

## GOOD NEWS

With Pr. Hergy showing good progress from his first surgery, he will have the next one on **June 8**, one month earlier than scheduled. Please continue to include him in your prayers.

Congratulations and best wishes to **Jack and Diana K.** as they celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary.



## FUNDRAISING

The BC Synod in convention has authorized a special fundraising appeal to address the current financial shortcoming of the synod.

Please prayerfully consider making a donation to the Synod's "Season of Pentecost Synod Fund" using the BC Synod envelopes in the narthex.



Please sign up on the worship leaders sign up sheet for June and July posted in the narthex bulletin board.

Please consider signing up to be a **Fellowship Host**. The roster for July 4 - Oct. 31, 2010 is posted on the bulletin board in the narthex. Choose the date that would be best for you. If you have questions, please contact a member of the Hospitality Committee (Julie B., Karen K., or Ingrid B.)

## Youth Program Coordinator Our Saviour Lutheran Church

Are you looking for a great opportunity to work with youth in a dynamic, team environment? Our Saviour Lutheran Church is seeking a part-time Youth Program Coordinator to provide overall leadership for our youth ministry.

As an integral part of a team that does intergenerational ministry, you will bring energy and enthusiasm to a growing population of youth. You will take a leadership role in integrating the youth programs within the church and in the community and have the opportunity to shape the lives of youth through your coaching and mentoring.

This is a part time six month renewable position, with a salary range of \$12.50 - 15.50 per hour, depending on experience. Start date is flexible.

If this sounds like the opportunity you've been looking for, we want to hear from you! You can submit your resume to Pastor Tim Le Drew at [ptim@oursaviour.ca](mailto:ptim@oursaviour.ca) or at the church office at 6340 No. 4 Road, Richmond, B.C. V6Y 2S9 from 9 am - 1 pm



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## THE HOLY TRINITY MAY 30, 2010

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*“Now the Feast and Celebration”*

*Worshippers may wish to light a votive candle in memory of a loved one or for meditation. This may be done at any time before or during the liturgy except during community prayers, readings or homily. Since the number of candles is limited and to avoid mishaps, parents and caregivers are asked to be attentive when allowing children to light one.*

**INTRODUCTION**

*“O Lord our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!” Today we celebrate the name of God: holy blessed Trinity. There is no other day quite like this one in the church’s year. There is no other god like ours. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Spirit!*

**PRESERVICE MUSIC**

*Jesus Lead Me On*  
*All Glory Be to God on High*

Paul Manz  
J.S. Bach

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**GATHERING**

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

*All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.*

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

Gracious God, **have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord. Amen.**

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of + Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith. **Amen.**

**POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

Let us pray. Almighty God, you provide the true bread from heaven, your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant that we who have received the Sacrament of his body and blood may abide in him and he in us, and that we may be filled with the power of his endless life, now and forever. **Amen.**

**BENEDICTION**

**SENDING HYMN #412 “Come, Join the Dance of Trinity”**

**DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Christ is with us. **Thanks be to God.**

**POSTLUDE** *Postlude in D*

Healy Willan

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# Announcements

**A Message from  
Bishop Preibisch**

We give thanks to God for the election of **Rev. Dr. Gregory Mohr** as bishop of the BC Synod.

Please Note: The ordination of Bishop Mohr is being planned to take place in Mount Olive Lutheran Church (2350 148th Street Surrey) **July 5, at 7:00 pm.** Please watch for more details for this ordination.

Bishop Greg will officially take office August 1, 2010.



**July 4 - 7, 2010**

**Vancouver School of Theology  
Vancouver, British Columbia**

The National Worship Conference is a biennial conference sponsored by [the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada](#) and [the Anglican Church of Canada](#). The Conference welcomes participation by clergy and laity of these two churches as well as clergy and laity from other churches who seek to build up the life of the Christian community through our worship so that we might serve the world God loves.

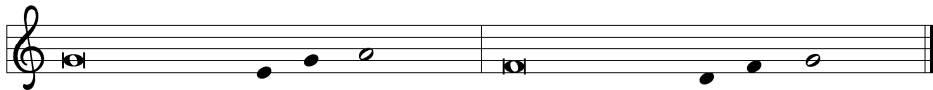
This year’s theme, ‘Taking Care of the Neighbourhood: Worship as Public Work for the Common Good’, will guide us as we explore how worship shapes us to care for our communities and our world. This year’s speakers include Sallie McFague, Doug Todd, Mark MacDonald, and Karen Ward as well as skilled workshop facilitators.

**If you are interested in attending this conference, please see Pr. Peter Fischer for more information or visit [www.nationalworshipconference.org](http://www.nationalworshipconference.org)**



<sup>1</sup>O LORD our Lord,  
 how majestic is your name in all the earth!—  
<sup>2</sup>**you whose glory is chanted above the heavens out of the mouths of infants and children;  
 you have set up a fortress against your enemies, to silence the foe and avenger. R**  
<sup>3</sup>When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers,  
 the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,  
<sup>4</sup>**what are mere mortals that you should be mindful of them,  
 human beings that you should care for them? R**  
<sup>5</sup>Yet you have made them little less than divine;  
 with glory and honor you crown them.  
<sup>6</sup>**You have made them rule over the works of your hands;  
 you have put all things under their feet:**  
<sup>7</sup>all flocks and cattle,  
 even the wild beasts of the field,  
<sup>8</sup>**the birds of the air, the fish of the sea,  
 and whatever passes along the paths of the sea.**  
<sup>9</sup>O LORD our Lord,  
 how majestic is your name in all the earth! **R**

*Tone:*



**SECOND READING: Romans 5:1–5**

*Paul describes the life of faith with reference to God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit. Even now, we have peace with God through Jesus, and our hope for the future is grounded in the love of God that we experience through Christ's Holy Spirit.*

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

*Response after the reading: Thanks be to God.*

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** p. 7 (sing twice) (Red Folders)

**HOLY GOSPEL: John 16:12–15**

*Jesus' ongoing presence with the disciples will be borne by the coming Spirit, who will guide them and communicate to them Jesus' will and glory.*

*Response after announcement: Glory to you, O God.*

<sup>12</sup>I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. <sup>13</sup>When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. <sup>14</sup>He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. <sup>15</sup>All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

*Response to conclusion of reading: Praise to you, O Christ.*

**HOMILY**

**HYMN OF THE DAY #798 “Will You Come and Follow Me”**

**THE PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL**

Gathered together as God's people in Christ Jesus, let us pray for the church, those in need, and all of God's creation. *A brief silence.*

Holy, eternal God, you have created humankind in your image. Fill the people of your church with your Spirit and lead us to live in right relationship as witnesses of your covenantal mercy. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

You bring peace in the midst of chaos. Guard all people whose livelihood depends on calm waters and an abundant sea. Shelter all people and animals who endure devastating storms. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

You are our strength and stronghold. Uphold all people who serve in areas of conflict and crisis especially... Deliver hope to men, women, and children whose lives are disrupted by war. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

You give us wholeness through Jesus Christ, your anointed one. Make his restoring presence known to all who suffer illness or brokenness of any kind especially... Turn their suffering into hope. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

You make our joy complete in times of celebration. Bring joy to all families who gather to mark milestones, anniversaries, and life passages this summer. Uplift those who mourn or know no family. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**