

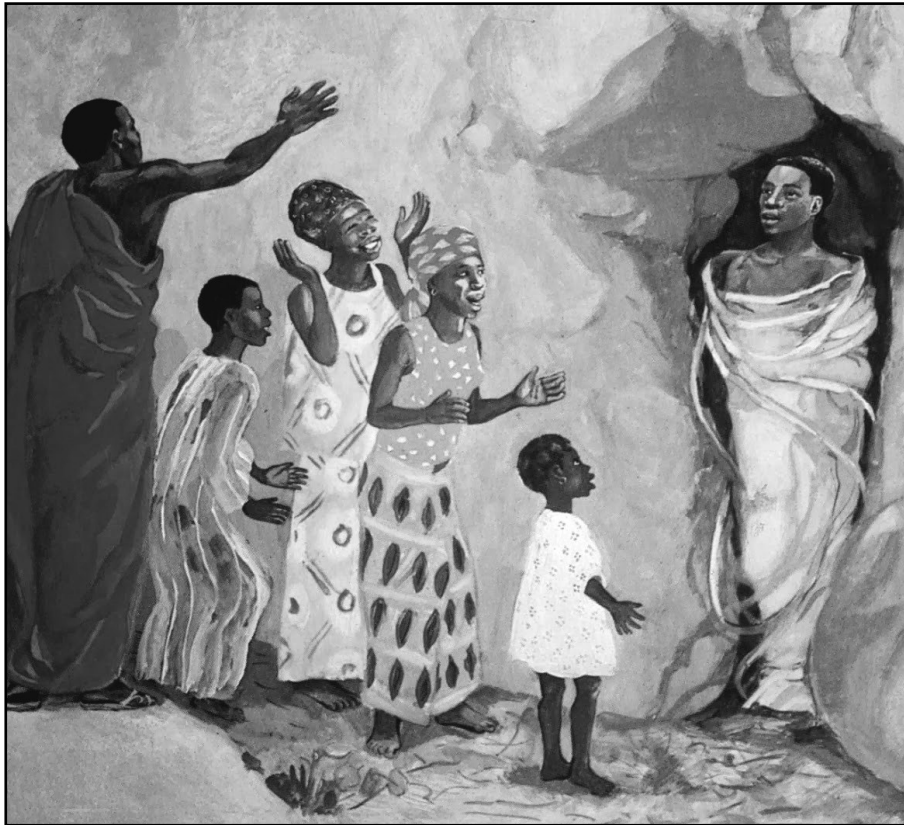


St Hilda's By-the-Sea Anglican Church

Open Doors · Open Hearts · Open Minds

April 2, 2017 † 10:00 am Family Eucharist

Fifth Sunday in Lent



“Lazarus, come out!”

WHO IS WHO IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev Clarence Li
Musician: Katherine Hume & St. Hilda's Choir
Prayers: Maggie Scott
Readers: Corrinne Newman, Julie Stevens
Lay Admin: David Moul

Sacristan: Corrinne Newman
Crucifer: Elena Alps Mocellin
Greeters/Ushers: Joan & Margaret Brock
Coffee: Amelia Foster, Roslyn Mundy
Altar Guild: Muriel Prior, Pam Blair



A Journey Through Lent

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

Whoever you are, and wherever you find yourself in your journey of faith, you will find a place at our table at St. Hilda's Anglican Church. Come as you are. There are many ways and there is no one particular way to be a part of this vibrant community. Join us today with an open mind, and be prepared to discover a home for your spirit that is inclusive, incarnational, and joyful.

WHO WE ARE

St. Hilda, situated on the unceded traditional territory of the shíshálh First Nation, is a member of the Anglican Church of Canada & the worldwide Anglican Communion. As a community, we welcome & celebrate human diversity - including spirituality, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, & abilities. We aim to create a space where people of any faith or none can question & discover the sacred in life through openness, struggle, laughter & prayer, lived out through a common commitment to be in solidarity with the poor & marginalized, & to cherish creation.

CHILDREN

Children are welcomed to gather for a Children's Commissioning at the beginning of the service and then can go to Sunday School. They return in time for Communion—the Lord's supper (grape juice is available for communing). A Quiet Room is available for parents with babies and toddlers at the back of the Church.

