



ST. LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, PALERMO



"Scribe Stood to Test Jesus" (1886-1894) painted by James Tissot, 1836-1902

"The Father brought us forth by the word of truth that we should be a kind of first fruits of his creatures." - James 1:18

Sunday, September 1, 2024

10:00 am

**Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Holy Eucharist**

The Rev. Garfield Adams – Presider & Preacher

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Processional Hymn

How Lovely is thy Dwelling Place

CP #498 (v. 1, 3, 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

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Glory to God

Blessing of the New Piano

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 James.

Reading: James 1:17-27

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Hymn

Great is Thy Faithfulness SGP #95 (v. 1, 2)

THE GOSPEL

Reader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also, with you.**

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Mark.

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

Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

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

Gradual Hymn concludes with Verse #2

Homily: The Rev. Garfield Adams

Anthem: There is a Redeemer

The Apostle's Creed p. 189

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

Confession & Absolution

The Peace

Offertory Hymn

Here in This Place New Light is Streaming

CP #465 (v. 1-3)

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

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The Lord's Prayer

The Breaking of the Bread #1

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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.**

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 Sing

SGP #90

The Weekly Cycle of Prayer

Dismissal

THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US!

This Week's Worship Team

Lay Reader: Seelina Dumbrill

Duty Warden: Dean Correia

Next Sunday's Readings:

James 2:1-10, 14-17

Mark 7:24-37

In Our Parish: Emma Lin, Steven Liu & Ada Liao, Eleanor Lummis & Lance Hymers, Mark Ma, Stephen Ma & Michelle Zai, their families and loved ones.

In the Diocese of Niagara: St. Paul, Norval; The Rev. Audrius Sarka, Priest-in-Charge; and all the people of that parish.

Announcements

Happy Labour Day Weekend!

St. Luke's will be **closed on Monday, September 2nd**. We wish everyone a fun and relaxing long weekend!



Front Desk Volunteer Needed

St. Luke's is looking for responsible volunteers to mind our Welcome Desk between 4-8 pm, weekdays. Duties include greeting guests, supervising the building and answering phones. Ideal candidates can commit to a 4-week schedule or more.

To apply, please email Amanda at: community1@stlukepalermo.ca.

Donations Pick-Up Volunteer Needed

St. Luke's Nourishing Neighbour's program needs a volunteer to pick up food donations from Fortinos.

Pick up address: **173 Lakeshore Rd W**

Time: **Tuesdays at 11 am**



If you can help, please contact Amanda at: community1@stlukepalermo.ca if interested.

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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.

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Transforming Lives... Building Community