

Welcome to  
**St. Luke Cedar Hill**

Pentecost Sunday  
May 19, 2024 - 10:00 am  
Holy Eucharist



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*We acknowledge that we gather with respect on the traditional territories of the ləkʷəŋən peoples, known in our day as the Esquimalt and Songhees Nations, the traditional custodians of these lands. We are grateful for their hospitality.*

*Please be seated.*

Organ Prelude: Fantasia Super on *Come Holy Ghost* (BWV 561) by J.S. Bach

Trumpet Prelude: *Minuet in D* by G.F. Handel;  
Ben Parker, soloist

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**Processional Hymn: CP 653 Gracious Spirit, Holy Ghost**  
*(tune: Capetown)*

Welcome and Introduction (*The Very Rev'd Ansley Tucker*)

*Please stand as you are able.*

Priest: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

**All: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

Priest: May his grace and peace be with you.

**All: May he fill our hearts with joy.**

**Invitation to Confession**

Priest: What God has prepared for those who love him,  
God has revealed to us through the Spirit;  
for the Spirit searches everything.  
Therefore, let us in penitence  
open our hearts to God,  
who has prepared good things for those who love him.

*Silence is kept.*

**All: Most merciful God,  
Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
we confess that we have sinned  
in thought, word and deed.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart.  
We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.  
In your mercy  
forgive what we have been,  
help us to amend what we are,  
and direct what we shall be;**

**that we may do justly,  
love mercy,  
and walk humbly with you, our God.**

### **Absolution**

**Priest:** May the Father forgive us  
by the death of his Son  
and strengthen us  
to live in the power of the Spirit  
all our days.

**All:** **Amen.**

*(Common Praise tune # 425):*

**All:** **Glory be to God in heaven,  
peace, goodwill to all the earth,  
mighty God of all creation,  
Father of surpassing worth.  
We exalt you, we adore you,  
we lift high our thanks and praise,  
saints and angels bow before you,  
here on earth our songs we raise.**

**Glory be to Christ forever,  
Lamb of God and Lord of love,  
Son of God and gracious Saviour,  
you have come from heaven above.  
On the cross you died to save us,  
now you reign at God's right hand.  
Hear our prayer, restore, forgive us,  
in your promise firm we stand.**

**Holy One we now acclaim you,  
Lord alone to you we call,  
Holy One in faith we name you,  
God most high, yet near to all.  
Jesus Christ with God the Spirit,  
in the Father's splendour bright,  
for the peace that we inherit  
glory be to God on high!**

## The Collect of the Day

Priest: God be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Priest: Let us pray.

God of wind and flame,  
send your life-giving Spirit upon your people:  
give fire to our words,  
strength to our witness  
and boldness to our proclamation  
of your wondrous work in Christ;  
who, with you and the Spirit, lives and reigns  
now and for ever.

**All: Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

Solo: *Where'ver You Walk* from *Semele* by G.F. Handel;  
Ben Parker, trumpet

## The Liturgy of the Word

### FIRST READING: ACTS 2: 1-21

Reader: A Reading from the Book of Acts.

*At the end of the reading:*

Reader: Word of God, Word of Life.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

### PSALM 104: 25-35, 37b



Lord, send out your Spir-it, and re-new the face of the earth.

**SECOND READING: ROMANS 8: 22-27**

Reader: A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Romans.

*At the end of the reading:*

Reader: Word of God, Word of Life.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

**Gradual Hymn:**

**CP 637 Come, Holy Ghost, Our Souls Inspire**

*(tune: Veni Creator Spiritus)*

**THE GOSPEL: JOHN 15: 26-27, 16: 4b-15**

Reader: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ  
according to John.

**All: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

*At the end of the gospel:*

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

**All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Homily: The Very Rev. Ansley Tucker

Anthem: *Holy Spirit Truth Divine*, arr. by J. Threlfall

*Please stand as you are able.*

**The Apostle's Creed**

Leader: Let us profess the faith of our baptism, as we say,

**All: I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.**

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again  
to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### **Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession**

*Sitting, standing or kneeling, as is your custom.*

*In response to the words, "Wind of the Spirit, blow through us,"  
the community prays, "**and renew our faith and hope.**"*

Let us bring the needs of the church, the world,  
and all in need, to God's loving care....

