

Welcome to  
**St. Luke Cedar Hill**  
22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
October 24, 2021  
Holy Eucharist



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*We acknowledge that we gather with respect on the traditional territories  
of the Esquimalt, Songhees and WSÁNEĆ people,  
the traditional custodians of these lands.*

*Prelude (Please be seated.)*

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Welcome and Introduction (*The Rev. Daniel Fournier*)

*Please stand as you are able.*

*Priest:* The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
and the love of God,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,  
be with you all.

**All: And also with you.**

*Invitation to Confession*

*Priest:* Jesus said:  
Before you offer your gift,  
go and be reconciled.  
As brothers and sisters in God's family,  
we come together to ask our Father for forgiveness.

*Confession*

*Priest:* God our Father,

**All: Almighty God,  
long-suffering and of great goodness:  
I confess to you,  
I confess with my whole heart  
my neglect and  
forgetfulness of your commandments,  
my wrong doing, thinking, and speaking;  
the hurts I have done to others,  
and the good I have left undone.  
O God, forgive me, for I have sinned against you;  
and raise me to newness of life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

*Absolution:*

*Priest:* The almighty and merciful Lord  
grant you pardon and forgiveness of all your sins,  
time for amendment of life,  
and the grace and strength of the Holy Spirit.

**All: Amen.**

**Opening Hymn: CP 5 Christ Whose Glory Fills the Skies**  
(*tune: Ratisbon*)

**Collect of the Day**

Priest: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Priest: O Jesus Christ, teacher and healer,  
you heard the cry of the blind beggar  
when others would have silenced him.  
Teach us to be attentive  
to the voices others ignore,  
and, by the power of the Spirit,  
respond in your name to heal the afflicted  
and welcome the abandoned;  
for your sake and the sake of the gospel.

**All: Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

**The Liturgy of the Word**

**FIRST READING: Job 42: 1-6, 10-17**

Reader: *Gillian Bloom*

Reader: A reading from the Book of Job.

*The reading can be found here:*

<https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2021-10-24>

*At the end of the reading:*

Reader: Word of God, Word of Life.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 34: 1-8 (19-22)**

*Response: O taste and see that the Lord is gracious.*

I will bless the Lord at all times;  
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.  
My soul shall glory in the Lord;  
let the humble hear and be glad. *(Response)*

O magnify the Lord with me;  
let us exalt his name together.  
I sought the Lord and he answered me  
and delivered me from all my fears. *(Response)*

Look upon him and be radiant  
and your faces shall not be ashamed.  
This poor soul cried, and the Lord heard me  
and saved me from all my troubles. *(Response)*

The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear him  
and delivers them.  
O taste and see that the Lord is gracious;  
blessed is the one who trusts in him. *(Response)*

Many are the troubles of the righteous;  
from them all will the Lord deliver them.  
He keeps all their bones,  
so that not one of them is broken. *(Response)*

But evil shall slay the wicked  
and those who hate the righteous will be condemned.  
The Lord ransoms the life of his servants  
and will condemn none who seek refuge in him. *(Response)*

*Please stand as you are able.*

**Gradual Hymn: CP 620**  
**How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds**  
*(tune: St. Peter)*

**THE GOSPEL: Mark 10: 46-52**

Reader: *Gillian Bloom*

Reader: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ  
according to Mark.

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

*The gospel can be found here:*

<https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2021-10-24>

*At the end of the gospel:*

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

**All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Homily: The Rev. Daniel Fournier

*The Apostle's Creed*

Priest: Let us declare our faith in God as reflected  
in Paul's letter to the Ephesians.

**All: We believe in God the Father,  
from whom every family  
in heaven and on earth is named.**

**We believe in God the Son,  
who lives in our hearts through faith,  
and fills us with his love.**

**We believe in God the Holy Spirit,  
who strengthens us  
with power from on high.**

**We believe in one God;  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.  
Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

**Prayers of Intercession:** *Led by Gillian Bloom*  
*In response to the words, "God, in your mercy,"*  
*the community prays, "Hear our prayer."*

Let us bring the needs of the church, the world,  
and all in need, to God's loving care;

God of life,  
You open our eyes on the world you love  
and show us your presence and purpose all around us.  
We see the beauty and wonder of your creation  
in autumn changes,  
and in gifts of love and compassion  
offered through friend and stranger.  
For these many gifts, we give you thanks.  
We pray for those who cannot recognize these gifts  
in their lives and find themselves lost and alone.

