

St Hilda's By the Sea Anglican Church Open Doors · Open Hearts · Open Minds August 6, 2017 † 10:00 am Family Eucharist

The Transfiguration of the Lord



WHO IS WHO IN OUR WORSHIP THIS SUNDAY

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev Clarence Li

Musician: Katherine Hume Lay Administrator: David Moul Sacristan: Amelia Foster Crucifer: Janet McIntosh

Readers: Corrinne Newman, Julie Stevens

Prayers: Taras Pakholchuk

Greeter/Usher: Maggie Edwards, Eric Paetkau

Coffee: Morrie & Sher Sacks

Altar Guild: Muriel Prior, Sharon McElroy Worship Set-up/Take-down: Carol Eades, David & Stephanie Moul, Corrinne & Don Newman,

Amelia Foster

Altar Flowers: Given by Linda Smith in loving

memory of Clifford Smith.

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

We welcome them to come for Communion—the Lord's supper (grape juice is available for communing) or for a blessing. 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 are 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.

Welcome to Church

we are glad you are here.
The doors are open...our hearts are too!

▼ The Gathering of Community ▼

Prelude

Welcome & Introduction to the Service

This summer, in response to Primate Fred Hiltz's invitation for Canadian Anglicans to "include traditional territorial acknowledgements and create space for Indigenous voices, teachings, and ceremonies" you are invited to learn and say Amen in the tongue of our local First Nation as a symbolic small step in being open to what the shíshálh culture may teach us.

?iy kwe stsxwináms, pronounced as ay kweess kway-nams

Introit

At the sound of the second bell, all rise as the Sanctuary Party processes in during the introit.

Greeting

Celebrant For thousands of years,

indigenous peoples have walked on this land.

Their relationship with the land

is at the centre of their lives and spirituality.

We acknowledge their continuing stewardship of this land.

In this time and place,

we gather on the ancestral lands of the shishalh nation

ALL From many places and peoples

we come to this house of prayer.

Celebrant In this time and place,

we meet in the presence of the living God.

ALL The living God who creates us and all that is.

Celebrant In this time and place,

the risen Christ stands in our midst.

ALL The risen Christ who accompanies us and all people.

Celebrant In this time and place,

God's Holy Spirit breathes in and through us.

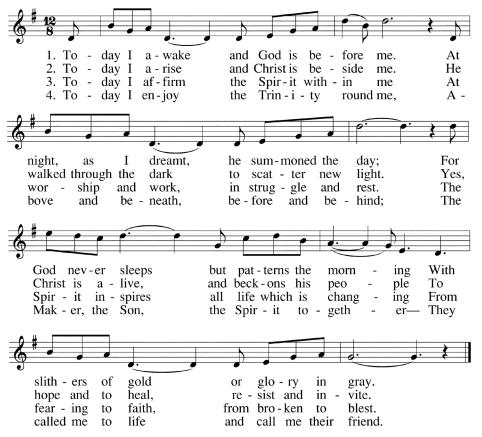
ALL The Holy Spirit who transforms us and all life.

Celebrant In this time and place,

together, one people of God.

ALL In the name of God,

Source of all being, Eternal Word and Holy Spirit. Amen.



The Collect of the Day

Celebrant Lord of the mountain peak,

ALL whose light reveals the earth a dwelling place for love; Lord of the overshadowing,

whose darkness confounds the lie that we can possess you: transform our heart and mind that we might listen to him who bears the weight of glory in the lightness of our flesh; through Jesus Christ, the Chosen One.

?íy kwe stsxwínáms (ay kweess kway-nams)

All are seated

■ The Proclamation of the Word of God ■

After each reading, there will be a short time of quiet meditation

The First Reading Genesis 32:22-31...... Corrinne Newman Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

ALL Thanks be to God.

Psalm 99 Sung by all.



¹ The ¹Lörd reigns; *

let the 'people tremble;

the Lord is enthroned up-¹on the <u>Cherubim</u>; * let ¹the earth shake.

