

The Anglican Parish of Holy Cross

Growing relationships in Christ

Service of Holy Communion

August 24, 2025 at 10:00 AM

11th Sunday after Pentecost

Book of Common Prayer (Small Red Book)

Presiding: The Rev. Malcolm Kern

Assisted by: The Rev. Deacon Carol Tubman

Welcome! We thank you for choosing to worship with us today. To learn more about our community, please fill out the card in the pew and/or speak to the clergy.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion. If you prefer not to receive communion, you are encouraged to come forward to receive a blessing. If you are gluten intolerant, you may request a rice wafer instead of a wheat wafer from the priest administering the bread.



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As the parish of Holy Cross, we acknowledge that we gather
on the traditional territories of the Treaty 7 peoples.

We Gather Together

Prelude: "Lord God, we all give praise to Thee" – J. Pachelbel

Announcements and Welcome

Processional Hymn 388 "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"

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Responses and Kyrie Eleison sung responses 677 & 678

Collect of the Day. Almighty God, we are taught by your word that all our doings without love are worth nothing. Send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtue; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

Children's Teaching

We Hear and Proclaim God's Word

First Reading: Jeremiah 1:4-10 (Bible, OT, page 776) Onna Nicolay

Psalms 71:1-6 (BCP, page 416) Gloria Goldman

Second Reading: Hebrews 12:18-29 (Bible, NT, page 244) Shane Noble

Gradual Hymn 434 "The Love of Jesus Calls Us"

Gospel Response "Alleluia" sung response 716

The Gospel: Luke 13:10-17 (Bible, NT, page 78) The Rev. Deacon Carol Tubman

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Sermon The Rev. Malcolm Kern

We Pray for the Church and World

The Intercession (*please kneel if you are able*) Mryka Hall-Beyer

- The Anglican Communion: The Church of the Province of South East Asia
- The Anglican Church of Canada: The Most Rev. Shane Parker, Primate; The Territory of the People: The Rt. Rev. Clara Plamondon, Bishop
- The Diocese of Calgary: The Most Rev. Gregory Kerr-Wilson, Archbishop of Calgary and Metropolitan of Northern Lights; The Mission of St. Edmund King & Martyr, Calgary; Diocesan Children and Youth Ministries
- Our Companion Diocese of the Windward Islands: The Rt. Rev. Leopold Friday, Bishop; St. Philip, Mesopotamia with St. Matthias and St. Joseph, on St. Vincent: The Rev. Canon Ashton Francis
- Our Parish: Altar guild

- Our Members: Kathy, Don, and Brianna Richards; Cindy and Mike Robinson; Amy and Emma Rocha; Vlad Rojanschi, Candice Young, David and Miriam
- The World: India; all people and countries affected by natural disaster or terrorist attacks; for peace and reconciliation
- Those in Need in Our Parish: Dale Aasen, Bob Lee, Mary Mason-Leskowitz, Joyce Lee, Doris Gourley, Linda Nkemdirim, Kajsa Hansen, Art and Isobel Price, Marlene Stevenson, Joyce Holden, Ken Carter, David Meriam, Lucille Gishler, Onna Nicolay, Beverly McDonald, Brenda Hanna, Charlene, Doris Kashmanian, Greg Hansen
- Those in Need Beyond Our Parish: Rob, Tanya Fifield, Diane, Ryan, Rick Cox, Madison, Anderson family, Wendy H, Lesia, Mitch, Susan, Karen, Dana, Bruce, Tony Walmsley, Deb, Christina, Gwyneth, Sam, Alan, Beatriz Bland, Kevin, Wayne and Bev Parkin
- Deceased: Sheila Minchin

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Sharing the Peace of Christ

We Celebrate the Lord’s Supper

Offertory Hymn 531 “You Who Dwell in the Shelter of the Lord”

Thanksgiving and Consecration.....page 78ff

“Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy)” sung response 683

Please kneel if you are able.

The Breaking of the Bread

“Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)” sung response 685

Receiving Communion or a Blessing

Communion Music: Prayer from “Judas Maccabeus” – G.F. Handel

We Go into the World

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Gloria sung response 679

Blessing

“Amen” sung response 737

Recessional Hymn 433 “Lord, You Gave the Great Commission”

Dismissal

Postlude: “We nur den Lieben Gott lasst walten” – J. G. Walther



The altar flowers are in have been donated to the Glory of Almighty God
In loving memory of Darwin Kraft by Rosemarie Kraft.

We welcome the **Rev. Malcolm Kern** who is presiding at services in Rev. Simba's absence.

ACW meetings resume on September 7 after coffee hour following the 10:00 AM service. All women are welcome. Please contact Lisa Boulet for more information at 403-399-2315.

Sunday School resumes on September 7 during the 10:00 AM and will be held on the first and third Sunday of each month. Please contact Lisa Boulet for more information at 403-399-2315.

As summer is here and people are away on vacation, we encourage you to remember your **financial pledge** to Holy Cross. In addition to cash or cheques, donations can be made by e-transfer to donations@holycrosscalgary.org or by pre-authorized donations (PAD).

St. Edmund's food bank reports that food donations are down during the summer. Please keep them in mind when grocery shopping.

On Wednesdays, join us for **Holy Communion** at 9:30 AM or **Evening Prayer** at 6:30 PM. For more information about Evening Prayer, please contact The Rev. Deacon Carol Tubman at ctubman@shaw.ca or call 403-630-9104.

Next Week's Readings – August 31 – 12th Sunday after Pentecost

Jeremiah 2:4-13; Psalm 81:1, 10-16; Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16; Luke 14:1, 7-15

Assisting Today

Doug Spreeman (Music Director); Gloria Goldman (Worship Assistant); Onna Nicolay, Shane Noble (Readers); Mryka Hall-Beyer (Intercessor, Adminstrant); TBD (Videographer); David and Linda Peyto (Sidespersons); Margaret Peyto, Glynis McClary (Coffee Hosts); Lynne Hubbard, Barb Aasen (Altar Guild). CCLI Licence No. 11533778