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Archbishop & Metropolitan and the Bishop of the
Diocese of New Westminster: The Most Reverend John Stephens



The Second Sunday of Easter
Holy Eucharist April 12th, 2026

St Clement's Anglican Church

Welcome to everyone worshipping with us in-person and online today.

The Gathering of the Community

please stand

A Land Acknowledgement for Use at St Clement's

Written by Jenn Ashton, Indigenous Cultural Sensitivity Leader

Led by: Ingrid Potter

At St. Clement's Church, we appreciate that we currently reside, work, and worship in the ancestral, traditional, and contemporary lands of the Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh Nations.

We recognize, support, advocate for and are grateful to Indigenous individuals and communities who live here now and for those who were forcibly removed from their homelands.

By offering this land acknowledgement, we work to hold ourselves and others more accountable to the needs and rights of Indigenous peoples, here and everywhere.

I, as part of St. Clement's, gratefully and respectfully carry these thoughts today and every day to be reminded of the importance of teaching, culture and contributions of the original caretakers of this land.

The Processional Hymn: Yours be the Glory CP 210

Yours be the glory, risen, conquering Son:
Endless is the victory over death you won.
Angels robed in splendour rolled the stone away,
Kept the folded grave-clothes, where your body lay.

*Refrain: Yours be the glory, risen, conquering Son:
Endless is the victory over death you won.*

See! Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;
Lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom.
Let the church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,
For her Lord is living; death has lost its sting.

Refrain

No more we doubt you, glorious Prince of life;
What is life without you? Aid us in our strife;
Make us more than conquerors through your deathless love;
Bring us safe through Jordan to your home above.

Refrain

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Music: George Frideric Handel (1685-1759), alt.; Harmonia Sacra, 1753.

The Presider greets the community

Presider Alleluia Christ is Risen!

All **Christ is Risen indeed! Alleluia!**

Presider May Christ's grace and peace be with you.

All **May our hearts be filled with joy.**

Gloria, Gloria, in Excelsis Deo CP 376

Ambo side of the church	Choir side of the church
1. Gloria, gloria, in excelsis Deo! Gloria, gloria. Alleluia, alleluia!	1. Gloria, gloria, in excelsis Deo! Gloria, gloria. Alleluia, alleluia!
2. Gloria, Gloria, in excelsis Deo! Gloria, gloria. Alleluia, alleluia!	WAIT 2. Gloria, gloria, in excelsis Deo! Gloria, gloria. Alleluia, alleluia!
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The Collect

Presider O God, *Prayers for an Inclusive Church* (2009) alt.

All **our beginning and our end:
accept our doubts,
heal our desire for certainty
and, by your Spirit's gentle touch,
make us a people forgiven and forgiving;
through Jesus Christ, the Giver of Peace. Amen.**

Hear God's Word, a flame that lights our path each day.

See God's Word, reflected in our lives.

Live God's Word, throughout each day, in work and play.

God's own Word, keeps us alive.

(Music: Lynne Graham: Lyrics: Lynley Lewis. This music can be listened to here: <https://www.youtube.com/@lynleylewismusic>)

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles (2: 14a, 22-32)

Alison Stevens

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say.

'You that are Israelites, listen to what I have to say: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with deeds of power, wonders, and signs that God did through him among you, as you yourselves know— this man, handed over to you according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of those outside the law. But God raised him up, having freed him from death, because it was impossible for him to be held in its power. For David says concerning him,

"I saw the Lord always before me,
for he is at my right hand so that I will not be shaken;
therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced;
moreover, my flesh will live in hope.
For you will not abandon my soul to Hades,
or let your Holy One experience corruption.
You have made known to me the ways of life;
you will make me full of gladness with your presence."

'Fellow Israelites, I may say to you confidently of our ancestor David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. Since he was a prophet, he knew that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would put one of his descendants on his throne. Foreseeing this, David spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, saying,

“He was not abandoned to Hades,
nor did his flesh experience corruption.”

This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses.

