



## THE TENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

*Sunday 16 August 2020*

### **WELCOME TO THE SUMMER EUCCHARIST**

*the central Christian act of  
worship*

*in a time of national and global  
emergency precautions  
to resist the spread of the  
coronavirus pandemic*

*A warm welcome to you all joining us  
from home on Facebook.*

*Please join in with the words in **bold**.*

*All our hymns have been recorded  
remotely by the Choral Scholars of  
St Martin-in-the-Fields in their homes  
and edited together, with thanks to  
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### WELCOME

#### ENTRANCE HYMN

*(NEH 353)*

**Dear Lord and Father of mankind,  
forgive our foolish ways;  
re-clothe us in our rightful mind;  
in purer lives thy service find,  
in deeper reverence, praise.**

**In simple trust like theirs who heard  
beside the Syrian sea  
the gracious calling of the Lord,  
let us, like them, without a word  
rise up and follow thee.**

**Drop thy still dews of quietness,  
till all our strivings cease;  
take from our souls the strain  
and stress,  
and let our ordered lives confess  
the beauty of thy peace.**

**Breathe through the heats of our  
desire  
thy coolness and thy balm;  
let sense be dumb, let flesh retire;  
speak through the earthquake,  
wind and fire,  
O still small voice of calm.**

### THE GATHERING

**† In the name of the Father, and  
of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.  
Amen.**

### THE GREETING

**The Lord be with you.  
and also with you.**

## PRAYER OF PREPARATION

**Almighty God**  
**to whom all hearts are open,**  
**all desires known,**  
**and from whom no secrets are**  
**hidden:**  
**cleanse the thoughts of our hearts**  
**by the inspiration of your**  
**Holy Spirit,**  
**that we may perfectly love you,**  
**and worthily magnify your**  
**holy name;**  
**through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## TURNING BACK TO GOD

Brothers and sisters,  
 as we prepare to celebrate,  
 let us call to mind our sins.

**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**

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 (said)

**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.**  
**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.**  
**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.**  
**Amen.**

## THE COLLECT

Let your merciful ears, O Lord,  
 be open to the prayers of your  
 humble servants;  
 and that they may obtain their petitions  
 make them to ask such things  
 as shall please you;  
 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.  
**Amen.**

## GRADUAL HYMN

*(NHWS 12)*

**And can it be that I should gain  
an interest in the Saviour's blood?  
Died he for me, who caused his  
pain?  
For me, who him to death pursued?  
Amazing love! How can it be  
that thou, my God, shouldst die  
for me?**

**He left his Father's throne above -  
so free, so infinite his grace -  
emptied himself of all but love,  
and bled for Adam's helpless race.  
'Tis mercy all, immense and free;  
for, O my God, it found out me!**

**Long my imprisoned spirit lay  
fast bound in sin and nature's night;  
thine eye diffused a quickening ray -  
I woke, the dungeon flamed  
with light,  
my chains fell off, my heart was free,  
I rose, went forth, and followed thee.**

**No condemnation now I dread;  
Jesus, and all in him, is mine!  
Alive in him, my living head,  
and clothed in righteousness divine,  
bold I approach the eternal throne,  
and claim the crown, through Christ,  
my own.**

*The last two lines of each verse are  
repeated.*

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

*Reader: Caroline Campbell*

## THE GOSPEL

The Lord be with you  
**And also with you**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus  
Christ according to Matthew

St Matthew 15: [10-20], 21-28

*When it is announced:*  
**Glory to you, O Lord**

*At the end:*  
This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, O Christ**

THE SERMON - Paul Budgen

## THE APOSTLES CREED

**I believe in God, the Father  
almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ,  
his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the  
Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of  
the Father,  
and he will come to judge the  
living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.  
Amen.**

#### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

*Leader: Arthur Darby*

*After: Lord, in your abundant love  
Hear our prayer*

*At the end of the prayers*

*Leader: Lord of life,  
hear our prayer,  
and make us one in heart  
and mind to serve you  
with joy for ever.  
Amen.*

#### THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

##### THE PEACE

The mind of sinful nature is death;  
the mind led by the Spirit is life  
and peace.

The peace of the Lord be always  
with you.

