

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS OF VICTORIA

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SEASON OF CREATION – EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 22, 2024 – 10:00 AM

All Creation Sings, Holy Communion Setting Eleven

Worship in-person and livestream

Jesus wants us to welcome children and leave them an inheritance of a healthy creation.

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Acknowledgement of Lands

Gathering Song *Abba, Abba, Hear Us* blue book No. 1072

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Kyrie

Canticle of Praise *Glory to God!*

Prayer of the Day

WORD

Children's Message

First Reading

Psalms 1 *Proverbs 31:10-31* ...Thanks be to God.

Second Reading *James 3:13—4:3, 7-8a* ...Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation *Alleluia! Amen!*

The Gospel Reading *Mark 9:30-37* ...Glory to you, O God.

Sermon ...Praise to you, O Christ.

Hymn of the Day *Lord of All Hopefulness* red book No. 765

Prayers of Intercession
Loving Creator,
your mercy is great.

Peace Sharing
The peace of Christ be with you always.
And also with you.

MEAL

Offering Song *When at Last the Rain Falls* blue book, choir sings vs. No. 1066

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Holy, Holy, Holy

Thanksgiving Prayer Page 21

The Lord's Prayer Page 24

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All are welcome at Christ's table. The wine is served in individual glasses and the common cup.

Red grape juice is in the centre of the trays. Gluten-free bread is available by asking the server.

You may commune with bread or wine alone or ask for a blessing.

Communion Songs *Children of the Heavenly Father* red book No. 781

Mothering God, You Gave Me Birth red book No. 735

O God, We Call blue book No. 1075

Prayer

SENDING

Announcements

Blessing

Sending Song *Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness* red book No. 843

Dismissal ...Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Everyone present in-person is invited to a time of hospitality in the Upper Hall following worship.

Thank you to Perk Me Up for hosting.

Worship Assistants

Assisting Minister

Jeanie Stann

Kantor

Nathan McDonald

Musician

Carolyn Hoekstra

Choral Scholars

Abby Corpus, DJ McGrath

Livestreaming

Josh Boutin, Rebecca Wong

Communion

Ben Lukenchuk, Rebecca Wong

Ushers

Donna Delaney, Murray Nelson

You are invited to Holy Communion Worship, Sundays, 10AM PT in-person and online.

For more information, please check the website www.lutheranvictoria.ca for the Crossroads newsletter, calendar and events.