*(Keep a brief silence.)*

Open their eyes to your presence  
through our companionship  
and our eyes for opportunities  
to reach out with understanding.

God, in your mercy,

**All: Hear our prayer.**

God of justice,  
You open our eyes on the world  
and show us struggle and conflict.  
We see the stressful times in which we live  
and the burdens many are carrying;  
Today, we pray for those  
whose businesses are still struggling  
as the pandemic stretches on;  
For producers unsure their harvests  
will be sufficient this season;  
For workers uncertain about their jobs  
or looking for new work;

And for families carrying the stress  
of economic uncertainty.

*(Keep a brief silence.)*

Open their eyes to new possibilities  
and open our eyes to ways we can support them.  
God, in your mercy,

**All: Hear our prayer.**

God of compassion,  
You open our eyes on the world  
and show us suffering and despair.  
We see the challenges for health care  
across our country and around the world.  
We pray for nurses, doctors, hospital staff,  
and home-care workers, so weary and worried,  
for those facing acute or chronic illness,  
and delays in needed treatments,  
and for communities struggling with COVID-19,  
overdose deaths and mental health challenges.

*(Keep a brief silence.)*

Give strength and compassion  
to all who offer treatment,  
and courage and hope to all who wait for healing.  
Open their eyes to your mercy  
and open our eyes to needs we can meet.  
God, in your mercy,

**All: Hear our prayer.**

God of wisdom,  
You open our eyes on the world  
and show us its complexities.  
We see countries locked in old animosities  
and communities overwhelmed  
by anger and upheaval.  
We pray for the millions displaced by current conflicts  
and natural disasters and for leaders everywhere,  
trying to find solutions to complex problems.

*(Keep a brief silence.)*

Open the eyes of those who lead  
to recognize the suffering among their peoples,  
and open our eyes to ways  
we can participate in solutions.

God, in your mercy,

**All: Hear our prayer.**

God of hope,  
We offer you our prayers,  
longing for your peace and promise  
to break into the lives we care about,  
for the sake of Jesus Christ,

**All: Amen.**

**The Peace:** *(Please stand as you are able.)*

*For the peace, please acknowledge your greeting of peace  
by a simple bow – with no physical contact.*

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**All: And also with you.**

**Offertory Hymn: CP 73 One Bread, One Body**

*(tune: One Bread, One Body)*

## **The Preparation of the Table**

*Prayer over the Gifts:*

Priest: As the grain once scattered in the fields  
and the grapes once dispersed on the hillside  
are now united on this table in bread and wine,  
so, Lord, may your whole Church  
soon be gathered together  
from the corners of the earth into your kingdom.

**All: Amen.**



## **Eucharistic Prayer:**

*[Source: "Supplementary Eucharistic Prayer 1 from Eucharistic Prayers, Services of the Word, and Night Prayer - Supplementary to The Book of Alternative Services – Anglican Church of Canada (2001)]*

Priest: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

**All: We lift them to the Lord.**

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Priest: Holy God, Lover of creation,  
we give you thanks and praise  
for in the ocean of your steadfast love  
you bear us and place the song  
of your Spirit in our hearts.

When we turn from your love and defile the earth,  
you do not abandon us.  
Your Spirit speaks through Huldah and Micah,  
through prophets, sages, and saints in every age,  
to confront our sin and reveal the vision  
of your new creation.

Joining in the song of the universe  
we proclaim your glory saying:

**All: Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might.  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes  
in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*Congregation may sit or kneel at this time.*

Priest: Gracious God, in the fullness of time  
you sent Jesus the Christ  
to share our fragile humanity.  
Through Jesus' life, death, and resurrection  
you open the path from brokenness to health,  
from fear to trust, from pride and conceit  
to reverence for you.

Rejected by a world that could not bear  
the Gospel of life, Jesus knew death was near.  
His head anointed for burial by an unknown woman,  
Jesus gathered together those who loved him.  
He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it  
and gave it to his friends, saying,  
"Take and eat:  
this is my body which is given for you.  
Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper, Jesus took the cup of wine,  
gave you thanks, and said,  
"Drink this all of you,  
this is my blood of the new covenant  
which is shed for you and for many.  
Whenever you drink it,  
do this for the remembrance of me."

