

Welcome to
St. Luke Cedar Hill
All Saints' Sunday
November 2, 2025 – 7:00 pm



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We acknowledge that we gather with respect on the traditional territories of the lək̓ʷəŋən peoples, known in our day as the Esquimalt and Songhees Nations, the traditional custodians of these lands. We are grateful for their hospitality.

Processional

(Please stand as you are able as the clergy and choir enter.)

Welcome

Opening Hymn

The Day Thou Gavest, Lord, Is Ended

CP 29

The Responses

Cantor: O Lord, open thou our lips.

People: **And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.**

Cantor: O God, make speed to save us.

People: **O Lord, make haste to help us.**

Cantor: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

People: **As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

Cantor: Praise ye the Lord.

People: **The Lord's name be praised.**

(Please be seated for the singing of the psalms.)

Psalm 148

Text: Indonesian paraphrase

Hallelujah! Sing praise to your Creator,
sun, moon and stars and angels above.

Praise the Lord, whose word established the heavens,
who upholds all the earth in power and love.

God reigns on high, let the heavens rejoice!

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Praise the Lord, all mountains and oceans,
rolling thunder and wind and storm clouds on high.

Praise the Lord, your Maker, all living creatures,
all the beasts in the fields and birds in the sky.

Both young and old, come and join in the song!

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Give to God all glory and honour.

From the depths to the heights let praises resound
to the Lord, the source of strength and salvation

for all people on whom God's favour is found.
Praise God, you saints who are claimed as God's own!
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Psalm 150

Chant: Pelham Humphreys

O praise God in his sanctuary:
praise him in the firmament of his power.
² Praise him in his mighty acts:
praise him according to his excellent greatness.
³ Praise him in the sound of the trumpet:
praise him upon the lute and harp.
⁴ Praise him with the timbrel and dance:
praise him upon the strings and pipe.
⁵ Praise him upon the well-tuned cymbals:
praise him upon the loud cymbals.
⁶ Let everything that hath breath
praise the Lord.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.

First Lesson

Wisdom 5: 1–5, 14–16

Reader: A reading from the book of Wisdom.

At the end of the reading:

Reader: Word of God, Word of Life.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

(Please stand as you are able.)

Magnificat

Chant: W. H. Havergal

My soul doth magnify the Lord,
and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.
² For he hath regarded
the lowliness of his handmaiden.
³ For behold, from henceforth
all generations shall call me blessed.
⁴ For he that is mighty hath magnified me;
and holy is his Name.

⁵ And his mercy is on them that fear him
throughout all generations.

⁶ He hath showed strength with his arm;
he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts.

⁷ He hath put down the mighty from their seat,
and hath exalted the humble and the meek.

⁸ He hath filled the hungry with good things;
and the rich he hath sent empty away.

⁹ He remembering his mercy
hath holpen his servant Israel;

¹⁰ As he promised to our forefathers,
Abraham and his seed for ever.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.

(Please be seated.)

Second Lesson

Revelation 21: 1-4, 22–25: 5

Reader: A reading from the book of Revelation.

At the end of the reading:

Reader: Word of God, Word of Life.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

(Please stand as you are able.)

Nunc Dimittis

Chant: Joseph Barnby

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace,
according to thy word.

² For mine eyes have seen thy salvation,
which thou hast prepared before the face of all people;

³ To be a light to lighten the Gentiles,
and to be the glory of thy people Israel.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth: and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried: He descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy Catholic Church; the Communion of Saints; the Forgiveness of sins; the Resurrection of the body, And the Life everlasting. Amen.

Response, Lord's Prayer, and Collects

Cantor: The Lord be with you;

People: **And with thy spirit.**

Cantor: Let us pray.

(Please remain standing, kneel, or be seated as is your preference for prayer.)

Cantor: Lord, have mercy upon us.

People: **Christ, have mercy upon us.**

Cantor: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. Amen.

Cantor: O Lord, show thy mercy upon us;

People: **and grant us thy salvation.**

Cantor: O Lord, save the King;

People: **and mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.**

Cantor: Endue thy Ministers with righteousness;

People: **and make thy chosen people joyful.**

Cantor: O Lord, save thy people;

People: **and bless thine inheritance.**

Cantor: Give peace in our time, O Lord;

People: **and evermore mightily defend us.**

Cantor: O God, make clean our hearts within us;

People: **and take not thy Holy Spirit from us.**

Collect of the Day

God of all holiness,

in your realm of glory,

those who are poor now will receive the kingdom

those who are hungry now will be filled,

and those who weep now will laugh and leap in joy.

Strengthen us by this vision,

so that, with the saints before us,

we may bring near your justice and peace;

through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord.

Amen.

Collect for Peace

O God, from whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works do proceed: give unto thy servants that peace which the world cannot give; that both our hearts may be set to obey thy commandments, and also that by thee we being defended from the fear of our enemies may pass our time in rest and quietness; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Amen.

Collect for Aid Against All Perils

Lighten our darkness, we beseech thee, O Lord; and by thy great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of thy only Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Amen.

General Intercession

Be mindful, O God, of thy people bowed before thee, and of those who are absent through age, sickness, or infirmity. Care for the infants, the faint-hearted, collect the scattered, and bring the wandering to thy fold. Travel with the voyagers, defend the widows, shield the orphans, deliver the captives, heal the sick.

