



*Welcome to the parish of  
St. Philip by-the-Sea, Lantzville B.C.*  
**Sunday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026, 9.30am**  
**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent**  
**9:30 a.m. Service of Holy Eucharist**  
**(Book of Alternative Services)**

**Opening Sentence**

I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord; whoever lives  
and believes in me shall never die. *John 11.25, 26*

**The Gathering Hymn**

**CP #408** Wind Upon The Water

**Trisagion**

**Holy God,  
holy and mighty,  
holy immortal one,  
have mercy upon us. (*repeat 3 times*)**

**Collect of the Day**

**Almighty God, your Son came into the world to free us  
all from sin and death. Breathe upon us with the power  
of your Spirit, that we may be raised to new life in Christ,  
and serve you in holiness and righteousness all our days;  
through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

**The First Reading**

A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Ezekiel. *(Ch. 37:1-14)*

## **Psalm 130**

**REFRAIN**    **The Lord shall redeem us from all our sins.**

Out of the depths have I called to you, O Lord; Lord, hear my voice; let your ears consider well the voice of my supplication. **R.**

If you, Lord, were to note what is done amiss, O Lord, who could stand? For there is forgiveness with you; therefore you shall be feared. I wait for the Lord; my soul waits for him; in his word is my hope. **R.**

My soul waits for the Lord, more than watchmen for the morning, more than watchmen for the morning. **R.**

O Israel, wait for the Lord, for with the Lord there is mercy; With him there is plenteous redemption, and he shall redeem Israel from all their sins. **R.**

## **The Second Reading**

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to The Romans

*(Ch. 8:6-11)*

## **The Gradual Hymn**

**CP #649**    Breathe On Me Breath Of God - vs. 1, 2, and 4

## **The Gospel Reading**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

*(Ch. 11:1-45)*

## **Hymn**

**CP #612**            Healer Of Our Every Ill

## **The Offertory Hymn**

**CP #645**    Come Down , O Love Divine

## **Prayer over the Gifts**

Giver of life, your Son has destroyed the power of death for all those who believe in him. Accept all we offer you this day and strengthen us in faith and hope; through Jesus Christ, the Lord of all the living. **Amen.**

## **Hymns during Communion**

**CP #73**      One Bread, One Body

**CP #360**     Bless The Lord, My Soul

## **Prayer after Communion**

God of hope, in this eucharist we have tasted the promise of your heavenly banquet and the richness of eternal life. May we who bear witness to the death of your Son, also proclaim the glory of his resurrection, for he is Lord for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## **The Recessional Hymn**

**CP #560**     God, Whose Almighty Word

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### ***With special thanks to:***

- *The Rev. Leslie Flynn for celebrating the Eucharist with us this morning.*
- *Catherine Cembella for her music leadership.*
- *Ruth Lynch, Maureen Lawrence, Nicole McDaid, and Caleb Lawrence who served as greeter, reader, communion assistant, and prayer leader.*

*Your leadership, support and example are greatly valued and appreciated. **THANK YOU!***

## **Announcements**

**April 2<sup>nd</sup>:** Ladies Group – 1:30pm – Multipurpose Rm

**April 15<sup>th</sup>:** Men's Breakfast – 8:30am – Country Grocer Café,  
Bowen Rd

**April 17&18<sup>th</sup>:** Spring Garage Sale – 9:00am – 2:00pm

Dena Perfect, the Parish Admin, will be away from March 18 – April 10. Please reach out to [wardens@stphiliplantzville.ca](mailto:wardens@stphiliplantzville.ca) if you need anything during that time.

All detailed event information can be found on the St. Philips website under the Events page: [www.stphiliplantzville.ca](http://www.stphiliplantzville.ca)

***In the Worldwide Anglican Community, we pray for: The Anglican Church of Korea.***

***In our Diocese of British Columbia, we pray for: Parish Administrators, Wardens & all Lay Leaders.***

***This week in our Parish of St. Philip by-the-Sea, we pray for: Don & Roberta Peterson, Barbara & Don Pettey, Margaret Pierce, Grace Plueckhahn and for all their families. We pray for peace and for all refugees around the world.***

## **UPCOMING SERVICE REMINDERS**

Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2026, 9:30am

Palm Sunday

Service of Morning Prayer (BCP)

Service Leader: Nicole McDaid

Thursday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2026, 7pm

Maundy Thursday

Celebrant: Caleb Lawrence

Friday, April 3, 2026, 9:30am

Good Friday

Celebrant: The Rev. Michael Wimmer