



**St Peter  
Le Poer**



## Parish Communion

**Sun 26<sup>th</sup> Sept 2021- Trinity 17**

This is the service order for the service of Holy Communion at 9am in person and streamed on the St Peter's [YouTube channel here](#)

Crown him with many crowns,  
the Lamb upon his throne;  
hark, how the heavenly anthem drowns  
all music but its own!  
Awake, my soul, and sing  
of him who died for thee,  
and hail him as thy matchless King  
through all eternity.

Crown him the Lord of love;  
behold his hands and side,  
those wounds yet visible above  
in beauty glorified:  
no angel in the sky  
can fully bear that sight,  
but downward bends his burning eye  
at mysteries so bright.

Crown him the Lord of peace,  
whose power a sceptre sways  
from pole to pole, that wars may cease,  
and all be prayer and praise:  
his reign shall know no end,  
and round his pierced feet  
fair flowers of paradise extend  
their fragrance ever sweet.

Crown him the Lord of years,  
the Potentate of time,  
creator of the rolling spheres  
ineffably sublime:  
all hail, Redeemer, hail!  
for thou hast died for me;  
thy praise shall never, never fail  
throughout eternity.

Matthew Bridges (1800-1894)

## Gathering and Greeting

In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen.**

Grace, mercy and peace  
from God our Father  
and the Lord Jesus Christ  
be with you.

All: **And also with you**

## Welcome

Rev'd Philip Sudell

## Prayers of Penitence

As we prepare to celebrate the mystery of God's love, revealed in Word and Sacrament, let us call to mind our sins.

## Confession

Most merciful God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we confess that we have sinned in thought, word and deed. We have not loved you with our whole heart. We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us to amend what we are, and direct what we shall be; that we may do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with you, our God. Amen.

## Assurance of forgiveness

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Gloria

**Glory to God, Glory to God  
Glory to God in the highest,**

**Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.**

Glory to God, Glory to God  
Glory to God in the highest,

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the  
Father: receive our prayer.

Glory to God, Glory to God  
Glory to God in the highest,

For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father.

Glory to God, Glory to God  
Glory to God in the highest.

## The Collect

A moment of silence is kept. The minister says the opening prayer set for the day.

Almighty God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you: pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself, and so bring us at last to your heavenly city where we shall see you face to face; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All: Amen.

## The Liturgy of the Word

### Old Testament Reading

Esther 7.1-6, 9, 10

<sup>1</sup>So the king and Haman went in to feast with Queen Esther. <sup>2</sup>On the second day, as they were drinking wine, the king again said to Esther, 'What is your petition, Queen Esther? It shall be granted you. And what is your request? Even to the half of my kingdom, it shall be fulfilled.'

<sup>3</sup>Then Queen Esther answered, 'If I have

won your favour, O king, and if it pleases the king, let my life be given me—that is my petition—and the lives of my people—that is my request. <sup>4</sup>For we have been sold, I and my people, to be destroyed, to be killed, and to be annihilated. If we had been sold merely as slaves, men and women, I would have held my peace; but no enemy can compensate for this damage to the king.' <sup>5</sup>Then King Ahasuerus said to Queen Esther, 'Who is he, and where is he, who has presumed to do this?' <sup>6</sup>Esther said, 'A foe and enemy, this wicked Haman!' Then Haman was terrified before the king and the queen. <sup>7</sup>Then Harbona, one of the eunuchs in attendance on the king, said, 'Look, the very gallows that Haman has prepared for Mordecai, whose word saved the king, stands at Haman's house, fifty cubits high.' And the king said, 'Hang him on that.' <sup>10</sup>So they hanged Haman on the gallows that he had prepared for Mordecai. Then the anger of the king abated.

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

## Psalm

Psalm 124

Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
The Lord who made heaven and earth

<sup>1</sup> If the Lord himself had not been on our side, • now may Israel say;

<sup>2</sup> If the Lord had not been on our side, • when enemies rose up against us;

<sup>3</sup> Then would they have swallowed us alive • when their anger burned against us;

Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
The Lord who made heaven and earth

<sup>4</sup> Then would the waters have overwhelmed us and the torrent gone over our soul; • over our soul would have swept the raging waters.

