



# ST. LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, PALERMO



***Sunday, 13 October, 2019***  
***10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist***  
***HARVEST THANKSGIVING***

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**A Special Welcome to Parishioners and Visitors who are with us today**

None of us come to church by accident. No matter what joys, burdens, or problems you bring with you this day, we pray that God's grace will touch you and fill you with the hope and commitment to live your life with peace, courage, compassion, and love. Please join us for refreshments after the service and complete one of the "Welcome" envelopes if you would like to become part of our church family.

The Rev. Hollis Hiscock, Priest-in-Charge, can be reached for all pastoral matters at: [rector@stlukepalermo.ca](mailto:rector@stlukepalermo.ca). In case of a pastoral emergency please call 289-440-3891.

Processional Hymn: CP 258  
**WE PLOUGH THE FIELDS AND SCATTER**

**GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY:** pg. 185

**Glory to God** pg. 186

**COLLECT**

*Celebrant:* Creator of the fruitful earth,  
**you made us stewards of all things. Give us grateful hearts for all your goodness, and steadfast wills to use your bounty well, that the whole human family, today and in generations to come, may with us give thanks for the riches of your creation. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

**CHILDREN'S FOCUS**

Children up to 8 go to with Dan Sunday School. Kids 9+ may stay in church or go to the school as helpers.

**PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

*Reader: A reading from the Second Book of Timothy.*

**Reading: 2 Timothy 2:8-15**

*Reader: The Word of the Lord.*

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**Gradual Hymn: CP 259**

**FOR THE FRUIT OF ALL CREATION  
 Verses 1 & 2**

**THE GOSPEL**

*Reader: The Lord be with You.*

**People: And also with you.**

*Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.*

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

**Gospel: Luke 17:11-19**

*Reader: The Gospel of Christ.*

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

**Hymn Concludes With Verse 3 of the Gradual Hymn**

**HOMILY: The Rev. Hollis Hiscock**

**CHOIR ANTHEM: Give Thanks**

**DECLARATION OF FAITH**

*Celebrant:* Let us declare our faith, as together we say:

**We believe in God who surrounds us, Maker and Sustainer of all life, of sun and moon, of water and earth, of all people. We believe in God beside us: Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh; born of a woman, servant of the poor.**

**He was tortured and nailed to a tree. A man of sorrows, he died forsaken. He descended into the earth, to the place of death. On the third day he rose from the tomb. He ascended into heaven, to be everywhere present, and his kingdom will come on earth.**

**We believe in God within us, Holy Spirit, life-giving breath of the Church, Spirit of healing and forgiveness, source of resurrection and life everlasting. Amen.**

**Prayers of the People** pg. 128 (19)

**Confession and Absolution** pg. 191

**The Peace** pg. 192

**CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

**Preparation of the Gifts**

**Offertory Hymn: CP 74**

**FOR THE BREAD WHICH YOU HAVE BROKEN**

**PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS**

*Celebrant:* Source of all life,  
**the heaven and earth are yours, yet you have given us dominion over all things. Receive the symbols of our labour and love which we offer you this day, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Eucharistic Prayer No. 4** pg. 201

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord** CP 719

**The Lord's Prayer (sung)** pg. 211

**The Breaking of the Bread No. 3** pg. 212

**The Invitation**

**Lamb of God** pg. 247

*You are encouraged to receive the Holy Communion, standing or kneeling at the communion rail or at your request in your seat. For health reasons, do not dip (intinct) the wafer into the wine. Let us know if you require a gluten-free wafer. If you prefer a blessing only, please indicate so by crossing your arms. If you find it difficult to get to the altar, we will be honoured to bring the Holy Communion to you.*

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

*Celebrant:* God of our hope,  
**in this eucharist we find the source of all your blessings. Nourished in these holy mysteries may we, with our lives, give you continual thanks and praise. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Doxology (Sung twice, 2<sup>nd</sup> time with clapping)** pg. 214

**Announcements**

**BLESSING**

Closing Hymn: CP 399  
**NOW THANK WE ALL OUR GOD**

**DISMISSAL**

Special Vestry to elect Synod delegates follows.

**THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US!**

**Next Week's Readings**

2 Timothy 3:14-4:5; Luke 18:1-8

**HAPPY THANKSGIVING!**

St. Luke's will be closed Monday,  
 October 14.

