

# ST. LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, PALERMO



Sunday, January 8, 2023 10:00 am

The Baptism of the Lord
The Rev. Craig Luccock – Presider & Preacher

#### THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

**Processional Hymn** 

O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High CP #628 (v. 1-3, 7)

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

Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit, keep your children, born of water and the Spirit, faithful to their calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.** 

#### THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Reader: A Reading from the Book of Acts.

Reading: Acts 10:34-43

Reader: The Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God.

**Gradual Hymn** 

On Jordon's Bank, the Baptist's Cry

CP #103 (v. 1-3, 5)

#### **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 3:13-17

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

#### Gradual Hymn concludes with Verse #5

**Homily:** The Rev. Craig Luccock

**Anthem:** When the Wind of Winter Blows

The Apostle's Creed p. 189
The Prayers of the People (Litany 13) p. 120
Confession & Absolution p. 191

The Peace

#### **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

Offertory Hymn:

Down Galilee's Slow Roadways CP# 45

#### PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

**Celebrant:** God of life and freedom, we celebrate the revelation of Jesus as the Christ who makes all creation new. Accept all we offer you this day and make us new in him, who is Lord forever and ever. **Amen.** 

Eucharistic Prayer #2 p. 196

The Lord's Prayer

The Breaking of the Bread #6 p. 213

#### 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.

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

**Celebrant:** Gracious God, lover of all, by this sacrament you make us one family in Christ your Son, one in the sharing of his body and blood, one in the communion of his Spirit. Help us to grow in love for one another and come to the full maturity of the Body of Christ. We ask this in his name. **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.

Blessing Announcements

Recessional Hymn:

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

CP #138

Dismissal

#### THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US!

Next Sunday's Readings: 1 Corinthians 1:1-9 John 1:29-42

#### The Weekly Cycle of Prayer

In Our Parish: Leo Liang & Amy Ben, Steven Liu & Ada Liao, Eleanor Lummis, Peter Malue, Christopher & Sarah Marshall, Joy Mbabazi, Robyn Michell, and their families.

In the Diocese of Niagara: St. Alban the Martyr, Glen Williams; the Reverend Aaron Orear, Rector; and 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 to submit reports.





## Welcome Rev. Craig!

We are pleased to welcome the Rev. Craig Luccock to St. Luke's again. Rev. Craig will be ministering at St. Luke's for two Sundays each month until June. We thank God for his ministries and look forward to seeing him again.

Rev. Garfield will continue to manage pastoral care throughout this time.



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