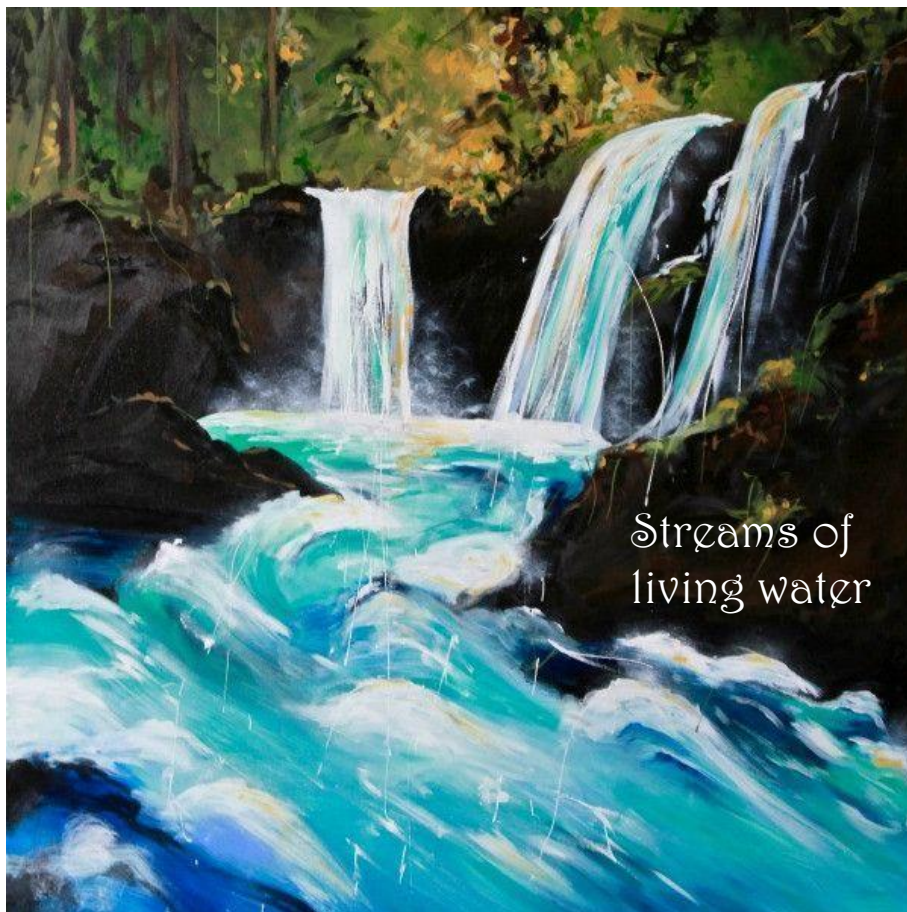


10_{AM} FAMILY EUCHARIST 15^{MAR} 2020



Third Sunday in Lent



St. Hilda's By the Sea Anglican Church

Open Doors · Open Hearts · Open Minds

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev Ayoob Adwar

Deacon: The Rev Bruce Morris

Musicians: Katherine Hume & St. Hilda's Choir

Greeters/Ushers: Jill Halliwell, Meg Stevens

Reader: Biruta Morozevicius

Prayers: Stephanie Moul

Sacristan: Barbara Carver

Crucifer: Corrinne Newman

Altar Guild: Sandra Sneddon,
Veronica Shillitto

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.

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

- Greeting adapted from *Gathering Sentences for the Church Year* from Diocese of New Westminster
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✘ The Gathering of Community ✘

Prelude

Introduction & Welcome

All rise as able as the Sanctuary party processes in.

♪ **505 Processional Hymn**..... *Be Thou My Vision*

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.**

♪ **687 Kyrie**

Children's Commissioning & Song

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 In the Bulb.

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 spring that waits to be,
Un-re-vealed un-til its sea-son, Some-thing God a-lone can see.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant Gracious God,

**ALL you provide us with living water in abundance
for all to share.**

**Nourish us with this abundance,
so that we may be streams of living water**

to those who thirst for you;

through Jesus Christ, the rock of our salvation. Amen.

All are seated

✠ The Proclamation of the Word of God ✠

First Reading: Exodus 17:1-7Biruta Morozevicius

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

Psalm 95 *High voices and Low voices sing verses as indicated.*



- H** ¹ Come, let us sing ¹to the Lord; *
let us shout for joy to the ¹rock of our salvation.
- ² Let us come before the presence of the Lord ¹with thanksgiving *
and raise a loud ¹shout to God with psalms.
- L** ³ For you, O Lord, ¹are a great God,*
and a great sove-¹reign above all gods.
- ⁴ In your hand are the caverns ¹of the earth,*
and the heights of the hills ¹are yours ä- so.
- H** ⁵ The sea is yours, ¹for you made it,*
and your hands have ¹moulded the dry land.
- ⁶ Come, let us bow down, and ¹bend the knee, *
and kneel before the ¹Lord our Mä- ker.
- L** ⁷ For you are our God,
and we are the people of your pasture and the sheep ¹of your hand.*
Oh, that today we would ¹hearken to your voice!
- ⁸ “Harden not your hearts, as your forebears did ¹in the wilderness,*
at Meribah, and on that day at Massah, ¹when they tempted me.
- H** ⁹ They put me ¹to the test,*
though ¹they had seen my works.

