



# ST. LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, PALERMO



**Sunday, January 29, 2023**  
**10:00 am**

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The Fourth Sunday after Epiphany  
The Rev. Garfield Wu – Presider & Preacher

**THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY**

Processional Hymn

For the Healing of the Nations SGP #23 (v. 1, 2, 4)

The Gathering of the Community p. 185

**Celebrant:**

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

**All: And also with you.**

Collect for Purity p. 185-86

Glory to God p. 186

**CHILDREN'S FOCUS**

**Collect of the Day**

Living God, in Christ you make all things new. Transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

**THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

**Reader:** A Reading from the 1<sup>st</sup> Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

**Reading:** 1 Corinthians 1:18-31

**Reader:** The Word of the Lord.

**People:** **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Hymn

Lead Us, Heavenly Father, Lead Us

CP 564 (v. 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 Matthew.

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

**Matthew 5:1-12**

**Reader:** The Gospel of Christ.

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

**Gradual Hymn concludes with Verse #3**

**Homily:** The Rev. Garfield Wu

**Anthem:** Dona Nobis Pacem

The Apostle's Creed p. 189

The Prayers of the People (Litany 5) p. 114

Confession & Absolution p. 191

The Peace

**CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

Offertory Hymn:

I Am the Bread, the Bread of Life CP #56

**PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS**

**Celebrant:** God of steadfast love, May our offering this day, by the power of your Holy Spirit, renew us for your service. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer #5 p. 204

The Lord's Prayer

The Breaking of the Bread #4 p. 212

**INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

**Celebrant:** Dear friends, I invite you in this moment, wherever you may be, to receive Christ, in communion with the saints, and the gathering of God's people, unseen and yet present with us now. Many are made one. We receive you Lord Jesus Christ,

**All: we welcome your presence in us, and together proclaim our love for you; with our hearts, minds, our souls and our strength, with the saints we worship you, with the angels we adore you, with your whole Church we proclaim your reign. Come to us, though many, and make us one in you. Amen.**

Eucharistic Anthem: Waters of Grace

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

**Celebrant:** Source of all goodness, In this eucharist we are nourished by the bread of heaven and invigorated with new wine. May these gifts renew our lives, that we may show your glory to all the world, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

**DOXOLOGY**

**Glory to God, 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, for ever and ever. Amen.**

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**Blessing  
Announcements**

**Recessional Hymn:**  
**Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing CP #570**  
**Dismissal**

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**THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US!**

**Next Sunday's Readings:**  
1 Corinthians 2:1-16  
Matthew 5:13-20

**The Weekly Cycle of Prayer**

**In Our Parish:** Gregory Park, Kathy Parker, Julie Parks, Tanya Peirce, Everie & Leonie Perera, Beatrice & Derek Prins, and their families.

**In the Diocese of Niagara:** St. George, Lowville; The Rev. Stephen Blackmore, Interim Priest-in-Charge; and all the people of that parish.

## Announcements

### Parish Vestry Meeting

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

Following worship

We are the Church together - Come help us plan our budget and set our course for 2023.

**VESTRY REPORTS DUE**

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2 AT 5 PM**

Committee leaders: please contact Roy at [community@stlukepalermo.ca](mailto:community@stlukepalermo.ca) to submit reports.



### Coffee Hour & Fellowship Volunteers Wanted!

Fellowship hosts make parishioners and visitors welcome at our services by preparing coffee, tea and refreshments following our Sunday worship services. Sign up on our fellowship volunteer sheet near the Community Hall, or contact [office@stlukepalermo.ca](mailto:office@stlukepalermo.ca) for information.



### Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper Tuesday, February 21 at 6 pm

Join us as we prepare for Lent with a supper of delicious pancakes with all the fixings. Volunteers are needed to help with preparations and setup, starting at 4 pm. Please contact [community1@stlukepalermo.ca](mailto:community1@stlukepalermo.ca). See you there!



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### Did You Know...

St. Luke's has Several User Groups Offering Programs  
throughout the Week?

Bharatham Indian Dance  
Eastlake Education  
First Oakville Toastmasters  
Hopedale Montessori School  
Klaudia's Music Studio

Modern Arts Drama Studio  
Mommy Connections Drop-In  
Oakville Chess Club  
Oakville Public Library  
Oakville Parent-Child Centre

**Contact us for more info on these and other programs!**

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