HOLY COMMUNION

ALL are welcome to come forward and receive communion, the divine life of Jesus which comes to us in gifts of bread and wine. Come as you are. Instructions for people joining this meal for the first time are printed in the bulletin.

♿️ ♯ ACCESSIBILITY

Parking for people with disabilities is available next to the Meditation Labyrinth. You are welcome to bring your walker or wheelchair into the sanctuary. If you have hearing difficulties, please ask one of the greeters for a sound enhancing headset. There are also large print hymnals available in the entry.

Order of Service

✠ The Gathering of Community ✠

Prelude

Introduction & Welcome

All rise as able as the Sanctuary party processes in.

Introit sung by choir Tree of Life and Awesome Mystery vs 6f

♪ **306 Processional Hymn** O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Greeting

Celebrant Be kind to one another, tenderhearted,
forgiving one another as Christ forgave you.

PEOPLE Create in me a clean heart, O God:
and renew a right spirit within me.

Confession and Absolution

Celebrant Let us lay down our brokenness before God
in the presence of one another

ALL We confess to you the truth of our broken lives.
We have not trusted your promises or walked in your ways.
We have hoarded and squandered the gifts of your creation.
We have failed to welcome the stranger and the outcast,
And to make room at the table
for the homeless and the hungry.
We have neither worked to release the oppressed
nor admitted our own captivities.
Forgive our sin, heal our lives, and set us free
that we might live with your whole creation
in the justice and joy of your promised future.

Celebrant God, who is merciful and kind,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love,
hears the cries of all who plead for mercy
and, in these last days, has sent Christ Jesus
to announce the good news of forgiveness and release
to all who are bound by guilt or broken by shame,
that they might praise God and serve the world
with glad and generous hearts.
For freedom Christ has set you free.

PEOPLE Thanks be to God.

Kyrie

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

Chri - ste e - le - i - son.

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant God of compassion,

ALL you call us out of the bindings of death
on this, our resurrection day:
make us ready to surrender the fear in which we hide
to step into your future alive and unashamed;
through Jesus Christ, the life of the world. Amen.

All are seated

Children's Commissioning & Song

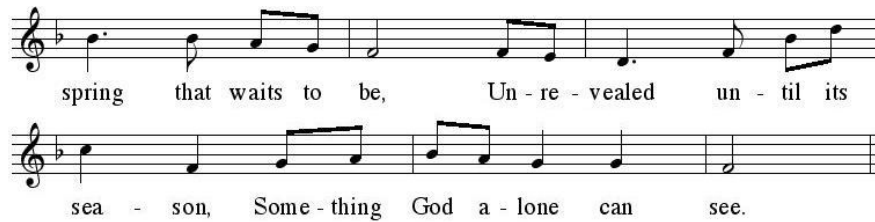
Children are invited to gather in front of the altar to receive a prayer of commissioning to Sunday School. As the children leave, those sitting on the aisle are invited to form an arch for children to come through as they head out for Sunday School as we sing:

In the bulb there is a flow - er; In the

seed, an ap - ple tree; In co - coons, a hid - den

prom - ise: But - ter - flies will soon be free!

In the cold and snow of win - ter There's a



✠ The Proclamation of the Word of God ✠

🎵 Psalm 130 *Sung by All.*



- ¹ Out ¹of the depths *
have I called ¹you, O Lord;
 - ² Lord, ¹hear my voice; *
let your ears consider well the voice of my ¹supplication.
 - ³ If you, Lord, were to note what is ¹done amiss, *
O Lord, ¹who could stand?
 - ⁴ For there is forgive-¹ness with you; *
therefore you ¹shall be feared.
 - ⁵ I wait for you, O Lord; my soul ¹waits for you; *
in your word ¹is my hope.
 - ⁶ My soul waits for ¹you, O Lord, *
more than sentinels for the morning,
more than sentinels ¹for the morning.
 - ⁷ O Israel, wait ¹for the Lord, *
for with the Lord ¹there is mercy;
 - ⁸ with whom there is plen-¹teous redemption, *
and who shall redeem Israel from ¹all their sins.
- Glory to God, Source ¹of all being, *
Eternal Word and ¹Holy Spirit;
As it was in the begin- ¹ning is now*
and shall be for e- ¹ver. Amen.

