

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS OF VICTORIA

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TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

November 16, 2025 - 10:00 AM

Evangelical Lutheran Worship, Holy Communion Setting Nine

Worship in-person and livestream

Jesus gives us the words in times of struggle.

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and acknowledgement of lands

Gathering Song

Many Will Come

blue book

No. 982

Greeting

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

And also with you.

Kyrie

Hymn of Praise

This is the feast

red book

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red book

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Prayer of the Day

WORD

Children's Message

First Reading

Isaiah 12:2-6

Isaiah 65:17-25

on the back cover, sung responsively with the refrain

Second Reading

2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia...

red book

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Gospel Reading

Luke 21:5-19

Sermon

Hymn of the Day

O God of Every Nation

red book

No. 713

Prayers of the People

Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.

Peace Sharing

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

MEAL

Offering Song

Lift Up Your Heads

blue book

No. 1032

Offering Prayer

Great Thanksgiving

Dialogue

red book

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Holy, Holy, Holy

red book

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Thanksgiving Prayer

Lord's Prayer

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Lamb of God

All are welcome at Christ's table. The wine is served in individual glasses and the common cup.

Red grape juice is in the centre of the trays. Gluten-free bread is available by asking the server.

You may commune with bread or wine alone or ask for a blessing.

Those worshipping online are invited to commune where you are.

Communion Songs

Let Us Break Bread Together

red book

No. 471

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

red book

No. 597

Ubi caritas et amor

red book

No. 642

Prayer

SENDING

Announcements

Blessing

Sending Song

When Peace like a River

red book

No. 785

Dismissal

...Thanks be to God!

Everyone present is invited to a time of hospitality in the Upper Hall following worship.

Thank you to Inclusive Christians at UVic for hosting.

The flowers today are given by Ann Baty.

Worship Assistants

Assisting Minister

Michelle Couture

Musician

Carolyn Hoekstra

Choral Scholar

DJ McGrath

Livestream

Boston Laferté

Communion

Iris Schoffer, Nicky Ni

Ushers

Grant Froyland, Murray Nelson

You are invited to Holy Communion Worship, Sundays, 10AM PT in-person and online.

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for the Crossroads newsletter, calendar, and events.

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