

The Quill

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From the Bishop:

"Sometimes it's boring.
Sometimes it's thrilling.
Sometimes it makes me cry."

(Quote from "The Wonderful Ordinairiness of Congregational Life" by Cheryl Fullerton, Christian Century, March 2022)

Recently I was thinking about church. (Full disclosure ... I think about church quite a bit.) But, in particular, I was thinking about the rhythm of church life. And I think the above quote from Cheryl Fullerton sums it up pretty nicely.

Sometimes it's boring

I admit, sometimes there is something that is uninteresting about church. Perhaps it is the repetitive nature of it. Perhaps it is the cyclical nature of things. Perhaps it is seeing the same people in the same pew week after week and year after year.

We know that Fred will sing the hymns out of tune ... every time. We know that Mary will cluck her tongue at someone's tattoo peeking out from their sundress. We know that Mike will fall asleep during the sermon, and we know that Dan will try to share the peace with every single person. We know that the children will fidget. We know that the baby might cry. We know that we have rituals and sacraments and prayers that we say each week. We know that sometimes we won't hear the utter preposterousness and absurdity and utterly amazing news that Jesus loves each of us and all of us – that sometimes this message sails over our heads because we're too busy looking at the bulletin.

And yet ...

Sometimes it's thrilling

I always get goosebumps when I hear the words, "I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." I rejoice each Easter when we all shout, "He is risen! He is risen indeed!" Candles lit in darkness bring hope and light on Christmas Eve. When I am privileged to place bread in people's hands and I see young, old, wrinkled, black, white, brown hands reaching out for Jesus, it is truly miraculous.

We know that Fred cares for his wife with Alzheimer's. We know that Mary still grieves her daughter. We know that Mike works the late shift, and we know that Dan only leaves his group home for church. We know that the children will hear of Jesus. We know that the baby will grow up in the community of elders. We know that sometimes we will hear and understand, if even for a moment, the utter preposterousness and absurdity and utterly amazing news that Jesus loves each of us and all of us.

And so ...

Sometimes it makes me cry

Church is not for the faint-hearted. Church is not for people who only want to be with their own kind. Church is for the young, the middle-aged and the old. The healthy and the sick. The spiritually depleted and the spiritually full. Those who are seeking, those who are exhausted, and those who are filled with fire for justice. We all come together. The Freds and Marys and Mikes and Dans. And we sing and we pray, and we receive Jesus, in community, together. Church is wonderfully boring and thrilling. We catch glimpses of the divine amongst the coffee pot and petty disagreements. We see Mary hug the tattooed young girl after she is baptized. We see Mike exchange high fives with Dan. We see Fred with tears singing at the top of his lungs, "I Know that My Redeemer Lives."

There is nothing like church.

"Sometimes it's boring.
Sometimes it's thrilling.
Sometimes it makes me cry."

FROM THE CANTOR

On the morning of Thursday, September 8, London's bronze statue of Winston Churchill shone with the glint of living memory. By nightfall, it stood in silent silhouette as a memorial to former times. The fading light of the post-World War II years slipped beneath history's horizon with the passing of Queen Elizabeth II. Millions who have no direct connection to the United Kingdom or its monarchy perceived the world differently upon learning of the queen's death.

Few events have garnered as much focused attention (and worldwide viewership on broadcast and online media) as the state funeral of Queen Elizabeth II. As a church musician—and a little bit of an Anglophile besides—I was, naturally, interested in the music choices for the service. The final hymn, “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” (ELW 631) particularly stood out to me. And although the hymn was sung at the wedding ceremonies of Charles and Camilla and William and Catherine, I'll wager that its selection for the queen's funeral was much more than a nod to tradition (or the product of a royal committee's consensus). I suspect that the queen herself considered the profound message this hymn conveys in the context of a Christian monarch's funeral.

