

Welcome to  
**St. Luke Cedar Hill**  
The Baptism of Our Lord  
January 9, 2022  
Holy Baptism and Eucharist



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*We acknowledge that we gather with respect on the traditional territories  
of the Esquimalt, Songhees and W̱SÁNEĆ people,  
the traditional custodians of these lands.  
We are grateful for their hospitality.*

Organ Prelude: Allegretto (Sonata No. 4)  
Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy

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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.**

Priest: There is one body and one Spirit,

**All: There is one hope in God's call to us;**

Priest: One Lord, one faith, one baptism,

**All: One God and Father of all.**

**Opening Hymn: CP 380 O Worship the King**  
(*tune: Hanover*)

**Collect of the Day**

Priest: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Priest: Holy One of Israel,  
you anointed Jesus at his baptism with the Holy Spirit  
and revealed him as your beloved Son.  
Keep all who are born of water and Spirit  
faithful in your service,  
so that we may rejoice to be called children of God,  
through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord.

**All: Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

## **The Liturgy of the Word**

**FIRST READING:** Isaiah 43: 1-7

Reader: *Bruce Hallsor*

Reader: A reading from the Book of Isaiah.

Click here for the reading:

<https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2022-01-09>

*At the end of the reading:*

Reader: Word of God, Word of Life.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 29**

*Response:*

***The Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace.***

Ascribe to the Lord, you powers of heaven,  
ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

Ascribe to the Lord the honour due to his name;  
worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness. (*Response*)

The voice of the Lord is upon the waters;  
the God of glory thunders;  
the Lord is upon the mighty waters.

The voice of the Lord is mighty in operation;  
the voice of the Lord is a glorious voice. (*Response*)

The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar trees;  
the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon;  
He makes Lebanon skip like a calf  
and Sirion like a young wild ox. (*Response*)

The voice of the Lord splits the flash of lightning;  
the voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness;  
the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.

The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees writhe  
and strips the forests bare; in his temple all cry, 'Glory!'  
(*Response*)

The Lord sits enthroned above the water flood;  
the Lord sits enthroned as king for evermore.  
The Lord shall give strength to his people;  
the Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace. (*Response*)

**SECOND READING:** Acts 8: 14-17

Reader: *Barb Prescott*

Reader: A reading from the Book of the Acts.

Click here for the reading:

<https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2022-01-09>

*At the end of the reading:*

Reader: Word of God, Word of Life.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

**Gradual Hymn:**

**CP 163 When Christ's Appearing Was Made Known**

*(Alternate tune: Fulda (Walton))*

**THE GOSPEL:** Luke 3: 15-17, 21-22

Reader: *Claire White*

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

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

Click here for the reading:

<https://lectionary.anglican.ca/nrsv/?date=2022-01-09>

*At the end of the gospel:*

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

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

**Homily:** The Rev. Daniel Fournier

**Presentation of the Candidate for Baptism**  
**Support from the Congregation**

**Priest:** Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support Henry in his life in Christ?

**All:**     **We will.**

**Prayers for the Candidate**

*Response:* **"Lord, hear our prayer."**

**Thanksgiving over the Water**

**Priest:** The Lord be with you.

**All:**     **And also with you.**

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

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

**Priest:** We give you thanks, almighty God and Father,  
for by the gift of water you nourish  
and sustain all living things.

**All:**     **Blessed be God for ever.**

**Priest:** We give you thanks  
that through the waters of the Red Sea,  
you led your people out of slavery  
to freedom in the promised land.

**All:**     **Blessed be God for ever.**

**Priest:** We give you thanks for sending your Son Jesus.  
For us he was baptized by John in the river Jordan.  
For us he was anointed as Christ by your Holy Spirit.  
For us he suffered the baptism of his own death  
and resurrection, setting us free  
from the bondage of sin and death,  
and opening to us the joy and freedom  
of everlasting life.

**All:**     **Blessed be God for ever.**

Priest: We give you thanks for your Holy Spirit  
who teaches us and leads us into all truth,  
filling us with his gifts so that we might proclaim  
the gospel to all nations  
and serve you as a royal priesthood.

**All: Blessed be God for ever.**

Priest: We give you thanks for you have called Henry  
to new life through the waters of baptism.  
Now sanctify this water,  
that your servants who are washed in it  
may be made one with Christ in his death  
and resurrection, to be cleansed  
and delivered from all sin.  
Anoint them with your Holy Spirit  
and bring them to new birth  
in the family of your Church,  
that they may become inheritors  
of your glorious kingdom.  
We give you praise and honour and worship  
through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and for ever.

**All: Blessed are you, our strength and song,  
and our salvation.**

Priest: Let us join with those who are committing themselves  
to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.  
Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil  
and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

**All: I do.**

Priest: Do you believe in God the Father?

