

HOLY COMMUNION – 8:00 a.m.

This Eucharistic Liturgy is based on the

Anglican Church of Canada Book of Common Prayer, page 67

*We commit ourselves to working together in a spirit of reconciliation as we worship
and serve on the traditional lands of the Snuneymuxw First Nation.*

Celebrant/Preacher:	The Rev. Vernon Foster
Liturgical Assistant:	Ann W.
Reader:	Lynda A.
Greeter:	Lynda A.

WELCOME

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Almighty God, we are taught by your word that all our doings without love are worth nothing. Send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtue; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

FIRST READING:	Exodus 1:8-2:10	L.A.
EPISTLE:	Roman 12:1-8	
PSALM:	Psalms 124	<i>BCP 499</i>
GOSPEL:	Matthew 16:13-20	

SERMON:	The Rev. Vernon Foster
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:	L.A.

The flowers on the main altar are given by Altar Guild to the glory of God
and in loving memory of past Altar Guild members.

Altar Guild Team: Ann W., Marilyn B., Ann W.

Refreshment Hour is hosted today by: Lynda A., Caroline G.



Peter with the keys of the Kingdom of Heaven (anonymous)

ST. PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
August 23, 2026 8:00 AM SERVICE



Rector:	The Rev. Vernon Foster		
Deacon:	The Venerable Helen L.		
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		10:30 am	Holy Eucharist
	Weekdays (except stats)	8:30 am	Morning Prayer (Zoom)
	Tuesday	7:00 pm	Contemplative Prayer
	Wednesday	11:00 am	Holy Communion

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