



All Are Welcome at St. Alban's Episcopal Church

8am Sunday June 21, 2026

The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

St. Alban's seeks to be an open and welcoming, Christ-centered community committed to sharing Christ's love, empowering all people to grow spiritually, deepening our relationship with Christ, and living out our faith in our community and the world.

St. Alban's Episcopal Church

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Sunday Worship 8 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Bible Study 9:30 a.m.

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the Rt. Rev. Philip LaBelle, Bishop Diocese of Olympia

the Rev. Greg Peters, Rector

Dan Mullene, Parish Care Minister

Serving in Today's Worship

Presider and Preacher

Deacon

Organist

Crucifer

Lector

Altar Guild

Father Greg Peters

Jim Gilman

Nat Bartels

Raina Kille

Haily Lanum

John Rowan

Susan Hanson

Linda Rowan

Flowers are given, in their beauty and glory to God, by Betsy Newnum, in thanksgiving for baby Louise, her mother and father, and for Fathers and good men everywhere.

Weekly Sunday Outreach Basket Offerings

1st week—Food Bank

2nd week—Discretionary Fund

3rd week—Quarterly Outreach Offering

4th week—International Relief Offering

5th Week—Indigenous Women's Offering



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Scripture Readings for June 28th

Jeremiah 28:5-9; Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18; Romans 6:12-23; Matthew 10:40-42

Prelude		
Opening Hymn	<i>Take Up Your Cross</i>	Hymn 675
Land Acknowledgment		
Opening Acclamation		BCP 323
Gloria		BCP 324
The Collect of the Day		Scripture Insert
The First Reading	<i>Jeremiah 20:7-13</i>	Scripture Insert
Psalms	<i>Psalm 69:8-11 [12-17] 18-20</i>	Scripture Insert
The Second Reading	<i>Romans 6:1b-11</i>	Scripture Insert
The Gospel	<i>Matthew 10:24-39</i>	Scripture Insert
Sermon		Father Greg Peters
Nicene Creed		BCP 326
The Prayers of the People		Bulletin pp. 5-7
The Confession and Absolution		BCP 331
The Peace		BCP 332
Birthday, Anniversary Prayers & Announcements		
Offertory (<i>seated</i>)	<i>I Have Decided to Follow Jesus</i>	Bulletin p 4
Doxology (<i>stand</i>)		Hymn 380, vs 3
Eucharistic Prayer 2		BCP 340
Sanctus		BCP 341
The Lord's Prayer		BCP 336
The Breaking of the Bread		BCP 337
Invitation to Communion		
Post Communion Prayer		BCP 339
The Blessing		
Closing Hymn	<i>O Jesus, I Have Promised</i>	Hymn 665
Dismissal		
Postlude		

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 2. Though no one join me, still I will fol - low,
 3. The world be - hind me, the cross be - fore me,

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— No turn - ing back, no turn - ing back!
 (no turn - ing back,)

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Prayers of the People: A Litany for the Mission of the Church

Priest: We praise your abiding guidance, O God,
for you sent us Jesus, our Teacher and Messiah,
to model for us the way of love for the whole universe.
We offer these prayers of love
on behalf of ourselves and our neighbors,
on behalf of your creation and our fellow creatures.

Holy God, in whom all things in heaven and earth have their being,
Have mercy on us.

Jesus the Christ, through whom the world is reconciled to the Father,
Have mercy on us.

Holy Spirit, whose glory fills the world and searches the depths of God,
Have mercy on us.

Blessed Trinity, source of both unity and diversity,
Have mercy on us.

From blind hearts and petty spirits, that refuse to see the need of all
humankind for your love,
Savior, deliver us.

From pride, self-sufficiency and the unwillingness to admit our own need of
your compassion,
Savior, deliver us.

From discouragement in the face of pain and disappointment, and from lack
of persistence and thoroughness,
Savior, deliver us.

From ignorance, apathy, and complacency that prevent us from spreading the Gospel,
Savior, deliver us.

O God, we pray for the gifts of ministry.
Remembering our Bishops, Sally, Sean, and Phil; Templo Emanuel; and all who minister through your Body, the Church, inspire our minds with a vision of your kingdom in this time and place.
Holy Spirit, renew us.

In thanksgiving for Carol Sanderson and all the members of our congregation, touch our eyes, that we may see your glory in all creation.
Holy Spirit, renew us.