Reader Holy Word. Holy Wisdom. *All* **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 111

Inclusive Language Psalter. Anglican Church of Canada (2016)

The presider reads the plain verses and the people read the bold ones

- 1 Hallelujah!
I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart,
In the assembly of the upright, in the congregation.
- 2 **Great are the deeds of the Lord!**
They are studied by all who delight in them.
- 3 O Lord, your work is full of majesty and splendour,
and your righteousness endures for ever.
- 4 **You make your marvellous works to be remembered;**
you are gracious and full of compassion.
- 5 You give food to those who fear you;
you are ever mindful of your covenant.
- 6 **You have shown your people the power of your works**
in giving them the lands of the nations.
- 7 The works of your hands are faithfulness and justice;
all your commandments are sure.
- 8 **They stand fast for ever and ever,**
because they are done in truth and equity.

9 You send redemption to your people;
you commanded your covenant for ever;
holy and awesome is your name.

10 **The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom;
those who act accordingly have a good understanding;
the praise of the Lord endures for ever.**

Presider Glory to the holy and undivided Trinity, one God:

All **As it was in the beginning, is now and will be for ever. Amen.**

A reading from the first letter of Peter (1: 3-9)

Allison Williams
please sit

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you rejoice, even if now for a little while you have had to suffer various trials, so that the genuineness of your faith—being more precious than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed. Although you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, for you are receiving the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

Reader Holy Word. Holy Wisdom.

All **Thanks be to God.**

The Gradual Hymn: Easter Alleluia

please stand

Music is available at the greeters/sidespeople's desk if desired

*Refrain: Alleluia! Sing Alleluia!
Alleluia, sing it today.
Alleluia, voices united.
Sing Alleluia today. X2*

You- belie-ve because-- you- have seen- me-.
Happy are they- who do- not see but belie-ve in- him-. *Refrain*

The Gospel

Please all stand for the Gospel as you are able

Deacon The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John (20: 19-31).

All **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.'

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.'

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

Deacon The Gospel of Christ *All* **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

the song continues

Refrain: **Alleluia! Sing Alleluia!**
 Alleluia, sing it today.
 Alleluia, voices united.
 Sing Alleluia today. **X2**

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The Sermon Jenn Ashton *please sit*
Sermon Notes

Silence for Reflection

The Nicene Creed

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please stand

Presider Let us confess our faith, as we say,

All **We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten not made, of one being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father.

Who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified; who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the Community

Sara Hanney

please stand, sit, or kneel

The Peace

please stand

Presider The Peace of the Lord be always with you.
All **And also with you.**

Please offer peace to one another with a nod, bow, handshake or hug.

The Offertory Hymn: Christ is Risen CP 223

Christ is risen! Shout hosanna!
Celebrate this day of days!
Christ is risen! Hush in wonder;
All creation is amazed.
In the desert all surrounding,
See, a spreading tree has grown.
Healing leaves of grace abounding
Bring a taste of love unknown.

Christ is risen! Raise your spirits
From the caverns of despair.
Walk with gladness in the morning,
See what love can do and dare.
Drink the wine of resurrection,
Not a servant, but a friend.
Jesus is our strong companion;
Joy and peace shall never end.

Christ is risen! Earth and heaven
Nevermore shall be the same.
Break the bread of new creation
Where the world is still in pain.
Tell its grim, demonic chorus:
"Christ is risen! Get you gone!"
God the First and Last is with us.
Sing Hosanna everyone!

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The Celebration of the Eucharist

The Prayer over the Gifts

Presider Bless these gifts and our lives, O God,

All that we may share both food and faith
with all people and all creation.
With our own hunger, feed the hungry;
with our doubt, inspire our faith;
and with our voice, we join other voices,
demanding justice, here and everywhere,
now and always. Amen.

If you know the brokenness of life, its fractures within and its division without, then you have participated in the broken body of Christ and you are invited to share in the breaking of bread.

Presider The Lord be with you.

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All And also with you.

Presider Lift up your hearts.

All We lift them to the Lord.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Presider Blessed are you, gracious God,

creator of heaven and earth;
we give you thanks and praise
for the glorious resurrection of your Son
Jesus Christ our Lord;
for he is the true paschal lamb
who has taken away the sin of the world.
By his death he destroyed death,
and by his rising to life again
he has won for us eternal life.

Therefore, joining our voices with the whole company of heaven,
we sing our joyful hymn of praise to proclaim the glory of your name.

