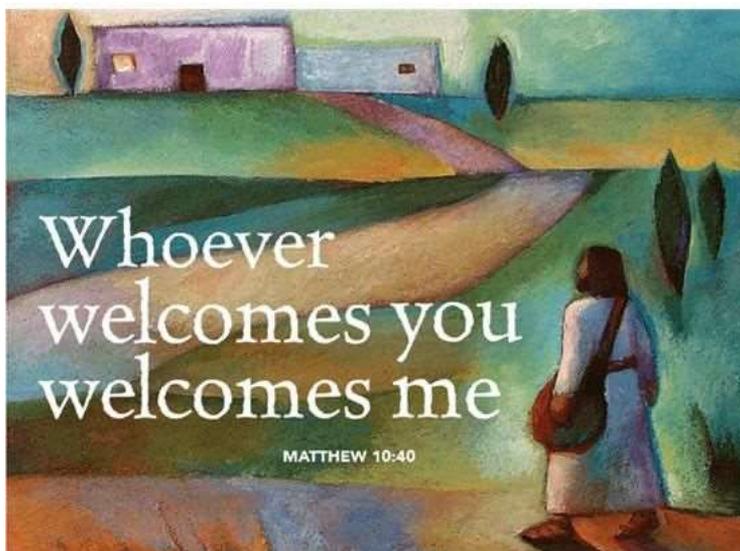


Welcome to  
**St. Luke Cedar Hill**

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost  
June 28, 2020



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Organ Prelude: *Adagio* from Sonata No. 1 in F minor  
by Felix Mendelssohn

Welcome, Absolution and Confession  
(The Rev. Daniel Fournier)

Priest: Welcome in the name of Christ.  
God's grace, mercy and peace be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Priest: Loving God, we have come to worship you.  
Help us to pray to you in faith,  
to sing your praise with gratitude,  
and to listen to your word with eagerness;  
through Christ our Lord.

**All: Amen.**

*Invitation to Confession*

Priest: Let us pause and reflect;  
Let us call to mind the times  
we have been unfaithful  
to the ways of God.

*Prayer Of Confession*

**All: God of all life and each life,  
Forgive us when we forget  
that life is a gift  
and that you are with us  
in both our struggles and our achievements.  
Forgive us when we ignore the value  
of each person you have created  
and for the pain  
we have caused to others.  
Bless those who have been hurt  
by our actions and by our inaction  
with your healing love.  
Heal us, too, of the hurts  
and harm we carry**

**and forgive us the grudges  
that weigh us down.  
Restore our faith in your goodness  
and free us to live with you  
and with each other in reconciling grace  
through the mercy of Christ Jesus,  
in whose name we pray. Amen.**

*Absolution:*

Priest: May the God of love  
bring us back to himself,  
forgive us our sins,  
and assure us of his eternal love  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All: Amen.**

**Hymn of Praise: CP 438 O Jesus, I Have Promised**  
(v. 1, 4; *tune: CP 444 Thornbury*)

**O Jesus, I have promised  
to serve thee to the end;  
Be thou forever near me,  
my Master and my Friend.  
I shall not fear the battle  
if thou art by my side,  
nor wander from the pathway  
if thou wilt be my guide.**

**O let me see thy footmarks  
and in them plant mine own:  
My hope to follow duty  
is in thy strength alone.  
O guide me, call me, draw me,  
uphold me to the end;  
and then in heaven receive me,  
my Saviour and my Friend.**

## Collect of the Day

Priest: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Priest: Let us pray.

Welcoming God,  
make us apostles of your generous love,  
so that we might offer hospitality  
that challenges the world  
with your gift of eternal life,  
made known in Jesus Christ,  
who offered himself for us.  
**Amen.**

## The Liturgy of the Word

**FIRST READING:** Jeremiah 28: 5-9

Reader: Gillian Bloom

Reader: A reading from the Book of the Prophet Jeremiah.

