

# Liturgy at Home

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## St. James' Anglican Church



Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost:  
October 16, 2022 | 9:00 am



# Welcome

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We acknowledge with gratitude and respect our presence on the ancestral, traditional and un-ceded territory of the x<sup>w</sup>məθk<sup>w</sup>əyəm (Musqueam), Sk̓wx̓wú7mesh (Squamish), and sə́lilwətał (Tsleil-Waututh) First Nations.

Welcome to this St. James' "Liturgy at Home", which continues to gather together a community of worship for those prevented for various reasons from being in church. Solemn Mass is now celebrated in church at 10:30 am on Sundays. For weekday Mass (in church) and (online) Daily Office times, please see the Notices pages at the end of this bulletin.

You are invited either to share in this Liturgy at 9:00 am on Sunday, via Zoom, or to use this as an aid to your prayers at home, drawing strength, we hope, from the knowledge that fellow-parishioners will be praying alongside you.

The Parish Intercession Lists, which are being kept up to date, are being prayed daily. Please make any requests to the Parish Office, [office@stjames.bc.ca](mailto:office@stjames.bc.ca), 604-685-2532.

## **VISION STATEMENT**

Discovering the beauty of holiness in our lives and neighbourhood, by living a Christ-centred sacramental life rooted in the Anglo-Catholic tradition.

## **MISSION OBJECTIVES**

- To be a beacon for all as a neighbourhood and destination church where we invite and welcome friends, family, and strangers into our midst;
- To deepen our life of prayer and formation in Christ;
- To develop relationships and fellowship in open, honest, and spiritual ways among parishioners, with our neighbours, and those in need;
- To pursue and practice justice and mercy for the imparting of the Kingdom of God within and beyond the Parish;
- To strive to maintain financial equilibrium, develop our reserves, and optimize the use of our assets to ensure the preservation of our sacred space and ministry from generation to generation, to the everlasting glory of God.

# A Reflection

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We recognize a tree by its fruit, and we ought to be able to recognize Christians by their action. The fruit of faith should be evident in our lives, for being a Christian is more than making sound professions of faith. It should reveal itself in practical and visible ways. Indeed it is better to keep quiet about our beliefs, and live them out, than to talk eloquently about what we believe, but fail to live by it.

*St. Ignatius of Antioch*, d. 108

Feast Day October 17

# Opening Rite

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## INVOCATION

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+In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

## HYMN

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,  
Nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might;  
Thy justice like mountains high soaring above  
Thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.

## **PRAYERS OF PENITENCE**

God the Father forgives us in Christ and heals us by the Holy Spirit.

Let us therefore put away all anger and bitterness,  
all slander and malice, and confess our sins to God our redeemer.

May your loving mercy come to me, O Lord,  
and your salvation according to your word:

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have mercy.**

Your word is a lantern to my feet and a light to my path:

Christ, have mercy.

**Christ, have mercy.**

O let your mercy come to me that I may live,  
for your law is my delight:

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have mercy.**

May almighty God have mercy on us,

forgive us our sins, and keep us in eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

## **GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**

Glory be to God on high,  
and on earth peace, good will towards men.  
We praise thee, we bless thee,  
we worship thee, we glorify thee,  
we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,  
O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;  
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
that takest away the sin of the world,  
have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world,  
receive our prayer.  
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,  
have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord;  
thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,  
+art most high in the glory of God the Father.  
**Amen.**

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God,  
increase in us your gift of faith,  
that forsaking what lies behind  
and reaching out to what is before,  
we may run the way of your commandments  
and win the crown of everlasting joy;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

**Amen.**



# Liturgy of the Word

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## FIRST READING

A reading from the Book of Genesis.

The same night Jacob got up and took his two wives, his two maids, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. He took them and sent them across the stream, and likewise everything that he had. Jacob was left alone; and a man wrestled with him until daybreak. When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he struck him on the hip socket; and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. Then he said, "Let me go, for the day is breaking." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go, unless you bless me." So he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." Then the man said, "You shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with humans, and have prevailed." Then Jacob asked him, "Please tell me your name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my name?" And there he blessed him. So Jacob called the place Peniel, saying, "For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life is preserved." The sun rose upon him as he passed Penuel, limping because of his hip.

*Genesis 32:22-3*

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM**

I lift up my eyes to the hills;  
from where is my help to come?

**My help comes from the Lord,  
the maker of heaven and earth.**

He will not let your foot be moved  
and he who watches over you will not fall asleep.

