

Liturgy at Home

St. James' Anglican Church



Sunday of All Saints
October 30, 2022 | 9:00 am



Welcome

We acknowledge with gratitude and respect our presence on the ancestral, traditional and un-ceded territory of the x^wməθk^wəyəm (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, 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

We have come before the throne of God
to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.

We have come before God's holy mountain,
to the heavenly Jerusalem, the city of the living God.

We have come before countless angels making festival,
before the assembly of the firstborn citizens of heaven.

We have come before God, who is judge of all,
before the spirits of the just made perfect.

We have come before Jesus,
the mediator of the new covenant.

We are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken:
so let us give thanks and offer to God acceptable worship,

Full of reverence and awe;
for our God is a consuming fire.

A Song of God's Assembled from Church of England Daily Prayer:
Hebrews 12.22-24a, 28, 29

Opening Rite

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

Let saints on earth in concert sing
with those whose work is done;
for all the servants of our King
in earth and heaven are one.

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.

Lord, you are gracious and compassionate:
Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

You are loving to all
and your mercy is over all your creation:
Christ, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.

Your faithful servants bless your name
and speak of the glory of your kingdom:
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 God,

whose people are knit together in one holy Church,

the mystical body of your Son,

grant us grace to follow your blessed saints

in lives of faith and commitment,

and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared

for those who love you;

through your Son 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

FIRST READING

A reading from the Book of Daniel.

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another. As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: “As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom for ever—for ever and ever.”

Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM

Hallelujah! Sing to the Lord a new song;
sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.

**Let Israel rejoice in his maker;
let the children of Zion be joyful in their king.**

Let them praise his name in the dance;
let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.

**For the Lord takes pleasure in his people
and adorns the poor with victory.**

Let the faithful rejoice in triumph;
let them be joyful on their beds.

**Let the praises of God be in their throat
and a two-edged sword in their hand;**

To wreak vengeance on the nations
and punishment on the peoples;

**To bind their kings in chains
and their nobles with links of iron;**

To inflict on them the judgement decreed;
this is glory for all his faithful people. Hallelujah!

Psalm 149

SECOND READING

A reading from the Letter of Paul to the Ephesians.

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory. I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Ephesians 1:11-23

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

ALLELUIA

Alleluia. Come unto me, all you that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

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 looked up at his disciples and said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets. But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets. But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you."

Luke 6:20-31

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise be to thee, O Christ.

HOMILY

Father Neil Gray

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 peace let us pray to the Lord:

Intercessor:

Merciful Lord,

strengthen all Christian people by your Holy Spirit,
that we may live as a royal priesthood and a holy nation
to the praise of Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Bless Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Linda our Primate;
Lynne our Metropolitan; John, our Bishop;
and all ministers of your Church,
that by faithful proclamation of your word
we may be built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets
into a holy temple in the Lord.

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Empower us by the gift of your holy and life-giving Spirit,
that we may be transformed into the likeness of Christ
from glory to glory.

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Give to the world and its peoples
the peace that comes from above,
that they may find Christ's way of freedom and life.

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Hold in your embrace all who witness to your love in the
service of the poor and needy;
all who minister to the sick and dying;
and all who bring light to those in darkness.

In our Street Outreach we pray for Gabriel; Nicky; Byron; Garnett; Ibtisam; Yashar; Kari-Ann; Cecelia; Robbie; Michael; Ahmed; Alex; Ali; Renée; Anne; Fred Jr.; Isabella; Shaylana; Dakota; and the Oppenheimer Park Activity Centre & Staff,

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Touch and heal all those whose lives are scarred by sin
or disfigured by pain,
that, raised from death to life in Christ,
their sorrow may be turned to eternal joy.

We pray for John Brown; Pauline Tong; Shawn-Paul Wilson; Alex; Michelle; Fana Vieruel; Peter Shewcenko; Dianne Wood Palgova; James; Don; Kenny Landherr; Audrey Sojonky; Lindsay & her family; Nicholas Chamberlain; Darren & family; and Kate Flood,

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Remember in your mercy all those gone before us
who have been well-pleasing to you from eternity;
preserve in your faith your servants on earth,
guide us to your kingdom
and grant us your peace at all times.

We pray for those who have died recently: Warren Harold Deacon, priest; Preston; Fred Sr.; Kathleen Campbell; Dino Cabianco; and Connie Mangion,
and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Dawn Brewster; Drusilla Nichols; Edgar & Isobel Coan; Walter York; Eric Gee; Mary Chick; Bill Crockett, priest; Roy Hunt; Edward Roser; and Tom Broughton,
Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord.

And may light perpetual shine upon them.

May they rest in peace.

Amen.

Hasten the day when many will come
from east and west, from north and south,
and sit at table in your kingdom.

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Celebrant:

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

Amen.

Spiritual Communion

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

Lord, thy glory fills the heaven;
earth is with its fullness stored;
unto thee be glory given,
Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord.

Concluding Rite

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us pray.

Holy and mighty God,
we give you thanks for the triumph of Christ
in the lives of all his saints.

Receive all we offer you this day,
and help us, like them, to run our course with faith,
that we may come to your eternal kingdom.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our 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.

