

Archbishop & Metropolitan – The Most Rev. Dr. Lynne McNaughton
Diocese of New Westminster – Bishop: The Right Reverend John Stephens



St Clement's Anglican Church

**Trinity Sunday
May 30th 2021
Morning Prayer**

*A special warm welcome to The Rev. Paula Porter Leggett
who joins St Clement's as our Guest Officiant /Interim Priest.*

Welcome to everyone worshipping with us online today

Officiant

We acknowledge with respect that we worship on the ancestral and unceded territories of the Tsleil-Waututh, the Musqueam, and the Squamish. Let us pray that we may live more deeply into the calls to action from Canada's Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

All

May the living Christ lead us all on pathways of reconciliation and peace.

Following the ringing of the bell, a moment of silence is kept

Opening Hymn

Today I awake

Today I awake and God is before me.
At night, as I dreamt, he 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.

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The Gathering of the Community

Officiant Your love, O God, has been poured into our hearts.
We abide in you and you in us.

All **We will give thanks to you and call upon your name;
we will make known your deeds among the peoples.**

Officiant We raise our songs of praise to you
and speak of all your marvellous works.

All **You alone are the Holy One,
who was and who is and is to come.**

Officiant Blessed are you, creator God,
to you be praise and glory for ever.
As your Spirit moved over the face of the waters
bringing light and life to your creation,
pour out your Spirit on us today
so that we may walk as children of light
and by your grace reveal your presence.

All Blessed be the holy and undivided Trinity, one God.
Blessed be God forever.

The Proclamation of the Word

Psalm 29

- 1 Ascribe to the Lord, you gods,
ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.
- 2 **Ascribe to the Lord the glory due the divine name;
worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.**
- 3 The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders;
the Lord is upon the mighty waters.
- 4 **The voice of the Lord is a powerful voice;
the voice of the Lord is a voice of splendour.**
- 5 The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar trees;
the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon,
- 6 **and makes Lebanon skip like a calf,
and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.**
- 7 The voice of the Lord
splits the flames of fire;
- 8 **the voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness;
the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.**
- 9 The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees writhe and strips the forests bare.
And in the temple of the Lord all are crying, "Glory!"
- 10 **The Lord sits enthroned above the flood;
the Lord sits enthroned as sovereign for evermore.**
- 11 The Lord shall give strength to this people;
the Lord shall give this people the blessing of peace.

Officiant Glory to the holy and undivided Trinity, one God:
All **as it was in the beginning, is now and will be for ever. Amen.**

A Reading from the Book of Isaiah (6 : 1 – 8)

Ian Gunn

At the end of the reading, the reader says

Holy Word, Holy Wisdom.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Responsory

Officiant Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your people
All and kindle in us the fire of your love.

Officiant All who are led by the Spirit of God
are children of God and fellow-heirs with Christ.
All Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your people.

Officiant Renew the face of your creation, Creator of all,
and pour on us the gifts of your Spirit,
All and kindle in us the fire of your love.

Officiant For the creation waits with eager longing
for the glorious liberty of the children of God.
All Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your people
and kindle in us the fire of your love.

The Gospel

Deacon The Lord be with you.
All And also with you.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John (3 : 1 – 17)
All Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

At the end of the Gospel, the Deacon says
The Gospel of Christ
All Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Silence for Reflection

Sermon

The Rev. Paula Porter Leggett

Canticle: A Song of Deliverance (Isaiah 12 : 2 – 6)

Officiant 'Behold, God is our salvation, *
in whom we will trust and will not be afraid;
for the Lord God is our strength and our song, *
and has become our salvation.'

All With joy we shall draw water *
from the wells of salvation.
On that day we shall say, *
'We give thanks to you, O Lord,
and call upon your name.

Officiant We shall make known your deeds among the nations, *
proclaiming that your name is exalted.
Let us sing the praises of the Lord who has triumphed gloriously; *
let this be known in all the world.

All Shout and sing for joy, all that dwell in Zion, *
for great in our midst is the Holy One of Israel.

Officiant Glory to God, Source of all being, eternal Word and Holy Spirit:
All as it was in the beginning, is now and will be for ever.

The Nicene Creed

Presider Let us confess our faith, as we say,

All 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 became human. 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
is worshipped and glorified, who 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.**

Hymn

I bind unto myself today

I bind unto myself today the strong name of the Trinity,
by invocation of the same, the Three-in-One, and One-in-Three.

Christ be with me, Christ within me, Christ behind me, Christ before me,
Christ beside me, Christ to win me, Christ to comfort and restore me.
Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ in quiet, Christ in danger,
Christ in hearts of all that love me, Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.

I bind unto myself the name, the strong name of the Trinity,
by invocation of the same, the Three-in-One, and One-in-Three,
of whom all nature hath creation, eternal Father, Spirit, Word.
Praise to the Lord of my salvation; salvation is of Christ the Lord.

*Text: Attrib. Patrick of Ireland (389? – 461?); tr. Cecil Frances Alexander (1818 – 1895)
Music: Irish hymn; arr. Charles Villiers Stanford (1852 – 1924).*

Prayers of the Community

Ian Gunn

Let us offer our intercessions, petitions and thanksgivings, saying,
'God of the prophets, hear our prayer.'