10 Forty years long I detested that genera-¹tion and said, *
 ‘This people are wayward in their hearts;
 they ¹do not know my ways.’
 11 So I swore ¹in my wrath, *
 ‘They shall not ¹enter into my rest.’”

ALL **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.**

Second Reading: Romans 5:1-11Biruta Morozevicious
 Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church. **Thanks be to God.**

All rise as able.

400 Gradual Hymn *What Wondrous Love is This* vs. 1-2

The Gospel John 4:5-42

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.**

400 Gradual Hymn *What Wondrous Love is This* vs. 3-4

Sermon Fr. Ayooob Adwar

44 Creed *I Believe in God Almighty*

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 Dear friends in Christ,
 God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy;
 God welcomes sinners and invites them to this table.
 Let us confess our sins, confident in God’s forgiveness.

cont’d over →

Most merciful God,
**ALL we confess that we have sinned against you
 in thought, word, and deed,
 by what we have done,
 and by what we have left undone.
 We have not loved you with our whole heart;
 we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.
 We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
 For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
 have mercy on us and forgive us,
 that we may delight in your will,
 and walk in your ways,
 to the glory of your name. Amen.**

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy upon you,
 pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
 confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,
 and keep you in eternal life;
 through Jesus 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.

🎵 **352 Offertory Hymn** Amazing Grace

Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant Spring of life and Source of goodness,

PEOPLE **receive all we offer you this day,
 and bring us to the living water,
 Jesus Christ, your Son our Lord. Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer 3 BAS 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.

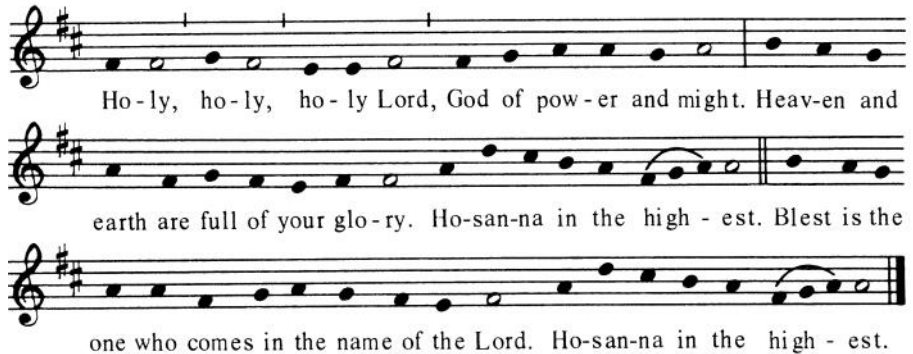
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

PEOPLE It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Celebrant Blessed are you gracious God,...

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

Sanctus



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. Blest is the
one who comes in the name of the Lord. 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 Amen

The Lord's Prayer

**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 forever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant We break this bread,

PEOPLE communion in Christ's body once broken.

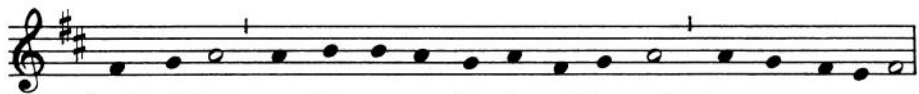
Celebrant Let your Church be the wheat
which bears its fruit in dying.

**PEOPLE If we have died with him, we shall live with him;
if we hold firm, we shall reign with him.**

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. Due to the Covid-19 outbreak, only bread will be served. If you would prefer to receive a gluten-free wafer, please inform the person administering the bread 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.

Choral Anthem..... My Peace by Keith Duke

Prayer After Communion

Celebrant God of our pilgrimage,

ALL we have found the living water.

Refresh and sustain us

as we go forth on our journey,

in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. 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 Write your blessed name, O Lord,
PEOPLE upon my heart, there to remain so indelibly graven
that no prosperity, no adversity,
shall ever move me from your love.
Be to me a strong tower of defence,
a comforter in tribulation, a deliverer in distress,
a very present help in trouble,
and a guide to heaven through the many temptations and
dangers of this life. Amen.

Blessing

🎵 Recessional Hymn.....We Shall Go Out with Hope of Resurrection

1. We shall go out with hope of resurrection;
we shall go out, from strength to strength go on;
we shall go out and tell out stories boldly;
tales of a love that will not let us go.
We'll sing our songs of wrongs that can be righted;
we'll dream our dreams of hurts that can be healed;
we'll weave a cloth of all the world united
within the vision of new life in Christ.
2. We'll give a voice to those who have not spoken;
we'll find the words for those whose lips are sealed;
we'll make the tunes for those who sing no longer,
expressive love alive in every heart.
We'll share our joy with those who still are weeping,
raise hymns of strength for hearts that break in grief,
we'll leap and dance the resurrection story,
including all in circles of our love.

