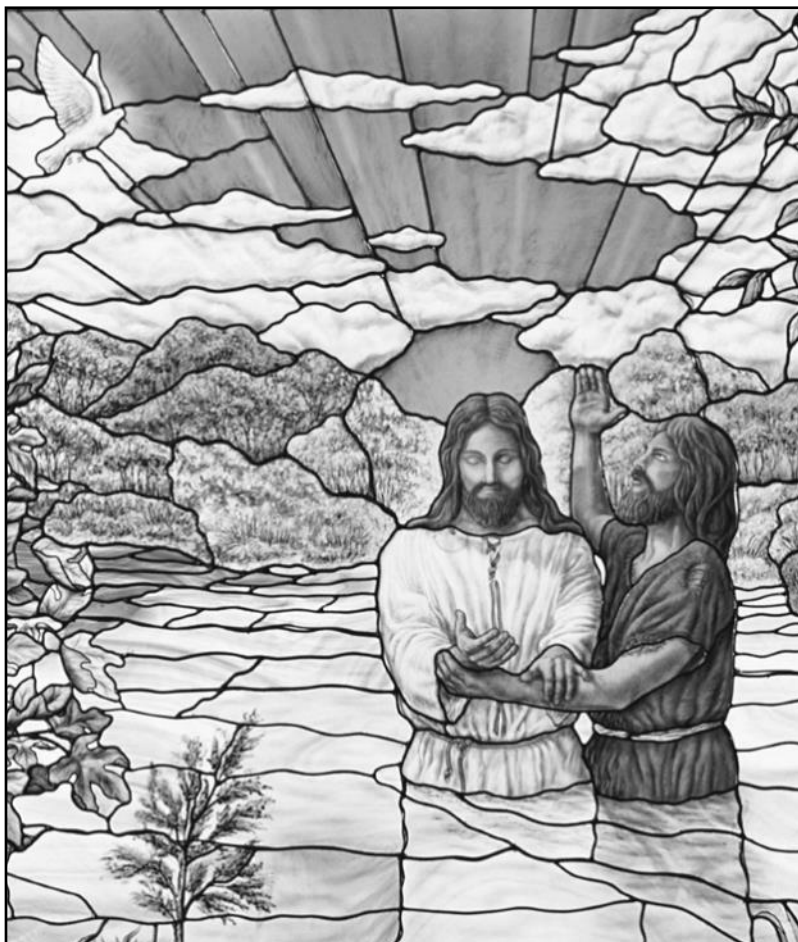


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# *Baptism of the Lord*



St. Hilda's By the Sea Anglican Church  
Open Doors • Open Hearts • Open Minds

**Celebrant:** The Rev Ayoob Adwar

**Preacher:** The Ven Bruce Morris

**Musician:** Katherine Hume

**Reader:** Meg Stevens

**Prayers:** Maggie Scott

**Lay Administrator:** TBD

**Sacristan:** Carol Eades

**Crucifer:** Kevin Rolston

**Greeters/Ushers:**

Doug & Veronica Shillitto, Linda Kern

**Coffee:** Win Wright, Liz Miller

**Altar Guild:** Sandra Sneddon, Corrinne Newman

## 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 territory of the *shishálh* 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 young children by the Sanctuary entrance.

## 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 newcomers 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. There are also large print bulletins available in the entry.

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## ✠ The Gathering of Community ✠

### Prelude

### Introduction & Welcome

*All rise as able as the Sanctuary party processes in.*

## 🎵 162 Processional Hymn ..... Sing of God Made Manifest

### Greeting

**Celebrant** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

**PEOPLE** **And also with you.**

**Celebrant** In this time and place,  
we gather on the ancestral territory of the shishálh Nation.

**PEOPLE** **From many places and peoples  
we come to this house of prayer.**

**Celebrant** In this time and place, together, one people of God.

**PEOPLE** **In the name of God,  
Source of all being, Eternal Word and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

### Glory to God *sung twice*

1. Glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a, 2. in ex - cel - sis De - o!

3. Glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a, 4. al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

### Thanksgiving for Baptism

**Celebrant** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**PEOPLE** **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

**Celebrant** We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water.  
Over water the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation.  
Through water you led the children of Israel  
out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise.  
In water your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and  
was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ,  
to lead us, through his death and resurrection,  
from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of baptism.  
In it we are buried with Christ in his death.  
By it we share in his resurrection.  
Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit.

*cont'd over →*

We pray that all who have passed through the water of baptism  
may continue for ever in the risen life  
of Jesus Christ our Saviour.

