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White Rock, British Columbia

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We acknowledge that we are situated on the territorial and ancestral land of the Semiahmoo First Nation.



Sunday, July 13th, 2025 – 10:00 a.m.

A Service of the Holy Eucharist Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

In Christ we are a caring community seeking and welcoming others to join us on our faith journey.

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

HYMN 485 LOVE DIVINE



- 5 Finish, then, thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be; let us see thy great salvation perfectly restored in thee,
- 6 changed from glory into glory, till in heaven we take our place, till we cast our crowns before thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise.

All remain standing. The presiding celebrant greets the community.

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 Almighty God,

All to you all hearts are open, all desires known,

and from you no secrets are hidden.

Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy

Spirit, that we may perfectly love you,

and worthily magnify your holy name: through Christ our lord. Amen.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

John Rutter (b. 1945)





COLLECT OF THE DAY

The celebrant shall say, Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless until they find their rest in you. May we find peace in your service, and in the world to come, see you face to face; 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

A reading from the book of Amos

Amos 7:7-17

This is what he showed me: the Lord was standing beside a wall built with a plumb line, with a plumb line in his hand. And the Lord said to me, "Amos, what do you see?" And I said, "A plumb line." Then the Lord said, "See, I am setting a plumb line in the midst of my people Israel; I will never again pass them by; the high places of Isaac shall be made desolate, and the sanctuaries of Israel shall be laid waste, and I will rise against the house of Jeroboam with the sword." Then Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, sent to King Jeroboam of Israel, saying, "Amos has conspired against you in the very centre of the house of Israel; the

land is not able to bear all his words. For thus Amos has said, 'Jeroboam shall die by the sword, and Israel must go into exile away from his land."' And Amaziah said to Amos, "O seer, go, flee away to the land of Judah, earn your bread there, and prophesy there; but never again prophesy at Bethel, for it is the king's sanctuary, and it is a temple of the kingdom." Then Amos answered Amaziah, "I am no prophet, nor a prophet's son; but I am a herdsman, and a dresser of sycamore trees, and the Lord took me from following the flock, and the Lord said to me, 'Go, prophesy to my people Israel.' "Now therefore hear the word of the Lord. You say, 'Do not prophesy against Israel, and do not preach against the house of Isaac.' Therefore thus says the Lord: 'Your wife shall become a prostitute in the city, and your sons and your daughters shall fall by the sword, and your land shall be parcelled out by line; you yourself shall die in an unclean land, and Israel shall surely go into exile away from its land."

Reader The word of the Lord People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 82



- 1 God takes his stand in the council of **heaven**; * he gives judgement in the midst of the **gods**:
- 2 "How long will you judge un-**justly**, * and show favour to the **wicked**?
- 3 Save the weak and the **orphan**; * defend the humble and **needy**;
- 4 Rescue the weak and the **poor**; * deliver them from the power of the **wicked.**
- They do not know, neither do they understand; they go about in **darkness**; * all the foundations of the earth are **shaken**.
- 6 Now I say to you, 'You are **gods**, * and all of you children of the Most **High**;
- 7 Nevertheless, you shall die like **mortals**, * and fall like any **prince**."
- 8 Arise, O God, and rule the **earth**, * for you shall take all nations for your **own**.

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Colossians

Colossians 1:1-14

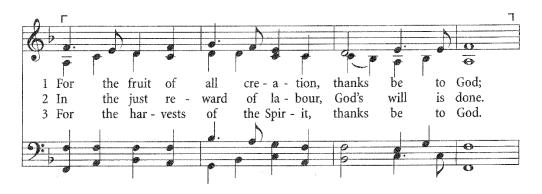
Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father. In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit. For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Reader The word of the Lord People **Thanks be to God.**

All stand, as able.

HYMN 259

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THE GOSPEL All remain standing.

Luke 10:25-37

Priest The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?" He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself." And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live." But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbour?" Jesus replied, "A man was going

down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.' Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

Priest The Gospel of Christ.

People Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

SERMON The Rev. Paul Richards

NICENE CREED BAS 188

All stand, as able.

Celebrant Let us confess our faith, as we say,

We believe in one God, The Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and Allearth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

BAS 110

All stand or kneel, as able.

Leader Let us pray with confidence to the Lord, saying "Lord hear our prayer."

We pray for John our Archbishop and Metropolitan, Shane our Primate, and for our own clergy. On the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the Church of North India (United).

On our diocesan cycle of prayer, we pray for St. John the Baptist, Sardis, and the Deanery of Peace Arch. And we pray for the bishop, clergy and people of our companion Diocese of Northern Philippines and our partner parishes, St. Michael the Archangel, Guina-ang, St. Joseph Church, Mainit, and Holy Trinity Mission, Dalican. O Lord, guard and direct your Church in the way of unity, service, and praise.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for Charles our King and for all in authority. Give to all nations an awareness of the unity of the human family .