Wind of the Spirit, blow through your whole church  
on this day of Pentecost:

Blow through us and renew our faith.

Re-awaken our love for God.

Let the flames of your love warm our hearts  
with trust in Jesus Christ.

Dare us to do great things in his name.

**All:** Wind of the Spirit, blow through us,  
**and renew our faith and hope.**

Wind of the Spirit, blow through us  
and give us energy to serve you  
as the body of Christ working in the world.

Open our eyes to recognize needs for ministry  
and mission around us.

Open our hearts to welcome newcomers  
and meet those we don't yet know.

Open our hands to share in tasks that need doing,  
and open our lips in prayer and praise.

**All:** Wind of the Spirit, blow through us,  
**and renew our faith and hope.**

Wind of the Spirit,  
blow through us and give us understanding  
for all those whose lives seem so different from ours;  
for those facing situations we've never encountered;  
for those with whom we've disagreed;  
and for problems and challenges we face at home,  
at work, and in the world facing so much turmoil.

**All:** Wind of the Spirit, blow through us,  
**and renew our faith and hope.**

Wind of the Spirit,  
blow through us and bring healing  
for all who face pain or illness,  
discouragement or disappointment;  
for all who know sorrow, sadness or grief;  
and for those who feel pressure  
in these uncertain times.

**All:** Wind of the Spirit, blow through us,  
**and renew our faith and hope.**

Wind of the Spirit, blow through us  
and bring us the compassion we see in Christ Jesus  
to serve the world you love in his name.  
Blow through us  
and refresh us as his faithful followers.

**All:** Wind of the Spirit, blow through us,  
**and renew our faith and hope.**

In confidence and hope  
we offer these prayers in Jesus' name.

**All: Amen.**

**The Peace** (*Please stand as you are able.*)

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**All: And also with you.**

### The Liturgy of the Eucharist

#### Offertory Hymn: CP 656 She Comes Sailing on the Wind

*(tune: She Flies On)*

### The Preparation of the Table

#### Prayer over the Gifts

Priest: Giver of life,  
receive all we offer you this day.  
Let the Spirit you bestow on your Church  
continue to work in the world  
through the hearts of all who believe.  
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

**All: Amen.**

#### Eucharistic Prayer

*[Source: Eucharistic Prayers – Common Worship, The Church of England (2000) The Archbishops' Council.]*

Priest: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

**All: We lift them to the Lord.**

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Priest: It is indeed right, it is our duty and our joy,  
always and everywhere to give you thanks,  
holy Father, almighty and everlasting God,  
through Jesus Christ, your only Son, our Lord.



This day we give you thanks  
because in fulfilment of your promise  
you pour your Spirit upon us,  
filling us with your gifts, leading us into all truth,  
and uniting peoples of many tongues  
in the confession of one faith.

Your Spirit gives us grace to call you Father,  
to proclaim your gospel to all nations  
and to serve you as a royal priesthood.

Therefore we join our voices  
with angels and archangels,  
and with all those in whom the Spirit dwells,  
to proclaim the glory of your name,  
forever praising you and singing:

*(From Common Praise # 735)*

**All: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,  
God of power and might.  
Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full,  
full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is He who comes  
in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*Congregation may sit or kneel at this time.*

Priest: Lord, you are holy indeed, the source of all holiness;  
grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit,  
and according to your holy will,  
these gifts of bread and wine may be to us  
the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Who, in the same night that he was betrayed,  
took bread and gave you thanks;  
he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
Take, eat; this is my body, which is given for you;  
do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper he took the cup  
and gave you thanks; he gave it to them, saying:  
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.  
Do this, as often as you drink it,  
in remembrance of me.

