# PENTECOST

## Joint Service of St. Laurence & Good Shepherd



# June 8, 2025 10:30 am

Presiders Rev. Philip Cochrane - Saint Laurence Anglican & Rev. Eric Krushel - Good Shepherd Lutheran All are warmly welcomed to our worship. We ask visitors to introduce themselves and to join us for social hour after the service. We welcome children and invite them to enjoy the activity table during worship.

#### Welcome & Introduction

The presiders welcome the gathering informally

#### **Opening Acclamation**

- Presider Come, Holy Spirit-
- All Fill the hearts of your people. Kindle in us the fire of your love.
- Presider We gather on this day of wind and flame, to welcome new life in baptism, and to celebrate the Spirit who speaks across every language and culture. Together with our friends from Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, we come as one Body.

We gather on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded lands of the kwikwəλəm (Kwikwetlem) First Nation.

- All We give thanks for the k<sup>w</sup>ik<sup>w</sup>əźəm, who continue to care for these lands, the waters, and all that is above and below.
- Presider We honour the dicəy (Katzie) and other Coast Salish Peoples, who have shared in the stewardship of this territory.
- All With gratitude and humility, we commit ourselves to truth, healing, and reconciliation.
- PresiderCome, Holy Spirit—AllMake all things new.

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Presider Loving God,

All: you know us inside and outwhat makes us smile, what makes us worry. Be close to us now. Help us listen, help us pray, help us grow in your love. Through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you, now and always. Amen.

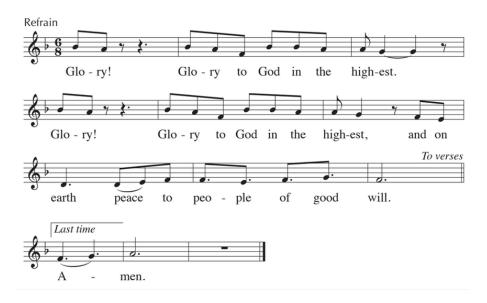
Collect of the Day (the special prayer which 'collects' the theme of the day)

Presider Let us pray.

Loving God,

we gather today as your church to hear again the story of the birth of the church. Through the power of the Spirit help us to hear this familiar story with new ears. Bring it alive in our hearing. Ignite in our hearts the fire of your love. Breathe into us a new zeal for the work of justice and peace.

And fill us with an eagerness to praise you with lives of care, compassion, and service; through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.** 



- We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. *Refrain*
- 2. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. *Refrain*

3. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. *Refrain* 

## **Proclamation of the Word**

The Readings

Presider Let us prepare ourselves for the Word of God as it comes to us through the reading of the Holy Scriptures.

All Our hearts and minds are open

First Reading - Acts 2:1-21

ReaderHear what the Spirit is saying.AllThanks be to God.

Psalm - Psalm 104 - Lord, Send Out Your Spirit



- 1. Bless the Lord, O my soul; O Lord, my God, you are great indeed! How manifold are your works, O Lord! The earth is full of your creatures!
- 2. If you take away their breath, they die and they return to their dust. When you send forth your Spirit of life, they are created in your sight!
- 3. May his glory last for all time; may the Lord be glad in his works. Pleasing to him will be my theme; I will be glad in the Lord!

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#### Second Reading - Romans 8:14-17

ReaderHear what the Spirit is sayingAllThanks be to God

Please stand as you are able for the Gospel Reading

#### **Gospel Acclamation**



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Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.All Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

- Gospel John 14:8-17, 25-27
- Reader The Gospel of Christ.

All Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily Rev. Eric Krushel

## THE CELEBRATION OF HOLY BAPTISM PRESENTATION AND EXAMINATION OF THE CANDIDATE

Presider Parents	The candidate for Holy Baptism will now be presented. I present Mason to receive the sacrament of baptism.						
Presider	Will you be responsible for seeing that Mason is nurtured in the faith and life of the Christian community?						
Parents	I will, with God's help.						
Presider	Will you, by your prayers and witness help Mason to grow into the full stature of Christ?						
Parents	I will with God's help.						
Presider	Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?						
Parents	I renounce them.						
Presider	Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?						
Parents	I renounce them.						
Presider	Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?						
Parents	I renounce them.						
Presider	Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Saviour?						
Parents	I do.						
Presider Parents	Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love? I do.						
Presider Parents 8	Do you promise to obey him as your Lord? I do.						

to the congregation

PresiderWill you who witness these vows, do all in your power<br/>to support Mason in his life in Christ?AllWe will.

