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February 6, 2022 5th Sunday after Epiphany

Zoom Service



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A Service of the Word

This service of Morning Prayer is from a new form for Morning Prayer called "Pray Without Ceasing". It is published by the Faith, Worship, and Ministry Committee and authorized for use by General Synod in 2019.

Land acknowledgement

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

O Lord, open our lips

and our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

O God, make speed to save us.

O God, make haste to help us.

Glory to God, Source of all being, eternal Word and Holy Spirit:

as it was in the beginning, is now and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

Recognition of the 70th anniversary of the Queen's accession

Prayer

God Save the Queen

Invitatory Psalm: Psalm 95.1-7

Come, sing to the Holy One !

Shout for joy to the Rock who defends us!

Come into the Presence with thanksgiving!

Raise our voices in joyful hymns!

Truly the Holy One is a great God,

supreme above all gods,

in whose hands are the ends of the earth

and the heights of all the mountains.

The sea belongs to God who made it, whose hands formed the dry land. **Come, worship and bow down; kneel in the presence of our Creator.** Truly, truly, our God is the Holy One, whose people we are, all in God's pasture.

Hymn Kate Fitzsimmons, Lori Gooldrup

You have come down to the lakeshore seeking neither the wise nor the wealthy, But only asking for me to follow.

REFRAIN:

Sweet Lord, you have looked into my eyes; Kindly smiling, you've called out my name.... On the sand I have abandoned my small boat; Now with you, I will seek other seas.

You know full well what I have, Lord: Neither treasure nor weapons for conquest, Just these my fishnets and will for working. REFRAIN

You need my hands, my exhaustion, Working love for the rest of the weary-A love that's willing to go on loving. REFRAIN

You who have fished other waters; You , the longing of souls that are yearning: O loving Friend, you have come to call me.

REFRAIN

Psalm 72

LA Bill Ritchie

.1 Give the king your justice, O God, * and your righteousness to the king's son;

2 That he may rule your people righteously * and the poor with justice;

3 That the mountains may bring prosperity to the people, * and the little hills bring righteousness.

4 He shall defend the needy among the people; * he shall rescue the poor and crush the oppressor.

5 He shall live as long as the sun and moon endure, * from one generation to another.

6 He shall come down like rain upon the mown field, * like showers that water the earth.

7 In his time shall the righteous flourish; * there shall be abundance of peace till the moon shall be no more.

First reading: <u>Isaiah 6: 1-13</u> Holy Word, Holy Wisdom. **Thanks be to God.** George Wagner

The Canticle

Blessed are you, the God of our ancestors, * worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.

Blessed is your holy and glorious name, * worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.

Blessed are you, in your holy and glorious temple, * worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.

Blessed are you who look into the depths, * worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.

Blessed are you, enthroned upon the cherubim, * worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.

Blessed are you on your heavenly throne, * worthy to be praised and exalted for ever.

Blessed are you in the heights of heaven, * worthy to be praised and exalted for ever

Hymn

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?

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REFRAIN: 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 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? REFRAIN:

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?

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke 5:1-11

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

The Deacon reads the Gospel

The gospel of Christ

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

The sermon

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.

Prayers of the people

God of Israel, may this day be one of fulfillment and peace.

Holy One, hear and have mercy.

Teach us to love others as you have loved us.

Holy One, hear and have mercy.

Fill the world with your peace and justice.

Holy One, hear and have mercy.

Strengthen and relieve those who are in need.

Holy One, hear and have mercy.

Renew the Church through the power of your life-giving Spirit.

Holy One, hear and have mercy.

The Lay Assistant offers additional Prayers

The Collect of the Day

Gathering our prayers and praises into one,

let us pray as our Saviour taught us,

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.

Hymn 384

1 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation! O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation! Come, all who hear; now to his temple draw near, join me in glad adoration.

2 Praise to the Lord, above all things so wondrously reigning; sheltering you under his wings, and so gently sustaining! Have you not seen all that is needful has been sent by his gracious ordaining?

3 Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work and defend you; surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend you. Ponder anew what the Almighty can do, if with his love he befriends you.

4 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him! All that has life and breath, come now with praises before him. Let the Amen sound from his people again; gladly forever adore him.

Blessing

Let us bless the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Announcements...

Important dates

- All in-person services and meetings are suspended due to COVID.
- We hope to return to in person worship on Feb 20, God willing. Please watch your email to know for sure. Please remember that you must be masked and have a vaccine passport to attend inperson worship at St. Peter's.
- Call Cathie at 250-668-3701 for pastoral emergencies or parish matters.
- Mondays at 10:00 coffee hour by zoom
- Wednesdays at 3:30, Mindfulness on zoom
- February 6 Recognition of the 70th Anniversary of the Accession to the throne of Her Royal Majesty Queen Elizabeth II
- February 20 Carnival—a special pre-Lent service
- February 27, Annual Congregational Meeting
- February 27, the anniversary of the Bishop's Consecration.
- March 2 Ash Wednesday, beginning of Lent

Outreach is Ongoing please continue to pray for the homeless and hungry in Campbell River. Remember the work of Grass Roots, Kind Hearts, pray for the Food Bank, give thanks for the many ministries of the ACW in this community, pray for the 8 Twelve Step groups that use our church. Please pray for the homeless, especially those who will shelter under our hall roof this winter.