*The Celebrant will asperges the water of baptism upon the congregation. You may make a sign of the cross as a devotional act when you receive the water.*

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

**If you follow and love you'll learn the mystery  
of what you were meant to do and be. (sung twice)**

**ALL** who at the baptism of Jesus  
revealed him to be your Son,  
anointing him with the Holy Spirit,  
keep your children, born of water and the Spirit,  
faithful to their calling;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

*All are seated*

**First Reading:** Isaiah 42:1-9 ..... Meg Stevens

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church. **Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 29** *Left side sings light verses; Right side sings bold verses*




- <sup>1</sup> Ascribe to the 'Lord, you gods, \*  
ascribe to the Lord glo-'ry and strength.  
<sup>2</sup> Ascribe to the Lord the glory due 'the divine name; \*  
worship the Lord in the beau-'ty of holiness.

- <sup>3</sup> The voice of the Lord is upon the waters;  
the God of 'glory thunders; \*  
the Lord is upon the 'mighty waters.
- <sup>4</sup> The voice of the Lord is a pow-'erful voice; \*  
the voice of the Lord is a 'voice of splendour.
- <sup>5</sup> The voice of the Lord breaks the 'cedar trees; \*  
the Lord breaks the ce-'dars of Lebanon,
- <sup>6</sup> and makes Lebanon skip 'like a calf, \*  
and Mount Hermon like a 'young wild ox.
- <sup>7</sup> The voice 'of the Lord \*  
splits the 'flames of fire;  
<sup>8</sup> the voice of the Lord 'shakes the wilderness; \*  
the Lord shakes the wilder-'ness of Kadesh.
- <sup>9</sup> The voice of the Lord makes the 'oak trees writhe \*  
and strips the 'forests bare.  
And in the temple 'of the Lord \*  
all are 'crying, "Glory!"
- <sup>10</sup> The Lord sits enthroned a-'bove the flood; \*  
the Lord sits enthroned as sovereign for 'evermore.
- <sup>11</sup> The Lord shall give strength 'to this people; \*  
the Lord shall give this people the bles-'sing of peace.

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

**Second Reading:** Acts 10:34-43 ..... Meg Stevens  
Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church. **Thanks be to God.**

 **165 Gradual Anthem.** *Mark How the Lamb of God's Self-Offering vs. 1-2*  
*All rise as able.*

**The Gospel**      Matthew 3:13-17

Deacon      May God be with you

**PEOPLE**      **And also with you**

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

**PEOPLE**      **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

*After reading*

Deacon      The Gospel of Christ

**PEOPLE**      **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

 **165 Gradual Anthem** .... *Mark How the Lamb of God's Self-Offering vs. 3*

**Affirmation of Faith**

**We believe that when we live in love,  
we live in God and God lives in us.**

**We believe that the mystery we call God  
is visible in human form in each of us,  
and among all creatures through creation.**

**We believe that the life and teaching of Christ Jesus  
set us free from all fears, even the fear of God.**

**We believe the Spirit of Christ  
is made known to us in the breaking of bread,  
in our wrestling with Holy Scriptures,  
and in being vulnerable to each other in community.**

**We believe that the Church exists  
to affirm God’s loving presence with us  
and to challenge us to give witness  
to this presence in our love for one another.**

**We believe that we may respond  
to the love of God through serving  
and respecting the dignity of all God’s creation.**

**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 inside back page. You are also welcome to name your loved one(s) aloud or silently in your heart.*

**Confession and Absolution**

*Celebrant* God is love and we are God’s children,  
There is no room for fear in love.  
We love because God loved us first.  
Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith.

**ALL God of love, we confess to you  
and to our fellow members in the Body of Christ  
that we have sinned in thought, word and deed,  
and in what we have failed to do.  
We are truly sorry.  
Forgive us our sins, and deliver us from the power of evil.  
For the sake of your Son who died for us,  
Jesus Christ, our Lord.**

*Celebrant* God, who is both power and love,  
forgive us and free us from our sins,  
heal and strengthen us by his Spirit  
and raise us to new life in Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**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 are presented alongside with the offering of money, given on the plate or through the Pre-Authorized Donation Program, to symbolize the offering of ourselves and of the whole creation to God in thanksgiving for the many blessings we experience. You are invited to place your hand on the Offertory plate as it comes past as a sign of gratitude for God's blessings.*

♫ **651 Offertory Hymn**..... God Sends Us the Spirit

### Prayer over the Gifts

**Celebrant** God of life and freedom,

**PEOPLE** we celebrate the revelation of Jesus

as the Christ who makes all creation new.