The flowers on the High Altar
are given to the Glory of God,

and in loving memory of
Michael Heng,
forever in our hearts from his loving family,

and in loving and thankful memory of
Roy, his father,
from Fr. Kevin.

Clergy Notes

November is upon us, with its celebration of All Saints' (which we anticipate this Sunday), closely followed by All Souls' (which we shall mark with a Solemn Requiem on Thursday, November 3). Then there comes Remembrance Day, when we pause to reflect on those who gave their lives in the two World Wars, and in conflicts since up to our own day.

We find aspects of our Christian hope in each of these three observances. All Saints' gives us a glimpse of the glory of heaven which by grace shall one day be ours; the Church Triumphant, that great multitude which no-one can number of those who have shone with the light of Christ in their generation; the great heroes of the faith, yes, but also those quiet ones whose names are known only to God. On All Souls' we remember the Church Expectant, our own loved ones and the faithful departed, trusting them to the nearer presence of God; that ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, they too may experience that joy of heaven. On Remembrance Day as we honour the fallen, we are brought face to face with the horror and futility of war, and compelled to renew our commitment to strive for the peace and reconciliation Christ came to bring.

Strengthened and encouraged by the prayers and example of those gone before, one with them in the Communion of Saints, we, the Church Militant, continue to live, work and pray for the coming of God's kingdom here on earth as it already is in heaven.

“Now in the meanwhile, with hearts raised on high,
We for that country must yearn and must sigh,
Seeking Jerusalem, dear native land,
Through our long exile on Babylon's strand.”

(From *O quanta qualia* by Peter Abelard, 1079-1142)

Every blessing,
Fr. Kevin

Notices

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.

HEART OF THE CITY FESTIVAL

The Bells of St. James' will be chimed at 2:00 pm on Wed. November 2, as part of the commemoration of the Day of the Dead.

SOLEMN REQUIEM FOR ALL SOULS'

Thurs. Nov. 3 at 6:30 pm

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

GRAHAM MURCHIE RIP

Graham, a former member and trustee of St. James', died earlier this year. The 12:10 pm Mass on Mon. Nov. 7 will be offered as a Requiem for him.

SOLEMN EVENSONG: HOMILY AND VIDEO COMPILATION

On Sun., Oct. 16, we held Solemn Evensong at the church in remembrance of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. The Very Rev'd Peter Elliott preached, and a video has been compiled with some photos of the event, along with samplings of the exquisite music offered by the SJC choir, and the full homily. The video has been made available online for those who were unable to attend in person, [here](#).

CAKE-BAKE

The Mothers' Union is offering a selection of festive baked goodies to order that will be ready for collection on November 27, the First Sunday of Advent. Proceeds to Canadian MU Charitable Giving. Download the order form [here](#)

LYNANN BURTON, ODNW

Lynann's Requiem will take place in church at 12:30 pm on Saturday, November 19. Robert, her son, will receive her ODNW Medal in her place at the Investiture on Saturday, November 5.

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).

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 . 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 31 Saints of the Reformation Era	Is 35:1-10; Ps 85; Mt 18:15-22	Ps 56, 57; Sir 38:24-34; Rev 14:1-13	Ps 64, 65 Neh 6:1-19 Lk 12:49-59
TUES. November 1 All Saints' Day	Dan 7:1-3, 15-18; Ps 149; Eph 1:11-23; Lk 6:20-31	Ps 61, 62; Sir 43:1-22; Rev 14:14-15:8	Ps 68:1-20, 24-36; Neh 12:27-31a, 42b-47; Lk 13:1-9
WED. November 2 All Souls' Day	Wis 3:1-9; Ps 116:1-8; 1 Pet 1:3-9; Jn 6:37-40	Ps 72; Sir 43:23-33; Rev 16:1-11	Ps 119:73-96; Neh 13:4-22; Lk 13:10-17
THUR. November 3 Richard Hooker, Priest & Teacher of the Faith, 1600	1 Cor 2:6-10, 13-16; Ps 37:3-6, 32-33; Jn 17:18-23	Ps 71; Sir 44:1-15; Rev 16:12-21	Ps 74; Ezra 7:11-26; Lk 13:18-30
FRI. November 4 Saints of the Old Testament	Heb 11:1-3, 8-12, 23- 28, 32-12:2; Ps 37:28-36; Mt 22:23-32	Ps 69:1-23, 31-38; Sir 50:1, 11-24; Rev 17:1-18	Ps 73; Ezra 7:27-28, 8:21-36; Lk 13:31-35
SAT. November 5 St. Martin de Porres, Religious, 1639	Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112; Lk 16:9-15	Ps 75, 76; Sir 51:1-12; Rev 18:1-14	Ps 75, 76; Ezra 9:1-15; Lk 14:1-11
SUN. November 6 22th Sunday after Pentecost	Job 19:23-27a; Ps 17:1-9; 2 Th 2:1-5, 13-17; Lk 20:27-38	Ps 93, 96; Sir 51:13-22; 1 Cor 14:1-12	Ps 34; Ezra 10:1-17; Mt 20:1-16

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