Lift up our hearts to the heavenly places
and inspire us to serve you as a royal priesthood.

All **God of the prophets, hear our prayer.**

Let all peoples acknowledge your reign of justice and peace
and grant on earth the blessing of peace.

All **God of the prophets, hear our prayer.**

Send down upon us the gift of the Spirit
and renew your church with power from on high.

All **God of the prophets, hear our prayer.**

May peace abound and righteousness flourish,
so that we may vanquish injustice and wrong.

All **God of the prophets, hear our prayer.**

Help us to proclaim the good news of salvation,
and grant us the needful gifts of your grace.

All **God of the prophets, hear our prayer.**

A time of silence for your own prayers

Holy God, you spoke the world into being. Pour your Spirit to the end of the earth, so that your children may return from exile as citizens of your commonwealth, and our divisions may be healed by your word of love and righteousness.

All **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Officiant Being made one by the power of the Spirit, and gathering our prayers and praises into one, let us pray as our Saviour taught us, in the language closest to your heart,

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 for ever. Amen.**

Blessing

Announcements

The Dismissal

Deacon May the Spirit kindle in us the fire of God's love. Alleluia! Alleluia!
All **Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Closing Hymn Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty

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, 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.

Text: Reginald Heber (1783 – 1826) alt. / Music: John Bacchus Dykes (1823 – 1876); desc. Godfrey Hewitt (1909 –) ©

Scripture Readings for next Sunday

2 Corinthians 4 : 5 – 7, 13 – 18 / Psalm 130 / Mark 3 : 20 – 35

Pastoral Care

Pastoral concerns may be referred to the Rev. Elizabeth Mathers at
604-339-6581.

Please let the clergy know if you or a family member is in hospital.

AllThis week

Today (after the service)

Drive-by Pancake Breakfast pick-up

Wednesday 11.15am Bible Study on Zoom (former in-person Bible study)
Meeting ID: 820 1807 6451 Passcode: 763925 (every week the same)

Wednesday 12 noon Noon Prayer on Zoom
Meeting ID: 820 1807 6451 Passcode: 763925 (every week the same)

Wednesday 7.30pm Bible Study via Zoom

Friday 8.00am Men's Fellowship Bible Study via Zoom



Day of Prayer for Camp

Today, we invite you and your congregation to join Camp Artaban in participating in Canada's 3rd annual **Day of Prayer for Camp**! This incredible, free event invites churches across the country to unite in prayer in support of all those involved within the Christian camping ministry.

Things to pray for - The health, safety, and well-being of the entire Artaban family - Guidance for the staff and leadership team through this upcoming season - All families, campers, and past alumni who continue to support Artaban and its mission.

For more information, visit <https://www.prayforcamp.ca/> or campartaban.com/dayofprayer



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Prayers –

The following are for your prayers this week

In our own Diocese: Pray for John, our Bishop; Stephen, Archdeacon; and Patrick, Regional Dean; for the North Vancouver Regional Ministry Team and churches. For Linda, our Primate; for Lynne, Archbishop and Metropolitan; for Mark, the National Indigenous Archbishop; for the parishes of Holy Trinity, Vancouver; Holy Trinity, White Rock; Holy Trinity Cathedral, New Westminster.

For the wider Church: Pray for the Anglican Church in Mexico. Pray also for the peace of Jerusalem and the Middle East that the two sides will uphold the fragile peace settlement. Pray also for Bishop Brent Alawas, the clergy and people in the Episcopal Diocese of Northern Philippines, in particular for our partner Parish of St Clement of Alexandria, Payeo – its ministry, mission, and people; and for all the Churches and clergy of North Vancouver.

In our Parish community: for Paula as we welcome her as our Interim Priest beginning on Tuesday; for Elizabeth and Peggy, our Deacons; for the Wardens: Delayne, Deborah, Phoebe and Philip. For the staff: Lynley and Yvonne; and Lay Leaders: Ian Thomas, Maddy, and Mike. For the Youth and Children’s ministries in our parish. Give thanks for Amer’s safe arrival in Germany. Pray for those overseeing the plans for in-person worship services again in the near future

In our parish cycle of prayer: for Sandy Hawksworth; Robin and Sally Hinnell; Barbel and Mia Ismen; and their families.

For healing: Pray for Jill Allerton; Beth Bailey; Rob Bloye; Betty Downing; Brita; Caitlin; Marion Edwards; Fiona; Colleen and Matt Foster; Michael Jeffries; Lachlan Keir; Lynda Mills; Carol Norwood; Joyce Oswald; Judy; Vivian Seegers; Suzi Smith; Vanessa; Maryam Zamani; for their families & carers.

For Outreach: for the residents of the Princess Rooms; for all newcomers to Canada: for Saber (now a qualified barber) and his family; Al-Azaizeh (on-line studies at UBC); Honada, Said and family; Bukhari; Neema Grace, (at Laurentian University); Malis (*pronounced Ma-lees*) & his family; for Fatemeh, Nasrullah, and the successful sponsoring of Nazrin & family. For the community groups which use our building.