Watching the service on YouTube, the juxtaposition was striking. With the Imperial State Crown resting upon the coffin, and situated only a few feet from the new king, the congregation sings:

Finish then thy new creation,
pure and spotless let us be;
let us see thy great salvation,
perfectly restored in thee,
changed from glory into glory
till in heaven we take our place,
till we cast our crowns before thee,
lost in wonder, love, and praise!

Monarchs engage in *performative speech*—words that *do* the thing they *say* (the statement of “Arise, Sir [Name]” at a knighting ceremony is a popular, if ahistorical, understanding of this concept). In place of the late monarch, the royal priesthood of believers (the congregation) takes a performative role, effecting through sung intercession the fulfillment of God's baptismal promises for the queen and all who are in Christ—each already-begun and future-finished “new creation” (2 Cor. 5:17)—all who will join the elders of Revelation 4:10 to “cast their crowns before the throne” as they sing praises and “fall before the one who is seated on the throne and worship the one who lives forever and ever.”

With its prominence as the final congregational hymn, it seems to me that Queen Elizabeth II chose “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” to teach us something about her faith. What do *you* think? Does my interpretation resonate with you?

For more deep dives into hymn origins, texts, tunes, and more, join me at the forum on Sunday, October 24 at 9:00 AM as we look at hymns of the Reformation!

See you in church,



Kyle Haugen, Cantor

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

A church budget is a tool that works to balance finances with ministry—a sort of road map for the coming year. As such, it reflects our priorities and dreams as well as our realities. Your participation in this process can help us map our future!

2023 “Guidelines for Expenditures” Meeting

It is that time of year!! All committee heads—and anyone who needs to, or wants to, provide input for potential 2023 expenditures or income—please provide your proposal to the **Finance Committee meeting, Tuesday, October 25 from 6-8 PM.** You can attend this meeting, or provide your ideas to the committee beforehand. Please submit your proposals in writing, whether or not you can attend the meeting.

The October meeting will be a “hybrid” meeting—in person in the Conference Room, but also via Zoom for those who need that option. If possible, please let the committee know when you expect to join the meeting, so you can be scheduled. If we are meeting with others, you may not be admitted until they finish, whether in person or Zoom.

Our draft numbers need to be available by the Council's Nov. 8 meeting; Council finalizes the guidelines on Dec. 13.

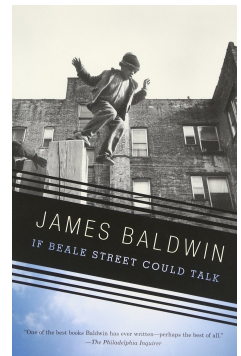
If you have suggestions, even if not for an existing budget line item, or even if you don't represent a particular committee, please submit those also. What changes should we consider as we return from Covid? Should “Growing Our Ministry” funds be spent for particular items? Great ideas not presented may not get into the 2023 guidelines.

The Finance Committee members are *Myra Dittes, Ken Hockman, Sallie Wilson, Cathi Unseth, and Rich Mathes*. You can provide input to any of us, or place a proposal or idea in our office mailbox—in the lower left section of mailboxes. Or email us all at finance@queenannelutheran.org

QA Book Group Meets October 24 (note early date!)

The Queen Anne Book Group will meet Monday, October 24 at 7 PM in the narthex to discuss *If Beale Street Could Talk* by James Baldwin. (The “last Monday” of October falls on Halloween this year; hence the bump to an earlier week.)

(From *Goodreads*): “In this honest and stunning novel, James Baldwin has given America a moving story of love in the face of injustice. Told through the eyes of Tish, a nineteen-year-old girl, in love with Fonny, a young sculptor who is the father of her child, In a love story that evokes the blues, where passion and sadness are inevitably intertwined, Baldwin has created two characters so alive and profoundly realized that they are unforgettably ingrained in the American psyche.”



We Are Seeking a Children's Ministry Coordinator

(Please spread the word!)