Sanctus: You are Holy

CHOIR	CONGREGATION
<p>Part 1 You are holy, you are whole. You are always evermore, than we ever understand, You are always at hand. Blessed are you coming near. Blessed are you coming here, To your church in wine and bread, Raised from soil, raised from dead.</p> <p>Part 2 You are holy, You are wholeness, You are present, Let the Cosmos praise you Lord! Sing hosanna In the highest! Sing hosanna! Sing hosanna to our God!</p>	<p>Part 1 You are holy, you are whole. You are always evermore, than we ever understand, You are always at hand. Blessed are you coming near. Blessed are you coming here, To your church in wine and bread, Raised from soil, raised from dead.</p> <p>Part 2 You are holy, You are wholeness, You are present, Let the Cosmos praise you Lord! Sing hosanna In the highest! Sing hosanna! Sing hosanna to our God!</p>
<p>Part 1 You are holy, you are whole.... Part 2 You are holy, You are wholeness,</p>	<p>Part 2 You are holy, You are wholeness, Part 1 You are holy, you are whole....</p>
<p>Sing Hosanna to our God x 2</p>	<p>Sing Hosanna to our God x 2</p>

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Presider Holy God, you alone are holy, you alone are God. The universe declares your
 praise: beyond the stars; beneath the sea; within each cell; with every breath.

All **We praise you, O God.**

Presider Generations bless your faithfulness: through the water; by night and day;
across the wilderness; out of exile; into the future.

All **We bless you, O God.**

Presider We give you thanks for your dear Son: at the heart of human life; near to
those who suffer; beside the sinner; among the poor; with us now.

All **We thank you, O God.**

Presider In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave
thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my
body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink,
saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all
people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering his love for us on the way, at the table, and to the end, we
proclaim the mystery of faith.

All **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

Presider We pray for the gift of your Spirit: in our gathering; within this meal; among
your people; throughout the world.

Blessing, praise, and thanks to you, holy God, through Christ Jesus, by your
Spirit, in your church, without end.

All **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Presider Gathering our prayers and praises into one, let us pray as our Saviour taught us in the language closest to your heart,

All **Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

Presider Lord, we died with you on the cross.

All **Now we are raised to new life.**

Presider We were buried in your tomb.

All **Now we share in your resurrection.**

Presider Live in us, that we may live in you.

The Communion

Presider The gifts of God for the people of God.

All **Thanks be to God.**

please sit

If you are not physically receiving Communion, then offer this prayer

In union, O God, with all your faithful people gathered wherever the eucharist is celebrated this day, I offer you praise and thanksgiving for creation and all the blessings of this life, for the redemption given to us through the life, death, and resurrection of Christ, and for the means of grace and the hope of glory. I pray you come into my heart, my soul and my mind. Let nothing separate me from you. May I serve you in this life until, by your grace, I come to your promised reign of justice and peace; through Christ and in the unity of the Spirit. Amen.

Music during Communion

Grace Like Rain SANC 71

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me.
I once was lost but now I'm found,
Was blind but now I see so clearly.

*Refrain: Hallelujah, grace like rain
Falls down on me.
Hallelujah, all my stains
Are washed away, they're washed away.*

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved.
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed. *Refrain*

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing Your praise
Than when we'd first begun. *Refrain*

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Be Unto Your Name SANC 67

We are a moment, You are forever
Lord of the ages, God before time.
We are a vapour, You are eternal,
Love everlasting, reigning on high.

*Refrain: Holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain.
Highest praises, honour and glory
Be unto Your name,
Be unto Your name.*

We are the broken, You are the healer,
Jesus, Redeemer, mighty to save.
You are the love song we'll sing forever,
Bowing before You, blessing Your name.

*Refrain: Holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain.
Highest praises, honour and glory
Be unto Your name,
Be unto Your name.*

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The Prayer after Communion

please stand

Presider God,

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All **we have seen with our eyes and touched with our hands the bread of life.
Strengthen our faith that we may grow in love for you and for each
other; through Jesus Christ the risen Lord**

Presider Glory to God

All **whose power, working in us,
can do infinitely more
than we can ask or imagine.
Glory to God from generation to generation,
in the Church and in Christ Jesus,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Sending

Community Announcements

please sit

Blessing and dismissal

The Closing Hymn: Good Christians All, Rejoice and Sing CP 211 *please stand*

Good Christians all, rejoice and sing!
Now is the triumph of our King!
To all the world glad news we bring:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

The Lord of life is risen today.
Sing songs of praise along his way.
Let all the world rejoice and say:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Praise we in songs of victory
That love, that life which cannot die,
And sing with hearts uplifted high:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Your name we bless, O risen Lord,
And sing today with one accord
The life laid down, the life restored:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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Intercessory Prayers for any concerns happen after the service, with an intercessory team, in the chancel (behind the Ambo or place where people speak from). Please wait until there is a chair free, to leave privacy for the person ahead of you.

