



# Parish Communion 9.30am Sunday 14th Nov 2021 Remembrance Sunday

This is the order for the service of Holy Communion led by Revd Philip Sudell followed by our Act of Remembrance at 11am which will be available online at on the St Peter's YouTube channel here



#### O God, our help in ages past,

our hope for years to come, our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home:

Under the shadow of thy throne thy saints have dwelt secure; sufficient is thine arm alone, and our defence is sure.

Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame, from everlasting thou art God, to endless years the same.

A thousand ages in thy sight are like an evening gone; short as the watch that ends the night before the rising sun.

Time, like an ever-rolling stream, bears all its sons away; they fly forgotten, as a dream dies at the opening day.

O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, be thou our guard while troubles last, and our eternal home.

Isaac Watts (1674-1748)

# **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

Revd Philip Sudell

### **Prayers of Penitence**

Jesus says, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand.' So let us turn away from sin and turn to Christ, confessing our sins in penitence and faith.

#### Confession

Father eternal, giver of light and grace. we have sinned against you and against our neighbour. in what we have thought. in what we have said and done. through ignorance, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We have wounded your love. and marred your image in us. We are sorry and ashamed. and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ. who died for us. forgive us all that is past: and lead us out from darkness to walk as children of light. 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.

We sing the

### 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 Father, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of all: govern the hearts and minds of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule; 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**

Daniel 12:1-3

'At that time Michael, the great prince who protects your people, will arise. There will be a time of distress such as has not happened from the beginning of nations until then. But at that time your people – everyone whose name is found written in the book – will be delivered. <sup>2</sup> Multitudes who sleep in the dust of the earth will awake: some to everlasting life, others to shame and everlasting contempt. <sup>3</sup> Those who are wise will shine like the brightness of the heavens, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars for ever and ever.

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

#### **Psalm**

Psalm 16 In your presence, O Lord, is the fullness of joy

<sup>1</sup> Preserve me, O God, for in you have I taken refuge; • I have said to the Lord, 'You are my lord, all my good depends on you.'

<sup>2</sup> All my delight is upon the godly that are in the land, • upon those who are noble in heart.

In your presence, O Lord, is the fullness of joy

<sup>3</sup> Though the idols are legion that many run after, • their drink offerings of blood I will not offer, neither make mention of their names upon my lips.

In your presence, O Lord, is the fullness of joy

<sup>4</sup> The Lord himself is my portion and my cup; • in your hands alone is my fortune. <sup>5</sup> My share has fallen in a fair land; •

indeed, I have a goodly heritage.

# In your presence, O Lord, is the fullness of joy

<sup>6</sup> I will bless the Lord who has given me counsel, • and in the night watches he instructs my heart.

<sup>7</sup> I have set the Lord always before me; • he is at my right hand; I shall not fall.

# In your presence, O Lord, is the fullness of joy

<sup>8</sup> Wherefore my heart is glad and my spirit rejoices; • my flesh also shall rest secure.

<sup>9</sup> For you will not abandon my soul to Death, • nor suffer your faithful one to see the Pit.

# In your presence, O Lord, is the fullness of joy

You will show me the path of life; in your presence is the fullness of joy • and in your right hand are pleasures for evermore.

In your presence, O Lord, is the fullness of joy

# New Testament Reading

Hebrews 10:11-25

<sup>11</sup> Day after day every priest stands and performs his religious duties; again and again he offers the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins. <sup>12</sup> But when this priest had offered for all time one sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right hand of God, <sup>13</sup> and since that time he waits for his enemies to be made his footstool. <sup>14</sup> For by one sacrifice he has made perfect for ever those who are being made holy.

<sup>15</sup> The Holy Spirit also testifies to us about this. First he says:

<sup>16</sup> 'This is the covenant I will make with them after that time, says the Lord. I will put my laws in their hearts, and I will write them on their minds.'

<sup>17</sup>Then he adds: 'Their sins and lawless acts I will remember no more.'

<sup>18</sup> And where these have been forgiven, sacrifice for sin is no longer necessary. <sup>19</sup> Therefore, brothers and sisters, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, <sup>20</sup> by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is, his body, <sup>21</sup> and since we have a great priest over the house of God. 22 let us draw near to God with a sincere heart and with the full assurance that faith brings, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience and having our bodies washed with pure water. 23 Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful. <sup>24</sup> And let us consider how we may spur one another on towards love and good deeds, <sup>25</sup> not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another - and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

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 13:1-23

As Jesus was leaving the temple, one of his disciples said to him, 'Look, Teacher! What massive stones! What magnificent buildings!'

<sup>2</sup> 'Do you see all these great buildings?' replied Jesus. 'Not one stone here will be left on another; every one will be thrown down.'

<sup>3</sup> As Jesus was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John and Andrew asked him privately, <sup>4</sup> 'Tell us, when will these things

happen? And what will be the sign that they are all about to be fulfilled?'

<sup>5</sup> Jesus said to them: 'Watch out that no one deceives you. <sup>6</sup> Many will come in my name, claiming, "I am he," and will deceive many. <sup>7</sup> When you hear of wars and rumours of wars, do not be alarmed. Such things must happen, but the end is still to come. <sup>8</sup> Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be earthquakes in various places, and famines. These are the beginning of birthpains.

