

ST. TIMOTHY ANGLICAN CHURCH

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

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 Communion Assistants are Kate Turcotte, Caroline Chady, & Gordon Arthur.
 Crucifer is Gwen Dixon. Server is Zepherin Parnell.

ORDER OF SERVICE FOR 10 AM HOLY COMMUNION

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: “Steadfast Love of the Lord”

Gather



The steadfast love of the Lord never ceas -- es; his mercies



nev - er -- come to an end. They are new ev - 'ry morning,



new ev - 'ry morning. Great is thy faith - ful --- ness, O Lord!

Fine



Great is thy faithful --- ness -----.

1. The Lord is good to those who
 2. The Lord will not cast off for
 3. Let us ex - am - ine all our



wait for him, to the soul that seeks ---- him. It is
 e ----- ver, but will have com --- pass ----- ion. He ---
 ways ----- now, and re - turn ----- to the Lord. Let us



good that we should wait ----- qui ----- et ---- ly.
 does not will -- ing -- ly aff --- lict or grieve.
 lift our hearts ---- and ----- hands to God



for the sal -- va -- tion of the Lord The steadfast
 all ----- hu ----- man ----- kind. The steadfast
 who ----- is ----- in ----- heaven. The steadfast

Greeting: BAS p. 185
 Presider: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Presider: 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 Haugen, Mass of Creation

Refrain



Glo --- ry to God in the high ---- est -----, and

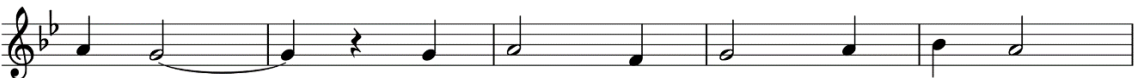


peace ----- to his peo ----- ple on earth -----.

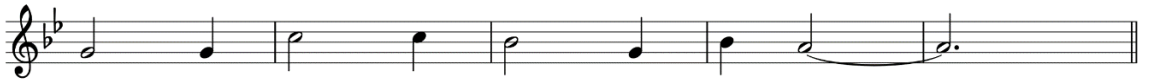
Verse 1



Lord God, heaven -- ly king, al - might ---- y God and



Fa --- ther -----, we wor ---- ship you, we give you



thanks, we praise you for your glo -- ry -----.

Verse 2



Lord Jesus Christ, on --- ly 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 sea --- ted at the right hand



of the Fa ----- ther: re - ceive our prayer -----.

Verse 3



For you al - one are the Ho - ly One, you a -- lone are the Lord ----,



----- you a - lone 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 -----!

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Collect of the Day:

Said by all

Almighty God, you call your Church to witness that in Christ we are reconciled to you. Help us so to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear it may turn to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: **Genesis 50:15-21** (Pat Ray)

Bible p. 48 OT

Psalm 103:8-13:

- 8 Lord, you are full of compassion and mercy, *
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
- 9 You will not always accuse us, * nor will you keep your anger forever.
- 10 You have not dealt with us according to our sins, *
nor repaid us according to our iniquities.
- 11 For as the heavens are high above the earth, *
so great is your steadfast love for those who fear you.
- 12 As far as the east is from the west, *
so far have you removed our transgressions from us.
- 13 As a father has compassion for his children, *
so you have compassion for those who fear you, O Lord.

Second Reading: **Romans 14:1-12** (Zepherin Parnell)

Bible p. 163 NT

Gradual Acclamation: **Haugen “Mass of Creation”**

Verse 1-3



1. Praise the God of all cre a ---- a ----- tion, God of
 2. Tree of life and end - less wis ---- dom, be our
 3. Liv --- ing wa ----- ter, we are thirsy --- ing, for the



mer - cy and com ---- pas ---- sion:
 root, our growth and glo ---- ry: Al -- le ---- lu ----- ia! Al - le --
 life that you have prom --- ised:



lu ----- ia! Praise the Word of truth and life!

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Reader: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

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

All: Glory to You, Lord Jesus Christ.

The Holy Gospel: **Matthew 18: 21-35** (Kate Turcotte)

Bible p. 20 NT

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gradual Acclamation: **Haugen “Mass of Creation”**

Verse 4-5



4. Come, O Spi ----- rit, kin - dle fire -----, in the
5. Praise the God of all cre ---- a ----- tion, God of



hearts of all your peo ---- ple: Al -- le ---- lu ----- ia! Al - le --
mer - cy and com ---- pas ---- sion:



lu ----- ia! Praise the Word of truth and life!