Queen Anne Lutheran Church, Seattle, WA, is seeking an enthusiastic, grace-centered individual to lead our Sunday School program and assist in the Teen programming. The position requires coordinating with the Pastor and Sunday School Committee to identify and schedule an appropriate curriculum (preschool-sixth grade). The successful candidate will also work with the Worship and Music Committee as it seeks to involve children in the worship life of our church. The ideal candidate will have prior experience working with children and families in a ministry context, though experience in other areas may be applicable. Completion of college education in religion or education is desired, but not required. This is a part-time position (10-15 hours a week). Compensation will be based on prior experience and time commitment. To apply, please send cover letter and resume to personnel@queenannelutheran.org by October 28. Contact the same email with any questions you have about the position.

OCTOBER FORUMS

Our Sunday Forums are open to everyone: occasional visitors, curious newcomers, or long-timers. Anyone who wants to connect with others to explore Christian thought and practice and the way they intersect with our lives in the world is welcome to join us. We hope to see you there!

All forums run Sundays from 9 –10 AM. After 10/2, Forums will be offered in hybrid format: an in-person meeting in the Conference Room (masks optional but recommended), with an option to attend via Zoom at the same time. Zoom links go out in our weekly emails; contact the church office to get on that list.

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER
	The Bible We Never Knew:	
09/25	Five Myths about the Bible	Pastor Dan Peterson
10/02	Is the Bible Inerrant?	Pastor Dan Peterson
10/09	Sex in the Bible	Dr. Sara Koenig*

**Rev. Koenig is ordained in the Presbyterian Church (USA), and wants to live in a world where there is laughter, where kindness is the default, and all people know that they matter and are loved. She is professor of biblical studies at SPU, where she did her undergraduate degree and returned there to teach after getting her M.Div. and Ph.D. at Princeton Theological Seminary. She writes about biblical characters, and how the Bible has been received during the centuries. When she's not teaching or researching, you can find her drinking coffee, reading books for fun, spending time with her teenage kids and husband, or walking her dog. Her most recent article titled "Styling Eve and Adam's Clothes" was published in June 2022.*

10/23	Great Hymns of the Reformation (See page 3 for a sample of Kyle's insights into our hymnody!)	Cantor Kyle Haugen
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Sacred Spaces: Opening the Holy Invitation Even Wider

On Saturday, September 24, Pastor Dan, Barb Bash, Jackie Munguia and Dylan Holland attended a five-hour workshop at St. Andrews LC in Bellevue presented by the Synod. The workshop helped us learn about and experience alternative ways and spaces in which to worship. "Experiential Tracks" included Creative Church (worship centered on creating art and poetry), Wild Church (worship in nature), Potluck Liturgy (where everyone contributes something to worship), and Dinner Church (ways to worship around a collective table). Other sessions invited open-ended discussions about cultivating space and leadership within a church to be open to such initiatives.

Those presenting were pastors already practicing these types of worship, and many of the attendees had interesting ideas and perspectives as well.

It was all very stimulating. Perhaps the ideas percolating from this day might bubble into our own church conversations about our worship life together as we go forward.

—Barbara Bash

God's Gardening Yields Good Works, New Friends

It was a beautiful fall day for a work party! An enthusiastic group of us from Queen Anne Lutheran and Columbia City Church of Hope gathered on September 24th at Martha Washington Park, a 9.6-acre area on Lake Washington just south of Seward Park. The Seattle Parks Department and Forterra, a non-profit land conservation agency, are restoring a stand of Oregon White Oak (Garry Oak) in a thicket of shrubs near the water in the park. We were there to help with that effort for a few hours as our 2022 God's Work, Our Hands project.



Hundreds of years ago, the area along Lake Washington was inhabited by the Duwamish Tribe, who cultivated edible plants such as camas in the meadows in the oak savannah/prairie. They controlled undergrowth in the area with fires. After American settlers moved into the area, the land was redeveloped as an orchard with a house, a youth camp, the Martha Washington School for Girls, and finally an alternative school. In 1972, the Parks Department purchased the tract from the State of Washington and demolished all the buildings. The orchard is still standing, and City Fruit harvests its apples and cherries to distribute to food banks and meal programs. However, the oak stand was not maintained, and it became overgrown with invasive plants.