² The Lord is ¹great in Zion * and is high a-¹bove all peoples.

³ Let them confess your name, which is ¹great and <u>awesome</u>; * you are the ¹Holy One.

⁴ "O mighty Sovereign, lover of justice, you have es-¹tablished <u>equity</u>; * you have executed justice and righteous-¹ness in Jacob."

Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and fall down before the foot-¹stool of God; * the Lord is the ¹Holy One.

Moses and Aaron a-¹mong your priests, * and Samuel among those who call up-¹on your name, they called upon ¹you, O Lord;* and you ¹answered them.

You spoke to them out of the pil-lar of cloud; * they kept your testimonies and the decree lthat you gave them.

⁸ "O Lord our God, you answered ¹them indeed; * you were a God who forgave them, yet punished them for their ¹evil deeds."

2^{nd 9} Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and worship upon the holy ¹hill of God; *
 for the Lord our God is the ¹Holy One.

Glory to God, Source ¹of all <u>being</u>,*
Eternal Word and ¹Holy <u>Spirit</u>;
As it was in the begin- ¹ning is now*
and shall be for e- ¹ver. Amen.

ALL Thanks be to God.

All rise as able.

166 Gradual Hymn We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding (vs 1-2)

- 1. We have come at Christ's own bidding to this high and holy place, where we wait with hope and longing for some token of God's grace. Here we pray for new assurance that our faith is not in vain, searching like those first disciples for a sign both clear and plain.
- Light breaks in upon our darkness; splendour bathes the flesh-joined Word.
 Moses and Elijah marvel as the heavenly voice is heard.
 Eyes and hearts behold with wonder how the law and prophets meet: Christ, with daily lives may prove us people of the God we bless.

All remain standing as able

The Gospel Luke 9:28-36

Celebrant May God be with you **PEOPLE** And also with you

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

PEOPLE Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

After reading

Celebrant The Gospel of Christ

PEOPLE Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gradual Hymn We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding (vs 3)

3. Strengthened by this glimpse of glory, fearful lest our faith decline, we like Peter find it tempting to remain and build a shrine. But true worship gives us courage to proclaim what we profess, that our daily lives may prove us people of the God we bless.

All are seated.

An Affirmation of Faith -- Wisdom Tradition

I believe in one God, a divine mystery beyond all definition and rational understanding. the heart of all that has ever existed, that exists now, or that ever will exist.

I believe in Jesus, messenger of God's Word, bringer of God's healing, heart of God's compassion, bright star in the firmament of God's prophets, mystics, and saints.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the life of God that is our innermost life, the breath of God moving in our being, the depth of God living in each of us.

I believe that I am called to be Jesus' twin, allowing myself to be a vehicle of God's love, a source of God's wisdom and truth, and an instrument of God's peace in the world.

I believe that in death, life is changed, not taken away, and that we will go from step to step in God's life, God's love, and God's glory for all eternity. ?íy kwe stsxwínáms (ay kweess kway-nams)

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 in the bulletin. You are also welcome to name your loved one(s) aloud or silently in your heart.

Confession and Absolution

Celebrant We come seeking forgiveness

for all we have failed to be and do as members of Christ's body. *Silence*

In God there is forgiveness.

ALL Loving and all-seeing God,

forgive us where we have failed to support one another and to be what we claim to be.

Forgive us where we have failed to serve you;

and where our thoughts and actions have been contrary to yours,

we ask your pardon.

Celebrant God forgives us; be at peace.

Silence

Rejoice and be glad, for Christ is resurrection,

reconciliation for all the human race.

PEOPLE We shall be one in Christ,

one in our life together.

Praise to God who has created us, praise to God who has accepted us,

praise to God who sends us into the world!

The Peace *Please rise as able as we share the peace of the Lord.*

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be with you all.

PEOPLE And also 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.