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Sermon:

The Rev. Ruth Monette

The Apostles' Creed: **“I Believe in God Almighty”**

CP # 44

Prayers of the People: (Caroline Chady)

Confession, Absolution and the Peace:

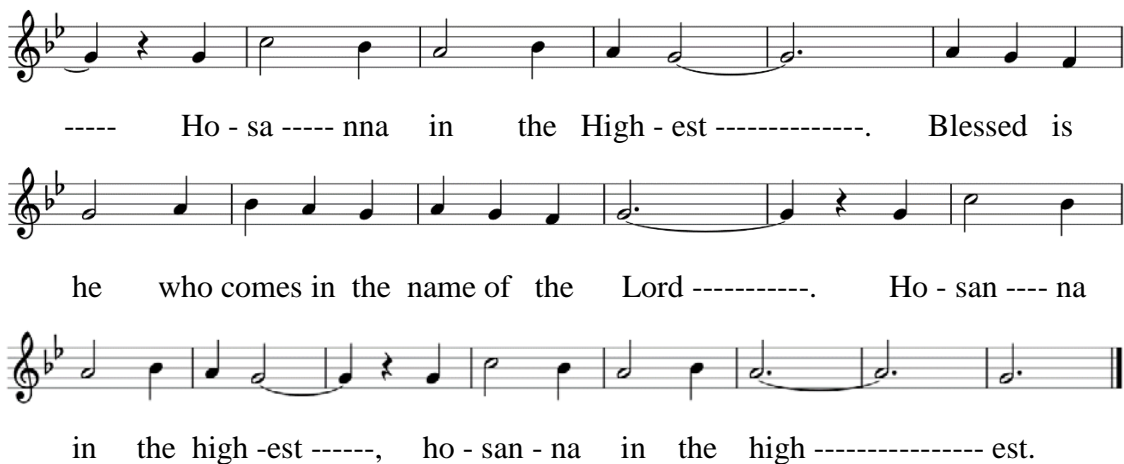
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Presider: Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

~ *Silence is kept.* ~

Presider: Most merciful God ...

All: We confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus



----- Ho - sa ----- nna in the High - est ----- . Blessed is
 he who comes in the name of the Lord ----- . Ho - san ---- na
 in the high - est ----- , ho - san - na in the high ----- est.

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President: Holy and gracious God, accept our praise...
 ... with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and forever.

All: **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Haugen, Mass of Creation



Our Fa - ther who art in hea - ven, hal - lowed be thy name, thy
 kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in hea - ven.
 Give us this day our dai - ly bread. and for - give us our trespasses
 as we forgive those who trespass against us ----- . And
 lead us not in - to tempta --- tion, but de - liv ----- er us from

e ---- vil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours,
 now and for - e ----- ver. A ----- men.

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The Breaking of Bread # 3:

Presider: Creator of all, you gave us golden fields of wheat, whose many grains we have gathered and made into this one bread.

All: **So may your Church be gathered from the ends of the earth into your kingdom.**

Presider: The gifts of God for the people of God.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Agnus Dei

Haugen, Mass of Creation

1. Jesus, Lamb of God -----,
2. Jesus, Bread of Life -----, you take away the sin of the
3. Jesus, Prince of Peace -----,

world: have mer - cy on --- us. 4. Jesus, Lamb of

God -----, you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us your peace.

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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 Music: **“Bless the Lord, My Soul”** CP # 360
“Now, My Tongue, the Mystery Telling” CP # 51

Prayer after Communion: Said by all

God of peace, in this Eucharist we have been reconciled to you and to our neighbours. May we who have been nourished by holy things always have the courage to forgive. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the 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.

Doxology: Said by all

Presider: 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, forever and ever. Amen.

The Blessing

Announcements

Recessional Hymn: **“To God Be the Glory”** CP # 371

Dismissal:

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

All: Thanks be to God.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

In Our Diocese: St. Matthew, Abbotsford - The Rev. Allen Doerksen; The Deanery of The Valley; Our Companion Diocese: Episcopal Diocese of Northern Philippines, Bishop Brent Alawas, the Clergy and Lay Leaders

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

In Our Parish: Wendy P., the Symonds family, Lenora, Stella H., Angela I., Shirley R., Rosemary L., Lin A., Lourdes C., Laura G., the Hodge family, Shirley C., Tamara W., Simon, Heather P., Donna C., John H. and Family, Brenda

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 EVENTS

Wednesday	Sept. 27	7:30 pm	St. Michael and All Angels Evening Prayer Worship (<i>note new time</i>)
Thursday to Saturday	Sept. 28 to Sept. 30	-----	Pastor Ruth is away at the Diocesan Preaching Conference.
Sunday	Oct. 01	11:30 am	All Parish Lunch & Conversation
Wednesday	Oct. 04	7:00 pm	St. Francis Day - Blessing of the Animals on the Labyrinth, 7:00-8:00 pm
Sunday	Oct. 15	11:30 am	Worship Servers Training
Thursday	Oct. 19	7:30 pm	Parish Council Meeting
Sunday	Oct. 27	10:00 am	Fifth Sunday – Celebration of All Saints & All Souls

UPCOMING READINGS

10 am Holy Eucharist: September 17, 2017 – Pentecost 15

Jonah 3:10 - 4:11

Philippians 1: 21-30

Psalms 145:1-8

Matthew 20: 1-16

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALTAR FLOWERS TODAY: – Altar flowers for today are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her son, Richard, and her mother, Anne, along with other loved ones by Pam Black.