<sup>5</sup> But blessed be the Lord • who has not given us over to be a prey for their teeth.

**Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
The Lord who made heaven and earth**

<sup>6</sup> Our soul has escaped as a bird from the snare of the fowler; • the snare is broken and we are delivered.

<sup>7</sup> Our help is in the name of the Lord, • who has made heaven and earth.

**Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
The Lord who made heaven and earth**

## **New Testament Reading**

**James 5.13-end**

<sup>13</sup> Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. <sup>14</sup> Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. <sup>15</sup> The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven. <sup>16</sup> Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. <sup>17</sup> Elijah was a human being like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth.

<sup>18</sup> Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the earth yielded its harvest.

<sup>19</sup> My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another, <sup>20</sup> you should know that whoever brings back a sinner from wandering will save the sinner's soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

## **Gospel**

The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord  
Jesus Christ according to Mark.

**All: Glory to you, O Lord.**

**Mark 9.38-end**

John said to him, 'Teacher, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried to stop him, because he was not following us.' <sup>39</sup> But Jesus said, 'Do not stop him; for no one who does a deed of power in my name will be able soon afterwards to speak evil of me.

<sup>40</sup> Whoever is not against us is for us.

<sup>41</sup> For truly I tell you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you bear the name of Christ will by no means lose the reward.

<sup>42</sup> If any of you put a stumbling-block before one of these little ones who believe in me, it would be better for you if a great millstone were hung around your neck and you were thrown into the sea.

<sup>43</sup> If your hand causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life maimed than to have two hands and to go to hell, to the unquenchable fire. <sup>45</sup> And if your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life lame than to have two feet and to be thrown into hell. <sup>47</sup> And if your eye causes you to stumble, tear it out; it is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and to be thrown into hell, <sup>48</sup> where their worm never dies, and the fire is never quenched.

<sup>49</sup> 'For everyone will be salted with fire.

<sup>50</sup> Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can you season it? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**All: Praise to you, O Christ.**

# Sermon

Revd Philip Sudell

## Profession of Faith

We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation he came  
down from heaven, was incarnate from  
the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary  
and was made man.  
For our sake he was crucified under  
Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven and is seated at  
the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the  
living and the dead, and his kingdom will  
have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds  
from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is  
worshipped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and  
apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the  
forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

# Prayers of Intercession

This response may be used:

Lord, in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

And at the end:

Merciful Father,

Accept these prayers for the sake of your  
Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

## The Liturgy of the Sacrament

### The Peace

Christ is our peace. He has reconciled us  
to God in one body by the cross. We  
meet in his name and share his peace. The  
peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: And also with you.

### The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks  
to the Lord our God

All: It is right to give  
thanks and praise.

Father, we give you thanks and praise  
through your beloved Son Jesus Christ,  
your living Word, through whom you have  
created all things; who was sent by you in  
your great goodness to be our Saviour. By  
the power of the Holy Spirit he took flesh;  
as your Son, born of the blessed Virgin, he  
lived on earth and went about among us;  
he opened wide his arms for us on the  
cross; he put an end to death by dying for  
us; and revealed the resurrection by rising  
to new life; so he fulfilled your will and  
won for you a holy people. Therefore with  
angels and archangels, and with all the  
company of heaven, we proclaim your  
great and glorious name, for ever praising  
you and singing:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of  
the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Accept our praises, heavenly Father,  
through your Son our Saviour Jesus  
Christ, and as we follow his example and  
obey his command, grant that by the  
power of your Holy Spirit these gifts of  
bread and wine may be to us his body and  
his blood; who, in the same night that he  
was betrayed, took bread and gave you  
thanks; he broke it and gave it to his  
disciples, saying: Take, eat; this is my body  
which is given for you; do this in  
remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper he took the  
cup and gave you thanks; he gave it to  
them, saying: Drink this, all of you; this is  
my blood of the new covenant, which is  
shed for you and for many for the  
forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as  
you drink it, in remembrance of me.

Therefore, heavenly Father, we remember  
his offering of himself made once for all  
upon the cross; we proclaim his mighty  
resurrection and glorious ascension; we  
look for the coming of your kingdom, and  
with this bread and this cup we make the  
memorial of Christ your Son our Lord.