☐ Offertory Hymn Great is Thy Faithfulness (SGP#95)

1. Great is thy faithfulness, O God our Father!
There is no shadow of turning with thee;
thou changest not, thy compassions they fail not;
as thou hast been thou forever wilt be.

Refrain

Great is thy faithfulness, great is thy faithfulness, morning by morning new mercies I see; all I have needed thy hand hath provided -- great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

- 2. Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, sun, moon and stars in their courses above, join with all nature in manifold witness to thy great faithfulness, mercy and love. *Refrain*
- 3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide, strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow wondrous the portion thy blessings provide. *Refrain*

Prayer over the Gifts

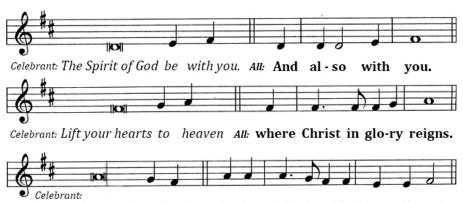
Celebrant Holy God,

ALL on the holy mount you revealed to chosen witnesses your well-beloved Son, wonderfully transfigured: mercifully deliver us from the darkness of this world, and change us into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

?íy kwe stsxwínáms (ay kweess kway-nams)

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.

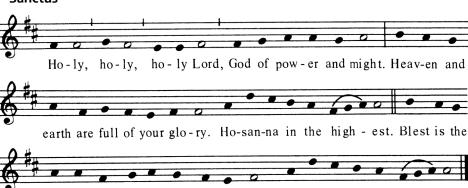


Let us give thanks to God All: It is right to of-fer thanks & praise

Celebrant Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth...

...we lift our voices to proclaim the glory of your name:

Sanctus



One who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

Celebrant We ask that your Holy Spirit

will fall upon us and upon these gifts....

Great is the mystery of faith.

PEOPLE Christ has died, Christ has risen. Christ will come again.

Celebrant Therefore we come in memory and hope, responding to your call....

...through Jesus Christ, in whom all ages and all worlds are drawn into the ceaseless love of Father, Son and Holy Spirit for ever and ever.

PEOPLE ?iy kwe stsxwináms (ay kweess kway-nams)

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant Gathered around the table by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught:

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. ?iy kwe stsxwináms (ay kweess kway-nams)

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant We break this bread

to share in the body of Christ.

PEOPLE We, being many, are one body,

for we share in the one bread.

Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)



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: have mer-cy on us.



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

Prayer After Communion

Celebrant Holy God,

May we who are partakers of his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save.

We ask this in his name.

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Family Thanksgiving & Announcements

All are invited to share if they know of any birthdays, anniversaries or other celebrations. All stand as able

Celebrant Glory to God,

PEOPLE 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.

?iy kwe stsxwináms (ay kweess kway-nams)

Blessing

Celebrant May we remain open to wonder and mystery,

to what is strange and new and precious

in each child of God, that with all the saints

we might walk in the light of hope;

And the blessing of God,

Life-Giver, Pain-Bearer, and Love-Maker,

be among you and remain with you always.

PEOPLE ? (iy kwe stsxwináms (ay kweess kway-nams)

506 Recessional Hymn.....Lord of All Hopefulness

1. Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy, whose trust, ever child-like, no cares could destroy, be there at our waking and give us, we pray, your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

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- 2. Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith, whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe, be there at our labours and give us, we pray, your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.
- 3. Lord of all kindliness, Lord of all grace, your hands swift to welcome, your arms to embrace, be there at our homing and give us, we pray, your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.
- 4. Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm, whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm, be there at our sleeping and give us, we pray, your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

Dismissal

Celebrant Go into the world and be the love of Christ!

PEOPLE Thanks be to God!

Postlude



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

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Parish Events and Notices

Acknowledging Traditional Territory in Worship: The Rector has posted a new web article exploring the significance of acknowledging the traditional territory we are worshipping on. "The purpose of acknowledging the traditional territory where we are worshipping on is twofold: 1) to invoke a sense of gratitude, and; 2) to bring to the forefront the gospel's call for reconciliation and to give context to what reconciliation means to us here and now."

