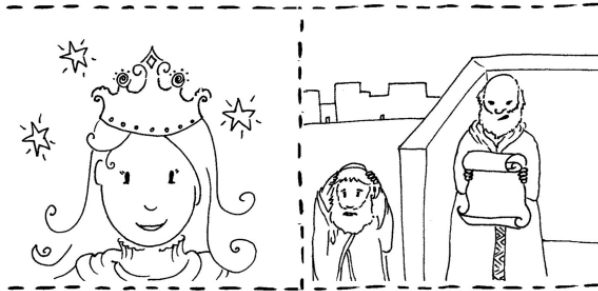


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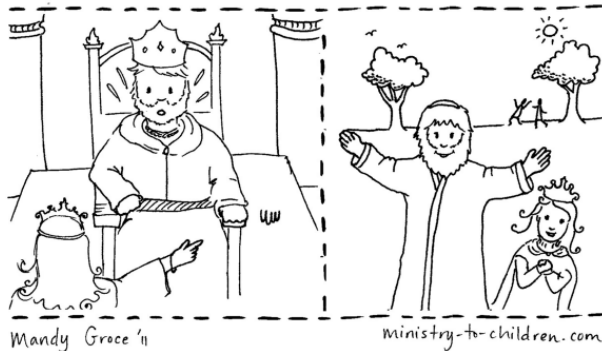
## ANGLICAN CHURCH

A Welcoming Christian Community in North Burnaby

# SEPTEMBER 27, 2015 TRINITY 18



God uses Esther to rescue his people...



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Our Greeter today is Pat Ray.  
Communion Assistants are Donnie Foerster & Byron Jang.  
Sides People are Bob Bolwell & Pat Henderson.

## **ORDER OF SERVICE FOR 10 AM HOLY COMMUNION**

*Page numbers refer to the green Book of Alternative Services (BAS). Our hymnbooks are the blue Common Praise (CP) and the bright green Songs for a Gospel People (SGP). Bibles and music for the mass are found in the pews.*

### **The Gathering of the Community**

**Page**

Processional Hymn: “The Kingdom of God is Justice and Joy”

CP # 631

Greeting:

Presider: 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.**

Children’s Talk

*During the Gloria, all young people are invited to follow the children’s cross downstairs for KidsChurch. They will return shortly before Communion.*

Gloria:

by Adam Jonathan Con

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The image shows a musical score for a Gloria, written in treble clef with a key signature of one flat (B-flat) and a 4/4 time signature. The score consists of ten staves of music. The lyrics are written below the notes. The lyrics are: "Glo ry to God in the High ..... est and peace to his people on earth \_\_\_\_ Lord God heaven ---ly king \_\_\_\_ almighty God \_\_\_\_ and Fa ---ther We wor ---ship you we give you thanks we praise you for your glo ---ry \_\_\_\_ Lord Je sus Christ only Son of the Fa -ther Lord God Lamb of God you take a ---way the sin of the world have mer ----- cy on us \_\_\_\_ you are seated at the right hand of the Father \_\_\_\_ re ---ceive our prayers for you a -- lone are the Holy One you a lone are the Lord you alone are the most High Je ...sus Christ with the Ho ..... ly \_\_\_\_ Spi ---rit \_\_\_\_ in the glo ry of God the Fa -ther. \_\_\_\_ A ..... MEN A --- MEN A --- MEN". There are some handwritten annotations in the score, including "G", "A<sup>b</sup>", and "A" above notes, and "G" below a note. The word "MEN" is written at the end of the final staff.

