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***“Together in Christ
we seek to love God and
to love and serve all others”***

June 7, 2020

Trinity Sunday

Sunday Virtual Worship Service



WELCOME TO CHURCH OF THE ADVENT

We recognize that we worship on the traditional lands of Coast Salish peoples. We commit ourselves to continue with our First Nations neighbours on the journey of healing, truth and reconciliation.

Rev. Sandra Hounsell-Drover presides & preaches.

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Leader: As we meet together, we begin by remembering the Lekwungen speaking people, on whose traditional land we now gather in gratitude. We acknowledge their story and their stewardship of the land and water, the plants and animals, through the many generations. As we meet together, we remember those who have called this place their home in recent years—the community of faith known as Church of the Advent, whose joyful spirit embraces us. Now let us greet one another with words and signs of welcome.

Opening Hymn: CP 1 Holy Holy Holy, Lord God Almighty

(Reginald Heber; Common Domain)

Sung by Kathy Middleton, Cat Mason, Bev Somers, Dayle Robertson

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
though our sinful human gaze thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee
perfect in power, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Greeting: *from "A Wee Worship Book", Wild Goose Worship Group, GIA Publications, Inc.*

In the beginning before time, before people, before the world began,

God Was.

Here and now among us, bedside us, enlisting the people of earth for the purpose of heaven,

God Is.

In the future, when we have turned to dust and all we know has found its fulfilment,

God Will Be.

Not denying the world, but delighting in it, not condemning the world, but redeeming it, through Jesus Christ, by the power of the Holy Spirit,

God Was.

**God Is.
God Will Be.**

Canticle of Praise: Breastplate of St. Patrick

Antiphon: To you, O blessed Trinity, be worship and honor, glory and power, praise and joyful adoration through eternal ages.

Christ, as a light illumine and guide me.
Christ, as a shield overshadow me.
Christ under me; Christ over me;
Christ beside me on my left and my right.
This day be within and without me, lowly and meek, yet all-powerful.
Be in the heart of each to whom I speak;
in the mouth of each who speaks unto me.
This day be within and without me, lowly and meek, yet all - powerful.
Christ as a light; Christ as a shield;
Christ beside me on my left and my right.

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THE STORY OF FAITH IS PROCLAIMED

Chat @ the Chancel

Song: River Running in You and Me

(Ian MacDonald & Gordon Light; © 2003 Common Cup Company)

River running in you and me,
Spirit of life, deep mystery.
Dancing down to the holy seas,
river run deep, river run free.

River laughed on my birthing day,
wind and water joined in play.
Soaked my soul in a shining spray
river run deep, river run free.

River singing in you and me,
Spirit of life, deep mystery.
Catch us up in your melody,
river run deep, river run free.

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, 'Let there be light'; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

And God said, 'Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters.' So God made the dome and separated the waters that were under the dome from the waters that were above the dome. And it was so. God called the dome Sky. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day.

And God said, 'Let the waters under the sky be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear.' And it was so. God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, 'Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it.' And it was so. The earth brought forth vegetation: plants yielding seed of every kind, and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the third day.

And God said, 'Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth.' And it was so. God made the two great lights—the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night—and the stars. God set them in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth, to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day.

And God said, 'Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky.' So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them, saying, 'Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth.' And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day.

And God said, 'Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind.' And it was so. God made the wild animals of

the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good.

Then God said, 'Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth.'

So God created humankind in his image,
in the image of God he created them;
male and female he created them.

God blessed them, and God said to them, 'Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth.' God said, 'See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food.' And it was so. God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all their multitude. And on the seventh day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done. So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation.

These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

For the Word of God is scripture,
For the Word of God is among us,
For the Word of God is within us,

Thanks be to God.

Psalm: 8

William Geimer

Lord our governor, how exalted is your name in all the world!
Out of the mouths of infants and children your majesty is praised above the heavens.
You have set up a stronghold against your adversaries, to quell the enemy and the avenger.
When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,
What is man that you should be mindful of him? The son of man that you should seek him out?
You have made him but little lower than the angels; you adorn him with glory and honour;
You give him mastery over the works of your hands; you put all things under his feet;

All sheep and oxen, even the wild beasts of the field,
The birds of the air, the fish of the sea, and whatsoever walks in the paths of the sea.
O Lord our governor, how exalted is your name in all the world!

Second Reading: *2 Corinthians 13:11-13*

William Geimer

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

For the Word of God is scripture,
For the Word of God is among us,
For the Word of God is within us,
Thanks be to God.

