



ST. LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, PALERMO



“Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is coming!” – Mark 11:9-10

Sunday, November 26, 2023

10:00 am

The Reign of Christ
Holy Eucharist Service
The Rev. Garfield Wu – Presider & Preacher

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Processional Hymn

Shout to 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

Glorify to God p. 186

CHILDREN'S FOCUS

Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, our Lord and King, grant that the peoples of the earth, now divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his gentle and loving rule; 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 Ezekiel.

Reading: *Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24*

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Hymn

Let There Be Light CP 572 (v. 1, 2, 5, 6)

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: **Glorify to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Matthew 25:31-46

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

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

Gradual Hymn concludes with Verse 6

Homily: The Rev. Garfield Wu

Anthem: Consecration

The Apostle's Creed p. 189

The Prayers of the People (Litany 4) p. 113

Confession & Absolution p. 191

The Peace

Offertory Hymn

The Servant Song SFGP 133 (v. 1, 2, 4, 5)

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Celebrant: Eternal God, by your grace you have raised us up and enthroned us with Christ in the heavenly realms. Receive all we offer you this day, and lead us in those good works for which you have created us. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the 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: Almighty God, you have made us a royal priesthood in the kingdom of your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Make known his victory through us, we pray, that all the world may see his light. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

DOXOLOGY

Glorify 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 forever and ever, forever and ever. Amen.

Blessing

Announcements

Recessional Hymn:

Give Me Oil

SFGP 130

Dismissal

THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US!

This Week's Worship Team

Lay Reader: Tayo Akinsanya

Duty Warden: Kathy Parker

Next Sunday's Readings:

1 Corinthians 1:3-9

Mark 13:24-37

The Weekly Cycle of Prayer

In Our Parish: Doris & James Uduji, Bill Van Mol, Carol Wang, David & Marie Williams, Garfield & Aileen Wu, their families and loved ones.

In the Diocese of Niagara: St. Paul, Shelburne; The Rev. William Willis, Priest-in-Charge; and all the people of that parish.

Announcements



**St. Luke's, Palermo's Christmas
Gift Card Sale**

Ends TODAY: November 26, 2023

**It's not too late to place
your order at**

stlukepalermo.ca



Thank You!

To all parishioners, volunteers and vendors who used your time, talent and gifts to make this year's Christmas Bazaar a success at St. Luke's.

Your contributions to our vendor tables, our Wheelbarrow of Wine raffle, our refreshment table and our gift card sale have filled St. Luke's with warmth and helped us raise funds for the coming seasons!

Blessings to all of you.

Join Us Next Sunday for Advent

Start your journey towards Christmas with worship and prayer



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We recognize that St Luke's, Palermo, and Oakville reside on the treaty lands and territory of the **Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation** - part of the Anishinaabe nation. Oakville is covered by two treaties: **Treaty #14** - The Head of the Lake Treaty of 1806; and **Treaty #22** - the 12 Mile Creek, 16 Mile Creek and the **River Credit Reserve Treaty** of 1820.

We acknowledge that it is our collective responsibility to honour and respect those who have gone before us, those who are here, and those who have yet to come, and we are grateful for the opportunity to be living, working, and serving on this land.

Christian Disciples...
Transforming Lives... Building Community