Collect of the Day (said by all)

**O God, our guide and help in strange lands: strengthen us by the faith and courage of Esther, so that we may confront the oppressor with the justice and unity of your reign, freeing the oppressed and proclaiming your glorious liberty; in the name of Christ, our freedom. Amen.**

## The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Esther 7:1-6, 9-10; 9:20-22 (Bob Bolwell)

Bible p. 448 OT

Psalms 124:

- 1 If the Lord had not been on our side, \* let Israel now say;
- 2 If the Lord had not been on our side, \* when enemies rose up against us;
- 3 Then would they have swallowed us up alive \* in their fierce anger toward us;
- 4 Then would the waters have overwhelmed us \* and the torrent gone over us;
- 5 Then would the raging waters \* have gone right over us.
- 6 Blessed be the Lord! \* he has not given us over to be a prey for their teeth.
- 7 We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the fowler; \*  
the snare is broken, and we have escaped.
- 8 Our help is in the name of the Lord, \* the maker of heaven and earth.

Second Reading: James 5:13-20 (Carolyn Turvey)

Bible p. 231 NT

Gradual Hymn: "Let Streams of Living Justice" V.1+2 *before Gospel*

CP # 575

Reader: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

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

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

The Holy Gospel: Mark 9:38-50 (Byron Jang)

Bible p. 45 NT

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

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

Gradual Hymn: "Let Streams of Living Justice" Ver.3 *after Gospel*

CP # 575

Sermon: "The Elephant in the Room"

The Rev. Stephanie Shepard

Prayers of the People:

*During this time of contemplative music, you are invited to pray quietly in your seat or to come forward to the altar rail for healing prayer or anointing.*

Absolution and the Peace:

Presider: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

**All: And also with you.**

*You are invited to share a sign of God's peace with your neighbours.*

Offertory Hymn: "We Cannot Measure How You Heal"

CP # 292


## The Celebration of the Eucharist

Prayer over the Gifts

(said by all)

**Eternal God, in Jesus Christ we behold your glory. Receive the offering of your people gathered before you, and open our hearts and mouths to praise your great salvation, the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

# Sursum Corda: Lift Up Your Hearts



Presider: Congregation:

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Presider: Congregation:

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Presider: Congregation:

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is

right to give God thanks and praise.

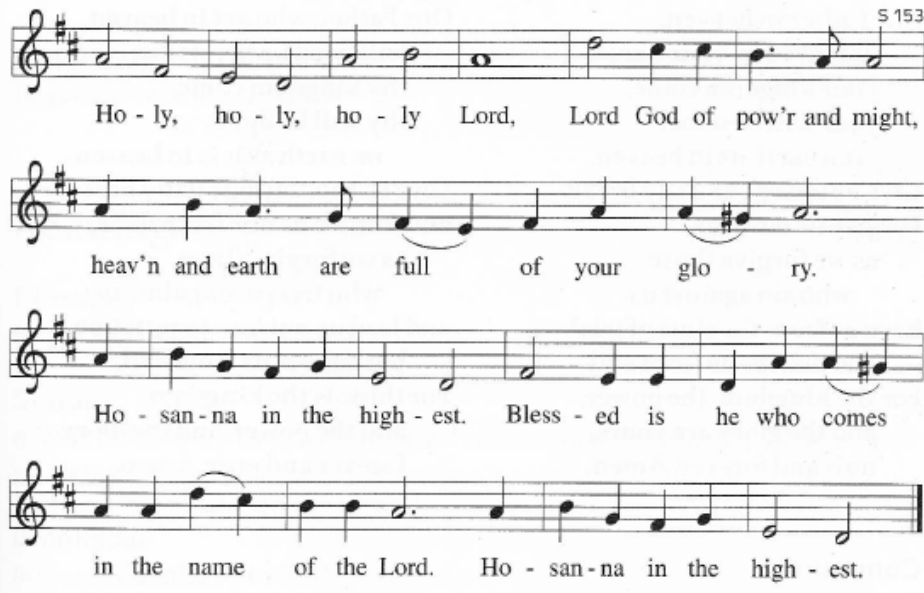
## Eucharistic Prayer 3:

BAS p. 196

Presider: We give you thanks and praise, almighty God...  
...to proclaim the glory of your name.