We volunteers worked in the oak stand to tear out blackberries and snowberries, rip up morning glory, and plant native bulbs. It was fun for those of us from QALC to get acquainted with the volunteers from Church of Hope and hear about their exciting plans to partner with El Centro de la Raza and the Northwest Washington Synod to develop their property into a mixed-use building with affordable housing for families, a child development center, and a worship/community space for the church. And it was gratifying to see that we made a noticeable improvement in the appearance of the oak stand. Our Forterra supervisors will let us know when to visit

next spring so we can see the bulbs in bloom.

Many thanks to Lisa Kjaer-Schade and Jim Margard for organizing the event!

If you weren't able to participate in the work party, or if you did participate and are itching to do more, here's a link to information on other environmental volunteer opportunities in the Seattle area this fall:

<https://greenseattle.org/get-involved/volunteer/>.

—Susan Evans

New Horizons Fall Gala, October 21

Queen Anne Lutheran Church will host a table at New Horizons Ministries' fall gala "Hope on the Horizon," to be held on Friday, **October 21** at 6:00 PM at the Edgewater Hotel. Details will be provided on the NHM website in early August. You can register, pay (\$125), and make a dinner selection starting in August. Select "Queen Anne Lutheran" as table captain. Alternately, you can indicate attendance and selections to Barb or Jim Margard and pay at the door.

Community Lunch on Capitol Hill, November Tuesdays

We will be gathering volunteers to help prepare lunch for Community Lunch on Capitol Hill on **all five Tuesdays in November**. This lunch program now operates out of All Pilgrims Church at 509 10th Ave. East. We hope you'll be able to volunteer—Queen Anne Lutheran has been participating with this feeding program for almost 40 years! Here are the volunteer shifts that will be needed; look for a sign-up on the narthex railing this October:

Kitchen	(9:00-11:30)	1 to 2 people	=> hot lunch prep
Hall	(9:30 to 11:30)	2 to 3 people	=> sandwiches, bag desserts & snacks, butter bread, etc.
Serve	(11:30 to 1:00)	2 to 3 people	=> put take-out bags together, take to the serving table.

Grocery Shopping? Start Thinking about Queen Anne Helpline's November Thanksgiving Grocery Drive

This holiday season, our neighborhood partner Queen Anne Helpline is hoping to bring some Thanksgiving warmth to low-income seniors in our neighborhood. They will be collecting packed bags of groceries by November 21 and delivering them to our senior neighbors in Queen Anne, Magnolia, and South Lake Union. This year the goal is to serve 100 people! Queen Anne Lutheran will be participating in this drive, so keep your eye out for the following items when you shop this month and next:

Each grocery bag **MUST** contain all of the following items:

- 2 cans of vegetables (1 corn, 1 green beans)
- Package of mashed potatoes
- Package of stuffing
- Jar of cranberry sauce
- Jar of gravy
- Box of instant oatmeal
- Package of cookies
- Juice (at least 2 individually-sized bottles)

Queen Anne Helpline will also purchase fresh roasted and sliced turkey from a local butcher, as well as slices of pumpkin pie to include in the bags. They will gratefully accept monetary donations to help defray these costs! Donate by writing "QAH" on the memo line of your check to QALC, or directly at their website.

New Horizons Dinner Dates—Fifth Fridays

We have pledged, going forward, to **provide dinner for 35 youth to New Horizons** on all months with "Fifth Fridays," with the next date being **December 30**. Let Jim Margard know if you can help provide a dish for that day.