Accept all we offer you this day and make us new in him,  
who is Lord for ever and ever. Amen.

### Eucharistic Prayer 3

If you wish, you may follow the complete prayer in the Book of Alternative Services, p.198  
“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 Lord be with you.

**PEOPLE** And also with you.

**Celebrant** Lift up your hearts.

**PEOPLE** We lift them to God.

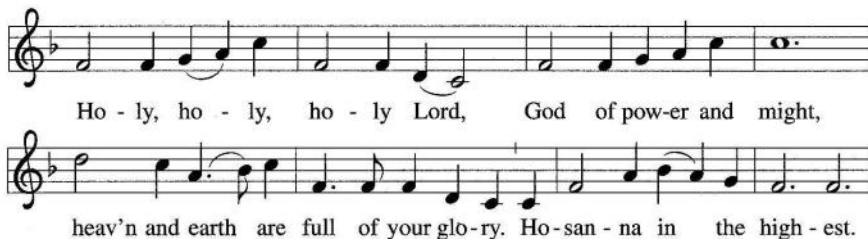
**Celebrant** Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

**PEOPLE** It is right to give our thanks and praise.

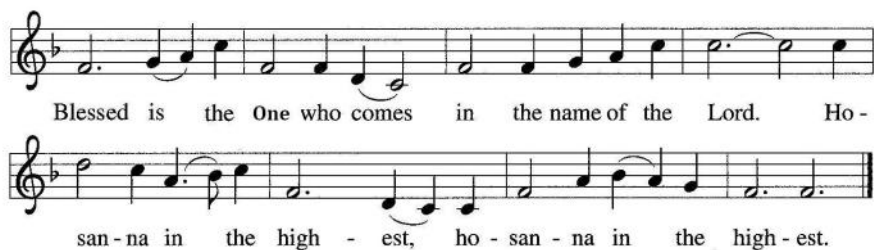
**Celebrant** Blessed are you, gracious God...

...we raise our voices in joyful praise to proclaim the glory of  
your name:

### Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,  
heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san-na in the high-est.



*Celebrant* We give thanks to you, Lord our God...

Therefore, Father, according to his command,

**PEOPLE** we remember his death,  
we proclaim his resurrection,  
we await his coming in glory;

*Celebrant* and we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving...

...all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father,  
now and for ever.

**PEOPLE**



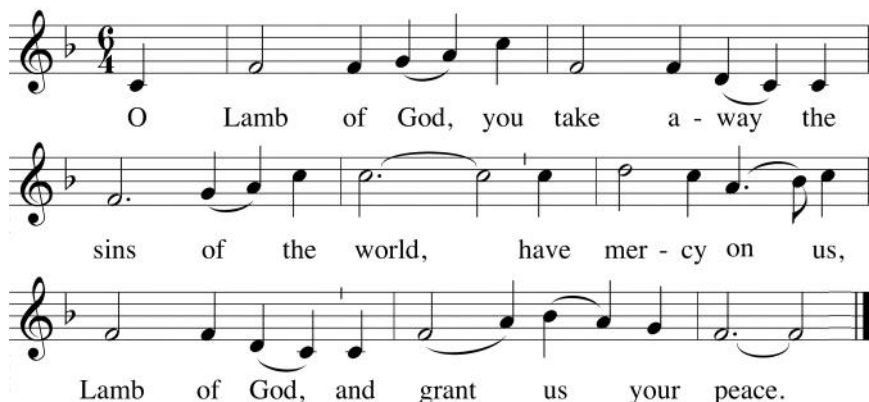
## 🎵 744 The Lord's Prayer

### The Breaking of the Bread

*Celebrant* We break the bread of life,  
and that life is the light of the world.

**PEOPLE** God here among us,  
light in the midst of us,  
bring us to light and life.

### Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)





# 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.*

🎵 **649 Communion Hymn** ..... Breathe on Me, Breath of God

## Prayer After Communion

**Celebrant** Gracious God, lover of all,

**ALL** by this sacrament

**you make us one family in Christ your Son,  
one in the sharing of his body and blood,  
one in the communion of his Spirit.**

**Help us to grow in love for one another  
and come to the full maturity of the Body of Christ.**

**We ask this in his name. Amen.**

## Family Thanksgiving & Announcements

*All are invited to share if they know of any birthdays, anniversaries or other celebrations. We have a parish tradition of saying the following prayer by sharing eye-contact with those around us.*

*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. Amen.**

## The Blessing

🎵 **656 Recessional Hymn**..... She Comes Sailing on the Wind vs. 1-4

## Dismissal

**PEOPLE** Thanks be to God.

## Postlude

## Parish Events and Notices

**Rest In Peace:** The Rev. Ian Nestegaard Paul passed away peacefully on Sunday January 5. He served here on the coast at Living Faith Lutheran and St. Bart's and was an Honorary Assistant here at St. Hilda's. His funeral will be Tuesday January 14 at St. Paul's Anglican Church in Nanaimo at 1:00 pm. There is a card in the Narthex for any to sign that Clarence Li will take to the funeral. May Ian rest in peace and rise in glory.

