



***Welcome to the parish of
St. Philip by-the-Sea, Lantzville B.C.***

**Sunday, May 11th, 2025
Fourth Sunday of Easter
9.30 a.m. Service of Morning Prayer
(Book of Common Prayer)**

Opening Sentence

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord: I know my own and my own know me.

(John 10:14)

Psalm 23

REFRAIN The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not be in want.

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not be in want. He makes me lie down in green pastures and leads me beside still waters. **R**

He revives my soul and guides me along right pathways for his name's sake. Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. **R**

You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup is running over. Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever. **R**

The First Reading

From the Book of Acts

(Ch 9:36-43)

The Second Reading

From the Book of Revelation to John

(Ch 7:9-17)

The Gospel

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

(Ch. 10:22-30)

The Collect

O God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, that great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, make us perfect in every good work to do your will, and work in us that which is well-pleasing in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Offertory

This prayer precedes the offering being collected.

God of loving care, you spread before us the table of life, and give us the cup of salvation to drink. Keep us always in the fold of your Son Jesus Christ, our Saviour and our shepherd. **Amen.**

With special thanks to:

- *Nicole McDaid, Mark Taylor and Diane Elliot, who served as service leader, reader, greeter and prayer leader.*

*Your leadership, support and example are greatly valued and appreciated. **THANK YOU!***

***The flowers on the Altar are to the Glory of God
and love to all mothers by Val and Keith Addison.***

Announcements

May 21st: Men's Breakfast – 8:30am Country Grocer Café, Bowen Rd

All detailed event information can be found on the St. Philips website under the Events page: www.stphilipplantzville.ca

***In the Worldwide Anglican Community, we pray for: The
Nippon Sei Ko Kai***

***In our Diocese of British Columbia, we pray for: St. George the
Martyr, Cadboro Bay***

***This week in our Parish of St. Philip by-the-Sea, we pray for:
Cheryl Wilson, David Wilson, Michael Wimmer, Patricia Wimmer,
Sharon Wishart, Lynne Wood, and for all their families. We pray for
peace and for all refugees around the world.***

UPCOMING SERVICE REMINDERS

Sunday May 18th 2025, 9.30am
Fifth Sunday of Easter
Service of Morning Prayer(BAS)
Service Leader: Doug Sowden

Sunday May 25th 2025, 9.30am
Sixth Sunday of Easter
Service of Holy Eucharist (BCP)
Celebrant: The Rev. Leslie Flynn