**Behold, he who keeps watch over Israel  
shall neither slumber nor sleep;**

The Lord himself watches over you;  
the Lord is your shade at your right hand,

**So that the sun shall not strike you by day,  
nor the moon by night.**

The Lord shall preserve you from all evil;  
it is he who shall keep you safe.

**The Lord shall watch over your going out and your coming in,  
from this time forth for evermore.**

*Psalm 121*

## SECOND READING

A reading from the Second Letter of Paul to Timothy.

As for you, continue in what you have learned and firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it, and how from childhood you have known the sacred writings that are able to instruct you for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, so that everyone who belongs to God may be proficient, equipped for every good work. In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and in view of his appearing and his kingdom, I solemnly urge you: proclaim the message; be persistent whether the time is favourable or unfavourable; convince, rebuke, and encourage, with the utmost patience in teaching. For the time is coming when people will not put up with sound doctrine, but having itching ears, they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own desires, and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander away to myths. As for you, always be sober, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, carry out your ministry fully.

2 Timothy 3:14-4:5

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## ALLELUIA

**Alleluia.** Praise the Lord, O my soul: while I live will I praise the Lord; yea, as long as I have any being, I will sing praises unto my God. **Alleluia.**

## THE GOSPEL READING

The Lord be with you.

**And with thy spirit.**

The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

**Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

Then Jesus told them a parable about their need to pray always and not to lose heart. He said, "In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor had respect for people. In that city there was a widow who kept coming to him and saying, 'Grant me justice against my opponent.' For a while he refused; but later he said to himself, 'Though I have no fear of God and no respect for anyone, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will grant her justice, so that she may not wear me out by continually coming.'" And the Lord said, "Listen to what the unjust judge says. And will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long in helping them? I tell you, he will quickly grant justice to them. And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

*Luke 18:1-8*

The Gospel of Christ.

**Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

## HOMILY

Father James Hwang

## **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Let us declare our faith in God.

We believe in God the Father,  
**from whom every family  
in heaven and on earth is named.**

We believe in God the Son,  
**who lives in our hearts through faith,  
and fills us with his love.**

We believe in God the Holy Spirit,  
**who strengthens us  
with power from on high.**

We believe in one God;  
**Father, Son and Holy Spirit.  
Amen.**

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*Celebrant:*

In the power of the Spirit, and in union with Christ, let us pray to the Father:

*Intercessor:*

For Charles, our King, and the leaders of the nations, that they will serve the people according to your holy will, and for all in authority at this time of crisis; for the World Health Organization and for the medical profession, on the front line and in research:

Lord in your mercy,

**Hear our prayer.**

For an end to war, famine, and pandemic through all the earth:

Lord in your mercy,

**Hear our prayer.**

For Christians everywhere that we may be filled with your Holy Spirit;

We pray for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury;

- for the Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America
- for Linda our Primate; Lynne our Metropolitan; and John our Bishop
- for Bishop Sidney, and for Indigenous Peoples in the Diocese of Calgary
- for Bishop Benny, and our partner the Diocese of Northern Philippines
- for the mission and witness of our Diocese, and especially for:
  - St. Jude's Anglican Home -- Rejoice Anthony
  - and for our parish of St. James

Lord in your mercy,

**Hear our prayer.**

For those who are sick or bound by fear, despair and need of any kind – John Brown; Pauline Tong; Shawn-Paul Wilson; Alex; Michelle; Fana Vieruel; Peter Shewcenko; Mary Germseid; Diane; Samantha; and Dianne Wood Palgova,

And in our Street Outreach for – Gabriel; Nicky; Byron; Garnett; George; Francisca & Lucky; Nick; Ibtisam; Yashar; Kari-Ann; Steven; Cecelia; Benjamin; Germaine; Robbie; Michael; and the Providence Crosstown Clinic,

Lord in your mercy,

**Hear our prayer**

For the recently departed – Frank Jason Stephens,

And for all those whose anniversary of death we commemorate at this time – Donal MacKay; William Wainwright; Eric Bristow, Sr.; Lila Pritchard; Betty Hartman; Mary Bee, Sr.; Marjorie Adams; and Ada Hambleton,

+Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord.

**And may light perpetual shine upon them.**

May they rest in peace.

**Amen.**

*Celebrant:*

Remembering Holy Mary, the Mother of God,  
St. James our Patron, and all the saints,  
we commit ourselves, one another, and our whole life  
to you, our Lord and God.

**Amen.**

# Spiritual Communion

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## THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever.  
**Amen.**

## AGNUS DEI

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world: have mercy upon us.  
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world: have mercy upon us.  
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world: grant us thy peace.

## SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

*As we are unable to receive the Blessed Sacrament at this time,  
meditate quietly for a moment on these words of Jesus from St. John 6:*

“I am the Bread of Life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, whoever believes in me will never thirst.”

*Then, in union with the Body of Christ in every time and place, pray:*

O come to my heart, Lord Jesus. There is room in my heart for thee.



## **HYMN**

May we in faith receive your word,  
in faith present our prayers,  
and in the presence of our Lord  
disburden all our cares.

# Concluding Rite

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## **PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Let us pray.  
Eternal God,  
your word inspires our faith.  
May we who offer you our praise  
trust you in all things.  
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.  
**Amen.**

## **THE GRACE**

The peace of God which passes all understanding  
keep our hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God,  
and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

May the grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ,  
+and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,  
be with us all evermore.  
**Amen.**

## **DISMISSAL**

Let us bless the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## **AVE REGINA CAELORUM**

Hail, Queen of Heaven, beyond compare,  
to whom the angels homage pay.  
Hail, Root of Jesse, Gate of Light,  
which opened for the world's new day.

Rejoice, O Virgin unsurpassed,  
in whom our ransom was begun.  
For all your loving children pray,  
to Christ our Saviour and your Son.

# Clergy Notes

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Now that summer is over, the pace of life is quickening up. The choir has returned, and in good form! The Daily Mass is resumed: it is a joy to have that rhythm, that hallmark and anchor of St. James' spiritual life restored. Do ask yourself whether you are able to attend perhaps one day in the week. The Creation Formation series and the Eco-Pilgrimage have taken place. We look forward now to the Heart of the City Festival, the Stewardship season, the Solemn Requiem for All Souls'; then it will be Advent, the Church's New Year. It is good to see that the Zoom congregation continues faithfully, and that numbers in church are increasing, slowly but surely.

Wardens and Trustees continue their care for the parish's premises. At Vestry various projects were approved in principle, among them the fire alarm in the parish hall and the redecoration of the interior of the church. It was agreed that there would be the need for an appeal to cover some of these costs. The Trustees have also agreed to the provision of extra niches in the Columbarium (most of the current ones are occupied or reserved). The remainder of the Avery bequest will cover this.

It has become apparent during the year that further works may be necessary or desirable, so the scope of the appeal may be broadened. Looking to the future, we shall need to make the church more readily adaptable as an artistic venue, as we seek to expand the music series. Supplementary lighting for the chancel and for the choir loft would be useful, for example. We may benefit from replacing the pews (which are in need of refurbishment) with chairs. There are security and safety issues with the main doors on Gore.

Trustees have once again engaged Nancy Holme, our Project Manager for the Parish Centre, to work with us on a Visioning Plan, to bring to Parish Council and Vestry. This will take some time, but this gives ample opportunity for consultation. Certainly this will be a challenge, but it is exciting! We have just celebrated the Dedication Festival, giving thanks for the Parish, and our Founders and Benefactors. The current St. James' Church is approaching its centenary. This is our opportunity, the living stones of today's St. James', to prepare our beautiful house of prayer for its second century.

Every blessing,  
*Fr. Kevin*

# Notices

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## **REGULAR SERVICE TIMES UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

### **Saturday**

4:00 pm: Vigil Mass in church

### **Sunday**

9:00 am: Liturgy at Home via Zoom

10:30 am: Solemn Mass in church

### **Weekday Mass in church**

12:10 pm: Monday, Wednesday, Friday

9:30 am: Tuesday, Thursday

## **THE DAILY OFFICE**

The Daily Office will be said online via Zoom most days at 9 am and 5 pm.

Meeting ID: 986 3976 8391, Password 762469. Join via Zoom or by phone, 778-907-2071. There will be no Morning Prayer on Sundays.

## **TODAY**

Our preacher is Fr. James Hwang, a Korean Roman Catholic priest, who has been worshipping with us, and serving at the altar, for several months now. Fr. James will shortly be received into the Anglican Communion, and will be serving as a priest in our Diocese. We welcome him in this new role.

## **MASS ON OCTOBER 20**

This Thursday 9:30 am mass will be attended by the Canadian Conference of the Mission to Seafarers. The celebrant will be their episcopal liaison, the Most Revd David Edwards, Archbishop of Fredericton, NB. Everyone welcome.

## **SOLEMN EVENSONG—IN REMEMBRANCE OF HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II**

Sunday, October 16 at 4 pm, St. James' Church.