Dismissal

PEOPLE Thanks be to God.

Postlude Deep River Traditional Spiritual arr. by Brad Nix

You may leave quietly during postlude.



Parish Events and Notices

PLEASE NOTE: Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, ONLY bread will be served at communion. Also, the Diocese has communicated that there is a mandatory suspension of Coffee time after the service until they let us know otherwise so there will be no fellowship time in the hall following services.

Lenten Study Group: Come join us for a Lenten small group study every Wednesday at 1 pm in the Gathering Room. The topic is “Signs of Life” This sensory-rich, 5 week course explores core signs and symbols of our shared Christian worship: light, water, food, shelter, community. You can find the course with videos on this website: <https://www.signsoflife.org/>

sviyava Reconciliation Dialogue Cafe: Important community conversation opportunities being held on the Sunshine Coast. Monday March 16 at Roberts Creek Hall and Wednesday March 25 at Sechelt Library, both from 6:30 - 9:00 pm. Please RSVP Nancy Denham 604-740-6400.

Choral Evensong at St. Hilda's: Sunday March 15 at 5:00 pm. Vespersong will be leading the singing (music by Ayleward, Bairstow, Lassus, & Stanford) and The Ven Bruce Morris is presiding. Come for a service of music, reflection, and prayer.

ACW Easter Bake Sale: at Trail Bay Mall Saturday April 4 at 10am
We are asking all bakers to bring their baking to the mall that morning or contact Amelia at 604-782-1351

Help Needed: The Plant Sale will be on April 25, but if there is a desire for the Whale of a Sale (garage sale), then we need a fresh team of people to help organize it (set-up, sales, clean-up). One person so far has volunteered to help, but we need more. Please contact Corrinne at 604-741-0944 or Amelia at 604-782-1351, if you are able to help in any way. We need to know by March 15 so we can make a decision.

WIDER CHURCH EVENTS

Deepening Our Commitment to Compassion: A Renewal Opportunity for Lent Christian Contemplative Lenten Retreat Saturday, April 4 9:30 am – 2:30 pm St Mary's Parish Hall - Gibsons By Donation. Bring your own lunch. Tea and coffee provided. Registration and info: bcchristianmeditation@gmail.com | 604 488-1175 Everyone welcome!

Lectionary Readings for March 22, Fourth Sunday in Lent

1st Reading: 1 Samuel 16:1-13

Psalm 23

2nd Reading: Ephesians 5:8-14

Gospel: John 9:1-41

Reader: Julie Stevens

ST. HILDA'S FINANCIAL UPDATE

Parishioners Givings as of February 23, 2020

	Actual to Date	Budget to Date	Variance
General Fund	\$ 17,310	\$ 31,160	-\$13,850

Please note that last week's numbers in bulletin were incorrect.



Week At-a-Glance at St. Hilda's

Sun	15	8:30 am 10:00 am 5:00 pm	Traditional Eucharist Family Eucharist & Sunday School Choral Evensong	Sanctuary Sanctuary Sanctuary
Wed	18	8:00 am 10:00 am 1:00 pm 2:00 pm 5:30 pm	Wisdom Circle Meditation ACW Meeting Lenten Study Prayer Shawl Ministry Parish Council Meeting	Sanctuary Gathering Rm Gathering Rm Offsite Gathering Rm
Thurs	19	1:00 pm	St. Hilda's Choir	Sanctuary
Fri	20	10:00 am	Men's Gathering	Lighthouse Pub
Sun	22	8:30 am 10:00 am 4:00 pm	Traditional Eucharist Family Eucharist & Sunday School Native Drumming Circle	Sanctuary Sanctuary Sanctuary

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PARISH PRAYER FOR THE WEEK	
Anglican Communion	The Church of England: The Most Rev and Right Hon Justin Welby - Archbishop of Canterbury
Diocese & Partners	St. Cuthbert, Delta - The Reverend Paul Woehrlé <hr/> 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	Community Justice Program of the SC
Parish Ministries	Contemplative Ministries: Wisdom Circle, Labyrinth
Justice Umbrella	Kenya: the Well Management Committee syiyaya Reconciliation Movement
Prayer Requests	Terry Aleck (Coyote): heart issues Fred Hibbard: comfort and peace Phil Hopkins: strength & peace while healing The Moote/Dickie family: comfort while grieving Lorelei Reier: comfort & strength while undergoing treatment Sher & Morrie: comfort & encouragement Donna Walsh Wheeldon: heart disease investigation
Residential Care/ Home Bound	Evelyn Harrison, Marjorie Lanskail, Maria Mahar, Barbara Pearson, Beps Swanson, Eva Tweedie, Lillian Zahn

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