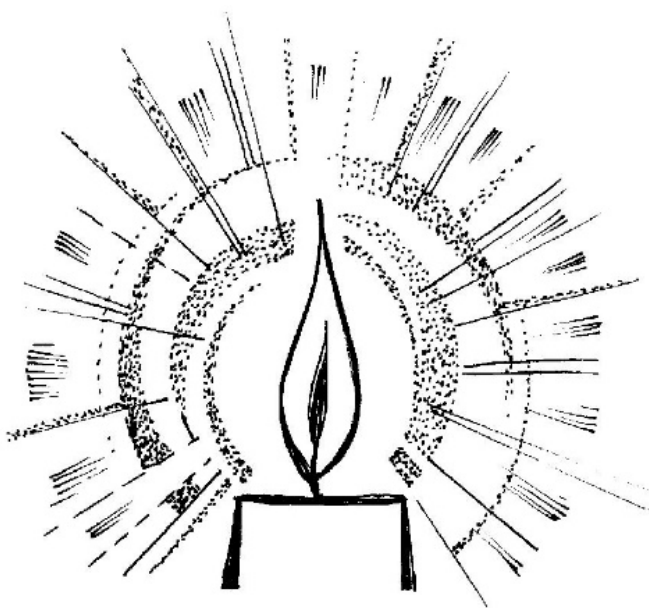


ST. TIMOTHY

ANGLICAN CHURCH

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

DECEMBER 02, 2018 — ADVENT 1



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Greeter is Kum-Heng Poon. Sidespeople are John Nairn & Pat Henderson.
Communion Assistants are Maribeth Mainer, Kate Turcotte & Donnie Foerster.
Crucifer is Gwen Dixon. Deacon is Rev. Lilian Elliott.

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

Processional Hymn: **“People, Look East! The Time Is Near”** CP # 91

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.

The Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Presider: Hope does not disappoint us, because God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. (*Romans 5:5*)

Dear God,

All: we light this candle to remember you give us hope when we are worried. Amen.

Presider: Let us live in God’s hope!

Advent Lighting Hymn: “Be Our Light in the Darkness” CP # 32

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

Collect of the Day: Said by all

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility, that on the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge both the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: **Jeremiah 33.14-16** (Zepherin Parnell)

Bible p. 737 OT

Psalm 25.1-9:

- 1 To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul; my God, I put my trust in you; *
let me not be put to shame, nor let my enemies triumph over me.
- 2 Let none who look to you be put to shame; *
Rather let those be put to shame who are treacherous.
- 3 Show me your ways, O Lord, *
and teach me your paths.
- 4 Lead me in your truth and teach me, *
for you are the God of my salvation; in you have I trusted all the day long.
- 5 Remember, O Lord, your compassion and love, *
for they are from everlasting.
- 6 Remember not the sins of my youth and my transgressions; *
remember me according to your steadfast love and for the sake of your goodness,
O Lord.
- 7 You are gracious and upright, O Lord; *
therefore you teach sinners in your way.
- 8 You lead the lowly in justice *
and teach the lowly your way.
- 9 All your paths, O Lord, are steadfast love and faithfulness *
to those who keep your covenant and your testimonies.

Second Reading: **1 Thessalonians 3.9-13** (Kum-Heng Poon)

Bible p. 204 NT

Gradual Hymn: **“Lead Us, Heavenly Father, Lead Us”** Verses 1+2

CP # 564

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 21.25-36** (Rev. Lilian Elliott)

Bible p. 85 NT

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gradual Hymn: **“Lead Us, Heavenly Father, Lead Us”** Verse 3

CP # 564

Sermon:

The Rev. James Duckett

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

CP # 44

Prayers of the People: (Donnie Foerster)

Confession, Absolution and the Peace:

BAS p. 191

Presider: Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy. God welcomes sinners and invites them to this 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 Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

Presider: Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: Amen.

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: **"O God, Unseen Yet Ever Near"**

CP # 52

Prayer over the Gifts

Said by all

God of love and power, your word stirs within us the expectation of the coming of your Son. Accept all we offer you this day and sustain us with your promise of eternal life. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Sursum Corda:

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Eucharistic Prayer EP # 3

BAS p. 198

Presider: Blessed are you, Gracious God ...
... to proclaim the glory of your name,

Sanctus:

See music insert

Presider: We give thanks to you, Lord our God ...
... Therefore, Father, according to his command,

**All: We remember his death, we proclaim his resurrection,
we await his coming in glory;**

Presider: and we offer our sacrifice ...
... Almighty Father, now and forever.

