

**The Anglican Parish of St Peter and St Paul**  
**September 2, 2018**  
**15th Sunday after Pentecost**  
**Merchant Navy Sunday**

*Embracing and Spreading God's Love*



**We journey together in a year of reconciliation.**





*Merchant Navy Memorial*

*Dover, England*

**8:30 AM Holy Communion - Book of Common Prayer**

Said service begins on page 67

**10:30 AM Eucharist Book of Alternative Services (BAS)**

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Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *as we prepare our hearts and minds for worship*

Opening Hymn: **Insert - Eternal Father, Strong To Save**

*Presentation of Colours & Silent Tribute*

**All: O Almighty God, whose way is in the sea and whose paths are in the great waters: Be present, we pray, with those who go down to the sea in ships; protect them from all perils, prosper them in their courses, and bring them safely to the haven where they would be, with a grateful sense of your mercies: through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**"O Canada" Hymn 659**

Canada! Our home and native land!  
True patriot love in all of us command.  
With glowing hearts we see thee rise,  
The True North strong and free!  
From far and wide, O Canada,  
We stand on guard for thee.  
God keep our land, glorious and free!  
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee;  
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

Salute to the Merchant Navy

*John Ducker*

Act of Remembrance

*Bill Emberly*

*Leader:* On all oceans, white caps flow,  
There are no crosses, row on row,  
But they who sleep, beneath the sea  
Sleep in peace, for our country is free  
Your duty with courage met,  
We bow in grateful memory.  
We will remember them.

*All:* **We will remember them.**

The Gathering of the Community (Please stand)

*Celebrant:* The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

*All:* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant:* Almighty God,

*All:* **unto whom all hearts be open,  
all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hid:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love thee,  
and worthily magnify thy holy name;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Gloria: 365 - **Glory to God on High**

The Collect of the Day

The Story of Faith is Proclaimed

1<sup>st</sup> Reading – Song of Solomon 2: 8-13 Zach Windus p. 544, Bible

Psalm 45: 1, 2, 7-10 p. 762, BAS

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading – James 1: 17-27 David Buckman p. 980, Bible

Gradual Hymn: **180 - Giver of the Perfect Gift**

(v. 1-3 before gospel, 5 after)

Holy Gospel – Mark 7: 1-8, 14, 15, 21-23 p. 818, Bible

Sermon The Rev John Hounsell-Drover

The Apostles' Creed Lay Assistant p. 189 BAS

Prayers of the People John Ducker

Confession & Absolution Celebrant p. 191 BAS

Peace

**Offertory Hymn: 619 - Fairest Lord Jesus**

Prayer Over the Gifts

The Sacred Meal is Shared

Eucharistic Prayer #2 p. 196 BAS

Sanctus - Mass of St George (*sung*) pew booklet

The Lord's Prayer p. 211 BAS

Breaking of the Bread p. 212 BAS

The Communion p. 213 BAS

Behold the Lamb of God *Celebrant*

Angus Dei- *Sung*

*Chalice Bearers: Sharon Wickware & John Ducker*

Communion Hymn – **511 - Lord Jesus, Think On Me**

Prayer after Communion *Celebrant*

Glory to God...

p. 214 BAS

Blessing

Return of Colours

Sending Hymn – **528 - O God, Our Help in Ages Past**

Dismissal

*Celebrant:* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

*We thank those who prepared the sanctuary and  
those who had roles in the worship service today.*

The Altar flowers this week are given by Margaret MacKenzie to the Glory of God and in thankfulness for family and friends, near and far.

**Announcements:**

Pastoral Care: please contact the Wardens by leaving a message at the office or, in an emergency, please call one of the Wardens directly.

Bishop's Warden - Sharon Wickware - 250-686-6335

People's Warden - John Ducker - 250-812-9043

Synod: If you are able to billet a Synod Rep on Friday night, September 28 and Saturday night, September 29 - please contact Trish at Trishstock63@gmail.com

The billet will include the nights' stay plus breakfast.

Prayer Shawl Group meets on Thursdays at 1:30 p.m. in Parish Hall.

Bible Study for the fall will begin on Thursday morning, September 6<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m. in the Pearcy Room

Corn Boil: Friday September 14 at 6:00 p.m. Corn, ham and sliced tomatoes provided. Please bring a salad or desert to share. Sign-up sheets are in hall during Coffee Hour or leave a message on the Office phone - 250-386-6833.

## Easy Ways to Help Parish Finances

### COUNTRY GROCER:

Simply bring us your receipts! There are two spots to drop them: one in the church and one in the hall! We then submit and receive a percentage back in the form of gift cards which we then use in the life of the parish!

### THRIFTY FOOD SMILE CARD!

Thrifty's offers a Smile Card fundraising program. Here is how you get one and how to use it:

- Special Smile Cards are available in the office during regular office hours or speak to one of Wardens or Lynn Schumacher following Sunday service.
- Before shopping, go to the service desk at any Thrifty's and put any amount of money on the card with cash, credit card or debit. Complete your shopping and pay using your card. Any balance remains on card for your next shopping trip.
- Thrifty Foods sends a percentage of the amount put on the card directly to church's bank account monthly.

### CANADIAN TIRE MONEY:

Simply drop any Canadian Tire "money" in the box in the Parish Hall and we can use it towards various supplies!

**Your Church can benefit from your recycled containers:** Our parish has registered with The Bottle Depot and with Island Return It. Under both programs:

- 1) you take your sorted recyclable bottles (for which you have paid a deposit when purchasing) to the location listed below which is most convenient for you;
- 2) tell the attendant that your recyclables are to be registered to St Peter and St Paul Anglican Church;
- 3) they will record your donation and the money from your donation will be given to the parish on a regular basis.

The locations are: Return-It - 935 Ellery Street, Esquimalt

The Bottle Depot - 655 Queens; 4261 Glanford; 3961 Quadra.

We worship on the traditional lands of the Esquimalt, Songhees and other Nations of the Salish and Coast Salish Peoples. We, who came from many lands to join the line of Anglicans worshipping here, commit our Church to continue the journey of truth and reconciliation with our First Nations' neighbours.



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