Hymn of the Day: **You Are My All in All**

(Dennis Jernigan, © Warner/Chappell Music, Inc)

Sung by Dayle Robertson & Bev Somers

You are my strength when I am weak
You are the treasure that I seek
You are my all in all

Seeking You as a precious jewel
Lord to give up I'd be a fool
You are my all in all

Jesus Lamb of God worthy is Your name
Jesus Lamb of God worthy is Your name

Taking my sin my cross my shame
Rising again I bless your name
You are my all in all

When I fall down you pick me up
When I am dry You fill my cup
You are my all in all

Jesus Lamb of God worthy is Your name
Worthy is Your name
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Gospel: *Matthew 28:16-20*

Rev. Dr. Paul Schumacher

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

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

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon:

Rev. Sandra Hounsell-Drover

Affirmation of Faith: "Nicene Creed"

Let us confess our faith, as we say,
**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.**

For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified
under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father.
With the Father and the Son
he is worshipped and glorified.
He has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic
and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism
for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*Bound together in Christ, Our Redeemer, and in the communion of the Holy Spirit, let us pray with one heart and mind to God, Our Creator, saying: **Holy Trinity, hear us.***

That the love which passes ceaselessly between the One who gave us life, and the One who secured our place in the kingdom of heaven, in fellowship with the Holy Spirit, renew and deepen the life of every Christian and draw us all into your presence,
*we pray: **Holy Trinity, hear us.***

For the Anglican Church in Mexico, for Ansley our diocesan administrator, for Sandra our incumbent, for the Diocese of Caledonia, for the Parish of Holy Trinity Sooke, and for St. David-by-the-Sea Cordova Bay; for the leaders of the nations, praying especially for resolution of the

unrest in the United States of America and here in Canada, that all may discern the ways to overcome divisions and mistrust, and to reflect the unity of your sacred Trinity in every aspect of life, *we pray: **Holy Trinity, hear us.***

That your revelation of your Blessed Trinity in Jesus Christ, and your enduring presence among us as Spirit, may help us to understand both ourselves and your divine presence in and through us, as we are made in your image and likeness, *we pray: **Holy Trinity, hear us.***

For our families, our households, and our communities, that they may be places of safety, communion and mutual respect; places which build up and strengthen us to be your holy people, *we pray: **Holy Trinity, hear us.***

We are thankful for this universe which you made and then renewed through the power of the resurrection of your beloved Son, Jesus Christ; we pray for grace that we may be wise and careful stewards of all Your Creation, *we pray: **Holy Trinity, hear us.***

In the power of the Holy Spirit, we pray for the sick, the suffering, and all who stand in need, remembering today Dianne, Rick & Barb, Brad & Lorna, Judith, Sheila, Kian, Elmer & Alice, Lucy, Barb, Peter, Mike, Rob, Peggy and Abigail, Carol Ann, Joan, Maureen, Melissa, Cat and her family, and those we remember in the quiet of our own hearts, *we pray: **Holy Trinity, hear us.***

Gracious God, whom Jesus called Abba and Father, accept the prayers we offer this day. By the inner workings of your Spirit, deepen our union with you, the source of all life, make us more and more living expressions of your enduring love in this earthy life.

*This we pray through Our Saviour, Jesus Christ, who lives and works with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **AMEN.***

Collect of the Day: Holy One, whose fingers sculpted sun and moon; Holy Spirit, who brooded over the waters of creation; How Word, who lives in us; may we share in your grace, love and communion, so that we may live in your likeness; for you live in unity and diversity, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer: And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray...

**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.

Blessing:

Shared Ministry:

WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD

Commissioning Hymn: CP 9 Today I Awake

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Sung by Kathy Middleton & Azeita Harding

Today I awake and God is before me.
At night, as I dreamt, God summoned the day;
For God never sleeps but patterns the morning
with slithers of gold or glory in grey.

Today I arise and Christ is beside me.
He walked through the dark to scatter new light,
Yes, Christ is alive, and beckons his people
to hope and to heal, resist and invite.

Today I affirm the Spirit within me
at worship and work, in struggle and rest.
The Spirit inspires all life which is changing
from fearing to faith, from broken to blest.

Today I enjoy the Trinity round me,
above and beneath, before and behind;
The Maker, the Son, the Spirit together
they called me to life and call me their friend.

Commissioning:

From where we are to where you need us,

Christ be beside us.

From what we are to what you can make of us,

Christ be before us.

From the mouthing of generalities to making signs of your Kingdom,

Christ be beneath us.

Through the streets of this world to the gates of heaven,

Christ be above us.

Surround us with your presence, inspire us with your purpose, confirm us in your love.

Amen.

TODAY WE PRAY

Pray for La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico

Ansley our Diocesan Administrator, Sandra our Rector, & Paul our Associate Priest.

For Holy Trinity, Sooke & Diocese of Caledonia.

In the Selkirk Region for S. David-by-the-Sea, Cordova Bay.

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED US TO PRAY FOR THEM

Joan, Maureen, Elmer & Alice, Lucy, Barb, Peter, Mike, Rob, Peggy,

Carol Ann, Rick & Barb, Brad, Lorna, Kian, Sheila, Judith, Melissa plus Cat & Family.