### PRAYERS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Presider Let us now pray for Mason who is to receive the sacrament of new birth.

Presider Deliver him, O Lord, from the way of sin and death. All Lord, hear our prayer.

Presider Open his heart to your grace and truth.

- All Lord, hear our prayer.
- Presider Fill him with your holy and life-giving Spirit.
- All Lord, hear our prayer.
- PresiderTeach him to love others in the power of the Spirit.AllLord, hear our prayer.

PresiderSend him into the world in witness to your love.AllLord, hear our prayer.

PresiderBring him to the fullness of your peace and glory.AllLord, hear our prayer.

- Presider Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and for ever.
- All Amen.

#### THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

Presider The Lord be with you.

All And also with you.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Presider We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over water the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through water you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In water your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

> We thank you, Father, for the water of baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Now sanctify this water by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who are here cleansed from sin and born again, may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Saviour. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, now and for ever.

All Amen.

## THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT

Presider Let us join now in committing ourselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

Do you believe in God the Father?

All I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Presider All	Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God? I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.								
Presider All	Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit? I believe in God the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.								
Presider All	Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers? <b>I will, with God's help.</b>								
Presider All	Will you persevere in resisting evil and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord? <b>I will, with God's help.</b>								
Presider All	Will you proclaim by word and example the good news of God in Christ? I will, with God's help.								
Presider All	Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbour as yourself? I will, with God's help.								
Presider All	Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being? I will, with God's help.								
Presider All	Will you strive to safeguard the integrity of God's creation and respect, sustain, and renew the life of the earth? I will, with God's help. 11								

### THE BAPTISM

The candidate is presented by name to the Presider, who then pours water upon the candidate, saying,

Presider Mason, I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All Amen.

The Presider & Sponsors makes the sign of the cross on the forehead using oil of chrism:

Presider I sign you with the cross, and mark you as Christ's own for ever.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon this your servant, the forgiveness of sin, and have raised him to the new life of grace.

Sustain him, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give him an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works.

All Amen.

### THE GIVING OF THE LIGHT

One of the ministers will give a lighted candle, saying,

Minister Receive the light of Christ, to show that you have passed from darkness to light.

When the candle has been lit, the people say,

All Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

Presider Let us welcome the newly baptized.

All We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood. Amen.

#### Sharing of the Peace

Presider The peace of God be always with you.

#### All And also with you.

The Peace is shared in the community, respecting personal boundaries

#### Offertory

In gratitude for all we've received, we offer of ourselves back to God. Bread, wine, and money symbolize the fruits of our labour. If you give through Pre-Authorized Donations or e-transfer (office@saintlaurence.ca), you're welcome to use a blue card to represent your offering to the glory of God.

#### Offertory Hymn - Spirit Blowing Through Creation (GC 462)

- Spirit blowing through creation Spirit burning in the skies Let the hope of your salvation fill our eyes God of splendor, God of glory You who light the stars above All the heavens tell the story of your love
- As you move upon the waters
   As you ride upon the wind
   Move us all, your sons and daughters deep within
   As you shaped the hills and mountains
   Formed the land and filled the deep
   Let your hand renew and waken all who sleep

#### **Refrain:**

Spirit renewing the earth, Renewing the hearts of all people Burn in the weary souls Blow through the silent lips Come now awake us, Spirit of God

- Love that sends the rivers dancing Love that waters all that lives Love that heals and holds and rouses and forgives You are food for all your creatures You are hunger in the soul In your hands the brokenhearted are made whole (*to verse 4*)
- 4. All the creatures you have fashioned All that live and breathe in you Find their hope in your compassion, strong and true You, O Spirit of salvation You alone, beneath, above Come, renew your whole creation in your love (*Refrain*)

Prayer over the Gifts

Presider Giver of life and breath,

All on this day of Pentecost, we bring our gifts as signs of our thankfulness. Receive them, and us, as we offer our lives in the service of your Spirit to bless the world, to heal division, and to speak your love in many tongues. Amen.