<sup>9</sup> 'You must be on your guard. You will be handed over to the local councils and flogged in the synagogues. On account of me you will stand before governors and

kings as witnesses to them. <sup>10</sup> And the gospel must first be preached to all

nations. 11 Whenever you are arrested

and brought to trial, do not worry beforehand about what to say. Just say whatever is given you at the time, for it is not you speaking, but the Holy Spirit. <sup>12</sup> 'Brother will betray brother to death. and a father his child. Children will rebel against their parents and have them put to death. <sup>13</sup> Everyone will hate you because of me. but the one who stands firm to the end will be saved. <sup>14</sup> 'When you see "the abomination that causes desolation" standing where it does not belong - let the reader understand then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains. <sup>15</sup> Let no one on the housetop go down or enter the house to take anything out. 16 Let no one in the field go back to get their cloak. <sup>17</sup> How dreadful it will be in those days for pregnant women and nursing mothers! 18 Pray that this will not take place in winter, <sup>19</sup> because those will be days of distress unequalled from the beginning, when God created the world, until now - and never to be equalled again.

<sup>20</sup> 'If the Lord had not cut short those days, no one would survive. But for the sake of the elect, whom he has chosen, he has shortened them. <sup>21</sup> At that time if anyone says to you, "Look, here is the Messiah!" or, "Look, there he is!" do not believe it. <sup>22</sup> For false messiahs and false prophets will appear and perform signs and wonders to deceive, if possible, even the elect. <sup>23</sup> So be on your guard; I have told you everything in advance.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, O Christ.

#### Sermon

#### **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

Jesus said, 'Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives.' The peace of the Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

The bread and wine are brought to the Lord's Table

### 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.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should always sing of your glory, holy Father, almighty and eternal God, through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord. For you are the hope of the nations, the builder of the city that is to come. Your love made visible in Jesus Christ brings home the lost, restores the sinner and gives dignity to the despised. In his face your light shines out, flooding

lives with goodness and truth, gathering into one in your kingdom a divided and broken humanity. Therefore with all who can give voice in your creation we glorify your 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.

#### Abide with me: fast falls the eventide:

the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide: when other helpers fail, and comforts flee, help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day; earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away; change and decay in all around I see:

O thou who changest not, abide with me.

I need thy presence every passing hour; what but thy grace can foil the tempter's power? Who, like thyself, my guide and stay can be? Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, abide with me.

I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless; ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness. Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory? I triumph still, if thou abide with me.

Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes; shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies; heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee.

in life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

### **Prayer after Communion**

God of peace, whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed the kingdom and restored the broken to wholeness of life: look with compassion on the anguish of the world, and by your healing power make whole both people and nations; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

# **Blessing**

Christ, who has nourished us with himself the living bread, make you one in praise and love, and raise you up at the last day; 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.



#### All my hope on God is founded;

calls my heart to be his own.

he doth still my trust renew. Me through change and chance he guideth, only good and only true. God unknown, he alone

Human pride and earthly glory, sword and crown betray his trust; what with care and toil he buildeth, tower and temple, fall to dust. But God's power, hour by hour, is my temple and my tower.

God's great goodness ay endureth, deep his wisdom, passing thought: splendour, light, and life attend him, beauty springeth out of nought. Evermore, from his store new-born worlds rise and adore.

Daily doth the almighty giver bounteous gifts on us bestow; his desire our soul delighteth, pleasure leads us where we go. Love doth stand at his hand; joy doth wait on his command.

Still from man to God eternal sacrifice of praise be done, high above all praises praising for the gift of Christ his Son. Christ doth call one and all: ye who follow shall not fall.

Meine Hoffnung stehet feste Joachim Neander (1650-1680) Paraphrased Robert Bridges (1844-1930) CCLI: 576181

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## **Remembrance Sunday**



There will be an Act of Remembrance at the war memorial at 11am (Gather at 10.50) Coffee will be served in the hall beforehand.

# Readings next Sunday

21<sup>st</sup> November - Christ the King Daniel 7.9-14 Psalm 93 Revelation 1.4-8 Mark 13:24-37

### For our prayers

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

This Sunday is another joint church lunch with an international flavour from 12.30pm

#### **Book Club**



Sunday 14th November 7.30-8.30pm in the church - Looking at Andrew Wilson's "God of all things: discovering the sacred in an everyday world"

## This week and beyond

**PRAY 16** – Monthly Prayer Gathering – Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> 7.45 for 8-9pm in the Church

Midweek Communion - This Thursday: in the church at 12noon (said)

# Community Café

this Thursday 12-3.30pm

Thanksgiving Service for Dorothy Smith on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November at 11 30am

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Church Fair and Fun Day Saturday November 27<sup>th</sup> 11-3.00p.m. Please put the date in your diary.

It's a great opportunity to meet people from the local community and also let them know what is happening in our churches over the Christmas period.

What's happening? There will be children's activities and a bouncy castle in the Church. In the Church Hall there will be a quieter area for babies and toddlers, along with refreshments to buy – coffee, tea and cakes, soup and rolls and hot dogs. Also, there will be some stalls so why not do some Christmas shopping!

#### Hall hire:

For enquiries about hiring the Church Hall please call Lynne Punchard - 07815 523660

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