And now we gather at this table  
in response to his commandment,  
to share the bread and cup of Christ's undying love,  
and to proclaim our faith.

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

Priest: Breathe your Holy Spirit, the wisdom of the universe,  
upon these gifts that we bring to you:  
this bread, this cup, ourselves, our souls and bodies,  
that we may be signs of your love for all the world  
and ministers of your transforming purpose.

Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
all glory is yours, Creator of all,  
and we bless your holy name for ever.

**All: Amen.**

*The Lord's Prayer (Please stand as you are able.)*

Priest: In the words that our Saviour taught us, we pray:

**All: Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your 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.**

*Breaking of the Bread:*

Priest: Lamb of God,

**All: you take away the sin of the world,  
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world,  
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world,  
grant us peace.**

*The Giving of Communion*

Priest: God's holy gifts for God's holy people.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

*For the communion procession, please follow the directions of the sidespeople as each section is invited to come forward. Allow at least 2 metres (6 feet) between you and the person in front of you. As you come up to the communion station, stand behind the marked line and reach your hand forward to receive the host. Please exit to the chapel side and return to your seat.*

*Prayer after Communion (Please stand as you are able.)*

Priest: God of all grace,  
your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry  
with the bread of his life  
and the word of his kingdom:  
renew your people with your heavenly grace,  
and in all our weakness  
sustain us by your true and living bread;  
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

**All: Amen.**

Priest: 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.**

*Benediction:*

Priest: Go in peace,  
love and care for one another in Christ's name.  
Go in the confidence of people  
who have found mercy through him,  
keeping the commandments  
and letting go of all that binds you  
to the ways of this world.

And may God come close to you and keep you safe;  
may Christ Jesus reward  
your faithfulness a hundredfold;  
and may the Holy Spirit be your help in time of need.  
both now and forevermore.

**All: Amen.**

**Closing Hymn: MS 104 All the Ends of the Earth**  
(composer: Bob Dufford)

**Refrain: All the ends of the earth,  
all the creatures of the sea,  
lift up your eyes to the wonders of the Lord.  
For the Lord of the earth,  
the Master of the sea,  
has come with justice for the world.**

**Break into song at the deeds of the Lord,  
the wonders He has done in every age. Refrain**

**Heaven and earth shall rejoice in his might;  
ev'ry heart, ev'ry nation call Him Lord. Refrain**

**The Lord has made his salvation known,  
faithful to his promises of old.  
Let the ends of the earth,  
let the sea and all it holds  
make music before our King! Refrain**

*Dismissal*

Priest: Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

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*Postlude*

**Thank you to all who helped with this service:** Presider: Rev. Daniel Fournier; Liturgical Assistant, Readings, and Intercessions: Gillian Bloom; Musicians: Patricia Bates, Olivia Craster, Daniel Fournier, Barbara Reul, Susanne Reul-Zastre, Genevieve Richards, Matthew Robertson, and Maria Ross; Sidespersons: The Poillievre Family; Creation of Prayers of Intercession: Joan Scandrett; Videographers: Sharon McMillan and Ray Lett; Service Planning and Service Outline: Daniel Fournier; Proofreading, Posting Bulletin and Livestream Link at the Website: Barb Prescott; Posting the Link at Facebook: Sharon McMillan; Printing Readings and Bulletins: Andrew Lloyd.

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**THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS October 24<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup>**  
**(\*\*New Items, \*Revised Items)**

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**\*\*Next Sunday, October 31<sup>st</sup>, Bishop Anna will be visiting St. Luke's for the in-person Eucharist service starting at 10 am.**

**\*Anyone wishing to attend next Sunday's service will need to register by phoning (250-477-6741) or e-mailing the office ([admin@stlukecedarhill.ca](mailto:admin@stlukecedarhill.ca)) before 11 am this Friday.** (This will help us manage our capacity limits at this time.) **You will need to wear a mask, be distanced in the church except within family groups or established bubbles, and use hand sanitizer when entering the church.** The services will be livestreamed and recorded as well as being in-person. The Bishop encourages those who are unvaccinated to watch the online services.