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NOVEMBER 2022

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LWR Dates to note:

October 15—Kit assembly in the Fellowship Hall, 9-11

October 23—Blessing of the Quilts (Help weigh and pack after church)

November 4-5 —LWR Ingathering (contact Rich Mathes for info)



QALC Women's News:

The uncertainty of in-between time

"These in-between times are a real part of our lives. Scholars have named this in-between time *liminal space*: a place of transition, waiting, and uncertainty. How is your faith helping during this time?" —Becca Ehrlich

What is your in-between time? Is your in-between time caused by Covid, or by life in its many stages? Sometimes we wonder if we will ever get to normal—and we no longer know what normal looks like. The Women's Group, along with QALC, runs on volunteers—both to do tasks and to help us think outside the box, as well as to help set the paths for our *new* normal. As a church and a women's group, what can we do to make others feel welcome; what would *you* like to see happen?

Come join us for Bible Study! The *Gather* magazine theme this month is "Jesus and Nature: Teachers of Faith." Sarah Olsen Smith, the author of this study, compares growing plants to growing our faith. In October we will once again be meeting both in-person and via Zoom—Tuesday, October 18. The evening Circle would like to thank Sarah Louie for facilitating the September discussion.

October is the month we make a last push: tying quilts for Lutheran World Relief, making kits, and placing everything in the sanctuary for the Blessing of the Quilts and Kits. On October 23 you are invited to join in that blessing in worship, and then to help boxing the quilts and kits for loading after the service.

Ingathering: In the first week of November, we will be transporting our quilts, baby care kits, school backpacks and personal care kits to the Nov. 4 & 5 Ingathering at Our Redeemer LC in Ballard. Ingathering volunteers and donations to help cover LWR shipping are always welcome.

Advent is coming! The time to start talking this over is *now*: Would you like to have an Advent Celebration outside of our regular worship? If so, what might that look like? Would you like to collaborate with the QALC Women's Group to plan an event? Talk to anyone on the Women's Committee.

Your Women's Committee

Candy Mathes, Barb Bach, Sallie Wilson, Pat Sobeck

Women's Calendar—Come join us!

Wednesdays—**Sewing and Service** 10 AM to 12:30 PM QALC Lower Level

Monday, October 10—**PDQ** (Evening Quilt Group) 5 PM to 8 PM (Bring a sack dinner.) QALC Lower Level
Note: **PDQ** welcomes both men and women, young and old to the quilting tables!

Monday, October 17—**Northern Lights** 7 PM (contact Dolly Smith) Zoom

Tuesday, October 18—**Evening Circle** 7 PM (contact Barb Bach) Hybrid: QALC Conference Room/Zoom

Men's Ministry

Come Assemble Kits: We will be assembling LWR School and Personal Care Kits on Saturday, October 15, 9 AM – 11 AM in the Fellowship Hall. Please let Rich know if you can help out.

Help Weigh and Pack: The final weighing and packing for the LWR quilts and kits will be on Sunday, October 23 after the 10:30 service. If any of you can hang around that day to assist, great.



A Return to Regular Discussions: Would any of you be able to attend hybrid Zoom/in-person meetings this year so we could meet for discussions? When we first created Men's Group, it was difficult to find a single time or day of week that many could participate. We chose Saturday AM, which worked for six or seven of us. We have stopped meeting since Covid hit, other than service projects, and perhaps we could start again.

If you might be interested, please also let me know (richmathes@aol.com) the days and times that might work for you for a 30-minute or longer discussion (tell me, too, when you could *not* meet).

One issue for some that made finding an agreeable time challenging was the difficulty of attending an evening meeting—after work, before or after supper. Hybrid meetings could help; those who work and/or have family obligations, could Zoom in. I hope to get trained on running a hybrid Zoom meeting from the Conference Room at our next Finance Committee meeting.

—Rich Mathes

HEARTFELT THANKS

QALC Welcomes New Members

On October 23, (besides blessing all those quilts and kits), we will be welcoming a new child into the faith through baptism: Callum Dahnert, son of Justin Dahnert and Brianna Yelle. Justin will also join our congregation that day, transferring membership from Mount Olivet Lutheran Church in Minneapolis, MN. Welcome, all!

