

**IN THE GOOD OLE SUMMERTIME**  
*we gather to praise God*  
*to encourage one another*  
*in faith, hope and love*  
*younger and older together*  
*newcomer and pioneer*  
*we smile, we cry*  
*we whisper and we cry out*  
**OUR GOD IS AN AWESOME GOD**  
**HALLELUJAH**

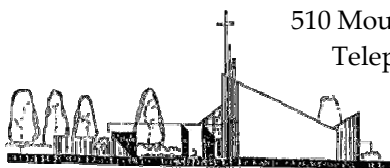
## **THE CHURCH OF THE ADVENT**

*Anglican Parish of Colwood and Langford*

**Our 25<sup>th</sup> Year Ministering From Our Mt. View Building**

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*Church of the Advent*  
*The Parish of Colwood and Langford*  
PARISH CAMP AT PARKSVILLE, 2011  
**SUNDAY MORNING LITURGY**

**10:30 A.M. AT THE CAMPGROUND**

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**The Gathering of the Community**

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.**

**MUSIC**

Celebrant We pray together.

*All* **Almighty God,**  
**you have taught us through your Son,**  
**that love fulfills the law;**  
**May we love you with all our heart,**  
**all our soul, all our mind,**  
**and all our strength;**  
**and may we love our neighbour as ourselves;**  
**through Jesus Christ our Lord,**  
**who lives and reigns with you**  
**and the Holy Spirit,**  
**one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**The Proclamation of the Holy Gospel**

Reader God be praised in our midst

*All* **A light to the church and the world**

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ  
according to Matthew  
All **Glory to you O Jesus Christ,  
our source and our salvation**

*That same day Jesus went out of the house and sat beside the lake. Such great crowds gathered around him that he got into a boat and sat there, while the whole crowd stood on the beach. And he told them many things in parables, saying: 'Listen! A sower went out to sow. And as he sowed, some seeds fell on the path, and the birds came and ate them up. Other seeds fell on rocky ground, where they did not have much soil, and they sprang up quickly, since they had no depth of soil. But when the sun rose, they were scorched; and since they had no root, they withered away. Other seeds fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked them. Other seeds fell on good soil and brought forth grain, some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty. Let anyone with ears listen!'*

*'Hear then the parable of the sower. When anyone hears the word of the kingdom and does not understand it, the evil one comes and snatches away what is sown in the heart; this is what was sown on the path. As for what was sown on rocky ground, this is the one who hears the word and immediately receives it with joy; yet such a person has no root, but endures only for a while, and when trouble or persecution arises on account of the word, that person immediately falls away. As for what was sown among thorns, this is the one who hears the word, but the cares of the world and the lure of wealth choke the word, and it yields nothing. But as for what was sown on good soil, this is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and yields, in one case a hundredfold, in another sixty, and in another thirty.'*

Reader The Gospel of Christ.  
All **Praise to you O Jesus Christ,  
Our strength and our song.**

## MUSIC

### The Prayers of the People

Leader In peace let us pray to the Lord.  
All **Lord, have mercy.**



### **The Peace**

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*All*        **And also with you.**

### **MUSIC**

### **The Celebration of the Eucharist**

Celebrant God of heaven and earth,  
receive our sacrifice of praise,  
and strengthen us  
for the perfect freedom of your service,  
through our Saviour Jesus Christ.

*All*        **Amen.**

### **The Great Thanksgiving**

*Supplementary Eucharistic Prayer I (S1)*

*Celebrant* May God be with you.

*People*    **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.



*People*    **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to God our Creator.

*People*    **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant* Holy God, Lover of creation,  
we give you thanks and praise  
for in the ocean of your steadfast love you bear us  
and place the song of your Spirit in our hearts.  
When we turn from your love and defile the earth,  
you do not abandon us.

Your Spirit speaks through Huldah and Micah,  
through prophets, sages, and saints in every age,  
to confront our sin  
and reveal the vision of your new creation.



Joining in the song of the universe  
we proclaim your glory saying (singing):

*All*     **Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is the One who comes  
in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*Celebrant*     Gracious God,  
In the fullness of time you sent Jesus the Christ  
to share our fragile humanity.

Through Jesus' life, death, and resurrection  
you open the path from brokenness to health,  
from fear to trust, from pride and conceit  
to reverence for you.

Rejected by a world  
that could not bear the Gospel of life,  
Jesus knew death was near.  
His head anointed for burial  
by an unknown woman,  
Jesus gathered together those who loved him.

He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it  
and gave it to his friends,  
saying, "Take and eat:  
this is my body which is given for you.  
Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper, Jesus took the cup of wine,  
gave you thanks, and said  
"Drink this all of you,

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this is my blood of the new covenant  
which is shed for you and for many.  
Whenever you drink it,  
do this for the remembrance of me."

And now we gather at this table  
in response to his commandment,  
to share the bread and cup  
of Christ's undying love,  
and to proclaim our faith.

*All*      **Christ has died.**  
**Christ is risen.**  
**Christ will come again.**

*Celebrant* Breathe your Holy Spirit  
the wisdom of the universe,  
upon these gifts that we bring to you:  
this bread, this cup,  
ourselves, our souls and bodies,  
that we may be signs of your love for all the world  
and ministers of your transforming purpose.

Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
all glory is yours, Creator of all,  
and we bless your holy name for ever.

*People*      **Amen.**

*Celebrant* As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

*All*      **Our Father in heaven,**  
**hallowed be your name,**  
**your kingdom come,**  
**your will be done,**  
**on earth as in heaven.**  
**Give us today our daily bread.**

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Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial,  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. Amen.

### **The Breaking of the Bread**

Celebrant Lord, we died with you on the cross.  
*All* **Now we are raised to new life.**

Celebrant We were buried in your tomb.  
*All* **Now we share in your resurrection.**

Celebrant Live in us, that we may live in you.

### **The Communion**

Celebrant The gifts of God for the people of God.  
*All* **Thanks be to God.**

*The communion is passed through the community with the words "The Body of Christ" and "The blood of Christ".*

### **MUSIC DURING COMMUNION**

### **The Dismissal**

Celebrant O God,  
may we who have shared in holy things  
never fail to serve you in your world,  
and so come to the fullness of joy,  
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.  
*All* **Amen.**

Celebrant      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.

**Dismissal Response**

*All*              Thanks be to God, Alleluia

**MUSIC**

*All are invited for morning coffee at the Armstrong/Middleton  
campsite a la the tradition of Helen and Ray*