## **Celebration of our Sacred Meal**

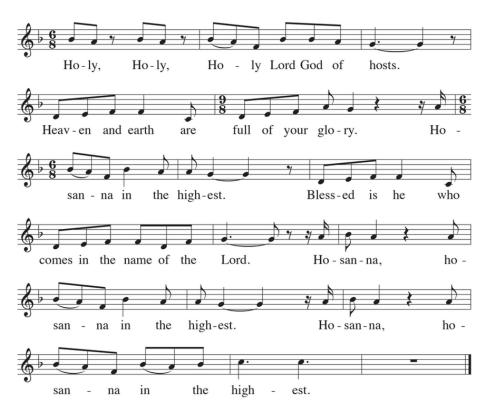
The Great Thanksgiving

- Presider God is with us.
- All And also with you.
- Presider Open your hearts.
- All We open them to the God.

Presider Let us give thanks to the God our Creator.

All We give our thanks and praise.

Presider It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Saviour Jesus Christ.
Fulfilling the promise of the resurrection, you pour out the fire of your Spirit, uniting in one body people of every nation and tongue. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join their unending hymn: Sanctus - Holy - Mass of St. Ann



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Presider Holy God, you alone are holy, you alone are God.

> The universe declares your praise: beyond the stars; beneath the sea; within each cell; with every breath. We praise you, O God.

All

Presider Generations bless your faithfulness: through the water; by night and day; across the wilderness; out of exile; into the future.

All We bless you, O God.

Presider We give you thanks for your dear Son: at the heart of human life; near to those who suffer; beside the sinner; among the poor; with us now.

All We thank you, O God.

Presider In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

> Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:

This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering his love for us on the way, at the table, and to the end, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. Presider We pray for the gift of your Spirit: in our gathering; within this meal; among your people; throughout the world.

> Blessing, praise, and thanks to you, holy God, through Christ Jesus, by your Spirit, in your church, without end. **Amen.**

Lord's Prayer



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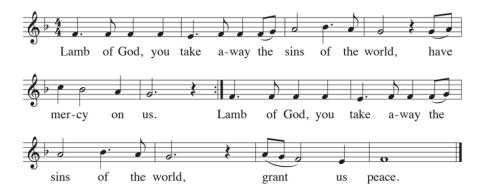
#### The Breaking of the Bread

The celebrant breaks the consecrated bread.

Presider We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All: We, who are many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.

#### Lamb of God



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#### The Invitation

Presider Come to this table, not because you are perfect, but because you are loved. Come, not because you have all the answers, but because you are seeking the way. This is the table of grace, where Christ meets us and feeds us with his very self.
Presider The gifts of God for the people of God.

All Thanks be to God.

### The Distribution

At St. Laurence, everyone is invited to the table. You may receive only the bread or both bread and wine. Non-fermented grape juice is available in the ceramic chalice, and gluten-free wafers are offered—just ask at the distribution. If you prefer a blessing, simply cross your arms across your chest.

#### Communion Special - Ignite - Jason Wood

You and I are lanterns in the darkness, whoa You and I are a bonfire in the cold We are hope, we are life We were born here to shine so bright You and I, we've got matchsticks for bones

So blow on these embers, start a blaze And rekindle the great love for which we're made We want to burn brightly all our days Sprit, fall on us we pray Ignite the flame

There's a world that's longing for a Saviour, whoa There are hearts so desperate to be loved Let your light shine so they can see What a soul set on fire can be And join in praise to our God above

We're gonna burn, burn, burn, burn (4x)

Start a fire and inspire Our desire to see Your Kingdom come Spirit wake us, overtake us Come remake us burning like the sun Spark a bright us, God, ignite us Raise us riotous, flaring out with love The world is waiting, our hearts are aching We are breaking out To burn this whole place up

## Communion Hymn - Spirit and Grace (OCP 504)

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#### Communion Hymn - Holy Spirit



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#### Moment of Silence

Take a moment to be still and know God. Let the world's noise fade as you listen for the deep stillness beneath it all. The silence begins and ends with the ringing of a bell. 22

#### Prayer after Communion

PresiderEternal Giver of every good gift,Allyou have fed us with the bread of life and renewed us<br/>by your Spirit.<br/>May this holy meal strengthen us to be your people—<br/>one body, many members, sent out in love<br/>for the sake of the world, you so dearly love. Amen.

Presider Glory to God,

All 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.

