

The Anglican Parish of Holy Cross

Growing relationships in Christ

Service of Holy Eucharist

July 5, 2026 at 10:00 AM

6th Sunday after Pentecost

Book of Alternative Services (Green Book)

Presiding: The Rev. Simba Mutandwa

Welcome! We thank you for choosing to worship with us today. To learn more about our community, please fill out the card in the pew and/or speak to the clergy.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion. If you prefer not to receive communion, you are encouraged to come forward to receive a blessing. If you are gluten intolerant, you may request a rice wafer instead of a wheat wafer from the priest administering the bread.



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As the parish of Holy Cross, we acknowledge that we gather
on the traditional territories of the Treaty 7 peoples.

We Gather Together

Prelude: Cantabile - Haan

Announcements and Welcome

Processional Hymn 354 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Opening Prayers.....page 185

Glory to God sung response 686

Collect of the Day: Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ has taught us that what we do for the least of your children we do also for him. Give us the will to serve others as he was the servant of all, who gave up his life and died for us, but lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

Children's Teaching

We Hear and Proclaim God's Word

First Reading: Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67 (Bible, OT, page 22).....Mary M

Psalm 45:11-18 (BAS, page 763)Gloria

Second Reading: Romans 7:15-25a (Bible, NT, page 164)..... Michael E

Gradual Hymn 616 "Father of Heaven, Whose Love Profound"

Gospel Responses sung response 711

The Gospel: Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30 (Bible, NT, page 11)..... The Rev. Simba Mutandwa

Sermon The Rev. Simba Mutandwa

The Apostles' Creed page 189

We Pray for the Church and the World

The Intercession..... Mryka

- The Anglican Communion: The Anglican Church of South America
- The Anglican Church of Canada: The Most Rev. Shane Parker, Primate; The Diocese of Edmonton: The Rt. Rev. Stephen London, Bishop
- The Diocese of Calgary: The Most Rev. Gregory Kerr-Wilson, Archbishop of Calgary and Metropolitan of Northern Lights; St. Clement, Balzac: The Wardens and Search Committee; The Anglican Fellowship of Prayer
- Our Companion Diocese of the Windward Islands: The Rt. Rev. Leopold Friday, Bishop; Cathedral Church of St. George (Parish of St. George & St. Andrew) with Transfiguration, The Ascension and Holy Redeemer: The Very Rev. Samuel Nichols
- Our Parish: Collection counters
- Our Members: Michael and Maureen B; Darren and Lisa C; Louise C; Brenda C
- The World: Fiji; all people and countries affected by natural disaster or terrorist attacks; for peace and reconciliation

- Those in Need in Our Parish: Cheryl Hansen, John Gishler, Alix Milton, Geraldine Cooke, Joyce Lee, Mary Mason-Leskowitz, Doris Gourley, Linda Nkemdirim, Kajsa Hansen, Art and Isobel Price, Joyce Holden, Lucille Gishler, Onna Nicolay, Beverly McDonald, Brenda Hanna, Charlene Stevenson, Doris Kashmanian, Greg Hansen
- Those in Need Beyond Our Parish: Vikas and family, Kelly, Jennifer, Rob, Joyann, Sean, Wendy H, Lesia, Mitch, Susan, Karen, Bruce, Tony, Christina, Gwyneth, Sam, Beatriz, Kevin

Confession of Sin, and Absolutionpage 191

Sharing the Peace of Christ

We Celebrate the Lord’s Supper

Offertory Hymn 615 “Just As I Am”

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Eucharistic Prayer 2.....page 196

“Holy, Holy, Holy Lord (Sanctus)” sung response 689

Please kneel if you are able.

The Lord’s Prayer page 211

The Breaking of the Bread 2.....page 212

“Lamb of God (Agnus Dei)” sung response 690

Receiving Communion or a Blessing

Communion Music: Air from the D Major Suite - J.S. Bach

We Go into the World

Prayer after Communion.....page 367

Doxology.....page 214

Blessing

Amen..... sung response 721

Recessional Hymn 427 “All Beautiful the March of Days”

Dismissal

Postlude on “Kirken” - Lindeman, arr. Lasky



The altar flowers have been dedicated to the Glory of Almighty God
In celebration of their parish family, from a parish family.

Join us today to celebrate **Bill and Jean Ede's** birthdays and wedding anniversary on Sunday, July 5th during coffee hour following the 10:00 AM service. They were married on July 9, 1949.

As summer is here and people go away on vacation, we encourage you to remember your financial commitment to **Holy Cross**. In addition to cash or cheques, donations can be made by pre-authorized donations (PAD) or e-transfer to donations@holycrosscalgary.org.

On Wednesdays, join us for **Holy Communion** at 9:30 AM or **Evening Prayer** at 6:30 PM. For more information about Evening Prayer, please contact The Rev. Deacon Carol Tubman at ctubman@shaw.ca or call 403-630-9104.

Returning in September : Quilters and Crafters group, Book Club, Sunday School, and ACW. Have a great summer!

Next Week's Readings – July 12 – 7th Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 25:19-34; Psalm 119:105-112; Romans 8:1-11; Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

Assisting Today

Dan (Organist); Gloria (Worship Assistant); Mary M, Michael E (Readers); Mryka (Intercessor); TBD (Administrant); Kathryn, Emily (Videographers); David and Linda P (Sidespersons); Jan, Kathy, Tom (Coffee Hosts); Onna, Linda P (Altar Guild); CCLI Licence No. 11533778