🎵 174 Gradual HymnEternal Lord of Love *All remain standing as able*

The Gospel John 11:1-45 (p. 873).....A Dramatic Reading

Deacon May God be with you

PEOPLE And also with you

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

PEOPLE Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

After reading

Deacon The Gospel of Christ

PEOPLE Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon..... The Rev Clarence Li

Affirmation of Faith

Celebrant Let us affirm our faith with all children of Abraham
in the words of *Shema*:

**ALL 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.

The Prayers of the People

Please stand, sit or kneel according to your praying custom. Names upheld in the prayers can be found on the Parish List on the back page. You are also welcome to name your loved one(s) aloud or silently in your heart.

Leader: Hear us, O God. Response: Your mercy is great.

The Peace *(Please stand as able as we share the peace of the Lord)*

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

PEOPLE And also with you.

*We pass the peace of Christ to each other with the words,
The Peace of Christ be with you.*

✠ The Holy Communion ✠

The Offertory

During the hymn, the bread and wine for the Lord's Supper are presented alongside with the offering of money to symbolize the offering of ourselves and of the whole creation to God in thanksgiving for the many blessings we experienced.

🎵 **638 Offertory Hymn**..... O Holy Spirit, By Whose Breath

Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant God our provider,

ALL you have not fed us with bread alone,
but with words of grace and life.
Bless us and these your gifts,
which we receive from your bounty,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Eucharistic Prayer

"Eucharist" means "thanksgiving". This is a ritual meal to re-enact the Last Supper that Jesus shared with his friends to remind them of his sacrificial love for humanity and the whole creation. All stand as able.



Celebrant: The Spirit of God be with you. *All:* And al - so with you.



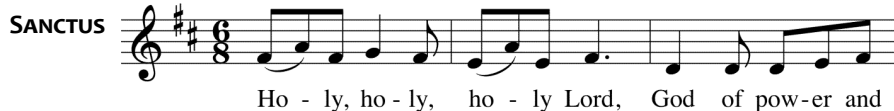
Celebrant: Lift your hearts to heaven *All:* where Christ in glo-ry reigns.



Celebrant:

Let us give thanks to God *All:* It is right to of-fer thanks & praise.

Celebrant We thank you, desert Mother,
for in the valley of dry bones you create hearts of flesh....
...we worship God's own holiness
revealed in sweat and tears:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and



might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry.

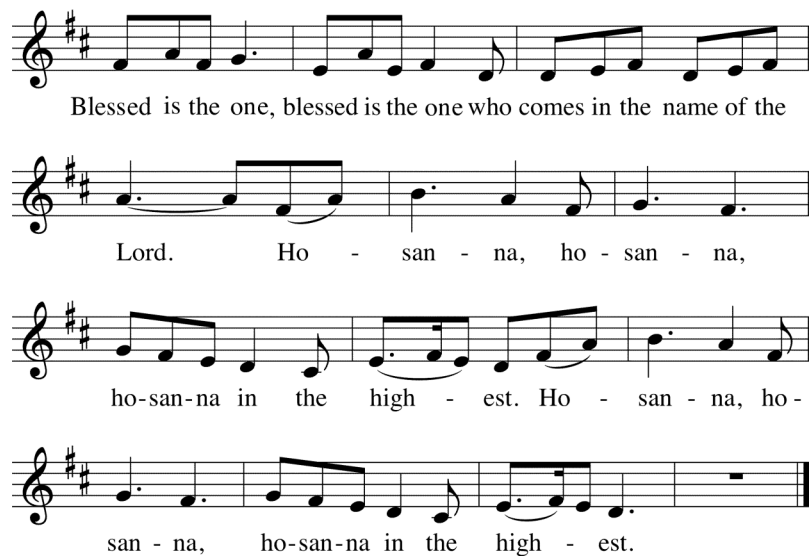


Ho-san-na in the high - est. Ho - san - na, ho -



san - na, ho-san-na in the high - est.