**All: I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

Priest: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**All: I believe in Jesus Christ,  
his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again  
to judge the living and the dead.**

Priest: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**All: I believe in God the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.**

Priest: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching  
and fellowship, in the breaking of bread,  
and in the prayers?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Priest: Will you persevere in resisting evil  
and, whenever you fall into sin,  
repent and return to the Lord?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Priest: Will you proclaim by word and example  
the good news of God in Christ?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Priest: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons,  
loving your neighbour as yourself?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Priest: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people,  
and respect the dignity of every human being?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

Priest: Will you strive to safeguard  
the integrity of God's creation and respect, sustain,  
and renew the life of the earth?

**All: I will, with God's help.**

### **The Baptism of Henry Matthew Mallari**

#### *The Giving of Light*

Priest: Receive the light of Christ, to show  
that you have passed from darkness to light.

**All: Let your light so shine before others  
that they may see your good works  
and glorify your Father in heaven.**

Priest: Let us welcome the newly baptized.

**All: We receive you into the household of God.  
Confess the faith of Christ crucified,  
proclaim his resurrection,  
and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

#### **Introduction of the Newly Baptized**

**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 40 O Spirit of the Living God**  
(tune: Wareham)

**The Preparation of the Table**

*Prayer over the Gifts:*

Priest: God of mercy and grace,  
the eyes of all wait upon you,  
and you open your hand in blessing.  
Fill us with good things at your table,  
so that we may come to the help of all in need,  
through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and Lord.

**All: Amen.**

***Eucharistic Prayer***

*[Source: Eucharistic Prayer 2, Book of Alternative Services - ACC (1985)]*

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: We give you thanks and praise, almighty God,  
through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ,  
our Saviour and Redeemer.  
He is your living Word,  
through whom you have created all things.

By the power of the Holy Spirit  
he took flesh of the Virgin Mary  
and shared our human nature.  
He lived and died as one of us,  
to reconcile us to you,  
the God and Father of all.

In fulfilment of your will  
he stretched out his hands in suffering,  
to bring release to those who place their hope in you;  
and so he won for you a holy people.

He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows,  
and to give up his life on the cross,  
that he might shatter the chains of evil and death,  
and banish the darkness of sin and despair.  
By his resurrection he brings us  
into the light of your presence.  
Now with all creation we raise our voices  
to proclaim the glory of your name.

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

*Congregation may sit or kneel at this time.*

Priest: Holy and gracious God,  
accept our praise,  
through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ;  
who on the night he was handed over  
to suffering and death,  
took bread and gave you thanks,  
saying, "Take, and eat:  
this is my body which is broken for you."  
In the same way he took the cup,  
saying, "This is my blood which is shed for you.  
When you do this, you do it in memory of me."

Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection,  
we offer you this bread and this cup,  
giving thanks that you have made us worthy  
to stand in your presence and serve you.

We ask you to send your Holy Spirit  
upon the offering of your holy Church.  
Gather into one  
all who share in these sacred mysteries,  
filling them with the Holy Spirit  
and confirming their faith in the truth,  
that together we may praise you  
and give you glory  
through your Servant, Jesus Christ.  
All glory and honour are yours,  
Father and Son,  
with the Holy Spirit  
in the holy Church,  
now and for ever.

**All:** **Amen.** (*Sung 5 times.*)

Priest: As our Saviour taught us, let us 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.*

*Please remain seated as we sing the hymn during communion.*

**Hymn during Communion: CP 647 Spirit of the Living God**  
*(tune: Living God)*

*Prayer after Communion (Standing we pray.)*

Priest: O God, our life, our strength, our food,  
we give you thanks for sustaining us  
with the body and blood of your Son.  
By your Holy Spirit,  
enliven us to be his body in the world,  
so that more and more we will give you praise  
and serve your earth and its many peoples,  
through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord.

**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 now, confident that you are God's precious  
and pleasing children.  
Trust in God and do not fear.  
Accept the Word of God and point others  
to the one who baptises with Spirit and fire.

And may God be your protection and your strength;  
May Christ baptise you with his Holy Spirit.  
And may the Spirit be with you  
to empower you and give you peace.

