

# ST. LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, PALERMO



Open our hearts, O Lord, to give heed to what is said by your Son.

## Sunday, September 24, 2023 10:00 am

The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
Holy Eucharist Service
The Rev. Craig Luccock – Presider & Preacher

#### THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Processional Hymn Great is the Lord

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

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth, and ourselves in your image. Teach us to discern your hand in all your works and to serve you with reverence and thanksgiving; 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 Letter of

Paul to the Philippians.

Reading: Philippians 1:21-30

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

**Gradual Hymn** 

Great is Thy Faithfulness SGP #95

#### 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 20:1-16

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

#### **Gradual Hymn concludes with Verse 3**

**Homily:** The Rev. Craig Luccock **Anthem:** All Night, All Day

The Apostle's Creed p. 189
The Prayers of the People (Litany 4) p. 201
Confession & Absolution p. 191

The Peace

Offertory Hymn
Jesus, to Your Table Led

SFGP #15

#### PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

**Celebrant:** God of power, the glory of your works fills us with wonder and awe. Accept our offering this day, and help us to live in peace and harmony with all your creation, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

Eucharistic Prayer #4 p. 201

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.

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Celebrant: Ruler of the universe, all creation yearns for its fulfilment in your Son. May we who have shared in holy things grow into maturity in him. This we ask in the name of the same Jesus Christ our 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.

Blessing Announcements Recessional Hymn: Come, Let Us Join Our Cheerful Songs CP #319

#### Dismissal

#### THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US!

This Week's Worship Team
Lay Reader: Alex Neil
Duty Warden: Kathy Parker

Next Sunday's Readings: Exodus 17:1-7 Matthew 21:23-32 The Weekly Cycle of Prayer In Our Parish: Hyacinth & Nicholas Elliott, Kamille Elliott, Chioma & Chinedu Ezomike, Alice Fang, Laura Gillis, their families and loved ones.

In the Diocese of Niagara: Grace Church, Arthur; the Rev. Kevin Cull, Interim Priest-in-Charge; and all the people of that parish.

#### **Announcements**



## St. Luke's Talent Show Fundraiser Saturday, October 21 at 7 pm

St. Luke's is bringing talented people from our community together for an unforgettable night of music, comedy, poetry and more. Invite your family and friends!

Tickets Available on Our Website!

Adults \$20, Children 12 and under \$10, Family of 4+ \$50

Do you have an act for the show? We are accepting applications! Contact office@stlukepalermo.ca to submit your act.

### 2023 Christmas Bazaar Vendor Applications Open Now!

St. Luke's bazaar will run from 10 am to 3 pm on Saturday, November 25, 2023. Apply to be a vendor today! **Scan the QR code to the right** to complete our application form.

Tables are priced \$70 for 1 table / \$110 for 2 tables. Applications Due: September 15

Please note that applying does not guarantee a table.





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