

ANGLICAN PARISH OF CLEVEDON

*A Christ-Centred Community
of Extravagant Welcome and Radical Hospitality*

The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

16 June 2024

All Souls, Clevedon



Presider and Preacher: The Reverend Vivienne Pyle

Please be aware that this service is live streamed to the Internet

Eucharistic Liturgy

Thanksgiving for Creation and Redemption

Processional Hymn

1. God of infinity, God of humanity,
Giver, Creator, your likeness we seek:
faith, hope and charity blended in unity,
guiding our actions, the words that we speak.
2. Give us the faith that your presence is everywhere
as it has been with your saints through the years:
faith that moves mountains, encouraging, strengthening,
binding together, dispelling our fears.
3. Give us the hope that your kingdom will come on earth;
bloodshed, oppression and famine will cease;
hope that your children will live in tranquillity,
conflict be ended, the world be at peace.
4. Give us the greatest of all of your attributes,
charity boundless, that seeks no reward;
love unconditional, love that is limitless,
love like the wine of the Sacrament poured.
5. God universal and God of the personal,
source of all wisdom, Sustainer and Friend,
spirit intangible, incomprehensible,
love without limit and Life without end.

*Words Jocelyn Marshall,
Tune O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness*

WELCOME AND GATHERING

In the name of God: Creator, Redeemer and Giver of life. **Amen.**

Grace to you and peace
from God our Creator,
the love at our beginning
and without end,
in our midst and with us.

**God is with us,
here we find new life.**

Let us give thanks
for the coming of God's reign of justice and love.
**Jesus Christ is good news for the poor,
release for the captives,
recovery of sight for the blind
and liberty for those who are oppressed.**

REPENTANCE AND FORGIVENESS

Jesus, our deliverer, we take your freedom from others.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Jesus, our hope, we deprive others of hope.

Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Jesus, God's shalom, we distort your peace.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

In silence before God,
we confess our sins.

Silence

God the Creator brings you new life, forgives and redeems you.
Take hold of this forgiveness and live your life in the Spirit of Jesus.
Amen.

Sentence

In Christ, God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting the message of reconciliation to us.

2 Corinthians 5:19

Collect

God, you are the gardener of all creation.
You planted this world with the seeds of your love
and grow them with your faithfulness.
We are your harvest; we find our meaning and
sustenance in you.

**May our minds listen to your calling,
may our hearts be attuned to your will,
may our feet follow you in the world,
through Jesus, the Word become flesh. Amen**

Old Testament Reading: *Ezekiel 17 : 22 - 24*

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 92 : 1 – 4, 12 - 15

- ¹ It is good to give thanks to the LORD,
to sing praises to your name, O Most High;
- ² **to declare your steadfast love in the morning,
and your faithfulness by night,**
- ³ to the music of the lute and the harp,
to the melody of the lyre.
- ⁴ **For you, O LORD, have made me glad by your work;
at the works of your hands I sing for joy.**
- ¹² The righteous flourish like the palm tree,
and grow like a cedar in Lebanon.

- 13 They are planted in the house of the LORD;
they flourish in the courts of our God.**
- 14 In old age they still produce fruit;
they are always green and full of sap,
- 15 showing that the LORD is upright;
he is my rock, and there is no unrighteousness in him**

New Testament Reading: 2 Corinthians 5 : 6 – 10, 14 - 17

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn

1. Seek ye first the kingdom of God,
and his righteousness,
and all these things shall be added unto you;
allelu, alleluia.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, allelu, alleluia.

2. You shall not live by bread alone,
but by ev'ry word
that proceeds from the mouth of God;
allelu, alleluia.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, allelu, alleluia

3. Ask and it shall be given unto you,
seek and ye shall find;
knock, and it shall be opened unto you;
allelu, alleluia.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, allelu, alleluia

Gospel Reading: Mark 4 : 26 - 34

Before the Gospel

The Holy Gospel according to Mark

Praise and glory to God.

After the Gospel

This is the Gospel of Christ.

Praise to Christ, the Word.

Sermon

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

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

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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,
is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and will come again 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.**

Let us pray for the Church and for the world, giving thanks for God's goodness.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Bidding: God of love

Response: **Hear our prayer.**

Concluding with:

God, you shape our dreams.

As we put our trust in you
may your hopes and desires be ours,
and we your expectant people. **Amen**

THE MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT

THE PEACE

The peace of God be with you all.