#### Announcements

#### Blessing

Presider Today we have heard the rush of a mighty wind, seen love poured out in water and Spirit, and tasted the goodness of God. As we go, we do not go alone we go with the fire of Pentecost in our hearts and the blessing of God upon us.

Presider May the Spirit of truth lead you into all truth, give you grace to confess Jesus Christ as Lord, and to proclaim the word and works of God. And the blessing of the Living God— Source of all being, Eternal Word, and Holy Spirit be among you and remain with you, now and always. **Amen.** 

#### Closing Hymn - Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling (CP 655)

- Holy Spirit, ever dwelling in the holiest realms of light; Holy Spirit, ever brooding o'er a world of gloom and night; Holy Spirit, ever raising those of earth to thrones on high; living, life imparting Spirit, you we praise and magnify.
- Holy Spirit, ever living as the church's very life; Holy Spirit, ever striving through us in a ceaseless strife; Holy Spirit, ever forming in the church the mind of Christ: you we praise with endless worship for your gifts and fruits unpriced.
- Holy Spirit, ever working through the church's ministry, quickening, strengthening, and absolving, setting captive sinners free; Holy Spirit, ever binding age to age and soul to soul in communion never ending, you we worship and extol.

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Minister Filled with the Spirit, go out in peace to love and to serve, to speak and to act, to be Christ's body in the world.

All: Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

The flowers are given today by Heather and Tony Esposito in celebration of the baptism of Mason James Esposito, and with gratitude for our family; Michael, Cassandra, Mason, Christopher, Fiona and Bruin

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## **NEWS & NOTES**

## Wednesday Morning Service - 9:00 am

This service is a Bible Study and Communion all rolled into one. A great way to begin your day!



## **Phoenix Friends Luncheon**

Tuesday - June 13, 2025 - 11:30 am

at Jess Fine 1630 Parkway Blvd, Coquitlam

RSVP to Susan Burkett or the church office by **Monday**, June 9, 2025

Memorial Service for Nancy Konsmo

**Friday, June 20 - 1:30 pm** St. Laurence Anglican Church

Reception to follow

Internment of Ashes for Billie Wellwood

Sunday, June 15 - 12:00 pm St. Laurence Anglican Church

Celebration of Life Saturday June 14 - 1:30 - 3:30 pm (*drop-in*) River Springs Rec Centre 1910 Lodge Drive, Coquitlam, BC Join with family and friends, remembering and celebrating Billie's life. Please RSVP by June 14, 2025

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**Reno-vision: A Celebration of Renewal** 

Join us as we celebrate our renewed sanctuary and give thanks for all who brought this vision to life.

## Monday, June 16 • 7:00 PM

A service of thanksgiving, joy, and release for the Project Team — all are welcome.



# Meridian Meat Fund Raiser

TODAY is the LAST DAY to purchase gift cards for Meridian Farm Market.

Just follow the link below and purchase your own gift cards (they never expire!) and Meridian will send us a cheque for 30% of the value of all cards purchased.

Feel free to share the link with friends and family !!

Please note: cards can only be used for on line orders. (link - https://meridianfarmmarket.ca/ stlaurenceanglicanchurch)

Meridian offers free delivery for orders over \$100.

## Book Club

The Book Club meets from 2:00-4:00 pm **on the third Tuesday of the month** at the church.



Next Meeting - June 17, 2025

New members are always welcome!.

Book Club selections for 2025 are available on the website

Senior Men's Lunch Next date: Thursday, June 19, 2025 11:30 - 1:00 pm



The senior men meet once a month at **Ricky's Country Restaurant**, **100 Schoolhouse Street** 

for good food and conversation.

In order for the restaurant to know how many to expect for the lunch, please contact Bruce Middleton, or the church office @ 604-936-5423 or *office@saintlaurence.ca* if you are planning on attending.

## Summer Worship Schedule Begins June 15 (Father's Day)

From Sunday, June 15 to Sunday, September 1, we will gather for <u>one Sunday service at 10:00 AM.</u>

During the summer months, there will be no organized children or youth programs, but families are always welcome. We have a dedicated space for young children and an activity table at the back of the church to help little ones stay engaged during worship.

<u>On Sunday, September 7</u>, we return to two services at 9:00 AM and 10:30 AM, along with the relaunch of our children's and youth ministries.

Come as you are, and join us for a season of rest, connection, and worship together.