



Pentecost

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St. Catherine's Mission, Vision and Values

St. Catherine's Anglican Church, at the heart of Edgemont Village in North Vancouver on the ancestral lands of the Coast Salish peoples, including the Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh Nations, is a contemporary community of Christian seekers.

We welcome you to join us in the journey. We provide a place of spiritual growth through Christ and we respond with gratitude for God's abundance in our lives through service to our brothers and sisters in the world.

Our **Vision** is to:

- Be an inclusive and thriving community of faith for all generations
- Continually invite others to join us in our journey of faith and Christian discipleship
- Honour the strengthening of relationships and development of community, both within our walls and outside them
- Minister to those in need in Christ's name

Our Values:

St Catherine's is a community that aspires to be:

Welcoming, Inclusive, Curious, Creative,
Sustainable, Caring and Humble

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SAINT CATHERINE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

Anglican Church of Canada - Diocese of New Westminster
Situated on the unceded traditional Coast Salish territory
of the Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish) and səlililwətaʔ (Tseil-
Waututh) First Nations

*As you enter the church, we invite you to light a votive candle to
remember a person or situation that you carry on your heart. Candles
are also available during communion.*

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Welcome & Intention: Rev Angus Stuart

A moment of silent reflection.

Presider As we gather on the unceded and ancestral
lands of Coast Salish nations, let us pray that
Christ's grace and peace will be with us.

All **May we be ministers of the reconciling
love of the Risen Christ.
May our hearts be filled with joy. Alleluia!**

GLORIA (CP 376)

Gloria, gloria, in excelsis Deo!
Gloria, gloria, alleluia, alleluia!

Presider Friends, The Light of Christ is among us.
All **Alleluia! Thanks be to God! Alleluia!**

GATHERING HYMN: A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD (VU 262)

A mighty Fortress is our God,
A trusty Shield and Weapon;
He helps us free from ev'ry need
That hath us now o'ertaken.
The old bitter Foe
Now means deadly woe:
Deep guile and great might
Are his dread arms in fight;
On earth is not his equal.

With might of ours can naught be done,
Soon were our loss effected;
But for us fights the Valiant One,
Whom God Himself elected.
Ask ye, Who is this? —
Jesus Christ it is,
Of Sabaoth, Lord,
And there's none other God,
He holds the field forever.

Tho' devils all the world should fill,
All eager to devour us,
We tremble not, we fear no ill,
They cannot overpow'r us.
This world's prince may still
Scowl fierce as he will,
He can harm us none,
He's judged; the deed is done;
One little word can fell him.

The Word they still shall let remain,
Nor any thank have for it;;
He's by our side upon the plain
With His good gifts and Spirit.
And take they our life,

Goods, fame, child, and wife,
Let these all be gone,
They yet have nothing won:
The Kingdom ours remaineth.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Presider We pray the Collect for today as we say
together,
All **Holy Spirit, sent by the Father,
ignite in us your holy fire:
strengthen your children with the gift of
faith, revive your Church with the breath
of love, and renew the face of the earth,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

FIRST READING: A READING FROM THE BOOK OF ACTS

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene,

and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs - in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine." But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: 'In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'"

ACTS 2:1-21

Reader Let us hear what the Spirit is saying.
People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 104:25-35, 37B

Led by Claire Louie

REFRAIN ***Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the
face of the earth.***

Leader O Lord, how manifold are your works!
 in wisdom you have made them all;
 the earth is full of your creatures.

Yonder is the great and wide sea with its living things too many to number, creatures both small and great.

People ***Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.***

Leader There move the ships, and there is that Leviathan, which you have made for the sport of it. All of them look to you to give them their food in due season. You give it to them; they gather it; you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.

People ***Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.***

Leader You hide your face, and they are terrified; you take away their breath, and they die and return to their dust. You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; and so you renew the face of the earth.

People ***Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.***

Leader May the glory of the Lord endure for ever; may the Lord rejoice in all his works. He looks at the earth and it trembles; he touches the mountains and they smoke.

People ***Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.***

Leader I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;
I will praise my God while I have my being.
May these words of mine please him;
I will rejoice in the Lord. Hallelujah!

People ***Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.***

SECOND READING:

A READING FROM THE LETTER OF PAUL TO THE ROMANS

For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

ROMANS 8:14-17

<i>Reader</i>	Let us hear what the Spirit is saying
<i>People</i>	Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL HYMN:

CREATOR SPIRIT, BY WHOSE AID (CP 641)

Creator Spirit, by whose aid
The world's foundations first were laid,
come, visit every waiting mind;
come, pour thy joys on humankind;
from sin, and sorrow set us free;
and make us temples worthy thee.

○ source of uncreated light,
the Father's promised Paraclete!
thrice holy fount, thrice holy fire,
our hearts with heavenly love inspire;
come, and Thy sacred unction bring
to sanctify us while we sing!

GOSPEL READING: JOHN 14:8-17

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Philip said to Jesus, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it. If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

JOHN 14:8-17

Presider The Gospel of Christ.

People **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

GOSPEL HYMN CONTINUED (CP 641)

Plenteous of grace, descend from high,
rich in thy sevenfold energy;
make us eternal truths receive,
and practice all that we believe;
give us thyself, that we may see
the Father and the Son by thee.

Immortal honour, endless fame,
attend the almighty Father's name:
the Saviour Son be glorified,
who for world's redemption died:
and equal adoration be,
eternal Paraclete, to thee.