**\*Thank you to the Altar Guild members and all who helped decorate the church for the Harvest Thanksgiving Festival on October 10<sup>th</sup>.** The church looked beautiful, decorated with produce and all of the food donations for the Shelbourne Community Kitchen. Please see pictures and a letter of thanks

from the Shelbourne Community Kitchen at the **News page of St. Luke's website**. The letter is also posted on the bulletin board in the hall.

**\*Parish Office Transitions** – The Parish Executive is pleased to announce that Mr. Andrew Lloyd has taken on the position of Parish Administrator. Andrew brings with him previous office and administration experience having worked at both St. Matthias and St. Peter and St. Paul (Esquimalt). Andrew began his work with us on Monday, October 18<sup>th</sup>.

**\*Coffee Time via Zoom will start at 11:45 am after the in-person and livestreamed service.** Watch for the link, which is sent out by e-mail and join us in your home via Zoom. Hope to see you there. **Note that there will not be a Zoom coffee time on Sunday, October 31<sup>st</sup>.**

**\*\*Heads Up re our Service of Remembrance on November 7<sup>th</sup>** – This will be a 10 am Service of the Word and it will be a combined All Saints' Day Service and a Service of Remembrance. The service will start in the church and then we will move outside to honour the veterans in the cemetery. Trumpeter Ben Parker will join us for this service.

**\*\*Jazz Up Your Sunday Evening with a Jazz Vespers Service starting at 7 pm on November 7<sup>th</sup>** – This hour long service in the church will feature lots of jazz along with contemporary prayers, poems, and readings. Come to see and hear what it's all about!

**\*\*St. Luke's Fall 2021 Prescription** is now available and the link to the online version was sent out by e-mail. Copies are available at the back of the church and from the parish office.

**Thursday morning services are now being held at 10:30 am in the chapel.** Everyone is welcome at this mid-week Eucharist service.

**\*\*An Update from Shelbourne Community** – The Cedar Hill Garden (the garden at St. Luke's behind South Island Centre) was installed just a month ago, but it's already overflowing with gorgeous veggies! During the first work party on October 9<sup>th</sup>, the Garden Team from the Shelbourne Community Kitchen harvested a whopping 130 lbs of lettuce, kale and swiss chard! Growing produce for the Pantry Program and Food Skills Programs means that the Kitchen can offer organic, seasonal vegetables while creating hands-on learning opportunities and reducing food costs - all at the same time! The Kitchen sends a great big thank you to St. Luke Cedar Hill for sharing a portion of their land to set up the garden, and to Topsoil Urban Agriculture for their leadership on the design and installation. The Kitchen also thanks their generous funders, the Provincial Employees Community Services Fund, Rotary Club Victoria-Harbourside, and VanCity Mt. Tolmie Branch. See more information and a picture at the **News page of St. Luke's website**.

**\*\*Thanksgiving Food Drives for the Shelbourne Community Kitchen Gather 1,000 lbs in Donations** – The Kitchen sends a great big thank you to St. Luke Cedar Hill, St. George's Cadboro Bay, Shelbourne Street Church of Christ and Lutheran Church of the Cross for all the wonderful donations the Kitchen received from the recent Thanksgiving Food Drives. Together these groups helped to gather 1,000 lbs of food donations in support of the Pantry Program! (St. Luke's contributed 498 lbs!) These generous donations of fresh produce, pantry-staples and canned goods are helping to fill their shelves this fall. Thank you from the Kitchen to these generous donors!

**Thank You for Your Support for the Ongoing Ministry** of St. Luke's Church through your offerings by writing a cheque, making a donation online through Canada Helps, and by signing up for ECP. **Note that the offerings will now be taken forward to the altar each Sunday during the service, but we can't pass around the collection plate at this time.** If you miss putting in your donation as you enter the church,



donations left in the collection plates after the service will also be collected.

**Livestreaming Help Needed** – We are hoping to create a roster of people who can help with the livestreaming each Sunday. **If you are interested in learning new skills in this area, please talk to Sharon or Ray after the service, or to Daniel, or leave your name at the office.** An orientation session and training will be provided.