If you are interested or curious about joining Queen Anne Lutheran, please contact Pastor Dan or email the church office to arrange a time to talk with him. (Preparation for membership varies depending on the background and needs of each individual, so the best place to start is with a conversation.) We receive new members during a worship service with a special liturgy. Reception of new members is an ongoing process over the church year, so don't hesitate to contact Pastor Dan if you are interested in joining our faith community.

My Time at Holden: September 4-10, 2022

"It was the best of times, it was the worst of times ..."

This famous phrase that begins Charles Dickens' *A Tale of Two Cities* easily sums up my whole third trip to Holden this year. There were times when nothing seemed to go right, and other times when things worked out great...

Joel Matter traveled to Holden for a week (September 4-10) to work in the Archives there. Copies of his full 8-page Holden dispatch are available in the narthex, and are linked here online as well. If you would like a copy mailed to you, please just let the church office know.



Meanwhile, here is a brief excerpt:

In Which We Pack a Pesky Megaphone and Explain the Idea for Bringing It:

... The next mishap I experienced was totally my fault. I had packed a battery-operated megaphone in my luggage. Depending on how the luggage was laid down, it would emit noises. When it was placed in the bus, it was initially silent. By the time the people were on board—wearing masks—and the driver was about to start the trip up Forest Service Road 8301, it was making a ticking noise like that of a time bomb. People were disturbed. So, I got up out of my seat and made my way to the luggage, with difficulty opened it, extracted the box with the megaphone, opened the box and then the megaphone itself to extract a couple of batteries. I left the luggage open, apologized profusely for the distraction and delay, and sat back down. After arriving in the village, I let all the other passengers get off the bus, went back to my luggage and—with difficulty—repacked the megaphone...

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By the way, the reason I had packed a megaphone was that I had hoped I could get in on the First Day of School. I intended to stop the school bus and not allow it to move on until the school children or any onlooker correctly answered the following question: ***Who, or what, named this place "Holden Village"?*** It turned out that the First Day of School was held the week previous to my arrival. So, I will have to wait until next year to try my skit. In the meantime, do *you* know the answer? Let me know if you think you do. I can assure you that there is an answer, and it can be found in the Archives.

—Joel Matter

HEARTFELT THANKS



Shirley Flory writes:

“Thank you for my 90th birthday celebration: Friends • hugs • handshakes • laughter • conversations • flowers • birthday cake • birthday cards (so many!) • singing “Happy Birthday • and for all the friendships, over all these past years.”

(Left) Shirley's 90th birthday was celebrated Sunday, September 25 at coffee hour after the 10:30 worship with a grand carrot cake, several bouquets and many well-wishers. Thank you, Shirley; you are family to us! Thanks, Jacqui D. and Barb B. for hosting the event.

Note: On Sunday, October 2, we will celebrate the 90th birthday of **Jean McLauchlan** at the 10:30 coffee hour. *(Surprise!)* Happy Birthday, Jean!

From Jim Margard: Thank you to all who have helped with this Friday's New Horizons' dinner, and thanks also to those who offered to help after we had enough volunteers!

From Rich Mathes: Thank you for all the LWR school kit supplies brought in; we have all we need!

New Horizons send thanks for a \$5.00 donation.

Compass Housing sends thanks for a recent donation of \$500.

NUTS AND BOLTS

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Office Hours

Although staff may also be present *outside* of the hours listed below, here are “office hours,” when these staff members can be reliably found:

Main Office (Barb Bash) Tuesday–Friday, 9:00 AM – 5:30 PM

Cantor Kyle Haugen: Wednesdays, 1 to 5 PM; Thursdays, 2 to 5 PM

Pastor Dan Peterson: Tuesdays, 1 to 3 PM; Saturdays, 1 to 3 PM

Covid Protocols in Worship and in the Building

The Church Council and Worship & Music Committee have set our current health and safety practices, and details are posted online and in print in the church narthex. In brief, while **we still recommend masking and distancing**, masks are now optional in the building, and having food and drink is allowed.

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