

ST. LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, PALERMO



"We have seen his star in the East, and have come to worship him."

– Matthew 2:2

The Epiphany of the Lord Sunday, January 7, 2023 10:00 am

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

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Processional Hymn

Tell Out, My Soul CP #364 (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

Eternal God, who by a star led wise men to the worship of your Son. Guide by your light the nations of the earth, that the whole world may know your glory; 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 Isaiah.

Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6

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

Gradual Hymn

You Are My All in All

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 2:1-12

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gradual Hymn concludes with Verse 2

Homily: The Rev. Garfield Wu

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:

He Came Down CP #368

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Celebrant: Gracious God, accept the offering of your Church, the hearts of your people joined in praise and thanksgiving, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer #1 p. 193

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: God of all the nations of the earth, guide us with your light. Help us to recognize Christ as he comes to us in this eucharist and in our neighbours. May we welcome him with love, for he is Lord now and forever. **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. Amen.

Blessing Announcements

Recessional Hymn: Help Us Accept Each Other SFGP #8 (v. 1, 2, 4) Dismissal

THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US!

Next Sunday's Readings: 1 Samuel 3:1-10 John 1:43-51

The Weekly Cycle of Prayer

In Our Parish: Kathleen Lentz, Shao Ping Li, Leo Liang & Amy Ben, Emma Lin, Steven Liu & Ada Liao, Eleanor Lummis & Lance Hymers, their families and loved ones.

In the Diocese of Niagara: St. Luke, Palermo; The Rev. Garfield Adams (Wu), Priest-in-Charge; and all the people of that parish.

Announcements

You're Invited to

St. Luke's Chinese New Year Celebration!

Saturday, February 10 at 6 pm



Come and celebrate the Lunar New Year with friends from St. Luke's. We will welcome the Year of the Dragon with a dinner of dumplings and other delicious holiday foods. This event is FREE – donations are welcome.



St. Luke's Pancake Tuesday Supper

Tuesday, February 13 at 6 pm

Join us for an evening of delicious pancakes with all of the fixings, prepared by our dedicated team of parishioners! We celebrate this annual tradition for Shrove Tuesday as we prepare for the season of Lent.

Bring your friends, family and your appetite!

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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