Lord, hear our prayer.

Cleanse our hearts of prejudice and selfishness and inspire us to hunger and thirst for what is right.

Lord, hear our prayer.

Teach us to use your creation for your greater praise, that all may share the good things you provide.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for those we remember in our parish this morning: Carol De Boeck, Ruth Dean, Ron Dicks, Marjorie Dicks, Kevin Dietrich, Joan Dietrich; for the sick and the suffering, especially Leo Peloquin, and all those on our parish prayer list; and for those you remember silently or aloud. Strengthen all who give their energy or skill for the healing of those who are sick in body or in mind.

Lord, hear our prayer.

Set free all who are bound by fear and despair.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for all who have died especially Steve Barnes, Joan Philpott, and those we remember silently or aloud. For the Faithful Departed in our Memorial Book: Ruth Lambert, Lily Billing, Mary Munday, Ellen Murray, Ralph Douglass, Elwood Stringham, Jeff Reynolds, Arthur Northeast, Elizabeth Skelton, Mary Mithell, Lilian Beech, Peter Foth, Wilson Barrett, Ronald Green, Eleanor Bush, Barbara Bennett. Grant a peaceful end and eternal rest to all who are dying, and your comfort to those who mourn.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy, especially remembering the everblessed Virgin Mary. Grant that we may also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Lord, hear our prayer.

The leader continues

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of your people and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Celebrant

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

Silence is kept.

Celebrant 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 BAS 192

All stand, and the presiding celebrant addresses the people.

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

OFFERTORY



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Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise him all creatures here below. Praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

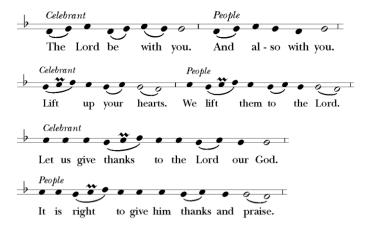
PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

All stand. The celebrant says

Let us pray

Father, your word creates in us a yearning for your kingdom. Receive all we offer you this day, and keep us in your peace; for the sake of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING



It is indeed right that we should praise you, gracious God, for you created all things. You formed us in your own image: male and female you created us.

When we turned away from you in sin, you did not cease to care for us, but opened a path of salvation for all people. You made a covenant with Israel, and through your servants Abraham and Sarah gave the promise of a blessing to all nations. Through Moses you led your people from bondage into freedom; through the prophets you renew your promise of salvation.

Therefore, with them, and with all your saints who have served you in every age, we give thanks and raise our voices to proclaim the glory of Your name.



The celebrant continues

Holy God, source of life and goodness, all creation rightly gives you praise. In the fullness of time, you sent your Son Jesus Christ, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He healed the sick and ate and drank with outcasts and sinners; he opened the eyes of the blind and proclaimed the good news of your kingdom to the poor and to those in need. In all things he fulfilled your gracious will.

On the night he freely gave himself to death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for

you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Gracious God, his perfect sacrifice destroys the power of sin and death; by raising him to life you give us life for evermore.

Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith.

All Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Recalling his death, proclaiming his resurrection, and looking for his coming again in glory, we offer you, Father, this bread and this cup. Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts, that all who eat and drink at this table may be one body and one holy people, a living sacrifice in Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever. **Amen.**People

People

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BAS 211

Celebrant As our Saviour taught us, let us pray.

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.

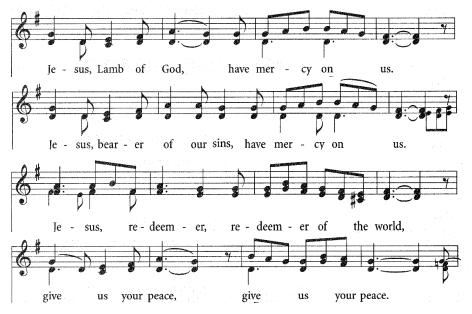
THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

BAS 213

Celebrant Creator of all, you gave us golden fields of wheat, whose many grains we have gathered and made into this one bread.

All So may your Church be gathered from the ends of the earth into your kingdom.

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THE COMMUNION

BAS 213

The celebrant invites the people to share in communion.

The gifts of God for the People of God

People Thanks be to God.

We invite all baptized Christians to receive the sacrament of Holy Communion. Please receive the bread by holding out your hands. To receive the wine, please gently guide the chalice to your lips, or simply touch the base of the chalice if you prefer not to drink from it. Please note that intinction (dipping the wafer in the wine) is not permitted in our diocese. If you prefer to receive a blessing instead of the bread and wine, you may indicate that desire by crossing your arms over your chest. If you are unable to come forward, please ask a sides person to have Communion brought to you.