Announcements...

The Search Process Update

The parish is now moving to advertise for a new Incumbent. Please pray for Rick Monchak and the members of the selection Committee as they work on the parish profile and meet with diocesan leaders. The profile will be going to the Executive Archdeacon soon and the ad will be placed in the diocese and on the national church website.

Notice of the Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Congregational Meeting will take place on Sunday, February 27, following the morning worship service. Please provide a report of your group activities to the office or to Cathie as soon as possible. The Report will be circulated digitally to all households with email addresses. Paper copies will be available on request.

Why do we have those pronouns in our signature?

You have seen some people on zoom list their name followed by pronouns (she/her) or (he/his). Why do we do that?

There are several reasons and all are based in Christian love.

First of all, some people need and want others to know their pronouns and they may not be obvious to us. If some of us list our pronouns regularly it normalizes it for everyone.

Secondly, those who list their pronouns indicate to all that they have some level of understanding of gender diversity and are safe.

This is important because our parish, as a whole, is not a completely safe place for those who are LGBTQ2S. Sometimes people have expressed negative thoughts about gender diversity in groups and they have been unaware that someone in the group or within hearing is lesbian or gay and wounded by what they hear. This is unacceptable, for all of us are created in the image of God.

Christian love obliges us to work continually to be a safe place for all who need and long for that. Remember the Hymn "All are Welcome".

Weddings and Funerals

There have been a few inquiries about whether we can have weddings and funerals during this time of COVID. The answer is yes.

A wedding is possible for those who qualify according to Anglican Church law.

Funeral services are available to anyone seeking those arrangements.

Any religious service in the church must be presided over by the clergy of the parish, other clergy may assist. We do not rent the church for weddings or funerals presided over by civil or religious officiants.

Those who attend weddings and funerals at St. Peter's are required to wear masks. We do not check vaccination status but we encourage those who are not vaccinated to attend by electronic means.

Zoom coverage for services may be possible by arrangement.

Carnival—as Preparation for Lent

The folks in New Orleans have turned Mardi Graz into a season all on its own. They celebrate Mardi Graz from Epiphany to Shrove Tuesday. This is an excellent year to honour the principles of Carnival.

The tradition arises from of custom of ridding the house of all the good things like fats, and sweets, in order to prepare the house for the fasting of Lent. Few people fast during Lent any more but we kept the custom of one last celebration before Lent begins. Now, as Anglicans, we celebrate decorously and usually with pancakes and syrup and sausages.

We can't do a Shrove Tuesday dinner this year but we can still celebrate. We can dress up in our best Mardi Graz clothes, including a hat. We can laugh and enjoy one another's company. (There is lots and lots of humour in the Bible.)

Our parish will celebrate Carnival at the service on Feb 20th—please join in sharing this with us. Be ready to laugh and rejoice in the Lord.

Prayers for the Church and the World

Anna, our Bishop,

Diocesan cycle: . S. Peter, Comox - Sulin Milne & S. Saviour, Denman Island - James Lyster

Lynne, our Metropolitan

Linda, Our Primate, Mark, our Indigenous Archbishop

AC cycle: The Church of Ireland

Cathie and David our clergy

Parish family

For Rick Monchak and members of the selection committee as we continue the process of searching for a rector.

For all who are at risk of COVID and all who are working to alleviate suffering.

For those who are cold and hungry in this city.

For those seeking healing and hope: Winn, Bryn, Stella, Phyllis, Connie, Kelsey, Bill, William and Sheila, Isabel, Esme, Pat, Ed, Dulcey. For the repose of the soul of Glenda Johansen and for her family as they grieve.

Let the Prayer Chain know if you have a confidential prayer concern. Email <u>stpeterCRprayerchain@gmail.com</u> you may leave a confidential message on the Church telephone *250 286-1613*.

Lenten Learning

Who are the people in the stories we hear in Lent? What is a Pharisee? Who was Herod? The women at the Cross? Who are you curious about. The Lenten Learning series will take place by zoom on Wednesdays at 7:00. Your invitation will arrive by email.

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, Kate Fitzsimmons, and Lori Gooldrup Custodian: Gwen Demerse Prayer Chain: Kate Fitzsimmons **Communications Director: Trina Soltys Envelope Secretary: Frank Maga** Healing Prayer Ministry: Sue Vickery Lav 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** Selection Committee: Rick Monchak, chair

The parish of St Peter Anglican Church and St Saviour Anglican Church is located on the unceded, traditional territory of the Ligwi'da'xw people: the We Wai Kai, Wei Wai Kum, and Kwiakah First Nations; the unceded traditional territory of the Klahoose First Nation; the unceded traditional territory of the K'omoks First Nation and the unceded traditional territory of the Homalco 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.