HOSPITALITY TIME – Following today’s worship, please join us for refreshment and fellowship in the hall downstairs. Coffee and tea service will be provided by Liz McEwan & Pat Ray.

ATTENTION LADIES WHO LUNCH! The **Ladies Luncheon** will be at Burnaby Mountain Clubhouse, 7600 Halifax St., Burnaby, 604-297-4953, **Wednesday, September 20, at 12:15 pm ~ 1:00 pm**. All women are warmly welcome to attend for fabulous fellowship and food. Please let Peggy S. or Lourdes C. know if you are able to attend. Hope to see you there!

‘EXPRESS RETURN IT’ OF YOUR RECYCLABLES: We have set up St. Timothy for ‘Express Return It’ of recyclables at Encorp Return It locations. You can bag your cans and bottles in a clear or blue bag and drop off at the Express Station by entering the parish phone (604-

299-6816). The refund is then credited to the church's account. An easy way to contribute to the life of St. Timothy's!

ST. MICHAEL'S AND ALL ANGELS EVENING WORSHIP: On *Wednesday, September 27* at 7:30pm, we will hold our annual worship in honour of the Feast of St Michael's and All Angels. In this worship service, we remember those who have died in the past year or whose deaths we continue to mourn. All are welcome to join us for a time of remembrance, contemplation, and prayer.

ST FRANCIS DAY PET BLESSING: We will have our annual Pet Blessings on St Francis Day, *Wednesday, October 4*. Blessings will be available on the Labyrinth from 7 to 8 pm. All leashed or caged pets are welcome; photographs of shy pets are also welcome. Pet and human treats will be available as well. We are looking for 2-4 volunteers to assist with providing human treats. Please see Pastor Ruth if you could assist.

SUNDAY MORNING ROLES: Liturgy is the work of the people and all of us can contribute to our worship time on Sunday mornings. This is an excellent time to (re)consider the roles you take on regularly. We are particularly looking for new members of the Altar Guild, additional Servers, and people to assist with Hospitality. We also always need people to greet visitors and regulars as they arrive for worship, read the Scriptures, led the Prayers of the People, assist with distributing Communion, count the Offerings, assisting with KidsChurch, and manage the PA system and audio recordings. Please see Pat Henderson or Pastor Ruth if you are interested in taking on or shifting to a new role.

CONFIRMATION, RECEPTION, AND REAFFIRMATION OF BAPTISMAL VOWS: These three rituals are ways in which we affirm or reaffirm our commitment to following the Way of Jesus Christ within the Anglican traditions. Those who have been baptized (particularly as infants or young children) *confirm* the promises and intentions set out for them in baptism. Those who have come to the Anglican church from other Christian traditions are *received* into the Church. And all who have been baptized can, from time to time, *reaffirm* their baptismal vows. If you feel that you or your child may be ready or interested in any of these rituals, please speak with Pastor Ruth.

ANGLICAN SPIRITUAL FORMATION RETREAT: The Diocese is offering a new weekend retreat for spiritual formation, called "For the Life of the World (Pro Mundi Vita)". The two pilot weekends are October 13-15 (register by September 29) and October 27-29 (register by October 13). The format of the Retreat supports spiritual formation through personal encounters with God through the power of the Holy Spirit. Using creative structured exercises, music and art, each individual is empowered to reflect on her or his own faith journey, to experience refreshment in common prayer, to encounter Christ in the Scriptures, and to seek a time of contemplative rest in God and in community. If this sounds interesting to you, please speak to Pastor Ruth for additional information.

INTERIM FAQs – WHAT CONVERSATIONS DOES THE PARISH HAVE TO HAVE?

In order to move towards the creation of a Parish Profile and the call process for a new Rector, the parish of St Timothy needs to have some conversations. The Parish Profile, created by the Canonical Committee (made up of your wardens, Synod Delegates and Alternative Delegates), is a description of the parish which is used to attract clergy who might want to become your new Rector. It needs to describe who you are as a parish and where you think you might be headed. It needs to be accurate so that you and your new Rector are a good fit for each other.

In order to be ready to create a Parish Profile, the parish leaders need to check in with each other and the wider community of St Timothy's. We know you've done many kinds of visioning processes and the idea of sitting around a table talking about what kind of church you are and what kind of church you long to be may be unappealing. The reality is, of course, that for organizations like parishes these kinds of conversations are on-going. We are always needing to cast our vision and check in to see if we're still headed in the same direction. We are conscious, however, of not wanting to have the same conversation in the same ways.

We've asked Caitlin Reilly Beck to assist us in having an initial conversation. Caitlin, you may know, is the Diocesan Missioner for Children, Youth, and Families; she is also a trainer in the Diocesan School for Parish Development. Our first conversation will take place on *Sunday, October 01st*, after worship. We will enjoy a catered lunch together as part of that time. Please plan to attend and see Caroline (the Warden leading this work) or Pastor Ruth for more information.