*The reading can be found here:*

<https://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/texts.php?id=148>

*(Note – Scroll down to reading)*

*At the end of the reading:*

Reader: Word of God, Word of Life.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 89: 1-4, 15-18**

**Refrain**

Michel Guimont



For ev - er I will sing the good-ness of the Lord.

**THE GOSPEL:** Matthew 10: 40-42

Reader: Ray Lett

Reader: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Reader: A reading from the Holy Gospel  
according to Matthew.

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

*The gospel can be found here:*

<https://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/texts.php?id=148>

*At the end of the gospel:*

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

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

Reflection: The Rev. Daniel Fournier

**Hymn: CP 592 Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life**

*(v. 1, 6; tune: Fulda)*

**Where cross the crowded ways of life,  
where cries of tribe and race resound,  
amid the noise of selfish strife,  
O Christ, your word of love is found.**

**Till all the world shall learn your love,  
and follow where your feet have trod;  
till glorious from your heaven above  
shall come the city of our God.**

Priest: Let us share in this Statement of Faith  
based on Paul's letter to the Ephesians.  
Let us declare our faith in God.

**All:**            **We believe in God the Father,  
from whom every family  
in heaven and on earth is named.  
We believe in God the Son,  
who lives in our hearts through faith,  
and fills us with his love.  
We believe in God the Holy Spirit,  
who strengthens us  
with power from on high.  
We believe in one God;  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

**The Prayers:**

And now we pray  
We pray for God's world, for the church,  
and for all God's people.  
God of all places and people  
we are glad to thank you  
for our partners in faith and vision throughout the world,  
for people who must survive in difficult circumstances  
and who find ways to live out their faith  
in joy and thanksgiving for all your gifts.  
In these times of global change and uncertainty,  
may we turn to you as our hope.  
Caring God  
**Hear our prayer.**

God of all people and nations,  
God who loves all  
without distinction of colour or feature  
Hear our prayers for the people and churches of the world  
who stand firm in the face of injustice  
and, with imagination and determination,  
share a spirit of adventure which can lead to miracles.  
May the fresh winds of your Spirit  
enliven, encourage, and empower

those who provide leadership  
so that your vision of hospitality  
and inclusion may become a reality for all.

Caring God

**Hear our prayer.**

We pray for world leaders  
as they grapple with the effects of the COVID virus  
on the well-being of their people.

Equip them to lead with courage and compassion  
so that policies and programs may be fair and equitable for all.

Give wisdom to those

who are working to develop a vaccine.

Give hope and strength to all who work in hospitals  
and care homes during these difficult times.

And empower us to each do our part  
to care for the safety of all

as our province relaxes restrictions

and opens businesses, recreation areas, and travel.

Caring God

**Hear our prayer.**

Gracious God, as you challenge us  
to be a place and a people of welcome,  
give vision to the leaders of our congregation  
as they work towards the time  
when we can worship together.

May all that they do reveal your empowering spirit,  
as they seek your guidance and revelation  
to find new ways of being church in these times.

Caring God

**Hear our prayer.**

God who is always close,  
we give thanks  
as we pray for our families and loved ones.

As we take time to be still,  
to rest in your embrace,  
we pray for .....

We pause to name those  
who have a special place in our hearts .....  
grant them wholeness and give them peace.  
Caring God,  
**hear our prayer.**

Life-giving God,  
receive all our prayers that we offer this day  
in confidence and hope.  
May we be strengthened in love  
to be your sign of love.  
In Christ's name we pray. **Amen.**

*The Lord's Prayer*

Priest: In the words that Jesus taught us, let us pray

**All: Our Father in heaven,  
Hallowed be your name,  
Your kingdom come,  
Your will be done,  
On earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
As we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial,  
And deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
And the glory are yours,  
Now and forever.  
Amen.**

Priest: 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,  
For ever and ever. Amen.**

*The Blessing*

Priest: Loving God,  
 we thank you for hearing our prayers,  
 feeding us with your word,  
 and encouraging us  
 in our virtual meeting together.  
 Take us and use us to love  
 and serve you, and all people;  
 and the blessing of God, the Creator,  
 who made us and knows us;  
 the Saviour, who redeems and befriends us;  
 and the Spirit, who enlightens and sustains us,  
 be with you this day and always.