Great is the mystery of faith:  
**All: Christ has died.**  
**Christ is risen.**  
**Christ will come again.**

Priest: And so, Father, calling to mind his death on the cross,  
his perfect sacrifice  
made once for the sins of the whole world;  
rejoicing in his mighty resurrection  
and glorious ascension,  
and looking for his coming in glory,  
we celebrate this memorial of our redemption.

As we offer you  
this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving,  
we bring before you this bread and this cup  
and we thank you for counting us worthy  
to stand in your presence and serve you.

Send the Holy Spirit on your people  
and gather into one in your kingdom  
all who share this one bread and one cup,  
so that we,  
in the company of St. Luke, and all the saints,  
may praise and glorify you for ever.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord;  
by whom, and with whom, and in whom,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
all honour and glory be yours, almighty Father,  
for ever and ever.

**All: Amen.** (*Sung 5 times - From Common Praise # 737*)

**The Lord's Prayer** (*Please stand as you are able.*)

Priest: In the words that our Saviour taught us, we pray:

**All: 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.**

**Breaking of the Bread** (*From Common Praise # 747*):

**All: Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.  
Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.  
Jesus, redeemer, redeemer of the world,  
give us your peace, give us your peace.**

**The Giving of Communion**

Priest: The table of bread and wine is now ready.  
It is the table of company with Jesus,  
and all who love him.  
It is the table of sharing with the poor of the world,  
with whom Jesus identified himself.  
It is the table of communion with the earth,  
in which Christ became incarnate.

So come to this table,  
you who have much faith  
and you who would like to have more;  
you who have been here often  
and you who have not been for a while;  
you who have tried to follow Jesus,  
and you who have failed.  
Come.  
It is Christ who invites us to meet him here.

God's holy gifts for God's holy people.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

*Please follow the directions of the sidespeople as the congregation is invited to come forward to receive the bread and wine.*

*If you would prefer not to receive communion, please come forward for a blessing. Crossing your hands over your chest will signal the priest to give you a blessing instead.*

**NOTE:** *Gluten free wafers are available on request.*

*Please remain seated as we sing the hymns during communion.*

**Hymns during Communion:**

**CP 646 Spirit Divine, Attend Our Prayers**  
*(tune: Gräfenberg)*

**CP 649 Breathe on Me, Breath of God**  
*(tune: Trentham)*

Solo during Ablutions: *Adagio Cantabile* by G. Fauré;  
Mary Byrne, flute

**Prayer after Communion** *(Please stand as you are able.)*

Priest: Creator of all,  
whose Spirit moved on the surface of the earth,  
may we who have received this eucharist  
lie in the unity of that same Spirit,  
so that we may show forth your gifts to all the world.  
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All: Amen.**

Priest: 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** (*Please be seated.*)

**Benediction** (*Please stand as you are able.*)

Priest: May Christ's holy, healing, enabling Spirit be with you  
and guide you on your way at every change and turn;  
And may the blessing of the Holy One—  
Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer—  
rest with you now and forever more.

**All: Amen.**

**Recessional Hymn: CP 645 Come Down, O Love Divine**  
(*tune: Down Ampney*)

Leader: Go forth into the world,  
rejoicing in the power of the Spirit, Alleluia.

**All: Thanks be to God, Alleluia.**

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Trumpet Postlude: *Prince of Denmark's March* by J. Clarke;  
Ben Parker, soloist

*Thank you to all who assisted with today's service.*

**IN THE WORLDWIDE ANGLICAN PRAYER CYCLE, we pray for** The Extra-Provincial Churches under the metropolitan oversight of the Archbishop of Canterbury. **In the Anglican-Lutheran Cycle of Prayer, we pray for** The Rt. Rev. Andrew Asbil, Bishop; The Rt. Rev. Kevin Robertson, Suffragan Bishop; The Rt. Rev. Riscylla Shaw, Suffragan Bishop; and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Toronto (Anglican); The Lutheran Collegiate Bible Institute in Outlook Saskatchewan (Lutheran). **In our Diocesan Prayer Cycle, we pray for** Anna, our Bishop, and for the parish of St. John the Divine, Courtenay and their priests, The Rev. Alastair Hunting, The Rev. Michael Booth (Honorary Assistant) and The Rev. Marion Edmondson (Deacon). **We also pray for** Lutheran Church of the Cross and Pastor Lyle and Pastor Lyndon, and for the Diocese of Caledonia and Bishop David Lehmann.

