

# ST. TIMOTHY

## ANGLICAN CHURCH

Meeting on the Traditional Territories of the  
Musqueam, Squamish, & Tsleil Waututh Nations

**OCTOBER 23, 2016 TRINITY 23**



**ABUNDANCE:**

*“Give to the Most High as he has given to you, and as generously as you can afford.”*

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Collect of the Day:

(said by all)

**God beyond our knowing, we make you into an idol to serve our own needs.  
Humble our arrogance by the strangeness of your coming and the wonder of  
your mercy; through Jesus Christ, the friend of Pharisees and tax collectors.  
Amen.**

### **The Proclamation of the Word**

First Reading: **Joel 2:23-32** (Carolyn Turvey)

Bible p. 848 OT

#### **Psalm 65:**

- 1 You are to be praised, O God, in Zion; \* to you shall vows be fulfilled.
- 2 To you, the one who answers prayer, \* shall all flesh come.
- 3 Our sins are stronger than we are, \* but you blot out our transgressions.
- 4 Happy are they whom you choose and draw to your courts to dwell there! \*  
they will be satisfied by the beauty of your house, by the holiness of your temple.
- 5 Awesome things will you show us in your righteousness, O God of our salvation, \*  
O Hope of all the ends of the earth and of the oceans far away.
- 6 You make firm the mountains by your power; \* you are girded about with might.
- 7 You still the roaring of the seas, \*  
the roaring of their waves, and the clamour of the peoples.
- 8 Those who dwell at the ends of the earth will tremble at your marvellous signs; \*  
you make the dawn and the dusk to sing for joy.
- 9 You visit the earth and water it abundantly; you make it very plenteous; \*  
the river of God is full of water.
- 10 You prepare the grain, \* for so you provide for the earth.
- 11 You drench the furrows and smooth out the ridges; \*  
with heavy rain you soften the ground and bless its increase.
- 12 You crown the year with your goodness, \* and your paths overflow with plenty.
- 13 May the fields of the wilderness be rich for grazing, \* and the hills be clothed with joy.
- 14 May the meadows cover themselves with flocks,  
and the valleys cloak themselves with grain; \* let them shout for joy and sing.

Second Reading: **2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18** (Miriam Jang)

Bible p. 213 NT

Gradual Hymn: "Come, Let Us Eat" *Ver. 1-2 before Gospel*

CP # 62

Reader: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

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

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

The Holy Gospel: **Luke 18:9-14** (Byron Jang)

Bible p. 81 NT

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

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



# Eucharistic Prayer # 1

BAS p. 193

Presider: It is indeed right that we should praise you...  
...to proclaim the glory of your name.

## Sanctus/Benedictus:

CP # 735

Presider: Holy God, source of life and goodness...  
... Therefore, we proclaim our hope.

**All: Dying you destroyed our death, rising you restored our life.  
Lord Jesus, come in glory.**

Presider: Recalling his death...  
...almighty Father, now and forever.

**All: Amen.**

## The Lord's Prayer:

Haas

Our Fa -- ther in hea - ven, hallowed be your name, your  
kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in hea --- ven.  
Give us this 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 deliv - er us from e ---- vil, for the  
kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and for --- e -----  
ver ----- .

## **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 the people of God.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

Fraction Hymn: “Lamb of God”

CP # 747

*All seekers of Christ are welcome at this table.*

*To receive a piece of bread and to drink from the common cup, please indicate by holding out both hands. To receive a wafer to dip in the wine, please indicate by holding out one hand. To receive a blessing, cross your arms.*

*Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.*

Communion Hymn: “Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God”

SGP # 83

“Worship the Lord”

SGP # 116

Prayer after Communion:

(said by all)

**God our guide, you have fed us with bread from heaven as you fed the people of Israel. May we who have been inwardly nourished be ready to follow you all our days; we ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Parish Prayer:

(said by all)

**Lord, your Holy Spirit hovered over the waters at the Creation. Send your Spirit on us once more to recreate us in your image and to inspire us to live faithfully in the world. In Jesus’ name. Amen.**

Announcements

Recessional Hymn: “Rejoice, the Lord Is King”

CP # 379

Dismissal:

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

**All: Thanks be to God.**

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

**In Our Diocese:** The Diocesan Primate's World Relief and Development Fund Unit (PWRDF) – Peter Goodwin (Chair); The Diocesan Ecumenical Multifaith Unit (EMU) – The Rev. Robin Ruder-Celiz (Chair)

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

**In our Parish:** Wendy P., Bonita P. (Becky's mom), Lisa, Shannon B., Symonds family, Lenora, Judith, Trudi S., Stella H., Celia B., Alex, Darryl, Charles & Becky, Brad J., Anne A., Simon G., Angela I., Shirley R., the family of Kate & Jay, Angela & Dick B., Lizz L., Lois G., Rosemary L., Ros Z., Lin A., Maribeth M.

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

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ALTAR FLOWERS TODAY** are given to the Glory of God, and in loving memory of Heather's grandmother, Ilene Mortimer, by Heather Robertson.

**HOSPITALITY TIME** follows today's service, so please come & join us in the Narthex. Coffee & tea service today is provided by Anne Marie Milner & Pat Ray.

**ORDER OF NEW WESTMINSTER INVESTITURE** – On *Saturday, Nov. 05, 2016*, at 10:30 am, all are welcome to attend the 2016 Investiture of Donnie Foerster and other New Members to the Order of the Diocese of New Westminster, at the Massey Theatre located at 735-8th Avenue, New Westminster, on the grounds of New Westminster Secondary School. Parking is limited; carpooling is greatly encouraged.

**“FOR ALL THE SAINTS”** – On *Sunday, Nov. 06, 2016, 11:30 am*, there will be a Parish forum on KidsChurch & children's ministry – an honest conversation on how St. Timothy's will support and resource Christian formation for our young ones. Please make arrangements to be present for this important event. Childcare will be provided upon advance request.

## UPCOMING READINGS

### Readings for Sunday Night Prayer

Psalm 63:1-11

1 Corinthians 10:15-24

### 10 am Holy Eucharist: *October 30, 2016 – Trinity 24*

Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4

Psalm 119:137-144

2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

Luke 19:1-10

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday	<b>Today</b>	7:30 - 8:30 pm	Night Catechism Group
Wednesday	Oct. 26	7:30 pm	Northern Witness Bible Study
Sunday	Oct. 30	10:00 am	Messy Church: Reformation Sunday
Saturday	Nov. 05	10:30 am	ODNW Investiture – Donnie Foerster
Sunday	Nov. 06	11:30 am	“For All the Saints” – Parish forum on KidsChurch & children’s ministry
Saturday	Nov. 26	9 am - 4:30 pm	Diocesan Youth Movement (DYM) Fall Training Event @ St. Timothy’s

### **OUR STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION**

#### Scripture Reading: Luke 18:9-14

1. What does this passage say to the church?
2. Can you think of a time when you were like the Pharisee or were you more like the Tax Collector?
3. What does this passage say to you?
4. As you think about your friends and colleagues, are they more like the Pharisee or the Tax Collector?
5. Are there any changes in your life, as a Good Steward, that the passage encourages you to make to be humbler?
6. St. Brigid was well known for her care for the poor. Could St. Brigid be a role model for your sense of generosity?