**All: Amen.**

**Closing Hymn: All the Ends of the Earth**

*(v. 1, 2; composer: Bob Dufford)*

*Refrain:* **All the ends of the earth,  
 all the creatures of the sea,  
 lift up your eyes to the wonders of the Lord,  
 for the Lord of the earth,  
 the Master of the sea,  
 has come with justice for the world.**

**Break into song at the deeds of the Lord,  
 the wonders He has done in every age. *Refrain***

**Heaven and earth shall rejoice in his might  
 Ev'ry heart, ev'ry nation call Him Lord. *Refrain***

*Dismissal*

Priest: In the name of the Light that came into the world  
 go in peace.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

Organ Postlude: *Toccatà in F-Major* by D. Buxtehude

St. Luke's relies on donations to keep offering these services while our doors are closed. You can make a gift by:

- Cheque (mail, drop off at the hall, or have it picked up)
- Credit Card (Canada Helps)
- Electronic Collection Plate (automatic debit)

**Please visit the DONATE page at St. Luke's website for more information.** Thank you for your donations.

**Thank you to the Worship Team Members for this Sunday Service:** Presider and Intercessions: Rev. Daniel Fournier and Joan Scandrett; Readers: Gillian Bloom and Ray Lett; Musicians: Daniel Fournier, Sharon McMillan, Susanne Reul-Zastre, Matthew Robertson, Maria Ross, and Joan Scandrett; Directing Service Framework, Planning Visual and Audio Elements of the Service: Daniel Fournier and Joan Scandrett; Online Video Production and Posting at Facebook: Daniel Fournier; Service Outline: Susanne Reul-Zastre, Daniel Fournier, Sharon McMillan, and Barb Prescott; Posting at the Website: Barb Prescott; Hymn Text Slides: Sharon McMillan; Member-at-Large: Maria Ross.

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**THIS WEEK'S PARISH NEWS – June 29 – July 4**  
**(\*\*New Items, \*Revised Items)**

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**\*\*The Design for our 160<sup>th</sup> Anniversary T-Shirts has been chosen.** Thank you to all those who submitted their wonderful creations! Please visit the **News page of St. Luke's website** for details.

**Spiritual Gathering Group** – Online via Zoom Thursdays from 10 am to 11 am. Every Thursday morning bring your coffee and join us for a time of prayer, discussion and meditation on the topic of '*What It Means to be Anglican.*' For more

information, visit the Events page of St. Luke's website or e-mail Leslie at [programdirector@stlukecedar.hill.ca](mailto:programdirector@stlukecedar.hill.ca).

**\*Our annual Amazing Journey Day Camp will be online this year!** Lots of our camp traditions will be happening in new and fun ways: games, crafts, music, and Bible stories! The program is for children who have completed Grades 1 to 5. This online morning program will be held July 6<sup>th</sup> to July 10<sup>th</sup> from 10 - 11 am. Please visit the **Events page of St. Luke's website** for more information.

**Thrifty Foods Smile Cards** – Thank you to everyone who has been using their Smile Cards. **This year's Thrifty's Smile Card Fundraiser Program has now started.** This year the money will go towards repairing some of our rock walls.

**\*The Pop-Up Plant Sale** – Donations to the Pop Up Plant Sale continue to arrive from people who picked up some of the leftover plants or who weren't able to attend the Plant Sale. **The Pop Up Plant Sale donations to date now total \$1,441.55!**

**\*St. Luke's Spring Fair Fund** – Thank you for continuing to make your regular donations and for your extra donations to the Spring Fair Fund. **As of June 22<sup>nd</sup> including the donations from the Plant Sale, we have received \$4,111.35 towards the Spring Fair Fund (59% of our way to raising \$7,000).** Let's see if we can make up the \$7,000 of income we are missing because we weren't able to hold our Spring Fair this year. If you are making a donation to the Spring Fair Fund, please note this on your envelope or your cheque, or choose Spring Fair Fund when you make a donation online through Canada Helps.