**and also with you.**

*\*All may exchange a sign of  
peace with those we are watching  
with at home, or by writing in the  
comment box below\**

#### OFFERTORY HYMN

*In the absence of our weekly  
collection at this point, if you would like  
to help support the life and work of the  
church, all donations would be greatly  
appreciated at this time. Details can be  
found on the back of the order of  
service. Thank you.*

*(SP 246)*

**Jesus Christ is waiting,  
waiting in the streets;  
no one is his neighbour,  
all alone he eats.  
Listen, Lord Jesus, I am lonely too;  
make me, friend or stranger,  
fit to wait on you.**

**Jesus Christ is raging,  
raging in the streets,  
where injustice spirals  
and real hope retreats.  
Listen, Lord Jesus I am angry too;  
in the Kingdom's causes let me  
rage with you.**

**Jesus Christ is healing,  
healing in the streets;  
curing those who suffer,  
touching those he greets.  
Listen, Lord Jesus, I have pity too;  
let my care be active, healing,  
just like you.**

**Jesus Christ is dancing,  
dancing in the streets,  
where each sign of hatred he,  
with love, defeats.  
Listen, Lord Jesus I should  
triumph too;  
where good conquers evil let me  
dance with you.**

**Jesus Christ is calling,  
calling in the streets,  
'Who will join my journey?  
I will guide their feet.'  
Listen, Lord Jesus, let my fears  
be few:  
walk one step before me;  
I will follow you.**

#### THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER H

The Lord is here.  
**His Spirit is with us.**

Lift up your hearts.  
**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our  
God.  
**It is right to give thanks and  
praise.**

It is right to praise you Father,  
Lord of all creation;  
in your love you made us for  
yourself.  
When we turned away you did not  
reject us,  
but came to meet us in your son.  
**You embraced us as your children  
and welcomed us to sit and eat  
with you.**

In Christ you shared our life  
that we might live in him and he in  
us.  
**He opened his arms of love upon  
the cross and made for all the  
perfect sacrifice  
for sin.**

On the night he was betrayed,  
at supper with his friends  
he took bread, and gave you thanks;

he broke it and gave it to them, saying:  
Take, eat;  
this is my body which is given for you;  
do this in remembrance of me.  
**Father, we do this in remembrance  
of him:  
his body is the bread of life.**

At the end of supper, taking the cup of  
wine,  
he gave you thanks, and said:  
Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of  
the new covenant,  
which is shed for you for the for-  
giveness of sins;  
do this in remembrance of me.  
**Father, we do this in remembrance  
of him:  
his blood is shed for all.**

As we proclaim his death and celebrate  
his rising to glory,  
send your Holy Spirit that this bread and  
this wine  
may be to us the body and blood of  
your  
dear Son.

**As we eat and drink these holy gifts  
make us one in Christ, our risen  
Lord.**

With your whole church throughout the  
world we offer you this sacrifice of  
praise and lift our voice to join the  
eternal song of heaven:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of  
your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessèd is he, who comes in  
the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

### 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.**

### BREAKING OF THE BREAD

We break this bread  
to share in the body of Christ  
**Though we are many, we  
are one body, because we  
all share in one bread.**

### AGNUS DEI

Lamb of God, **you take away  
the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us.**

Lamb of God, **you take away  
the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away  
the sins of the world,  
grant us peace.**

### THE ADMINISTRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION / SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

ANTHEM: *'O God you search me and  
you know me'* sung by the  
Contracovids

### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

God of our pilgrimage,  
you have willed that the gates of mercy  
should stand open for those who  
trust in you:  
look upon us with your favour  
that we who follow the path of your will  
may never wander from the way of life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### NOTICES

### POST COMMUNION HYMN

*(NEH 332)*

**All hail the power of Jesu's name;  
let angles prostrate fall;  
bring forth the royal diadem  
to crown him, crown him, crown him,  
crown him Lord of all.**

**Crown him, ye martyrs of your God,  
who from his altar call;  
praise him whose way of pain ye  
trod,  
and crown him Lord of all.**

**Ye see of Israel's chosen race,  
ye ransomed of the fall,  
hail him who saves you by his grace,  
and crown him Lord of all.**

**Let every tribe and every tongue  
to him their hearts enthral,  
lift high the universal song  
and crown him Lord of all.**

## THE BLESSING

The love of the Lord Jesus draw  
you to himself,  
the power of the Lord Jesus  
strengthen you in his service,  
the joy of the Lord Jesus fill your  
hearts;  
and the blessing of God almighty,  
the Father, the Son and the  
Holy Spirit,  
be with you and remain with  
you always. **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve  
the Lord  
**In the name of Christ.  
Amen.**

Organ Voluntary:  
Thomas Tomkins - *A Fancy*  
Performed by Graham Powell on  
the organ of St Peter's Limpsfield

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virtual coffee on Zoom. To join  
simply click the link below or enter  
the Meeting ID and Password.*

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