All: Amen.

The Lord's Prayer:

See music insert

The Breaking of Bread:

Presider: God of promise, you prepare a banquet for us in your kingdom.

All: Happy are those who are called to the supper of the Lamb.

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Agnus Dei:

See music insert

All seekers of Christ are welcome at this table. We invite you to receive Communion at either of our two stations. If you want to receive a piece of bread (or wafer by request) and drink from the common cup, please use the centre station. If you want to receive a wafer to dip into the wine, please use the station at the rail. We can also bring Communion to your seat; please ask a Sidesperson or Greeter. Gluten-free wafers are available by request at both stations. If you wish to receive a blessing instead of Communion, please come forward and request one at the centre station.

Communion Music: **“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”**
“Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life”

CP # 485

CP # 569

Prayer after Communion:

Said by all

God for whom we wait, you have fed us with the bread of eternal life. Keep us ever watchful, that we may be ready to stand before the Son of man. We ask this in the name of Christ the Lord. 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

Celebration of **December** Birthdays & Anniversaries

Recessional Hymn: **“Blessed Be the God of Israel”**

CP # 11

Dismissal:

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

All: Thanks be to God.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

In Our Diocese: We pray for The Deanery of Point Grey – The Rev. Christine Rowe, Regional Dean.

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

In Our Parish: Brenda & the Symonds family, Lenora, Angela I., Shirley R., Rosemary L., Lin A., Lourdes C., Laura G., Simon, Donna C., Fr. Ron B., Andrea, the Salami Family, Pablo S., Sharon W., Mildred S., Bill L., J.M., Ruth C., Cathy L., Lorne U.; the Armstrong Family, Jan S., the Hill Family, Brenda P.

*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

Sunday	Dec. 02	10:00 am	First Sunday service for the Rev. James Duckett
Wednesday	Dec. 05	12:30 pm	Ladies Christmas Luncheon – Burnaby Mountain Clubhouse
Saturday	Dec. 08	3:00 pm	Auroras' Annual Cookie Baking & Swap in the Church Kitchen
Monday	Dec. 10	7:00 pm	Ceremony of New Ministry for Rev. James Duckett
Sunday	Dec. 23	10:00 am	Christmas Pageant – during the worship service

UPCOMING READINGS

10 am Holy Eucharist: December 09, 2018 – 2nd Sunday of Advent

Malachi 3.1-4

Philippians 1.3-11

Psalm as Canticle 19
(*Luke 1.68-79*)

Luke 3.1-6

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY, WE WELCOME THE REV. JAMES DUCKETT as our new Priest at St. Timothy's. The Celebration of New Ministry ceremony for Rev. James will be on Monday, Dec. 10, at 7:00 pm. Everyone is invited to attend.

ALTAR FLOWERS TODAY – Altar flowers for today are given to the Glory of God by Maribeth Mainer in loving memory of her parents.

HOSPITALITY TIME – Following worship, come and join us for refreshment & fellowship in the Hall downstairs. Coffee and tea service today is being provided by Lourdes Cabral & Geok Poon.

FOR LADIES WHO LUNCH – CHRISTMAS LUNCH BUFFET, DEC. 05: Plan ahead for the next luncheon! To be held on *Wednesday, Dec. 05*, at 12:30 pm at the Burnaby Mountain Clubhouse, 7600 Halifax St., Burnaby. The cost will be \$35.00 including tax and tip. All women are warmly welcome to attend for fabulous fellowship and food. Please contact Peggy S. or Lourdes C. to RSVP or e-mail peg.smallwood@gmail.com We hope to see you there!

‘EXPRESS RETURN IT’ OF YOUR RECYCLABLES: Just a reminder that St. Timothy's has been set-up to use ‘Express Return-It’ for recyclables at Encorp Return-It locations. You can bag your cans and bottles in clear or blue bags and drop them off at the Express Station by entering the Parish phone number (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!

The Parish of St Timothy is a lively, family-oriented community of Christians. We welcome families of all shapes and sizes to worship, pray, study, learn, share life's journeys, and to show the world God's love.

Our regular worship time is 10:00 am on Sunday mornings. We welcome children and youth to participate in our worship and offer a children's program during our 10:00 am worship most Sundays. To learn more about the activities of the Parish and how you might become involved, please visit our website, find us on Facebook, join our e-mail list, or contact the Parish office (604-299-6816).