To read the full article, go to the parish website or click this link: http://www.sthilda.ca/blog/acknowledging-traditional-territory-in-the-liturgy

<u>Celebration of Life for The Rev. Frank Schmitt</u>: Wednesday August 9 2:00 pm at Living Faith Lutheran Church.

<u>Office Administrator Away</u>: Karen is on holidays from August 8-15. There will be office volunteers in the office while she is gone. If you want something in the bulletin, please email the Rector directly at his email, rector@sthilda.ca so he can add it in.

Office Closed: Friday August 11 BC Hydro is doing a pole replacement and the power will be shut off for the whole of the church property from 9am to 4 pm.

HELP NEEDED for Worship set-up in Hall While Sanctuary is undergoing repairs, we need 5 volunteers every Saturday at 1 pm to help with set-up. Tasks include moving the Altar from the Narthex, setting up chairs & the sound system. Please see sign-up sheets on bulletin board in hall.

<u>Many Thanks!!</u> Heartfelt thanks to those who are bringing in summer produce to share. It is much appreciated!

<u>Looking for Painters</u>: We are looking for people who can help (August 1-19) with painting walls in the Gathering Room and lower area. If you have time and expertise, please call Meg at 741-4036 or Linda at 885-3344.

<u>Update on Cold Weather Shelter</u>: BC Housing has booked the Seniors Activity Centre at 5604 Trail Ave, Sechelt on August 16 from 5:30-7:30pm to discuss with the public a possible location for the modular shelter. The intention is to have boards with the current situation, the history of the site selection and the visuals for the modular on the site. With a plan to have a formal presentation from BC Housing and RainCity from 6pm – 6:30pm and then an hour for a public question period.

<u>Parish Picnic Sunday, September 10</u>: 12 noon at Porpoise Bay Provincial Park Group Day Use area following the 10:00 am service. This would be a good day to welcome everyone back and an opportunity to invite new friends to share our fellowship.

Monday Musings: The bi-weekly book group resumes Monday, August 14 at 3 pm. The book being studied is Farley Mowat's *Rescue the Earth: Conversations with Green Crusaders* which consists of conversations between Mowat & proponents of several of the most active & representative of the combat units in the en-

vironmental movement. Though written in the 90s, the insights of this generation of green crusaders continue to inspire and challenge us. All are welcome.

<u>Morning Prayer</u> resumes September with the Rector offering an introductory session for those who would like to explore incorporating this daily prayer practice into their spiritual discipline.

Gospel of Thomas: will resume September 8.

<u>Inner Journey - CRMC</u>: No August service. It will resume on September 17.

<u>Education for Ministry</u>: EfM will start up again September 7. If you are interested in knowing more about this program, contact Meg Stevens at 604-741-4036. You can also check it out at www.efmcanada.ca.

<u>The Power of Pie</u>: The ACW need our parishioners, men and women, to bake pies for our Thanksgiving Pie Sale October 7 at St Hilda's. Your ACW each year supports local charities and world-wide missions. We appreciate your help in reaching our goal of 175 to 200 pies for this very popular community pie sale. In September, we will be in the breezeway with our clip board, 9" aluminum pie plates, Crisco and other pie supplies.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

<u>MedTalks: Aging Well:</u> Sunday August 27 2-4 pm Rockwood Pavilion Sechelt Hospital Foundation invites you to this informative talk about: Reversing the Aging Process, Thriving and Surviving, and Motion is Lotion. For more details see poster in breezeway. To register via email: sh.foundation@vch.ca or call 604-885-8637.

