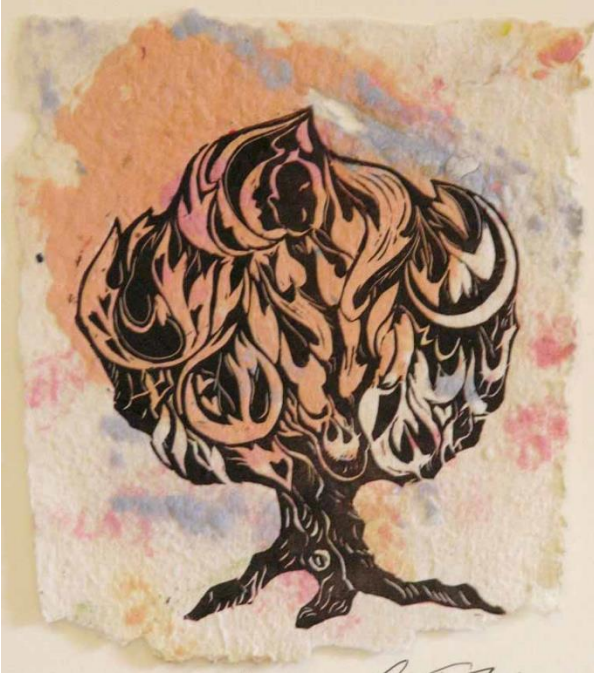




# ST. LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, PALERMO



May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts, that we may know what is the hope to which he has called us.

– *Based on Ephesians 1:17-18*

**Sunday, September 3, 2023**

**10:00 am**

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The Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Eucharist Service

The Rev. Garfield Wu – Presider & Preacher

**THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY**

Processional Hymn

Here I Am to Worship (Brown #47)

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**

Author and Giver of all good things, graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us in all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; 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 Letter of Paul to the Romans.

**Reading:** Romans 12:9-21

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

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Hymn

Holy Spirit, Hear Us SGP #77

**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 16:21-28**

**Reader:** The Gospel of Christ.

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

**Gradual Hymn concludes with Verse #5**

**Homily:** The Rev. Garfield Wu

**Anthem:** Little David, Play on Your Harp

The Apostle's Creed p. 189

The Prayers of the People (Litany 1) p. 110

Confession & Absolution p. 191

The Peace

Offertory Hymn

For the Bread Which You Have Broken CP #74

**PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS**

**Celebrant:** Merciful God, receive all we offer you this day. Give us grace to love one another that your love may be made perfect in us. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer #1 p. 193

The Lord's Prayer

The Breaking of the Bread #1 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:** Almighty God, you renew us at your table with the bread of life. May your holy food strengthen us in love and help us to serve you in each other. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Blessing

Announcements

Recessional Hymn:

Ye Servants of God SGP #94 (v. 1-3)

Dismissal

**THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US!**

**This Week's Worship Team**

**Lay Reader:** Preston Scott

**Deacon:** Kathy Parker

**Next Sunday's Readings:**

Romans 13:8-14

Matthew 18:15-20

**The Weekly Cycle of Prayer**

**In Our Parish:** Tayo Akinsanya & Bunmi Sadela, Peter & Sandra Anderson, Lorna

Bartman, David Beswick, John & Dianne Brice, their families and loved ones.

**In the Diocese of Niagara:** Holy Trinity, Welland; the Rev. Thomas Vaughan, Rector; the Rev. Deacon Mark McGill, Deacon; the Rev. Phil Bristow, Hon. Assistant; and all the people of that parish.

## Announcements

### Support St. Luke's at the Oakville Lifestyle Home Show

St. Luke's will host an outreach table at the Oakville Lifestyle Home Show next weekend, from Friday, September 8 to Sunday, September 10. Come visit the show and say hello to our team as we promote our community programs!

Located at: **Glen Abbey Community Centre,  
1415 Third Line, Oakville**

**Friday: 2 - 7 pm. Saturday & Sunday: 11 am - 5 pm.**



### 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](mailto: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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