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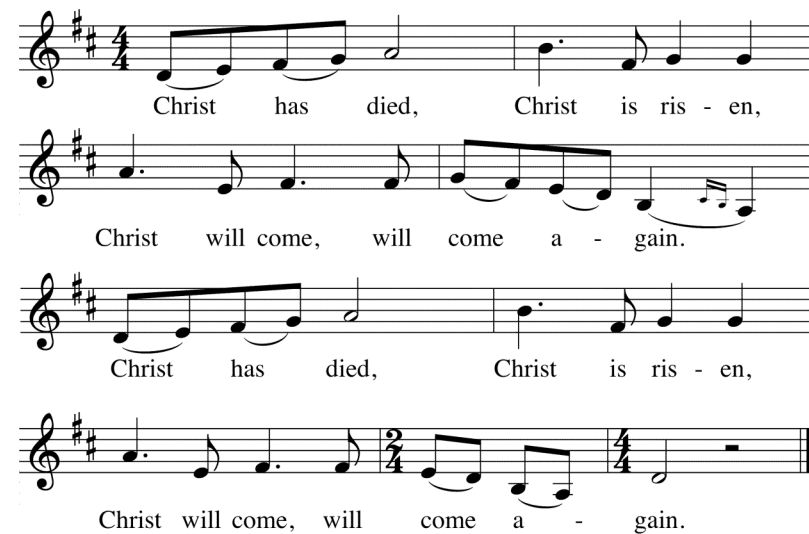


Blessed is the one, blessed is the one who comes in the name of the
 Lord. Ho - san - na, ho - san - na,
 ho-san-na in the high - est. Ho - san - na, ho -
 san - na, ho-san-na in the high - est.

Celebrant We ask that your Holy Spirit
 will fall upon us and upon these gifts...
he offers himself in touch and taste
 beyond all words can hold.

Great is the mystery of faith.

PEOPLE



Christ has died, Christ is ris - en,
 Christ will come, will come a - gain.
 Christ has died, Christ is ris - en,
 Christ will come, will come a - gain.

Celebrant Therefore, we come in memory and hope,
 responding to your call
 in whom all ages and all the worlds

PEOPLE



Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)

Cantor first time; ALL on repeat to end

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the
world: have mer-cy on us.

Lamb of God you take a-way the sins of the
world: grant us your peace.

Grant us your peace.

The Invitation

Receiving Communion

If you know the brokenness of life, its fractures within and its division without, then you have participated in the broken body of Christ and you are invited to share in the breaking of bread. If you desire to know the love of God that overcomes indifference and despair, if you desire the reconciliation that overcomes estrangement and alienation, then you are invited to share the cup of the new covenant.

The bread is received in the open palm. It is usual Anglican practice to drink the wine from the common cup. Wine and unfermented grape juice are served. If you would prefer to receive a gluten-free wafer or grape juice, please inform the person administering the bread or wine when they approach you. If you would prefer to receive a blessing instead of Communion, you are welcome to come forward and place your hands across your chest.

78 Communion HymnDeck Yourself, My Soul, With Gladness

Prayer After Communion

Celebrant Compassionate God,

ALL you have fed us with the bread of heaven.
Sustain us in our Lenten pilgrimage:
may our fasting be hunger for justice;
our alms, a making of peace;
and our prayer, the song of grateful hearts,
through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord. Amen.

Family Thanksgiving & Announcements

All are invited to share if they know of any birthdays, anniversaries or other celebrations. As sharing concludes, all say "Amen."

All stand as able

Celebrant 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.

Blessing

Celebrant Christ give you grace to grow in holiness,
to deny yourselves, take up your cross, and follow him;
and the blessing of God:
Life-Giver, Pain-Bearer, and Love-Maker,
be among you and remain with you always.

PEOPLE Amen.

🎵 **108 SGP Recessional Hymn**.....Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness

Dismissal

PEOPLE Thanks be to God.

Postlude



PARISH EVENTS & NOTICES

Truth and Reconciliation Film & Conversation: This morning at 11:30 am Nancy & John Denham will show the short 30 min film, *Reserve 107*, followed by discussion. Please join us to deepen our parish engagement with the meaning of Reconciliation through viewing and discussing a documentary that reveals an inspiring relationship which has been developing over the past decade in Laird, Saskatchewan between Mennonite and Lutheran Settler Communities and the First Peoples of the land.



HELP WANTED: Palm Crosses Folding: In anticipation of Palm Sunday, Altar Guild is recruiting help from parishioners to help fold Palm Crosses this Sunday. Members of the Altar Guild will be available after the 10 o'clock service to demonstrate how to fold a palm cross.