**Sound System Upgrade Appeal** – Please read a letter from Daniel at the **News page of St. Luke's website** regarding an appeal for donations towards a very necessary upgrade to our sound system as livestreaming continues to be an important aspect of our ministry. Thank you to those who have made donations through your envelopes or through Canada Helps. **Donations as of October 12<sup>th</sup> total \$3,953.05. We have reached our goal of \$3,900. Well done, everyone!**

**\*\*Purdy's Chocolates Fundraiser** – For a few years, Pacific Edge Chorus, formerly known as City of Gardens Chorus, has been using Purdy's Chocolates as a fundraiser. The chocolates are professionally packaged and delivered. They come from the Christmas Catalogue and the price is the same as if bought from the store. For more information and to see a catalogue, please talk to Cynthia Blackburn after church or leave a message for her via St. Luke's Office (250-477-6741).

**\*\*The Altar Guild Invites Your Donations for Flowers for the Sunday Services** – If you would like to make a donation towards the cost of flowers, your donation would be most appreciated. Donations can be made in memory of a loved one, in celebration of a special event, or simply as a thanks offering. Donations can be mailed or handed into the office. If you would like a tax donation receipt for your donation, please use one of your donation envelopes, and mark "flowers " or Altar Guild on it. Please make cheques payable to St. Luke's. For more information, please contact Ann Séguin via St. Luke's Office (250-477-6741).

**Country Grocer Save A Tape Program Update** – Please continue to collect your Country Grocer receipts and turn them in to the Church Office, mail them to the Church Office, or put them in an envelope in the mail slot. We have now collected \$5,000.23 in grocery receipts and have reached our first goal of \$5,000 in receipts to receive a \$50.00 gift certificate. **As of October 13<sup>th</sup>, we have \$2,507.85 towards our next goal of \$5,000 to receive a second \$50.00 gift certificate.** So please keep dropping off your receipts. See more information at the **News page of St. Luke's website.**

**\*\*Fairway Market Community Shopping Cards** – You are invited to take part in this fundraising program using reloadable Fairway Market Community Shopping Cards. These are similar to the Thrifty's Smile Cards and can be used at any of the ten Fairway Market stores on Vancouver Island. **St. Luke's automatically receives 5% from Fairway Market for every dollar loaded on the card.** To join in this program, please pick up your reloadable card from St. Luke's Office. Please contact St. Luke's office or talk to Brenda Morgan for more information or visit the **Fundraising page of St. Luke's website.**

**\*Level Ground Fundraiser** – Do you drink coffee or tea or know someone who does? You are invited to take part in a fundraising program to benefit St. Luke's when you buy coffee, tea, and dried fruit through Level Ground Trading. **When you order online at Level Ground Trading, St. Luke's will receive 15%.** ONLINE ORDERING IS EASY! Visit **Shop at Level Ground** (<https://levelground.com/collections>). At checkout, use the code **StLuke** to ensure the 15% comes to St. Luke's. The minimum order is \$40 for the 15% return to St. Luke's and this includes free shipping. See more information at the **Fundraising page of St. Luke's website.**

**IN THE WORLDWIDE ANGLICAN PRAYER CYCLE, we pray for the Extra-Provincial Churches of the Anglican Communion under the metropolitan oversight of the Archbishop of Canterbury. In the Canadian ACC/ELCIC Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the Rt. Rev. John Stephens, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of New Westminster (ACC) and for an end to gender-based violence and human trafficking (ACC / ELCIC). In our Diocesan Prayer Cycle, we pray for Anna, our Bishop, and for the Congregations of St. Peter, Campbell River and St. Saviour by-the-Sea, Cortes Island and their priest Catherine Dafoe Hall. We also pray for Lutheran Church of the Cross and Pastor Lyle and Pastor Lyndon, and for the Diocese of Kootenay and Archbishop Lynne McNaughton.**

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We hope you will visit again!

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### **READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY October 31, 2021**

Deuteronomy 6: 1-9

Psalm 119: 1-8

Hebrews 9: 11-14

Mark 12: 28-34

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### **FLOWERS**

Today's flowers are given to the glory of God  
and with thanksgiving for family and friends  
from Rick and Noreen Saville.

*Flowers at St. Luke's are coordinated by Ann Séguin.*

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