courageous love.

All Glory to you, source of all life.

Presider In the fullness of time reconcile all things ...

... Undivided Trinity, One God, now and forever.

All Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Presider As Christ teaches us, we 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.

Fraction Sentence

Presider Creator of all,

you summon the salmon from the depths of the seas

to yearn for the place of their origin.

People So may your Spirit stir in our hearts

to return and find our home in you.

Presider These are the gifts of God for the people of God.

All Thanks be to God.

COMMUNION

Please note: All are welcome to receive home-made bread, wafers or gluten free wafers. Please just ask when you get to the front.

All are welcome to drink from the chalice or to touch the chalice while the words are said. We are not permitted to dip bread into the

Communion hymn (CP#56) I am the Bread, the Bread of Life

1 I am the bread, the bread of life; who comes to me will never hunger. I am the bread, the bread of heaven; who feeds on me will never die.

And as you eat, remember me – my body broken on the tree: my life was given to set you free, and I'm alive for evermore.

2 I am the vine, the living vine; apart from me you can do nothing. I am the vine, the real vine; abide in me and I in you.

And as you drink, remember me – my blood was shed upon the tree: my life was given to set you free, and I'm alive for evermore.

3 So eat this bread, and drink this wine, and as you do, receive this life of mine.

All that I am, I give to you, that you may live for evermore.

Communion hymn (CP#514) Jesus, Joy of Our Desiring

Jesus, joy of our desiring,
holy wisdom, love most bright;
drawn by thee, our souls aspiring
soar to uncreated light.
Word of God, our flesh that fashioned,
with the fire of life impassioned,
striving still to truth unknown,
soaring, dying round thy throne.

(continued over)

(Communion hymn continued)

Through the way where hope is guiding, hark, what peaceful music rings, where the flock, in thee confiding, drink of joy from deathless springs.

Theirs is beauty's fairest pleasure; theirs is wisdom's holiest treasure.

Thou dost ever lead thine own in the love of joys unknown

Communion hymn (CP#360) Bless the Lord, My Soul

Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's holy name. Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads me into life. (Repeat)

Communion hymn (CP#86) More Than We Can Ask or Imagine

1 More than we can ask or imagine, more than we can ever dare to dream, we are the children of heaven's creation, God's own beloved, each called by name.

And we cry, Glory! Glory!

Glory to God who calls us by name!

Glory! Glory! Glory to God!

Glory we sing!

2 More than we will ever imagine, more than we will ever understand; we are sent to walk with compassion, to live out God's love by heart and by hand.

And we cry, Glory! Glory!

Glory to God who presses us on!

Glory! Glory! Glory to God!

Glory our song!

(Communion hymn continued)

3 More than we can ask or imagine, more than we could ever desire; out of the dust God's building a kingdom, like wine from the press, like bread from the fire.

And we cry, Glory! Glory!
Glory to God! Glory we cry!
Glory! Glory!
Glory on earth, Glory on high!

Glory! Glory! Glory to God! Glory we cry! Glory! Glory! Glory on earth! Glory on high!

Glory on earth! Glory on high!

Prayer after Communion

Presider Great Creator,

All you have fed us with bread from heaven.

Continue to renew us in your truth,

to give light to our minds, strength to our bodies,

and seal us with your Holy Spirit. We ask this in Christ's name.

Amen.

Doxology

Presider 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.

Closing Hymn (JN#219) Our God is an Awesome God

1 Oh when He rolls up His sleeves
He ain't just puttin' on the ritz
Our God is an awesome God
There is thunder in His footsteps and lightening in His fists
Our God is an awesome God
And the Lord wasn't joking when He kicked 'em out of Eden
It wasn't for no reason that He shed His blood
His return is very soon so you better be believing that
Our God is an awesome God

Refrain: Our God is an awesome God He reigns from heaven above with wisdom, power and love Our God is an awesome God

2 And when the sky was starless in the void of the night
Our God is an awesome God
He spoke into the darkness and created the light
Our God is an awesome God
And Judgment and wrath He poured out on Sodom
Mercy and grace He gave us at the cross
I hope that we have not too quickly forgotten that
Our God is an awesome God!

Refrain

Presider Go, respecting and serving all that God has created.

All For God created all and saw that it was good.

Thanks be to God!

Postlude Prelude and Fugue in F Maj, by J.S.Bach

Music for the Mass(es): Marilyn Shade

Each week this summer, a parishioner or couple has been invited to choose some favourite hymns for us to sing in worship. Below is some background on why Marilyn chose today's hymns.