**Thank You for your Support for the Ongoing Ministry of St. Luke's Church** by writing a cheque, making a donation online through Canada Helps, and by signing up for ECP. Your donations are greatly appreciated. Please refer to the **DONATE page** at the website for more information.

**Your donations by cheque can be sent in the mail, dropped off at the parish office, or picked up from your home.** To mail a donation to St. Luke's, please send it to: St. Luke's Church, 3821 Cedar Hill Cross Rd., Victoria, BC V8P 2M6. **If you would like your donation picked up, please call St. Luke's Office (250-477-6741)** to arrange for someone to pick up your donation.

**Changes at St. Luke's Office** – Due to COVID-19, and the subsequent closure of our church buildings, Parish Council made the difficult decision to temporarily lay off our parish administrator in the middle of May. Bonnie will continue to receive her employment benefits during this time, and return to work as soon as it is feasible. In her absence, Daniel will be responding to messages left in the office. We hope that Bonnie is able to enjoy her time off from work, and we look forward to having her return in the near future.

**While the office is closed, please leave a message** on the office phone (250-477-6741) or e-mail ([admin@stlukecedarhill.ca](mailto:admin@stlukecedarhill.ca)) or Daniel's e-mail ([incumbent@stlukecedarhill.ca](mailto:incumbent@stlukecedarhill.ca)). Phone messages and e-mails will be checked and responded to regularly.

**Please join us every Sunday** on your electronic device (computer, phone, iPad, etc.) to watch our weekly liturgical service. The service will be posted at the St Luke's website ([www.stlukesvictoria.ca](http://www.stlukesvictoria.ca)) and Facebook page ([www.facebook.com/StLukeCedarHill](https://www.facebook.com/StLukeCedarHill)). You don't have to be a Facebook member to access this link.

**Thank You and An Update from Shelbourne Community Kitchen** – The Shelbourne Community Kitchen team is excited to announce that the Kitchen's COVID-19 Urgent Food Support Fund officially raised \$32,115! The Kitchen Team sends their heart-felt thanks to everyone for their generous donations. See further information at the **News page of St. Luke's website.**

**Cancelled: The 160<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Fundraising Concert** that was planned for September has been cancelled. We hope to celebrate 161 years in 2021!

**Thank You and An Update from ABCs and Rice** – As you know, in other years we have supported the Rice for a Year program at ABCs and Rice in Siem Reap in Cambodia through a Fundraiser Tea and Silent Auction in September. This year, because we cannot gather in large groups, it is unlikely that we will be able to hold the tea this fall. But the need is still there and even greater now. **See thank you notes from the children and information at the News page of St. Luke's website** regarding how you can make a donation to help the children and families of Siem Reap, Cambodia.

**IN THE WORLDWIDE ANGLICAN PRAYER CYCLE, we pray for** the united Church of North India, The Most Revd Dr Prem Chand Singh - Moderator of CNI & Bishop of Jabalpur. **In our Diocesan Prayer Cycle, we pray for** the Very Rev. Ansley Tucker, the Diocesan Administrator; and for Trinity Anglican & Lutheran Church, Port Alberni - Brenda Nestegaard Paul. **We pray for** Lutheran Church of the Cross and Pastor Lyle and Pastor Lyndon. **We also pray for** the Diocese of Yukon and Bishop Lesley Wheeler-Dame.

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We hope you will visit again!

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**Program Director:** Leslie Flynn                      contact the office

**Wardens:** Sharon Hallsor  
Sharon McMillan

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### READINGS FOR SUNDAY July 5, 2020

Zechariah 9: 9-12

Psalm 145: 8-14

Romans 7: 15-25a

Matthew 11: 16-19, 25-30

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