Great is the mystery of faith.

**All: Christ has died,  
Christ is risen,  
Christ will come again.**

Accept through him, our great high priest,  
this our sacrifice of thanks and praise, and  
as we eat and drink these holy gifts in the  
presence of your divine majesty, renew us  
by your Spirit, inspire us with your love  
and unite us in the body of your Son,  
Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through him, and with him, and in him,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, with all who  
stand before you in earth and heaven, we  
worship you, Father almighty, in songs of  
everlasting praise:

**All: Blessing and honour and glory  
and power be yours for ever and  
ever. Amen.**

## **The Lord's Prayer**

Let us pray with confidence as our  
Saviour has taught us.

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name;  
thy kingdom come;  
thy will be done;  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation;  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
the power and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

## **The Breaking of Bread**

We break this bread to share in  
the body of Christ.

**All: Though we are many, we are one  
body, because we all share in one  
bread.**

## **Agnus Dei**

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of  
the world, have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of  
the world, have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of  
the world, grant us peace.

## The Giving of Communion

Draw near with faith. Receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ which he gave for you, and his blood which he shed for you. Eat and drink in remembrance that he died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

## Prayer after Communion

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, and make us continually to be given to all good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory.

Amen.

## Church family news

## Blessing

The God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

All: Amen

## Dismissal

Go in the peace of Christ.

All: Thanks be to God.

Through all the changing scenes of life, in trouble and in joy,  
the praises of my God shall still my heart and tongue employ.

O magnify the Lord with me,  
with me exalt his name;  
when in distress to him I called,  
he to my rescue came.

The hosts of God encamp around  
the dwellings of the just;  
deliverance he affords to all  
who on his succour trust.

O make but trial of his love:  
experience will decide  
how blest are they, and only they,  
who in his truth confide.

Fear him, ye saints, and you will then  
have nothing else to fear;  
make you his service your delight,  
your wants shall be his care.

To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,  
the God whom we adore,  
be glory, as it was, is now,  
and shall be evermore.

Nahum Tate (or Teate) (1652-1715) and Nicholas Brady (1659-1726)

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## For our prayers

Lynne Punchard as she recovers from an operation on her knee

For Joan Page as she continues to recover at home.

For James and Alyson Coombs

For Stan Wolfe

For Bettina Mongul, for God's peace and strength

## Readings next Sunday

3<sup>rd</sup> October (Harvest Sunday) are:

Joel 2:21-27

Psalms 126

1 Timothy 6:6-10

Matthew 6:25-33

## Change of Service Time

From next Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> October our service will be at 9.30am (with the Grace Church Service at 11am)

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## This week and beyond

Chat and Play for pre-schoolers and their parents/minders every Tuesday.

The weekly session runs from 9.45-11am.

Fix & Two:42 from Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> Sept  
(Years 7-13 youth group)

Jam Club from Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept (Years 5 & 6 Bible club)

FAB Club from Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept (Years 1-4 Bible club)

For any further details email Lucy at [lucy.drane@gracech.org.uk](mailto:lucy.drane@gracech.org.uk).

Midweek gathering - This Thursday: in the hall: Coffee and Tea from 7.45, talk and discussion from 8-9pm

Next Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> October, Harvest Festival services followed by joint churches lunch at 12:30

Lucy Drane would welcome volunteers to help in the following four areas:

- Set up (tables and chairs)
- Serving food
- Clearing away
- Making cakes

We are collecting for the Foodbank on Pembroke Road they need:

pasta, soup, baked beans, tinned tomatoes vegetables, fruit, rice pudding and tinned tuna. Thanks so much.

## Community Café



Grace Church 

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during school term time

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Light lunch served from 12.30 - 1.30pm  
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You're invited to a

# World Day of Prayer Get- together Simple lunch

This is an in-person informal gathering in preparation for the annual service in Highgate and Muswell Hill in March 2022. There is plenty of space. There will be World Day of Prayer materials to look at and review. Do come!

**Where:** All Saints Church and Halls

N6 4QH

**When:** Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2021

**Time:** 12.30 onwards