St. Hilda's NEW WEBSITE is now LIVE! Please go to www.sthilda.ca on your computer or mobile device to check out our new website. Tons of thanks are due to David Moul, our webmaster, for spending many hours updating the site!

Discerning Peace: a 3-part Presentation on the Rector's Sabbatical Journey Slide shows, stories, and reflection. Note different time & location for Part 3!

Part 2: Wed April 5 5:30-7:30 pm.....Gathering Rm
Discerning Peace in Taize, Trier, London, Galway

Part 3: Wed April 12 12:30-2:30 pmParish Hall & Sanctuary
Holy Week in Jerusalem

Soup is provided; bring sandwiches/goodies for yourself or to share with others.

Parishioners' Picks: *Noble* Monday, April 3 at 7:00 pm (David's Pick)
Irish charity founder Christina Noble opened her heart to homeless and unloved children living on the streets of Vietnam. She could do this since in her early life she had herself experienced poverty, hunger, tragedy, and disappointments. Noble is the true story of the development of her empathy and the results of her compassionate service.

Noble depicts the early days of what has become the Christina Noble Children's Foundation in Vietnam and Mongolia. More than 100 projects have provided care for some 700,000 street children. This film is a story of empathy in action. If you are looking for inspiration or proof that one person can make a difference ... look to Christina Noble.

Former Hall LED ceiling lights for Sale CHEAP! These are great light fixtures with LED bulbs! Contact Eric Paetkau at 885-5636

BAKERS NEEDED for the Spring ACW bake sale April 7 in Clayton's mall. This sale is a large part of our mission outreach. We appreciate your support. Questions or info contact Beth Lamb 604-740-4820 or at bplamb@yahoo.ca

Diocesan ACW (Anglican Church Women):

BLANKET DRIVE: As part of their on-going Social Action/outreach, bales of clothing and household items are sent three times a year to parishes in Northern

BC and the Diocese of the Yukon. Blankets are used to secure items before being placed in heavy duty plastic sleeves for shipping. **Donations of clean, gently used double/queen size blankets (crocheted, knit or regular) would be most appreciated.** Not only will they be used to wrap the bales, but they will keep someone else warm.

SOCK DRIVE: We have learnt that many children do not have a change of socks

Week At-a-Glance at St. Hilda's				
Sun	02	8:30 am 10:00 am 11:30 am	Traditional Eucharist Family Eucharist & Sunday School Truth & Reconciliation Film	Sanctuary Sanctuary Sanctuary
Mon	03	3:00 pm 7:00 pm	Monday Musings Group Parishioners' Picks Movie Night	Gathering Rm Sanctuary
Tues	04	8:00 am 9:30-11:30 2:15 pm	Morning Prayer Library Hours Communion Service	Sanctuary Gathering Rm Shorncliffe
Wed	05	8:00 am 10:00 am 5:30 pm	Wisdom Circle ACW Meeting Discerning Peace Presentation	Sanctuary Gathering Rm Gathering Rm
Thurs	06	8:00 am 1:30 pm 7:00 pm	Morning Prayer EfM Group Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary Gathering Rm Sanctuary
Fri	07	9:00 am 9:30-11:30	ACW Bake Sale until 12:00 noon Library Hours	Trail Bay Mall Gathering Rm
Sun	09	8:30 am 10:00 am	Traditional Eucharist Family Eucharist & Sunday School	Sanctuary Sanctuary

Holy Week & Easter at St. Hilda's

Holy Week is a privileged time when we are called to draw near to Jesus: friendship with him is shown in times of difficulty. ~ Pope Francis

Holy Week is a lifetime in miniature. It goes from celebration to conflict, betrayal, suspense, and then back to a celebration that lasts a lifetime... We all eventually live a Holy Week, whether in terms of the 1st or 21st centuries.

~ Bruce Epperley

PALM SUNDAY, April 9

8:30 am - Traditional Eucharist with Liturgy of the Palms

10:00 am - Procession with Palms and Choral Eucharist

WEDNESDAY IN HOLY WEEK, April 12

12:30 – 2:30 pm – Holy Week in Jerusalem

Final Presentation of the Rector's Sabbatical Journey

Soup is provided; bring sandwiches/goodies for yourself or to share with others

✦ **7:30 pm** – Vesper and Anointing Ceremony at St. Hilda's

Come & commemorate Jesus being anointed & sealed with love & tenderness before his journey towards the Cross. Love is as strong as death!

