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**May 23, 2021**  
**Pentecost**  
Service by Zoom



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# A Service of the Word

*This liturgy is based on the*

*Anglican Church of Canada **Book of Alternative Services***

*Notes for Zoom participants: As we begin our service all voices will be muted. Those with speaking parts will unmute themselves. Please do respond to the people's part in your home, please do sing joyously when the hymn is played.*

*Please note that there are announcements in the leaflet following the service.*

***As always, we will continue to light a candle and ring a bell as our service begins.***

Officiant Alleluia! Christ is risen.

**People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

Officiant May his grace and peace be with you.

**People May he fill our hearts with joy.**

God's love has been poured into our hearts.

**We dwell in him and he in us.**

Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name;

**Make known his deeds among the peoples.**

Sing to him, sing praises to him,

**And speak of all his marvellous works.**

Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God almighty,

**Who was and is and is to come!**

**Wind upon the waters,  
voice upon the deep;  
rouse your sons and daughters,  
wake us from our sleep.  
Breathing life into all flesh,  
breathing love into all hearts,  
Living wind upon the waters of my soul.**

**Showers from the heaven,  
water from the earth;  
Gift so wholly given,  
source of every birth.  
Joy of every living thing,  
making all creation sing,  
Shower down upon the dry earth of my soul.**

**Rock and hill and garden,  
wood and desert sand;  
Prairie, field and meadow,  
shaped by Love's own hand.  
Love that fills the world around,  
springing up from barren ground,  
Grow your love within the garden of my soul.**

**Blazing light of wonder,  
flame that pierces night;  
Burst the dark asunder,  
fill our souls with light.  
Lord of glory, fill the skies,  
make an end to hatred's cries,  
Be the blazing Sun of justice in our lives.**

### **Collect of the Day**

**First Reading** [Acts 2:1-21](#)

**Tony Smith**

**Psalm 104**

**LA Sue Vickery**

25 O Lord, how manifold are your works! \* in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

**26 Yonder is the great and wide sea with its living things too many to number, \* creatures both small and great.**

27 There move the ships, and there is that Leviathan, \* which you have made for the sport of it.

**28 All of them look to you \* to give them their food in due season.**

29 You give it to them; they gather it; \* you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.

**30 You hide your face, and they are terrified; \* you take away their breath, and they die and return to their dust.**

31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; \* and so you renew the face of the earth.

**32 May the glory of the Lord endure for ever; \* may the Lord rejoice in all his works.**

33 He looks at the earth and it trembles; \* he touches the mountains and they smoke.

**34 I will sing to the Lord as long as I live; \* I will praise my God while I have my being.**

35 May these words of mine please him; \* I will rejoice in the Lord.

**Hallelujah!**

Gospel: **JOHN 15: 26-27; 16:4b-15** The Rev. David Fitzsimmons

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. John

**Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

The Gospel of Christ.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

Sermon:

## Hear O Israel

Hear, O Israel,  
the Lord our God, the Lord is one.  
Love the Lord your God with all your heart,  
with all your soul,  
with all your mind,  
and with all your strength.  
This is the first and the great commandment.  
The second is like it:  
Love your neighbour as yourself.  
There is no commandment greater than these.

## Hymn

Georgia Smith and Kate Fitzsimmons

I, The Lord Of Sea And Sky,  
I Have Heard My People Cry.  
All Who Dwell In Dark And Sin,  
My Hand Will Save.  
I Who Made The Stars Of Night,  
I Will Make Their Darkness Bright.  
Who Will Bear My Light To Them?  
Whom Shall I Send?

*Chorus:* Here I Am Lord, Is It I, Lord?  
I Have Heard You Calling In The Night.  
I Will Go Lord, If You Lead Me.  
I Will Hold Your People In My Heart.

I, The Lord Of Snow And Rain,  
I Have Borne My People's Pain.  
I Have Wept For Love Of Them, They Turn Away.  
I Will Break Their Hearts Of Stone,  
Give Them Hearts For Love Alone.  
I Will Speak My Word To Them  
Whom Shall I Send?                    *— See next page*

I, The Lord Of Wind And Flame  
I Will Tend The Poor And Lame.  
I Will Set A Feast For Them,  
My Hand Will Save  
Finest Bread I Will Provide,  
Till Their Hearts Be Satisfied.  
I Will Give My Life To Them,  
Whom Shall I Send?

## **Prayers of the People**

The Peace

*A wave, a smile, a nod of the head are all fitting expressions of your intention for peace for yourself and for each other.*

The peace of the Lord be with you all.

**People: And also with you.**

In Thanksgiving for all God's blessings in our lives we pray:

**Giver of life,**

**receive all we offer you this day.**

**Let the Spirit you bestow on your Church**

**continue to work in the world**

**through the hearts of all who believe.**

**We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen**

officiant As our Saviour taught us, let us pray.

**People (sung) Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done, on earth as it is 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 forever. Amen**

Glory to God

**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**

**Fore ever and ever. Amen.**

**Dismissal**

LA Go forth into the world rejoicing in God our Saviour, alleluia,  
alleluia

**Thanks be to God! Alleluia, alleluia!**

**Blessing**

# Prayers of the People

## The Church:

Anna, our Bishop, preparations for diocesan synod and our own delegates

Diocesan cycle: S. Philip, Cedar

Lynne, our Metropolitan

Provincial cycle: Bishop Lincoln McKoen and the clergy and people of the Territory of the People.

Linda, Our Primate, Mark, our Indigenous Archbishop

AC cycle: The Anglican Church of Melanesia

Cathie and David our clergy

Parish family

Special intentions—parish: The prayer Circle volunteers.