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**THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS**  
**May 19<sup>th</sup> – May 26<sup>th</sup>**  
**(\*\*New Items, \*Revised Items)**

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**\*\*A very special thank you to our soloists at the 10am service today:** Ben Parker, for playing the trumpet; Dr. Mary Byrne, for playing the flute; and Matthew Robertson, for chanting the psalm.

**\*Coffee this morning** will be in the Sequoia Room (Lounge) rather than in the hall.

**\*\*The Church Office will be closed Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup> for Victoria Day.** The office will reopen at 9:00 am on Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>.

**\*Next Sunday, Trinity Sunday, May 26<sup>th</sup>,** St. Luke's Bell Choir will provide special music at the 10 am service.

**\*Family Barbeque Next Sunday, May 26<sup>th</sup> from 4 – 7 pm** outside behind the hall – Instead of Family Services at 4 pm on the third Sunday of the month in May and June, you are invited to a Family Barbeque on May 26<sup>th</sup>. **Enjoy a relaxing, social time for parents, grandparents, and friends to connect and for teens and children to have fun together.** Burgers will be provided. Please talk to Barb Prescott or Sharon Hallsor for more information.

**Registration Has Opened for This Year's Amazing Journey Day Camp**, which will be held in the mornings, **July 22<sup>nd</sup> to July 26<sup>th</sup>**. Children born January 1, 2013 to June 30, 2020 are eligible to be campers. **The Registration Form is available at the News page of St. Luke's website.** Early Bird Registration fees available until June 15<sup>th</sup> are \$45 for the first child, \$40 for the 2<sup>nd</sup> child, and \$35 for the 3<sup>rd</sup> child. St. Luke's joins with Church of the Cross each summer for a week-long day camp hosted at one of the churches. **This year's camp will be held at Church of the Cross and the theme will be "Mending God's World."** We will also be looking for Middle School students to be Leaders in Training and High School students to be Small Group Leaders.

**\*\*Mark Your Calendars for a Fun Golf Day – Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup> starting at 10 am** – You are invited to play 9 holes of golf at the Mt. Doug course, 4225 Blenkinsop Road followed by lunch at Fireside Grill, 4509 W Saanich Rd. This Fun Golf Day is open to church friends and family at St. Luke's and Church of the Cross. There will be prizes! **A sign up sheet is at the back of the church**, or contact Sharon Hallsor by e-mail (hallsor@shaw.ca). Cut off date to sign up is June 12<sup>th</sup>.

**\*Fairway Market Community Shopping Cards** – Thank you for using your Fairway Market Community Shopping Cards. Earlier this month, **we received a payment of \$272.95, bringing our total to date to \$2,639.01, since we started taking part in this program in 2021.** Please continue to use your reloadable Fairway Market Community Shopping Card so that **St. Luke's can receive 5% from Fairway Market for**

**every dollar loaded on the card.** To join in this program, please pick up your reloadable card from St. Luke's Office. For more information, please contact St. Luke's Office, talk to Brenda Morgan, or visit the **Fundraising page of St. Luke's website.**

**\*Thank You for Your Donations Towards the Recent Work in the Cemetery** – The work included repairing the dry stone wall, creating stairs to the area by the shed, and some miscellaneous repairs (totalling just over \$5,000). **Thank you for donations we have received to date towards these repairs (\$1050).** To make a tax receiptable donation, **please put cash or a cheque (payable to St. Luke's Church) in your envelope and noting on the envelope that the donation is for the cemetery.** Another option is to visit the **Donations for the Upkeep of St. Luke's Cemetery link at the Cemetery page** (<https://www.stlukesvictoria.ca/programs/st-lukes-historic-cemetery>) to find out how to make a tax receiptable donation using a credit card or by e-transfer.

