

# The Anglican Parish of Holy Cross

*Growing relationships in Christ*

## Service of Holy Communion

March 29, 2026 at 8:30 AM

Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday

*Book of Common Prayer* (Small Red Book)

Presiding: The Rev. Simba Mutandwa

**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**

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Collect of Purity.....page 67

Ten Commandments .....page 68

**Kyrie Eleison ..... page 70**

**Collect of the Day: Almighty and everliving God, in tender love for all our human race you sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take our flesh and suffer death upon a cruel cross. May we follow the example of his great humility and share in the glory of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen**

### **We Hear and Proclaim God's Word**

First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-9a (Bible, OT, page 755) ..... Grant

**Psalm 31:10-19 (page 365)**.....Grant

Second Reading: Philippians 2:5-11 (Bible, NT, page 210) .....Grant

**Gospel Responses ..... page 71**

The Gospel: Matthew 26:14-27:66 (Bible, NT, page 30) ..... The Rev. Simba Mutandwa

*The congregation may be seated until the mention of Golgotha. At that time, please stand for the remainder of the reading if you are able.*

**Nicene Creed ..... page 71**

Sermon ..... The Rev. Simba Mutandwa

*Blessing and distribution of the palm crosses.*

### **We Pray for the Church and World**

Offertory/Preparation of the Gifts

The Intercession (*please kneel if you are able*) .....page 75

- The Anglican Communion: The Anglican Church of Melanesia
- 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; Foothills Hospital, Calgary; Rockyview Hospital & Peter Lougheed Centre: The Rev. Carolyn Herold; Red Deer Regional Hospital: The Rev. Dcn. Tracey Stagg
- Our Companion Diocese of the Windward Islands: The Rt. Rev. Leopold Friday, Bishop; St. George with St. Vincent, St. Peter, St. Luke and St. Alban on Grenada: The Ven. Michael Marshall; St. Patrick with St. Mary & St. Francis, on Grenada: The Rev. Coleridge Brooker

- Our Parish: Treasurer Mark
- Our Members: Greg, Laura, Madison, and Hailey; Herb and Sandra; Rick and Martha; Arthur and Isobel
- The World: El Salvador; all people and countries affected by natural disaster or terrorist attacks; for peace and reconciliation
- Those in Need in Our Parish: Barrie, Doug, John G, Alix, Geraldine, Joyce L, Mary M, Doris G, Linda N, Kajsja, Art and Isobel, Marlene, Joyce H, Lucille, Onna, Beverly, Brenda H, Charlene, Doris K, Greg H
- Those in Need Beyond Our Parish: Jennifer, Rob, Joyann, Sean, Wendy H, Lesia, Mitch, Susan, Karen, Dana, Bruce, Tony, Deb, Christina, Gwyneth, Sam, Alan, Beatriz, Kevin

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**We Celebrate the Lord’s Supper**

Comfortable Words .....page 77

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Receiving Communion or a Blessing

**We Go into the World**

**Lord’s Prayer** and Prayer after Communion .....page 85ff

Blessing and Dismissal



**Assisting Today**

Grant (Worship Assistant, Reader); David P (Sidesperson); Lynne, Barb (Altar Guild)