Enjoy the holiday!

**THIS WEEK'S WORSHIP TEAM**

<b>Reader:</b>	<b>Karen Ramcharen</b>
<b>Duty Warden:</b>	<b>Gemma Young</b>
<b>Altar Guild:</b>	<b>Tanya Peirce</b>
<b>Greeter:</b>	<b>Peter Malue</b>
<b>Fellowship:</b>	<b>Jo Stadnyk</b>

**HEALING SERVICE AT ST. LUKE'S, PALERMO**

**Sunday, October 20 at 10:30 am**

On Sunday, October 20, during our celebration of Holy Eucharist, everyone will be invited to come forward and receive the laying on of hands, anointing with oil and prayers for healing. Whatever you or your loved ones are contending with in life, this is an opportunity to bring those burdens to God and join with others in prayer and comfort. You do not need to

disclose any information to others in the church; God knows our needs before we ask. We look forward to sharing the power of prayer and God's blessing with you and those you love!

**ANNOUNCEMENTS****MORNING PRAYER AND BIBLE STUDY**

**Wednesdays @ 9:30am**



Join us for a Morning Prayer service followed by a short Bible Study each Wednesday morning. This is a fun and friendly time of discussion and learning.

No prior knowledge of the Bible is required. Come and check it out!

**This week's readings:**

**2 Kings 22:14-23:3; Psalm 119:1-24;  
 1 Corinthians 14:13-25; Luke 11:42-46**

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**FELLOWSHIP HOSTS WANTED!**

If you can host a Sunday, please add your name to a date on the sign up sheet by the Community Hall! The role of the host involves bringing something to eat and drink (e.g. juice, cookies, fruit, muffins, cheese, etc.), setting up the refreshments, and inviting visitors and new families to join us at Fellowship.



**St. Matthew's House Transitions from Hosting Food Bank to Older Adults' Resource and Food Security Centre and Expanded Childcare Services**

After much discussion and prayerful consideration the Board of St. Matthew's House is announcing that on November 1, 2019, they will transition from hosting a food bank to creating an older adults' resource and food security centre at their location at 412/414 Barton Street East, Hamilton.

**Family Cycle of Prayer:** Karen Bassels; David Beswick; James Black; Sheila Clarke; Dean & Janet Correia; Bradley & Kristen Cousins; Wendy & Carl Cousins; and their families.

**In the Niagara Diocese:** St. George, Georgetown; The Rev. Canon Robert Park, Rector; The Rev. Nancy Rowe, Honorary Assistant; and the lay people of that parish.

**In the Diocese of Cuba:** The parish of San Marcos, Mission in Holguin; the Rev. Gil Fat Yero, Minister-in-Charge; and the people of that parish.





## Community Dinner this Week!

Thursday, October 17 at 6 pm

On the third Thursday of each month, volunteers at St. Luke's prepare a delicious meal for everyone in the community to share. Our next community dinner is Thursday, October 17. We hope you'll join us for a delicious meal prepared by friends from across the community! This is a great way to meet new friends and see what is going on in your neighbourhood. Everyone is welcome!

### Home Communion Services

#### Palermo Village Retirement Residence

*Monday, October 28 at 1 pm*

#### Waterford LTC Residence

*Wednesday, October 30 at 11 am*

St. Luke's holds regular Communion services for residents of the Palermo Village Retirement Residence and Waterford LTC Residence. There will be no mid-month service at Palermo Village because of the Thanksgiving holiday, but they will continue October 28 and 30. We invite you to attend with us and share fellowship with the people of Palermo and the Waterford! Note: the Palermo Service has moved to 1 pm. Contact Rev. Hollis Hiscock for more information.



# Nourishing Neighbours



food for life

Each Thursday at 5:00 pm, St. Luke's and Food for Life provide food for our neighbours in need. If you know a family that would benefit from this assistance, please tell them about Nourishing Neighbours.

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- Monday, 14 October: Thanksgiving Monday - *No Services or Programs*
- Thursday, 17 October: 6 pm - Community Dinner at St. Luke's
- Monday, 28 October: 1 pm - Holy Communion at Palermo Village
- Wednesday, 30 October: 11 am - Holy Communion at Waterford Residence



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