**All: Amen.**

**Closing Hymn: CP 162 Sing of God Made Manifest**  
(tune: Salzburg)

*Dismissal*

Priest: We go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**All: In the name of Christ.**

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*Organ Postlude: "Little" Fugue in G Minor - J. S. Bach*

**Thank you to all who helped with this service:** Presider: Rev. Daniel Fournier; Liturgical Assistants: Sean Tiernay and Claire White; Readers: Bruce Hallsor, Barb Prescott, and Claire White; Musicians: David Palmer, Daniel Fournier, Cynthia Blackburn, Olivia Craster, Margo Hughes, John Laidlaw, Sharon McMillan, Matthew Robertson, and Maria Ross; Sidespersons: Heather Simpson and Jane Grant; Videographers: Martin White and Neil Patterson; 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 – January 9<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>**  
**(\*\*New Items, \*Revised Items)**

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**\*Welcome to David Palmer** – We welcome David Palmer to the organ bench while Susanne is taking a well-deserved leave of absence for the next two months. David Palmer was born in Victoria and received his early musical education at Christ Church Cathedral, first as a boy chorister, later as Assistant Organist. Moving to Windsor, Ontario, in 1968, he became Organist and Choirmaster at All Saints' Anglican Church there, and in 1970, began his 40-year tenure as a Professor in the School of Music at the University of Windsor. David and his wife, Lonnie, are excited to be back in Victoria, enjoying time with family and looking forward to renewing old friendships and making new ones.

**Coffee Time via Zoom will start at 11:45 am after the in-person and livestreamed service.** Watch for the link, which will be sent out by e-mail and join us in your home via Zoom. Hope to see you there.

**\*Please register for next week's service at 10 am on January 16<sup>th</sup>** by phoning (250-477-6741) or e-mailing the office ([admin@stlukecedarhill.ca](mailto:admin@stlukecedarhill.ca)) before 11 am on January 14<sup>th</sup>. (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.

**\*Jazz Vespers will be held TONIGHT, January 9<sup>th</sup>** – Jazz up your Sunday evening with a Jazz Vespers Service on January 9<sup>th</sup> starting at 7 pm. This hour long service in the church will feature lots of jazz along with contemporary prayers, poems, and readings. Come and see and hear what it's all about!

**\*\*Cemetery Rock Wall Repair Update** – A big thank you to everyone who has made contributions toward this project. **Donations to date from parishioners, descendants of those resting in the cemetery, and community members have been generous, with the contributions now totalling \$6,079!** These donations have been put towards cost of the very needed rock wall repairs, which were completed in November for just under \$10,000.

**\*\*From Advent to Epiphany** – In this sixth and final reflection, Bishop Anna challenges us to consider what it looks like to turn away from power and empire towards the road less travelled that leads to love. Watch this video at the **News page of St. Luke's website.**

**St. Luke's Christmas 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. Please let the Parish Office know if there is someone you would like a copy of the Prescription delivered to.

**2022 Contributor Boxes** – Please pick up your box of envelopes at the back of the church or from the church office. Even if you contribute by ECP (Electronic Collection Plate) please take your box. If at some point during the year you wish to make a donation for a special event or cause, such as for flowers, outreach, or a seasonal donation at Christmas or Easter, please use one of your envelopes for that additional donation.

**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 aren't allowed to 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.

**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 December 20<sup>th</sup>, we have \$4,638.19 towards our next goal of \$5,000 to receive a second \$50.00 gift certificate.** Please keep dropping off your receipts so we can reach another \$5,000. See more information at the **News page of St. Luke's website.**

**Stamps for Cookware for the Shelbourne Community Kitchen** – St. Luke's is collecting the stamps from Thrifty Foods for the Vivo pots and pans promotion. The stamps collected will be used to buy pots and pans for Shelbourne Community Kitchen. The stamps can be put in an envelope and dropped off at the office or put in the mail box by the hall front door. The promotion runs until March 2, 2022.



**Fairway Market Community Shopping Cards – We have now received our first payment of \$274.49.** Please continue to use your reloadable Fairway Market Community Shopping Card so that **St. Luke's can receive 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 –** We have received our first payment through this program. \$18.18 was deposited into our account last month for the orders received in last three months. Please continue to take part in this 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 Province of Iglesia Anglicana de Chile - The Most Revd Hector Zavala, Primate. **In the Canadian ACC/ELCIC Cycle of Prayer**, we pray for Dr. Andrea Mann, Director, and the staff of Global Relations; Ryan Weston, Lead Animator, Public Witness for Social and Ecological Justice (ACC) and for the Assistants to the Bishop and the staff of the Eastern Synod (ELCIC). **In our Diocesan Prayer Cycle, we pray for** Anna, our Bishop, and for the community of St. George at Kingcome Inlet, Wakeman, Hopetown, and Gilford Island. **We also pray for** Lutheran Church of the Cross and Pastor Lyle and Pastor Lyndon, and for the Diocese of New Westminster and Bishop John Stephens.

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We hope you will visit again!

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### READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY January 16, 2022

Isaiah 62: 1-5

Psalm 36: 5-10

1 Corinthians 12: 1-11

John 2: 1-11

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### FLOWERS

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

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