

Holy Eucharist BAS

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

August 3, 2025, 10:00 AM



We recognize that our faith community gathers on the ancestral lands of the Tsartlip/WJOLELP, Tseycum/WSIKEM, Tsawout/STAUTW, & Pauquachin/BOKECEN Nations. In a spirit of gratitude and respect, we seek a growing relationship that fosters healing and hope for all our relations on these islands and inlets of the Salish Sea.

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Welcome

A special welcome to visitors and newcomers. Please consider taking a moment to fill in a Welcome card and hand it to a greeter. You may also take Rev. Denise's business card in the foyer and connect with her at your convenience.

Territorial Acknowledgement

Opening Song: *CP # 577 God of Grace and God of Glory*

The Gathering of the Community

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

And also with you.

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Act of Praise: *CP # 365 Glory To God on High*

The Collect of the Day:

Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the word of his kingdom. Renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Hosea 11.1-11

Psalm 107.1-9, 43

Second Reading: Colossians 3.1-11

Gradual Hymn: *CP # 446 Word of God, Come Down on Earth*
vs. 1 & 4

Gospel Acclamation: *CP # 709 Alleluia*

Gospel Reading: Luke 12.13-21
(Please stand as you are able).

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Sermon by Rev. Tish

The Apostles Creed

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

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.

Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution:

Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he welcomes sinners and invites them to the table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

(Silence is kept).

Most merciful God,

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.

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. **Amen.**

The Peace

The Offering

(Now is the time to present your offering to God).

Offertory Song: *CP # 259 For the Fruit of All Creation*

Celebration of the Eucharist

The Prayer over the Gifts

God our sustainer, accept all we offer you this day, and feed us continually with that bread which satisfies all hunger, your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; you are the source of light and life for all your creation, you made us in your own image, and call us to new life in Jesus Christ our Saviour. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

Santus CP # 732 Holy, Holy, Holy Lord

We give thanks to you, Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known 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,

we remember his death,

we proclaim his resurrection,

we await his coming in glory;

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. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer: *BAS pg. 918 (chanted)*

The Breaking of the Bread

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

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

The Communion

Please note: You may drink from the common cup but if you do not wish to then simply touch the cup. You must not dip the bread in the cup. We have gluten free wafers and will gladly extend the platter to you for you to take one from it. Please just let us know if you need one.

Prayer after Communion

God of grace, we have shared in the mystery of the body and blood of Christ. May we who have tasted the bread of life live with you for ever. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Announcements

Blessing

Sending Hymn #484 *In Christ There is No East or West*

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.



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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

In our Anglican Communion	The Episcopal Church in the Philippines
In our Diocese	Anna, our Bishop, Postulants of the Diocese
In our Parish	Denise, our Priest, Robin Glendinning, Debbie Gray, Joan Harivel, Ron & Suzanne Harry
Our Monthly Outreach	Threshold Housing

Thank You! Thank You! Thank You!

A heartfelt trinitarian message of gratitude to every one of you, for generously giving of yourself and your gifts to Holy Trinity!

We are so glad to see new faces serving in various ways and sustaining a healthy group of lay ministers. Through the gifts of your presence and skills you are helping us be a warm welcoming sacred community in North Saanich. All that you have given in terms of your passion and pocketbook has made it possible to provide dynamic and fulfilling ministry to all who walk through our doors and to keep our grounds and facilities maintained to this end. May God bless you for your support and participation and may we be an even greater blessing to the life of the world all around us in the days ahead!

Sincerely,

Rev. Denise and Wardens, Debra and Penny

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Save the date for Messy Church starting on September 12th. See the poster on the back page.
- Harvest Community Dance, 5pm Friday September 19th We're hosting our first community dance at Holy Trinity with a live band, line dancing and catered local food. This will be a big sort of thank you to farmers and we hope y'all will come and kick up your heels with us. More details coming on our website soon.

NOTICES

- Karen Foubert requires help in the garden for weeding. Please contact her karenthenomadic@gmail.com if you are able to help.
- Please send requests for special prayers to Diana Chown dkchown@shaw.ca
- Ministry descriptions are available at the back of the church. Please take one and pray about where you can contribute and serve in the liturgy. Contact Rev. Denise at 250-818-6190 to chat with her about this.

- Rev. Denise is posting an audio of her sermons on our website. To access a sermon go to our website <https://holytrinityns.org> and click on Sermons in the menu and choose the sermon for a particular week.
- Contributions to Holy Trinity are tax deductible as a charitable donation on your income tax return. If you would like envelopes for your contribution please send an email to givings@holytrinityns.org or you can make monthly contributions by filling out the pre authorized debit form located at the back of the church.
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*Next Week's Readings: Isaiah 1.1, 10-20; Psalm 50.1-8, 23-24
Hebrews 11.1-3, 8-16: The Gospel Reading; Luke 12.32.40*



Presider	The Reverend Denise Doerksen
<i>Todays Lay Leaders</i>	
Sides people	Scott & Anne-Marie Weston
Reader	Mairwen Williams
Prayers	Jayne Postuk
Chalice	Jayne Postuk
Counters	Lorne Seier/Pat Dowdall

July Outreach Mt. Newton Centre



Mt. Newton Centre located on Mt. Newton x Rd. In Central Saanich provides many services to seniors which help them to remain in their own homes. It is non profit, therefore our contributions are important to help maintain this much needed service to our community. Services include: lending of equipment (wheelchairs, crutches, bathroom equipment, etc.), providing respite to caregivers, blood pressure and foot care clinics, and a bathing program for those who need help (its so easy to fall when getting in & out of a tub).

The staff is very helpful, kind, and considerate. I am so thankful for this service to our community. Please remember them.

Submitted by Doreen Woldnik

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