HOMILY – Rev. Angus Stuart

Silent Reflection

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Nicene Creed

*On Pentecost Sunday when we celebrate the birth of the Church,
we affirm our continuity with the Church throughout the ages in
affirming our faith in this historic creed.*

Presider
All

Let us confess our faith, as we say together,
**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.**

PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

CONFESSION

Presider Dear friends in Christ,
God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy,
welcoming sinners and inviting us 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.**

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.

All **Amen.**

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of Christ be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

*The community, standing at our seats, greet one another
saying or gesturing: 'Peace be with you'.*

COMMUNION

PREPARING THE TABLE

THEE WE ADORE, ETERNAL LORD (CP 332)

Thee we adore, eternal Lord!

We praise thy name with one accord.

thy saints, who here thy goodness see,
through all the world do worship thee,

To thee aloud all angels cry,

the heavens and all the powers on high:

thee, holy, holy, holy King,

Lord God of hosts, they ever sing,

The Apostles join the glorious throng,

the prophets swell the immortal song;

the martyrs' noble army raise

eternal anthems to thy praise,

From day to day, O Lord, do we

highly exalt and highly honor thee!

thy name we worship and adore,

world without end, forevermore,

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Giver of life,

receive all we offer you this day.

Let the Spirit you bestow on your Church

continue to work in the world

through the hearts of all who believe.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

Amen.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Presider
People

The Lord is here!
The Spirit of God is with us!

Presider
People

Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

Presider
People

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Presider

Father, we give you thanks and praise
through your beloved Son Jesus Christ,
your living Word, through whom you
created all things;
who was sent by you in your great love
to be our Saviour.

By the power of the Holy Spirit he took
flesh; as your Son, born of the blessed
Virgin, he lived on earth and went about
among us; he opened wide his arms for us
on the cross; he put an end to death by
dying for us; and revealed the resurrection
by rising to new life; so he fulfilled your will
and won for you a holy people.

And now we give you thanks that, after he
had ascended far above all heavens, and
was seated at the right hand of your
majesty, he sent forth upon the universal
Church your holy and life-giving Spirit; that
through his glorious power the joy of the
everlasting gospel might go forth into all
the world.

Therefore with angels and archangels,
and with all those in whom the Spirit
dwells, we proclaim your great and glorious
name, for ever praising you and singing:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest,
hosanna in the highest.**

Lord, you are holy, the source of all
holiness; grant that by the power of your
Holy Spirit, and according to your holy will,
these gifts of bread and wine may be to us
the body and blood of our Lord Jesus
Christ; who, in the same night that he was
betrayed, took bread and gave you thanks;
he broke it and gave it to his disciples,
saying: Take, eat; this is my body which is
given for you; do this in remembrance of
me.

In the same way, after supper he took the
cup and gave you thanks; he gave it to
them, saying: Drink this, all of you; this is
my blood of the new covenant, which is
shed for you and for everyone for the
forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you
drink it, in remembrance of me."

Therefore, Father, according to his word,

All **we remember his death,
we proclaim his resurrection,
we await his coming in glory.**

Presider As we offer you our sacrifice of praise and
thanksgiving, we bring before you this
bread and this cup and we thank you for
counting us worthy to stand in your
presence and serve you.

Send the Holy Spirit on your people and
gather into one all who share this holy
sacrament, so that we may praise and
glorify you for ever through Jesus Christ
our Lord.

All **Through Christ and with Christ and in
Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
to you be honour, glory, and praise,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Lord's Prayer (*Sung*):

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.**

**All: 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.**

BREAKING THE BREAD

Presider We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All **We being many are one body,
for we all share in one bread.**

Presider The gifts of God for the people of God

People **Thanks be to God.**

COMMUNION:

All people are welcome to receive Communion of one kind (Wafers), or Communion of one or both kinds at the Altar.

Gluten free wafers are available upon request.

Please sanitize your hands before receiving.

While the communion is being administered, we respectfully ask that you keep the silence.

Candle lighting during this time is welcomed.

COMMUNION MUSIC:

SHEPHERD OF SOULS, REFRESH AND BLESS (CP 85)

**Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless
your chosen pilgrim flock
with manna in the wilderness,
with water from the rock.**

**We would not live by bread alone,
but by your word of grace,
in strength of which we travel on
to our abiding place.**

**Be known to us in breaking bread,
but do not then depart;
Savior, abide with us, and spread
your table in our heart.**

Lord, sup with us in love divine;
your body and your blood,
That living bread, that heav'nly wine,
be our immortal food.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Father,
may we who have received this eucharist
live in the unity of your Holy Spirit,
that we may show forth his gifts to all the world.
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

SENDING

ANNOUNCEMENTS: A Churchwarden

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

BLESSING Rev. Angus Stuart

SENDING HYMN: FAITH OF OUR FATHERS (VU 580)

Faith of our fathers, living still
In spite of dungeon, fire and sword,
O how our hearts beat high with joy
Whene'er we hear that glorious word!
Faith of our fathers! holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death!

**Faith of our fathers, we will strive
To win all nations unto thee;
And through the truth that comes from God
Mankind shall then indeed be free.
Faith of our fathers! holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death!**

**Faith of our fathers, we will love
Both friend and foe in all our strife,
And preach thee, too, as love knows how
By kindly words and virtuous life.
Faith of our fathers! holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death!**

Presider Let us go in the peace of the risen Christ,
alleluia!

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!**



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Thank you for ministering this morning:

Presider and Preacher: Rev. Angus Stuart

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