MAUNDY THURSDAY, April 13

✦ **5:30 pm** – Supper and Liturgy of the New Commandment

This service begins with supper & includes a foot washing ceremony rooted in Jesus' New Commandment. It concludes with Eucharist and the Stripping of the Altar.

Please sign up in the Narthex so that we know how much food to prepare

We are also calling for soup & bread makers!

8 pm – 8 am – 'The Watch' at the Altar of Repose

You are invited to follow Jesus' invitation to "remain and stay awake with me for an hour" when he prayed in Gethsemane. The Church will be opened throughout the night. Sign up in the Narthex for an one-hour watch.

GOOD FRIDAY, April 14

✦ **12 noon** – Solemn Commemoration of the Passion

EASTER SUNDAY, April 16

7:00 am – Sunrise Service at Snickett Park

Access through Ocean Ave. Please dress for the weather.

Coffee & toasty Hot Cross buns following the service in Parish Hall

10 am - Choral Family Eucharist & Easter Egg Hunt at St. Hilda's

The liturgies marked with the symbol ✦ are adapted from

Holy Week Liturgies from the Episcopal House of Prayer,
a contemplative journey through Holy Week written by

The Rev. Cynthia Bourgeault, Ward Bauman, and Darlene Franz

Readings for April 9 Palm Sunday

1st Reading: Isaiah 50:4-9a Reader: Eric Paetkau
2nd Reading: Philippians 2:5-11 Reader: Donna Walsh Wheeldon
Psalm 31:9-16 Gospel: Matthew 26:14--27:66

This Sunday's liturgy has been compiled from various sources, including:

- Greeting, Affirmation of Faith, and The Breaking of the Bread from *The Book of Alternative Services* (1985).
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St. Hilda's Mission Principles

At St. Hilda's our aim is to create a sacred space where we can be nourished and nourish others through our practices of Worship, Hospitality, and Justice.

Hospitality: The Lord's Table is the foundation of our understanding of hospitality - a safe place where all are welcome just as they are, broken yet blessed, all seeking food that satisfies. We aim to be an inclusive, sacred space in our community. We support a variety of expression of Spirit where people are committed to listen to each other, honour each other's beliefs and perspectives, and to create a safe environment for healthy, vibrant dialogue with friends and strangers alike.

Worship: As a Christ-centred community, our parish recognizes worship as a means of inspiring connection to the Divine through prayer, contemplation, music, and liturgy, with lay and ordained participation. We offer a variety of worship services to honour the diverse worshipping style of our community. We value community more than an ascribed set of beliefs.

Justice: Our faith informs us that the foundation of our practice of justice is right relationship with all of creation. Jesus calls us to seek out, serve, and learn from those who are marginalized. We seek justice through compassionate listening, extending hospitality to all, advocacy, prayer, and caring for the earth.

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PARISH PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Anglican Communion	Mityana - (Uganda) The Rt Revd Stephen Kaziimba
Diocese & Partners	care+share Outreach Programs in the Diocese of New Westminster -- Community Support Ministry Collaboration Project: Hudson Street Hub and Kerrisdale-Marpole Community Pastoral Resource Centre (associated with St. Augustine, Marpole and St. Faith, Vancouver) -- St. Paul's Homeless Outreach Program (associated with St. Paul, Vancouver) Companion Diocese: Bishop Brent Alawas, & the Clergy & People of the Episcopal Diocese of Northern Philippines BC Synod of the ELCIC, Bishop Gregory Mohr
Local Agencies	Police-Based Victim Services
Parish Ministries	Wardens, Treasurer and Trustees
UN MDG Project	Kenya: Students of Kyaithani Secondary School
Healing	Al (Annie Webb's son): comfort & strength during chemo Family of Minetta Friberg: comfort & peace while grieving Family of Anna Grandia: comfort & strength while grieving Jenny (Annie's sister-in-law): recovery from brain tumour Robert (Annie Webb's brother): healing from cancer
On-going Need	Gerald & Magda Cupido, Bill Mitravitz, Frank Schmitt, Rev Ian Nestegaard Paul, Fran & Ken Redmond, the Walsh family

Prayer requests are listed for 4 weeks - to extend, please contact the office.