Remembering Robin, Allegra, Kären, Bob Chaffee, Dee, Barbara Halterman, Howard, Shirley Clark, John Palmer, Gretchen, touch our ears, that we may hear from every mouth the hunger for hope and stories of refreshment.
Holy Spirit, renew us.

Ministering with the other churches of our Diocese, especially St. Joseph/St. John's and St. Mary's, both in Lakewood, touch our lips, that we may tell in every tongue and dialect the wonderful works of God.
Holy Spirit, renew us.

Enlighten the ministries of our Congregation, especially our Church Administration, and touch our hearts, that we may discern the mission to which you call us.
Holy Spirit, renew us.

In companionship the staff and families of Chase Lake Community School, West Edmonds Cooperative Preschool, Domestic Violence Services, Scout Troop 300, Girl Scout Troop 46254, and the AA Groups that meet here,

touch our feet, that with them we may take your Good News into our neighborhoods, communities, and all parts of the world.

Holy Spirit, renew us.

Through the Blessing Pantry, the Edmonds Food Bank, Washington Kids in Transition, World Vision, and Women's Spirit Coalition, touch our hands, that we may each accomplish the work you give us to do.

Holy Spirit, renew us.

Remembering the Diocese of Jerusalem and the Middle East (ministering in Palestine, Israel, and Iran), the Anglican churches in Ukraine and Russia, the Church of South India (United); strengthen and encourage all who minister in your name in lonely, dangerous and unresponsive places.

Holy Spirit, renew us.

Led by our Vestry and Legacy Society, especially Lorrie Pruitt, open the hearts and hands of many to support your Church in this and every place.

Holy Spirit, renew us.

Priest: Hear our prayers
that we may love you with our whole being
and willingly share the concerns of our neighbors.

Amen.

The Confession and Absolution

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The Peace

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Announcements

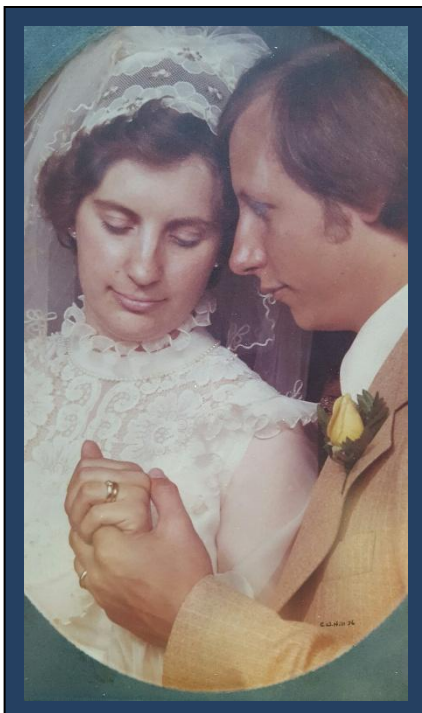
Adult Bible Study Sundays at 9:30am: Join us for Adult Christian Education class (Bible Study) led by Robin McClelland on Sundays at 9:30am in the Annex and also on Zoom (see link below).

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83625063228?pwd=bcgNjSKTjQaV8OTcwoeaNgIbbx30Er.1>

Legacy Sunday June 21st: On Sunday, June 21st we will have our annual strawberry shortcake coffee hour in celebration of our patron saint St. Alban and in recognition of our Legacy Society members.

Vestry Clerk Needed: We are seeking a parishioner to serve as Clerk of the Vestry. The vestry clerk supports the leadership of the parish by keeping accurate records of vestry business. For more information or to express interest, please contact Debby Wilson (Vestry Clerk), Father Greg, or Jan Lee (JL) Krilevich, Senior Warden.

Indigenous Circle Field Trip June 27th: Our June field trip for the Indigenous Circle is scheduled for Saturday June 27th. Our destination is the Native American Exhibits of the Burke Museum at the UW. We'll meet at the church at 10:45 am then carpool to the Mountlake Terrace light rail station. Please bring money for lunch at Off the Rez Café (one of the few restaurants in Seattle owned by Indigenous People) and for the entry fee for the museum - Seniors: \$22 and Adults: \$24.



Hansons Renewal of Vows June 28th

The Hansons are tying the knot! Again!

In celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary, Susan and Eric will renew their vows at the 10:30am service. A reception in the Parish Hall will follow.

Please join with them in celebration of this very special occasion next Sunday, June 28th.