Morning Has Broken - This song sung by Cat Stevens prompted me to buy my very first album. I almost wore this track out!

All Things Bright and Beautiful- My Mom and Grandmother used to sing this hymn to us when we were little and it reminds me of them each time we sing it.

Shout to the Lord - I have just loved this hymn from the first time we sang it in church. I have found myself humming it or singing it throughout the week.

I Am the Bread, the Bread of Life - I always thought this was a perfect hymn for Communion.

Jesus, Joy of Our Desiring - We sang this hymn in choir when I was in grade 11 and I have always loved it.

Bless the Lord, My Soul and More Thank We Can Ask or Imagine - These two hymns are both uplifting and we need more hymns or songs that bring us joy and lift us up because of our love for and from God.

Our God is an Awesome God - I chose this hymn because God is and we should sing about it!

Many thanks to Marilyn Shade for choosing this week's music.



*** This Week at a Glance *** (July 27— August 3 2025)

Sunday July 27, 2025 Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 am Holy Communion BCP 10:00 am Holy Eucharist BAS

Monday 1:30 pm Friends of St. Andrew delivery

Tuesday 1:30 pm Friendship Circle

Wednesday 11:30 - 12:30 Neighbour's Lunch

2:00 pm Zoom Prayer Gathering

Thursday 10:00 am Morning Prayer

11:30 am Brunch Bunch

Friday 1:30 pm Friends of St. Andrew delivery

Saturday 11:30 am Brunch Bunch

Sunday August 3, 2025 Eight Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 am Holy Communion BCP 10:00 am Holy Eucharist BAS

Looking Forward

August 4th Wedding: Spencer Gaby & Nicola Hestnes, 2 pm

August 23th Wedding: Ryan Qu and Ariana Hall

 $at\,Christ\,Church\,Cathedral,\,Victoria\,,\,no on$

September 27th Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser for the Church

in the Hall, 5 pm

Readings for August 3, 2025



1st Lesson: Hosea 11:1-11 Psalm: 107:1-9, 43

Epistle: Colossians 3:1-11 Gospel: Luke 12:13-21 <u>THANK YOU</u>- Thank you so much for the beautiful flowers I received on my birthday! They were absolutely stunning—just my taste, in fact. Ironically (and somewhat humorously), I actually helped my mom pick them out and even arranged them myself. If nothing else, this has taught me an important lesson: always choose gifts and flowers you'd love to receive, because life has a funny way of sending them right back to you. All jokes aside, your thoughtfulness and the vibrant blooms truly brightened my day. Many thanks again. Suzanne Gaby

Announcements

WELCOME TO VISITORS! We are glad you are here. If you have any questions about St Andrew's, please speak with one of the clergy, the sidesperson who greeted you when you came in or the person sitting beside you. All are welcome here!

<u>CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL CONCERT</u> - Join Marks' and Margaret's grand-daughter, Naomi Woo as conductor of the Canadian Youth Orchestra of Canada in a performance at the Cathedral in Victoria on Friday, August 1st at 7:30pm. Rides are available. You'll be home by sunset. The cost is \$40 but please pay an amount within your means. For more details and to buy your ticket(s), please speak with Marks or Richard at coffeetime.

DIOCESAN WOMEN'S RETREAT- KEEPING THE FAITH IN THE TURBULENT 2020s - September 26-28, 2025 at Camp Pringle, lead by Bishop Anna and The Rev. Christine Conkin. Single day attendance including meals is \$160. Single room: \$325. Shared room: \$265. The deadline for registration is September 11th. For more information, please contact Brenda Dhaene.



Quarterly Mission
July - September 2025
Saanich Peninsula Lions Food Bank

Weekly Cycles of Prayer

In our parish, we pray for The Rev. Suzanne Crerar, Patricia Csima, Sandi & David Cubbon, Judi & Terry Curran, and Bob & Marlene Dame.

In our community, we pray for all those whose faith is known to you alone; we pray that they may be faithful witnesses to You in their community.

In our Region, we pray for the Parish of Pender and Saturna Islands, the clergy and the neighbourhood.

In our Diocese, we pray for Anna, our Bishop, and the Parish of St. Mary of the Incarnation, Metchosin.

In our Ecclesiastical Province, we pray for The Right Rev. Lynne McNaughton, Bishop of Kootenay.

Sources

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Creative Spiritual Community

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