



*Welcome to the parish of
St. Philip by-the-Sea, Lantzville B.C.*

Sunday, May 10, 2026, 9.30am
6th Sunday after Easter – Mother's Day
9:30 a.m. Service of Holy Eucharist
(Book of Alternative Services)

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Opening Sentence

Rejoice and leap for joy, for behold, your reward is great in heaven.

Luke 6.23

The Gathering Hymn

CP #485 Love Divine All Love Excelling

Collect of the Day

Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you riches beyond imagination. Pour into our hearts such love toward you, that we, loving you above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The First Reading

A Reading from the from the Acts of the Apostles (Ch. 17:22-31)

Psalm 66:7-18

REFRAIN Be joyful in God, all you lands.

Bless our God, you peoples; make the voice of his praise to be heard; Who holds our souls in life, and will not allow our feet to slip. **R**

For you, O God, have proved us; you have tried us just as silver is tried. You brought us into the snare; you laid heavy burdens upon our backs. You let enemies ride over our heads; we went through fire and water; but you brought us out into a place of refreshment.

REFRAIN Be joyful in God, all you lands.

I will enter your house with burnt offerings and will pay you my vows, which I promised with my lips and spoke with my mouth when I was in trouble. I will offer you sacrifices of fat beasts with the smoke of rams; I will give you oxen and goats. Come and listen, all you who fear God, and I will tell you what he has done for me. I called out to him with my mouth, and his praise was on my tongue. If I had found evil in my heart, the Lord would not have heard me; But in truth God has heard me; he has attended to the voice of my prayer. Blessed be God, who has not rejected my prayer, nor withheld his love from me. **R**

The Second Reading

A Reading from the First Letter of Peter

(Ch. 3:13-22)

The Gradual Hymn

CP #399 Now Thank We All Our God

The Gospel Reading

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

(Ch.10: 1-10)

The Peace

In place of The Peace (service booklet pg. 6) we will say the following:

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace, where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope;

where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy.

The Offertory Hymn

CP#429 For the Beauty of the Earth, Thanks be to God

Prayer over the Gifts

God of glory, accept all we offer you this day, and bring us to that eternal city of love and light, where Christ is King. We ask this in his name. **Amen.**

Hymns during Communion

CP#371 To God Be The Glory

CP#645 Come Down O Love Divine

Prayer after Communion

Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ. May we who are partakers of his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. We ask this in his name. **Amen.**

The Recessional Hymn

CP#500 Sister Let Me Be Your Servant

***The flowers on the Altar are to the Glory of God
by Keith and Val Addison.***

With special thanks to:

- *The Rev. Rosemary Mathews for celebrating the Eucharist with us this morning.*
- *Sharon Wishart for her music leadership.*
- *Yvonne Downey, the Green Family, Doug Sowden, Don Gillett and the Williams Family, who served as greeter, reader, communion assistant, prayer leader and Zoom manager.*

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

Announcements

May 20th: Men's Breakfast – 8:30am – Country Grocer Café,
Bowen Rd

Jun 4th: Ladies Group for the ladies of the Parish – 1:30pm to
4:30pm – Location to be announced

All detailed event information can be found on the St. Philips
website under the Events page: www.stphiliplantzville.ca

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***In the Worldwide Anglican Community, we pray for: The
Church of Pakistan (United).***

***In our Diocese of British Columbia, we pray for: The parish of St.
Anne & St. Edmund, Parksville.***

***This week in our Parish of St. Philip by-the-Sea, we pray for:
Malcolm and Sushma Atkinson, Debra Baker, Julie Baldock, Jocelyn and
Warren Barnard, Brent Barootes, and for all their families. We pray for
peace and for all refugees around the world.***

UPCOMING SERVICE REMINDERS

Sunday, May 3, 2026, 9.30am

5th Sunday of Easter

Service of Morning Prayer (BCP)

Service Leader: Catherine Cembella

Sunday, May 10, 2026, 9.30am

6th Sunday of Easter – Mother's Day

Service of Holy Eucharist (BAS)

Celebrant: The Rev. Rosemary Mathews

Sunday, May 17, 2026, 9:30am

7th Sunday of Easter

Service of Morning Prayer (BCP)

Service Leader: Doug Sowden