Pastoral Care

Pastoral concerns may be referred to the Rev. Helen Dunn at 236-888-4938.
Please let the clergy know if you or a family member is in hospital.

Hello St. Clement's Parents and Children,
St. Clement's cherishes members of all ages including children. If you would like your child/ren to participate in Sunday School, they can follow the teachers out into the upper room or down into the lower hall following the Children's talk. They will remain in school until the passing of the Peace, where they will be returned to you. If your child/ren would like to remain upstairs in the service, that is fine also. There are coloring activities and toys at the front and back of the church under the pews. Children can take any colouring or activities completed with them at the end of the service but will be asked to leave the other contents (e.g. toys, craft supplies, crayons etc.) behind to be reused in future weeks. Anyone who has questions/thoughts about or would like to help with the Children's Ministry at St. Clement's is encouraged to contact Beth.

Scripture Readings for next Sunday:

Acts 2:14a, 36-41; Ps 34:1-10; 1 Pet 1:17-23; Lk 24:13-35;

Welcome and thanks for visiting and presiding for today's service Archdeacon Nick!

On This Week and Beyond

Tuesday **3 pm Power Hour Prayer** on zoom- contact Lynne Graham.
We give thanks and pray for the world and our community. All are welcome. Everything is confidential.

Wednesday 10.30 am Bible Study- contact Rev. Helen Dunn.
7.30 pm Bible Study- contact Lynne Graham.

Friday **7.30 am The ROMEOs** meet at Cora's Restaurant, cnr Marine Dr. and & Fell, for breakfast and Bible Study. (*Retired Old Men Eating Out*)
10.30 Knitwits Knitting Club- contact Sylvia Enga.

Sunday April 26th 5.30- 7 pm young adults supper and fellowship- contact Rev. Helen Dunn.

*****The Park Jam**, which was a guitar and singing musical drop in, is on hiatus for the foreseeable future due to low numbers. Please contact Mike Krouzelka if you'd like to join or jam with him and his friends.

Join us for:
our young adults get together!

Supper and fellowship!
Sunday April 26th and Sunday May 24th
5:30 - 7:00 pm
at St Clement's Parish Hall

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You are welcome here!

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*if you'd like to talk to Donna, please do so between 5 and 6 pm any day except Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Ministry Lay Leaders this Week

A/V Technician	Sean Faivre-Duboz
Readers	Alison Stevens and Allison Williams
Prayers of the Community	Sara Hanney
Altar set-up and clean-up	Jason Rajan
Eucharistic Bread	Sara Hanney
Servers	Christopher Yong and Kassie Barnes
Clean-up and linens	TBD
Sidespeople	Ian Halliday-Gunn and Gordon Graham
Tea/Coffee host	Beth Bailey and TBD
Counters	Sharon Walker and Sean Faivre-Duboz
Intercessory Prayers	Gordon Graham and Sara Hanney
Sunday School Teachers	Beth Bailey and Annabelle Greenwood

Prayers: *The following are for your prayers this week*

In our own Diocese: Pray for John, our Bishop and Archbishop and Metropolitan; for Stephen, our Archdeacon; Helen, our Regional Dean; and for the North Vancouver Anglican churches. Pray for Shane Parker, Primate; Chris Harper, National Indigenous Archbishop. In our diocesan cycle of prayers this week we pray for St John the Divine, Maple Ridge and St John the Divine, Squamish. We pray for all students at the Vancouver School of Theology.

For the wider Church: Pray for the Anglican Church of Mozambique and Angola. Pray for the clergy and people in the Episcopal Diocese of Northern Philippines and for our partner parish of St Clement of Alexandria, Payeo. For all Pastors/Priests and congregations of other denominations in Lynn Valley and around the world.