**Calling for Vestry Reports:** All Committees need to have their Vestry Report sent by email to the office by Friday January 27. The Vestry Book of Reports will be going out on February 9. Vestry Meeting is February 23.

**We need your input!** Please plan to attend this important Parish Conversation on Sunday January 19. This conversation regarding Worship and Ministry will help the Search Committee create a Parish Profile that will attract a new Rector that fits our congregation. There will be a short coffee and snacks following the service and then the meeting will run from 11:30-1:00.

**St. Hilda's Justice Umbrella Indigenous Reconciliation Event:** PWRDF Mapping Exercise Saturday January 18, 10:30 am - 2:30 pm led by Nancy & John Denham. Tea and coffee provided. Potluck finger food lunch. All parishioners are encouraged to join us. Space limited so please register with Nancy, call/text 604-740-6400.

**Exploring Anglican Identity:** Come join us for an exciting 4 week exploration of our Anglican identity. There are a series videos of Archbishop Phillip Aspinall talking about Anglicanism. Following each video, there are discussion questions for our group to help explore and share our thoughts and ideas. You can see the videos at: <http://www.formedfaith.org/exploring-anglican-identity#reformation>. We will meet in the Gathering Room starting Wednesday January 29 at 1:00 pm. Coffee and cookies provided. Everyone is welcome.

**St. Hilda's Choir:** Thursday January 16 at 1:00 pm in the Sanctuary.

**Christmas Cards:** Please pass on to Corrinne Newman your old Christmas cards. She will recycle them into new ones for next year! You can leave them in the mailbox in the breezeway under "N".

### Readings for January 19, Second Sunday after Epiphany

1st Reading: Isaiah 49:1-7 .....Reader: Mike Starr

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:1-9 .....Reader: Mike Starr

Psalms 40:1-12 Gospel: John 1:29-42



Week At-a-Glance at St. Hilda's				
<b>Sun</b>	<b>12</b>	8:30 am 10:00 am	Traditional Eucharist Family Eucharist & Sunday School	Sanctuary Sanctuary
<b>Wed</b>	<b>15</b>	8:00 am 10:00 am 5:00 pm	Wisdom Circle Meditation ACW Meeting Parish Council Meeting	Sanctuary Gathering Rm Gathering Rm
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>16</b>	1:00 pm	St. Hilda's Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
<b>Fri</b>	<b>17</b>	10:00 am	Men's Gathering	Lighthouse Pub
<b>Sat</b>	<b>18</b>	10:30 am	PWRDF Mapping Exercise	Parish Hall
<b>Sun</b>	<b>19</b>	8:30 am 10:00 am 11:30 am	Traditional Eucharist Family Eucharist & Sunday School Parish Conversation	Sanctuary Sanctuary Sanctuary

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PARISH PRAYER FOR THE WEEK	
<b>Anglican Communion</b>	The Anglican Church of Australia: The Most Rev Philip Leslie Freier - Archbishop of Melbourne & Primate of Australia
<b>Diocese &amp; Partners</b>	Diocesan Council, officers and members  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
<b>Local Agencies</b>	Animal Shelters on Coast: SPCA, Happy Cat Haven
<b>Local Churches</b>	St. Mary's Catholic
<b>Justice Umbrella</b>	Kenya: Students of Kayaithani Cluster Primary Schools siyaya Reconciliation Movement
<b>Prayer Requests</b>	Jill & Rik Diespecker Henry: peace and comfort Phil Hopkins: strength & peace while healing Leslie: battling cancer Nancy Moote & family: strength while undergoing chemo Daun Newman: healing from stomach infection Brenda Nestegaard Paul & family: comfort and strength Lorelei Reier: recovery from leukemia & lung infection Kevin Rolston & family: comfort while grieving Sher & Morrie Sacks: healing Donna Walsh Wheeldon
<b>Rest in Peace</b>	The Rev Ian Nestegaard Paul Colin Rolston
<b>Parish Families</b>	Gayle MacDonald, Maria Mahar, Diane Marshall, Bob & Carol Maxfield, Catherine McCarthy

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