Succour all who are in tribulation, necessity, or distress.
Remember for good all those that love us, and those that hate us, and those that have desired us, unworthy as we are, to pray for them. And those whom we have forgotten, do thou, O God, remember. For thou art the Helper of the helpless, the Saviour of the lost, the Refuge of the wanderer, the Healer of the sick. Thou, who knowest our needs, and hast heard our prayer, grant unto each according to thy merciful loving-kindness and thy eternal love; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

(Please stand as you are able.)

Centring Hymn

Those Hearts that We Have Treasured

Sylvia Dunstan

Those hearts that we have treasured,
those lives that we have shared,
those loves that walked beside us,
those friends for whom we've cared—
their blessing rests upon us,
their life is memory,
their suffering is over;
their spirits are set free.

They still give hope and comfort,
they did not lose the fight,
they showed us truth and goodness,
they shine into our night.
Remember days of gladness,
remember times of joy;
remember all the moments
that grief can not destroy.

From hearts that we have treasured,
from lives that we have shared,
from loves that walked beside us,
from friends for whom we've cared,

we've learned to treasure kindness,
we've learned that grace provides,
we've learned to be together,
we've learned that love abides.

(Please be seated.)

Music for Reflection and Remembrance

Musefully listening, nursing a thought	Behrens
Calme	Poulenc
Sonata in F minor	Telemann
Adagio	
Lento e teneramente	Hailstork
Sonata in F major	Handel
Grave	
Siciliana	
Air (from Orfeo)	Gluck

Time to Remember and Honour

(During this time of silence, you may continue to reflect and remember, or you may come to the front of the church and light a candle, remembering and honouring your personal "saints.")

(Please stand as you are able.)

Prayer of Saint Chrysostom

Almighty God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications unto thee; and dost promise that when two or three are gathered together in thy Name thou wilt grant their requests: Fulfill now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants, as may be most expedient for them; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. Amen.

Closing Hymn

Saviour, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise

CP 31

The Grace

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore.

Amen.

(Please be seated.)

Choral Prayer

John Bell

Now that evening falls, gently fades the light;
moon replaces sun and day takes leave of night.

Gratitude we raise for the day that's done
and for what, tomorrow, waits to begun.

Gladly we commit to God's gracious care
those we love and long for, those whose lives we share.

Glory be to God, glory to God's son,
glory to the Spirit ever three in one.

(Please stand as you are able as the clergy and choir leave the sanctuary.)

Recessional

(The sanctuary will remain open for further prayer. When you wish to leave, please do so quietly as there may be others who are still worshipping. Thank you.)

Participating in this service:

Rector: The Reverend Daniel Fournier

Crucifer: Martin White

Reader: Claire White

The Parish Choir of St. Luke Cedar Hill

Instrumentalists: Mary Byrne – flute

Matthew Robertson – bassoon/handbell

Maria Ross – handbell

Interim Music Director: Alan Whitmore

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Upcoming Events

Next Sunday, November 9th will be a Service of Remembrance at 10 am. The service will start in the church and then we will move outside to honour the **more than 185 veterans in the cemetery**. Everyone welcome.

The next Silver and Sage 55+ Gathering will be on Thursday, November 13th. This community outreach, run by volunteers, is for anyone from any background or walk of life. Meetings are held twice a month, on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays. **On November 13th from 1:30 – 3:30 pm in the church**, the topic will be Explore a Theme through Story and Poem. Brenda Morgan and Lyle McKenzie will be leading this session.

Our Next Reflections, our Sunday service at dusk, will be on Sunday, November 16th at 4:30 pm – This month's Reflections will feature **Sylvia McAvany, a Sound Weaver, playing Handpans and Singing Bowls**. As a Sound Weaver, Sylvia offers meditation through sound to help the listener relax and reach an elevated mood. When paired with inspirational readings, we hope that this Reflections will bring a sense of light and peace to all who attend.

Save the Date for St. Luke's Christmas Bazaar, Saturday November 22nd from 10 am – 2 pm, featuring Jewellery, Antiques, Vintage Clothing and Accessories, Crafts, Books, Toys, Baking, Jams, Silent Auction, Christmas Decor, White Elephant and more! Hope to see you at St. Luke's Christmas Bazaar!



Silver and Sage 55+ Social Group

Silver and Sage, a 55+ social group, is now at St. Luke's. This new community outreach, run by volunteers, is for anyone from any background or walk of life.

Whether you're looking to learn, laugh, or simply connect with others in a vibrant community, this gathering is designed to offer something for everyone. Share your stories, discover new interests, and make lasting memories with fellow members. We will offer focussed and informative discussions, physical exercise, art and music.

Meetings are held twice a month, on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays, 1:30 – 3:30 pm. Occasionally we may meet on Saturdays to encourage intergenerational gatherings or to accommodate a special activity. We will be using the St. Luke's church space for speakers and musical events, and we have the option of the Hall or the Sequoia Lounge for other forms of activity.

Silver and Sage Topics for the Fall

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| Nov 13 | Explore a theme through Story and Poem |
| Nov 27 | Prospecting for Gold and Other Valuable Metals |
| Dec 11 | Sing Your December Favourites |

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