## **THURSDAY NOVEMBER 3 at 6:30 pm**

Solemn Requiem for All Souls'. The music will be the North American première of Ian Venables' Requiem Op. 48, a work that offers a thoughtful response to the ritual of the Requiem Mass as a source of solace and contemplation. For names to be remembered, please use the list available at the back of church, or email

[office@stjames.bc.ca](mailto:office@stjames.bc.ca)

### **CAKE-BAKE**

The Mothers' Union is offering a selection of festive baked goodies to order (order form available next Sunday) ready for collection on November 27, the First Sunday of Advent. Proceeds to Canadian MU Charitable Giving.

### **FLOWER DEDICATION CHANGES**

The Trustees have reviewed the current Flower Dedication rates and approved the following new rates: High Altar \$80; Blessed Sacrament Chapel & Lady Chapel \$50. New rates take effect First Sunday of Advent (November 27, 2022).

### **PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES**

Copies of the May 14, 2022 Parish Council Minutes are available in the Narthex.

### **LECTIO DIVINA AND BIBLE STUDY**

On Wednesdays at 1:00 pm (after Midday Mass), we will be holding Bible Study in the library of the Parish Centre. Participants are welcome to join in person as well as via Zoom. Each week we will explore a passage of scripture (usually the following Sunday's Gospel) and wonder together about its meaning(s) and implications for our lives as Christians today. All are welcome! Zoom coordinates are as follows: Meeting ID: 841 6396 2965 Passcode: 247805. No registration required but if you would like to be sent the reading and questions ahead of time, please contact Mtr. Amanda.

### **MASS IN SPANISH**

First Saturdays of the month at St. Paul's Anglican Church, 1130 Jervis Street, Vancouver. Everyone welcome.

### **FRIDAY NIGHT COMPLINE**

You are invited to join this small but lively group of people, praying Compline together from the BCP via Zoom. We meet at 9 pm Friday nights. Bring your own book, or contact Mother Amanda for the PDF order of service. Meeting ID: 272 505 973, Password 688517. Join via Zoom or by phone, 778-907-2071.

### **THE HOLY ROSARY**

On the last Saturday of the month at 10:30 am, join Rev. José Luis Aranda Moyano in praying the Holy Rosary via Zoom. Meeting ID: 969 0827 4159. No password required. Or join by phone: 778 907 2071.

## **GIVING**

Thank you to all those who are giving generously to St. James' in these difficult times. Your ongoing support is much appreciated. If usually you give in the Weekly Offering Envelopes, please consider using the credit card Donate option on the [HOME](#) page or go to the [GIVING](#) page of the St. James' website: [www.stjames.bc.ca](http://www.stjames.bc.ca) . Alternatively, if you do not already give by PAD (Pre-Authorised Donation) and are able to do so, please email the Parish Office for a form. More information is available on the Diocese of New Westminster [here](#).



# Lectionary

DATE	DAILY MASS	MORNING PRAYER 9:00 AM	EVENING PRAYER 5:00 PM
MON. October 17 Ignatius, Bishop of Antioch, Martyr, c. 115	Rom 8:35-39; Ps 116:1-8; Jn 12:23-26	Ps 25; Sir 4:20—5:7; Rev 7:1-8	Ps 9, 15; Jer 44:1-14; Lk 9:51-62
TUES. October 18 St. Luke the Evangelist	Sir 38:1-4, 6-10, 12-14; Ps 147:1-7; Lk 4:14-21	Ps 103; Ezek 47:1-12; Lk 1:1-4	Ps 67, 96; Is 52:7-10; Acts 1:1-8
WED. October 19 Jean de Brebeuf, Isaac Jogues & Companions, Martyrs in New France, 1642, 1649	Romans 8:28-39; Psalm 116:10-16; Luke 12:8-1	Ps 38; Sir 7:4-14; Rev 8:1-13	Ps 119:25-48; Lam 2:8-15; Lk 10:17-24
THUR. October 20 Feria	Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-11; Lk 12:49-53	Ps 37:1-18; Sir 10:1-18; Rev 9:1-12	Ps 37:19-42; Ezra 1:1-11; Lk 10:25-37
FRI. October 21 Feria	Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-6; Lk 12:54-59	Ps 31; Sir 11:2-20; Rev 9:13-21	Ps 35; Ezra 3:1-13; Lk 10:38-42
SAT. October 22 Feria	Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122; Lk 13:1-9	Ps 30, 32; Sir 15:9-20; Rev 10:1-11	Ps 42, 43; Ezra 4:7, 11-24; Lk 11:1-13
SUN. October 23 20th Sunday after Pentecost	Sir 35:12-17; Ps 84:1-7; 2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14	Ps 63:1-8, 98; Sir 18:19-33; 1 Cor 10:15-24	Ps 103; Hag 1:1-2:9; Mt 18:15-20

## **CLERGY**

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