In our parish community: Pray for: Helen, our priest; Peggy, our deacon (and the diocesan Archdeacon for Deacons); Elizabeth, our retired deacon; Jenn Ashton, our Indigenous Ministry Leader; Allison Williams and her parish discernment group; Lucy Makina and Donna Burdick, our wardens; Beth, our parish administrator and children's ministry worker; Lynley, our music director, Sharon Walker, our treasurer; Mary-Anne, our envelope secretary; Sean, our AV tech; Joanne, our building manager; Jason, our lay pastoral visitor and Brianna, our cleaner. In our cycle of ministries, we pray for our Bible studies- Wednesday morning, Wednesday evening and Friday morning ROMEOS.

In our parish cycle of prayers: Pray for Marie-Claire Concannon, Dominic, Beth and Ella Flanagan and for their extended family.

For healing: Pray for Pat Alexander; Bonnie; Stuart Appenheimer; Beth Bailey; Karyn; Delena Bogard; Oliver Christie; Marie-Claire Concannon; Joanna; Kitty; Judd; Margie Dacey; Marion Edwards; Lorna, Duff and Leah Goodwin; Alex Hazell; Barbel Ismen; Olivia; Kate Lunn; Mike Richardson; Kevin Williamson; Ian Thomas; Ray; Calvin; Henry Bloye; Sandy Hwang; Carol Rowland and for their families, caregivers and medical staff.

For outreach: Pray for all newcomers to Canada: Honada & family, Bukhari and Balqiisa, Neema Grace, Malis and his family, Fatemeh, Nasrullah and Mursal, Nasrin & family; Shahla & family, for Bunyamin & family. Pray for protection and safety for those waiting to come: Tsaw Hsar Gay, Lu Kay Paw, Alexander and Ly Gler from Myanmar; for Samir, Rounak and Shalom; Farzad, Mükerrerrem and Junia; for Banat's family members in Pakistan and all displaced persons as they seek a place to call home. For the release of Layan Nasir. We pray for all people in war-torn countries where ongoing conflict, displacement and starvation are common including the DRC, Lebanon, UAE, Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Kuwait, Qatar, Iraq, Iran, Afghanistan, Sudan, Ukraine, the USA, Gaza and Syria. We pray for all those affected by the consequences of climate change. We pray for the community groups which use our building.



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In regards to our ministries, we are blessed to have the following and are always looking for more people to help out:

Audio Visual and Technical Support Team- helping out with livestreaming our services, our sound system and other things- contact Sean Faivre-Duboz.

Altar Guild- helping out with preparing bread and wine for communion, changing altar hangings etc. Contact Sharon Walker.

Knitwits Knitting Club- knitting things for people in the North who need warm clothing. Contact Lynne Graham.

Bible Studies- Wednesday morning (1030 am) Contact Helen and night (730 pm) contact Lynne Graham and the ROMEOs (retired old men eating out) (Fri at 730 am) contact David Smith

Building Management Team- helping out with fixing things around the building. Contact Joanne.

Coffee and Tea Hosts- bringing goodies and/or making coffee and tea for people after the service. Contact Beth Bailey at the office.

Eucharistic Bread Makers- making bread for communion. Contact Lynne Graham.

Financial Management Team- counting the money offered during church, book keeping etc. Contact Mary-Anne Taylor for after service counting.

Grounds Management Team- gardening, watering. Contact Helen.

Library Ministry- helping out with our library and/or checking books out. No contact.

Lynn Valley Bonsai and Art- a social night to do and/or learn about bonsai or work on other art. Contact David Bailey.

Music Ministry- Lynley, the choir and musicians. Contact Lynley.

Prayer Ministry- leaders of the prayers during the service, power hour prayer (contact Lynne Graham), prayer chain (contact Elizabeth) and intercessory prayers. Contact Beth Bailey at the office.

Ministries Continued...

Refugee Ministry Working Group- helping out with everything involved with the refugees that our church is sponsoring (this involves a lot of paperwork and phone calls). Contact the Parrys or the Nelsons.

Servers- robing up on Sundays and helping the clergy with procession, recession and communion. Contact Beth Bailey at the office.

Sidespeople Ministry- greeting people at the back of the church, performing some duties during the service. Contact Beth Bailey at the office.

Sunday Bible Readers- there is a rota for reading 2 of the Bible passages that are read every Sunday and for leading the land acknowledgement. Contact Beth Bailey at the office.

Sunday School and Youth Ministry- teachers and assistants teach the children on Sundays and help out with youth group once a month on a Saturday night. Contact Beth or Helen.



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