Readings for August 13 10th Sunday after Pentecost

1st Reading: Genesis 37:1-4,12-28Reader: Eric Paetkau 2nd Reading: Romans 10:5-15Reader: Janet McIntosh

Psalm 105:1-6, 16-22, 45 Gospel: Matthew 14:22-33

Week At-a-Glance at St. Hilda's					
Sun	06		Traditional Eucharist Family Eucharist	Parish Hall Parish Hall	
Tues	08	9:30-11:30	Library Hours	Gathering Rm	
Wed	09	8:00 am	Wisdom Circle	Parish Hall	
Fri	11		OFFICE CLOSED	Power Outage	
Sat	12	1:00 pm	Worship Set-up	Parish Hall	
Sun	13		Traditional Eucharist Family Eucharist	Parish Hall Parish Hall	

Building Committee Report

On July 25, the building committee met with the structural engineer and representatives from Spani Development to discuss the structural problems that were found concerning the sanctuary roof and the deflection of the east and west walls. These issues were discovered during the remediation of the water damage on the exterior west wall.

Three issues were identified:

1. East & West Walls out of plumb: During the remediation of the water ingress, it was discovered that the east and west walls of the sanctuary were out of plumb and that the roof ridge line had both sagged and bowed. Of immediate concern was the need to secure the east and west walls and to bring them into vertical alignment. However, that work would need to be followed by some action to provide greater support for the roof itself. Consideration is being given to the most appropriate action to be taken in that regard. In consultation with Spani Developments, an architect will be engaged.

The Building Committee met August 1 and decided that rather than embark on an immediate temporary solution the following steps be taken:

- Bruce Morris, with his knowledge and experience with construction of the Sunshine Coast, offered his services to take on the role of Project Manager to liaise with the Diocese, source an architect and co-ordinate the project with Spani Developments. His role on the committee would focus only on the remediation project. His offer was accepted unanimously by the committee.
- other projects such as rain screening and rain gutter issues will be left until we have an architectural solution.

This could push our repair timeline into October

- 2. **Metal Roof:** In addition to stabilizing the walls and bringing them into plumb, concern was raised in regard to the installed metal roof itself. There has been some minimal water ingress through the rubber washers on the exposed screws which affix the metal roof to the cross strapping on the trusses.
- 3. **Siding & Flashing:** Because of the discovery of the original water ingress problem, there is concern regarding the ability of the building's siding and flashing withstanding the elements. Spani Construction has been asked to provide quotes on the required work to rain screen the building, install appropriate flashing and replace the siding

In addition to the above remediation issues, the Building Committee has done a walk-around to identify the existing condition of other areas of the building which may require attention with the intention of developing a schedule of remedial and preventative maintenance to be done.

Respectfully Submitted,

St.Hilda's Building Committee:

Murray Peterson, Chair Andrew Morin Robert Maxfield

Rev. Clarence Li Ven. Bruce Morris

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PARISH PRAYER FOR THE WEEK				
Anglican Communnion	Puerto Rico - (XI, The Episcopal Church) The Revd Rafael Morales Maldonado			
Diocese & Partners	St. Laurence, Coquitlam – The Rev Eric Mason, The Rev Wally Shea The Vocational Deacons, Archdeacon for Deacons – The Ven Bruce Morris Director of Diaconal Formation – The Rev Sharon Salomons			
	Holy Trinity Mission in Bantey (twinned with St. Hilda's) 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	Local Agencies Emergency Responders: RCMP, Fire Halls, Paramedics			
Parish Ministries	Building and Grounds Commitee			
UN MDG Project	Kenya: Students of Kyaithani Secondary School			
Healing	Wayne Emison: healing for infection Jenny: ongoing healing from tumor Robert (Annie Webb's brother): healing from cancer David Todd: recovery from heart attack			
Rest in Peace	Fin Anthony, Albert Schonewille, The Rev Andrew Wilhelm-Boyles			
Ongoing Need	Gerald & Magda Cupido, Geoffrey Dunbrack, Bill Mitravitz, Rev. Ian Nestegaard Paul, Fran & Ken Redmond, the Walsh family			

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