HYMN 504 CHEREPONI



PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

All stand or kneel, as able.

Celebrant Let us pray.

All Living God, in this sacrament we have shared in your eternal kingdom. May we

who taste this mystery forever serve you in faith, hope, and love. We ask this in

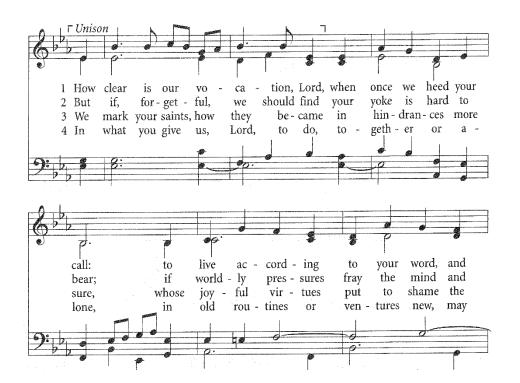
the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS All are seated.

HYMN 466 REPTON





All remain standing

THE BLESSING

The celebrant blesses the people

THE DISMISSAL

The priest dismisses the people

People Thanks be to God.

All remain standing for the retiring procession.

POSTLUDE

PARISH PRAYER LIST:

For health, wellness, support, and comfort:

Stephanie, Jordan, Alison, Rebecca, Gillian, Eileen, Darren, Ralph, Pat, Sandy, Alisa, Jacob, Shelia, Denise, John, Bill, Peter, Tricia, Beth, Lindsay, Sandie, Gene, Antony, George, Don, Alexandra, Steven, Sandy, Grant, Allison, Fred, Graham, Susan, Nora, Catherine

CelebrantThe Rev. Joseph DirbasPreacherThe Rev. Paul RichardsServer's GuildRichard Hampson-Thorpe

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Welcome Lenore Richards
First Reader Judy Belanger
Second Reader Audrey Mistiades

Prayers of the People Susanna Hampson-Thorpe

Livestream Guild Sean Latimer

Coffee Set-upGerard & Mary PonsfordCoffee Clean-upGerard & Mary Ponsford

Altar Guild Gay Hallenburg

Please join us for coffee and tea in Griffiths Hall. If you are joining us for the first, time, please ask for directions.

Food Bank Sunday, July 13

Thank you to everyone who generously donated in support for our local food bank. We are grateful for your offerings. They will be delivered to the food bank tomorrow.

Evensong, tonight at 5:00 p.m.

Join us for Evensong! As the choir is "off" for the summer, our July evensong will be congregational. That is, the Magnificat and the Nunc Dimittis will be chanted by the congregation along with the choir. Invite your friends and family and come worship with us!

White Rock Family Pride Day – July 19

The Church of the Holy Trinity will once again join our community as we participate in White Rock Family Pride Day on July 19. Join us as we offer a ministry of presence and support and welcome and greet our neighbours with the love of Christ. Please sign up on the bulletin board in the church office.

Finance Committee Meeting

The Finance Committee will meet in the library on Tuesday, July 22 at 11:00 a.m.

Trustees Meeting

The Trustees of the parish will meet in the rector's office on Thursday, July 24 at 10:15 a.m.

Bible Study

Our Bible study is growing and we're learning so much about Luke's Gospel and the teachings of Jesus. All are welcome to join us. The only prerequisites are an open heart, an open mind, and a willingness to dive into scripture.

Women's Group

We gather every Monday at 10:30 a.m. in the library. We invite you to join us!

Weekday Worship All are welcome to join us for our weekday worship services:

Tuesday, 9:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer Thursday, 9:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist

WELCOME!

We extend a warm welcome to all who have come to worship with us today. We are a joyful, inclusive service-oriented community. Our church building is a sacred space and a house of prayer for all. Our parish is composed of people from infants to grandparents, from cradle Anglicans to seekers, and we pride ourselves in being a place where a diverse range of opinions are held and respected. While we are a varied group, we strive to be unified as the Body of Christ.

We centre ourselves around our baptismal vow to, "strive for justice and peace among all people, and to respect the dignity of every human being." Our community also extends far beyond our pews as we seek to feed, clothe, and support people who are in need.

We pray you will feel at home here and, no matter your reason for joining us. We welcome you with open arms regardless of your race, age, culture, ethnicity, nationality, gender identity and expression, sexual orientation, marital status, previous religious affiliation, or socioeconomic status. All are welcome at The Church of the Holy Trinity, and we hope to see you back here soon! Please feel free to contact us.

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