## Sanctus/Benedictus:

ELW S153



S 153

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,  
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.

Ho - san-na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes  
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san-na in the high - est.

Presider: Holy and gracious God, accept our praise...  
... with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and for ever.

People: Amen.

## The Lord's Prayer:

Haas

David Haas, 1986



Our Fa - ther in heav - en, hal-low-ed be your  
name, your king-dom come, your will be done, on  
earth as in heav - en. Give us to - day our  
dai - ly bread. For - give us our sins as we for-give  
those who sin a - gainst us.  
Save us from the time of trial and de - liv - er us from  
e - vil, for the king-dom, the pow'r and the glo - ry are yours,  
now and for ev - er.

## The Breaking of Bread #2:

Presider: We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**All: We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

Presider: The gifts of God for people of God.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

S 154

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on  
 us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have  
 mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the  
 sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Communion Hymn: "Come My Way, My Truth, My Life"  
"Nothing Can Trouble"

CP # 569

CP # 568

Prayer after Communion:

(said by all)

**Father in heaven, strengthen the unity of your Church, so that we who have been fed with holy things may fulfil your will in the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Parish Prayer:

(said by all)

**Loving Christ, thank you for your many gifts upon this church of St. Timothy. Help us to care for your creation. Guide our parish to greater good as we work to welcome others. Amen.**

Announcements

Recessional Hymn: "How Clear is Our Vocation, Lord"

CP # 466

Dismissal:

Presider: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Flowers for the Altar** are given today to the glory of God; and in memory of loved ones by Angela Barr.

**Coffee Hour** follows today's service. Please join us downstairs in the hall. Serving us today are Eva Hodge, Hiroko Ohori & Anne Marie Milner.

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

**In the Anglican Communion:** The Diocese of Spokane – IX, Episcopal Church, Washington – The Rt. Rev. James Waggoner

**In our Diocese:** St. Michael, Surrey – The Rev. Luisito Engnan; St. Michael, Vancouver – The Rev. Wilmer Toyoken

**Our Church Leaders:** Archbishop of Canterbury Justin Welby, Primate of Canada Fred Hiltz, National Lutheran Bishop Susan Johnson, Provincial Archbishop John Privett, Lutheran Synod of BC Bishop Greg Mohr, our Bishop Melissa Skelton

**In our Parish:** Wendy P., the family of Judy Culver, Bonita P. (Becky’s mom), Lisa, Shannon B., the Symonds family, Lenora, Judith, Laura G., Trudi S., Stella H., Celia B., Georgina K., Christine C., Ann P., Marie H., Alex & Darryl.

*If you would like your name or that of your loved one on the prayer list, please contact the Parish Office with an update.*

## UPCOMING READINGS

### Readings for Sunday Night Prayer

Psalm 19, 46                      Acts 9:36-43

### 10 am Holy Eucharist: *For October 04<sup>th</sup>, 2015 – Trinity 19*

Job 1:1, 2:1-10              Psalm 26              Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12              Mark 10:2-16

## UPCOMING EVENTS

<b>Today</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	9 am – 9:45 am	“How To Pray with Others” Training Workshop
Sept. 29	<b>Tuesday</b>	7:30 pm	Memorial Evensong on the Feast of St. Michael & All Angels
Oct. 03	<b>Saturday</b>	10 am – 12 noon	Planned Giving Workshop w/ Glen Mitchell - please RSVP on attendance.
Oct. 04	<b>Sunday</b>	9 am – 9:45 am	“How To Serve Food In & After Worship” Training Workshop
		7:00 pm	St. Francis of Assisi Day – Blessing of the Animals
Oct. 07	<b>Wednesday</b>	7:30 pm	Disciple: Invitation to the New Testament – Evening Sessions start
Nov. 28	<b>Saturday</b>	9 am – 4 pm	Lougheed Archdeaconry Conference – Anti-Racism Training, All Saints Mission