**Help Needed** – The floor on the stage needs to be replaced. We have received several estimates for vinyl plank flooring. The labour for the installation is a major cost. **It was suggested that there may be parishioners who have worked with this type of flooring and could install it.** Please talk to one of the wardens, Heather or Brenda, if you could help in this way.

**Food Truck Donation to the Shelbourne Community Kitchen** – Thank you to David Gittens for bringing his food truck, Come and Get It, to the Spring Fair. **He donated \$125 from the proceeds to the Shelbourne Community Kitchen.**

**A Note From Genessa Poilievre** – I need your help. I am taking part in 3 big adventures this year which require fundraising to cover the cost. I am going on an 8-day Ukulele trip to the USA, a 3-day band trip to Vancouver, and an 8-day Scouting Adventure at Camp Barnard in Sooke. **I am raising funds to help pay for these adventures by collecting**



**refundable cans and bottles.** If you would like to help, please bring your empty refundable cans and bottles to church on any Sunday or call us to arrange for us to pick them up. If you aren't sure what is refundable, you can check at <https://bottledepot.ca/we-recycle/beverage-containers/> Thank you for your help, Genessa.

**Funding for Life Society is holding a Fundraiser on Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup> from 12 noon to 3 pm** at the Saanich Fairgrounds. Mark your calendar and plan to attend the family fun event. Funding for Life is a new charity set up to help provide access to funding for treatments and resources not currently covered under Medicare in Canada. For more information, e-mail [gail@fundingforlife.ca](mailto:gail@fundingforlife.ca), call 250-920-5225, or visit [fundingforlife.ca](http://fundingforlife.ca)

## Calling All Photographers Themes for the Upcoming Weeks

**A Note from Daniel:** Friends, I am calling on your skills and talents in photography. We would love to use your photos for our bulletin covers. Photos will be chosen in relation to the theme of the Sunday readings. (See below.) I invite you to be imaginative with these words and themes.

- May 26** Trinity Sunday: Trillium flower or other three petal flowers
- June 2** Fields of Grain or Grain stems
- June 9** Random – Non specific
- June 16** Seeds/Mustard seed or conceptually abstract. What does faith look like? Take a picture of faith.
- June 23** Boat and windstorm at sea – stormy sea
- June 30** Jesus healing a woman and a child. What could that look like as a photo? Use your imagination.
- July 7** From Paul, “My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness” or Jesus sends disciples – two by two... Entering a house – welcome...

Remember that most of these pictures will appear as greyscale (B/W) on the bulletin cover so please consider how they will appear if they were printed in black-and-white.

**Please send your photos to [admin@stlukecedarhill.ca](mailto:admin@stlukecedarhill.ca) and include your name and the Sunday the picture is for in the file name.** Pictures should be a small to medium file size (eg 800 or 1200 px on the long side).

**Please send your pictures by the Wednesday of the week preceding the particular Sunday.** I look forward to receiving your pictures in the weeks ahead.

# St. Luke's Vision, Mission, and Actions



## St. Luke's Vision

St. Luke's is a beacon in the community, illuminating many ways to encounter God.

## St. Luke's Mission

We are supportive people of faith who welcome all with compassion and embrace a culture of community, with outreach as our cornerstone.



## St. Luke's Actions: To achieve our Mission, we

- Engage in a vibrant practice of praise but also seek God's peace through prayer and contemplation
- Respect and appreciate the heritage of the first peoples on whose lands we gather and worship
- Nurture a sense of community and promote a culture of inclusion and belonging
- Honour the history of our sacred spaces
- Pursue social and spiritual understanding
- Embrace the values of kindness, openness and hospitality
- Offer compassionate pastoral care
- Base outreach on an attitude of caring and acceptance



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We hope you will visit again!

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### READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY May 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Isaiah 6: 1-8

Psalm 29

Romans 8: 12-17

John 3: 1-17

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### FLOWERS

Today's flowers are given to the glory of God,  
in loving memory of family members,  
especially brother Barry, from Gillian Bloom.

*Flowers at St. Luke's are coordinated by Ann Séguin.*