Leaders of the nations, local leaders, the people of Myanmar.

Special intentions— community—for those who work in hospice and palliative care ministries

For those seeking healing and hope—names as given

Those who have died

*If you wish to have the name of a family member or friend mentioned in our Sunday Prayers please obtain their permission and then call Cathie or the parish office.*

***A new feature of the Prayers is the inclusion of members of our parish family chosen from the parish list and offered each week. Listen to hear the names of your family and your neighbours and join with us in commending them to God.***

Let the Prayer Chain know if you have a confidential prayer concern.  
Email [stpeterCRprayerchain@gmail.com](mailto:stpeterCRprayerchain@gmail.com) you may leave a confidential message on the Church telephone 250 286-1613.



## Important dates

- May 23 Day of Pentecost—please wear something red
- May 29 Diocesan Synod
- June 6 Bishop’s visit at our Sunday service
- June 17 7:30 PM *Mensa Christi*
- June 20 Parish Council

By direction of the Bishop the parish office will be closed for the next few weeks. Please call Cathie at 250-668-3701 on Wednesday, Thursday, or Sunday for any parish business, or any time for emergencies.

Rick Monchak will be outside the church each Sunday from 11:00 to 11:30 for some weeks to collect your offering in person.

## News from Parish Council

At our May 16 monthly meeting parish council had an opportunity to learn about a decision making process that helps to provide a ‘reality check’ on any idea we may consider.

George Wagner reported that the bathroom fans are now working and he will be activating the sprinkler system this week.

Jane Jennings visited to introduce a proposed library policy which was passed.

We discussed the draft letter for the City of Campbell River which will be part of our application for the property tax exemption.

Tony Smith reported positive comments received on music provided by Georgia Smith and Kate Fitzsimmons.

Lois reported that there are seven 12 Step groups meeting in our hall now. These meetings are deemed an essential service.

We planned for a recognition of our graduates.

The matter of the proposed labyrinth appears on the next page.

**PWRDF** is responding to an urgent appeal from the newly installed Archbishop of Jerusalem, Hosam Naoum, with funds for Al Ahli Hospital in Gaza, with a grant of \$10,000.

The funds will assist with running generators and purchasing medicine and supplies to meet the crushing flow of injured and traumatized victims in this conflict. He also requests our prayers.

If you wish to assist go to [pwrdf.org/give-today](http://pwrdf.org/give-today) and click on Emergency Response and mention Gaza Hospital. You can also make your offering through the church using your envelope.

**The foodbank** needs our support. Non-perishable foods, baby food and formula, diapers, sanitary products for women. Or money. You can give in kind through the church and your financial donations can go through the church or direct to the food bank. You will get a tax receipt in either case.

**Grass Roots, Kind Hearts** feeds people who are in need: any meal feels good when you are hungry. Diana Hicks and her team work hard on this ministry, talk to her to offer help, give money to the church to buy food and other necessities.

## **Adult Christian Education**

### **Education for Ministry**

EfM is a program of theological education for lay people. We have some graduates in our parish already but we need more. The group is limited to 12 members. The cost is \$350 per year. We will start in September. Please let David Fitzsimmons know if you are interested.

### **Mensa Christi**

This means Table of the Lord. This is a monthly study group which will be led by David Fitzsimmons. It will be held on the third Thursday of each month at and 7:30 PM.



### **Proposed Labyrinth**

Since the Annual Meeting in February there has been conversation about the possibility of a labyrinth on the church grounds. This would serve the needs of parish members in meditation and be available to people from the community as well. At our Parish Council Meeting on May 16 a proposal was brought forward by David Fitzsimmons.

According to the proposal the labyrinth would suit the site by the offices and be 30 feet across. The cost would be about \$1000 for materials. A bench could be added for those who would like to sit to pray.

It could be a summer project for the parish where people could work together in a socially distanced environment to build the labyrinth.

A labyrinth is a classic meditation space. It is a place to make a symbolic pilgrimage, if you can't make a real one.

Parish Council is looking for 20 families to make a donation of money or time to the project. Will you be one?

Please let David Fitzsimmons know if you are interested.

Donations can be made to St. Peter's Anglican Church and marked for the Labyrinth Project.

# **WELCOME!**

## **Parish Staff and Leaders**

Bishop's Warden: Lois Tirebuck

People's Warden: David Storrie

Deputy Wardens: Bill Ritchie and Tony Smith

Treasurer: Holly Finn

Musicians: Georgia Smith and Kate Fitzsimmons

Custodian: Gwen Demerse

Prayer Chain: Kate Fitzsimmons

Communications Director: Trina Soltys

Envelope Secretary: Frank Maga

Healing Prayer Ministry: Sue Vickery

Lay Assistants and Readers: Bill Ritchie

ACW President: Bev Lawrence, Lois Tirebuck

Mindfulness: Jane Jennings

Coffee Monday: Jennifer Coolen

Sunday School: Jane Monchak, Diana Hicks

Altar Guild President: Frances Hudock

Librarian: Jane Jennings

Community Garden Liaison: Rick Monchak

Safe Church: Judy Antonelli

PWRDF Rep: Barb Henshall

Building: George Wagner

*The parish of St Peter Anglican Church is located on the unceded, traditional territory of the Ligwilda'xw people: the We Wai Kai, Wei Wai Kum, and Kwiahah First Nations, and the unceded traditional territory of the Klahoose First Nation. We seek a new relationship with the first peoples here; one based on honour and respect. We pray that we may live more deeply into the Calls to Action of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.*