In God's justice is our peace.

E te whānau / Brothers and sisters,

Christ calls us to live in unity.

We seek to live in the Spirit of Christ.

We exchange a sign of Peace with one another.

Offertory Hymn

1. The kingdom of God is justice and joy;
For Jesus restores what sin would destroy.
God's power and glory in Jesus we know;
And here and hereafter the kingdom shall grow.
2. The kingdom of God is mercy and grace;
The captives are freed, the sinners find place,
The outcast are welcomed God's banquet to share;
And hope is awakened in place of despair.

3. The kingdom of God is challenge and choice:
Believe the good news, repent and rejoice!
God's love for us sinners brought Christ to his cross:
Our crisis of judgement for gain or for loss.
4. God's kingdom is come, the gift and the goal;
In Jesus begun, in heaven made whole.
The heirs of the kingdom shall answer his call;
And all things cry "Glory!" to God all in all.

Words: Bryn Rees

Tune: O Worship the King all glorious above

The Preparation of the Gifts

God of all creation, you bring forth
bread from the earth
and fruit from the vine.
By your Holy Spirit this bread and wine
will be for us
the body and blood of Christ.

**All you have made is good.
Your love endures for ever.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Please sit or stand during The Great Thanksgiving as is your custom.

The Spirit of God be with you.
And also with you.

Lift your hearts to heaven
where Christ in glory reigns.
Let us give thanks to God.
It is right to offer thanks and praise.

It is right indeed to give you thanks most loving God,
through Jesus Christ, our Redeemer,
the first born from the dead,
the pioneer of our salvation,
who is with us always,
one of us, yet from the heart of God.

For with your whole created universe,
we praise you for your unfailing gift of life.
We thank you that you make us human
and stay with us
even when we turn from you to sin.

**God's love is shown to us:
while we were yet sinners,
Christ died for us.**

In that love, dear God,
righteous and strong to save,
you came among us in Jesus Christ,
our crucified and living Lord.
You make all things new.
In Christ's suffering and cross
you reveal your glory
and reconcile all peoples to yourself,
their true and living God.
In your mercy you are now our God.
Through Christ you gather us,
new-born in your Spirit,
a people after your own heart.
We entrust ourselves to you,
for you alone do justice
to all people, living and departed.

**Now is the acceptable time,
now is the day of salvation.**

Therefore with saints and martyrs,
apostles and prophets,
with all the redeemed,
joyfully we praise you and say:

Holy, holy, holy:
God of mercy, giver of life;
earth and sea and sky
and all that lives,
declare your presence and your glory.

All glory to you, Giver of life
sufficient and full for all creation.
Accept our praises,
living God, for Jesus Christ,
the one perfect offering for the world,
who in the night that he was betrayed,
took bread,
and when he had given thanks,
broke it, gave it to his disciples, and said:

Take, eat, this is my body
which is given for you;
do this to remember me.

After supper he took the cup;
and when he had given thanks,
he gave it to them and said:

Drink this, all of you.
This is my blood of the new covenant
which is shed for you, and for many,
to forgive sin.
Do this as often as you drink it
to remember me.

Therefore, God of all creation,
in the suffering and death
of Jesus our redeemer,
we meet you in your glory.
We lift up the cup of salvation
and call upon your name.
Here and now, with this bread and wine,
we celebrate your great acts of liberation,
ever present and living in Jesus Christ,
crucified and risen,
who was and is and is to come.

Amen! Come Lord Jesus.

May Christ ascended in majesty
be our new and living way,
our access to you, Father,
and source of all new life.
In Christ we offer ourselves
to do your will.

Empower our celebration with your Holy Spirit,
feed us with your life,
fire us with your love,
confront us with your justice,
and make us one in the body of Christ
with all who share your gifts of love.

**Through Christ,
in the power of the Holy Spirit,
with all who stand before you
in earth and heaven,
we worship you, Creator God. Amen.**

As Christ teaches us we pray:

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen.**

The bread we break
is a sharing in the body of Christ.
**We who are many are one body,
for we all share the one bread.**

The cup of blessing
for which we give thanks
is a sharing in the blood of Christ.

The Invitation

Bread and wine; the gifts of God
for the people of God.
**May we who share these gifts
be found in Christ
and Christ in us.**

Prayer After Communion

Most loving God, creator and redeemer,
we give you thanks
for this foretaste of your glory.

**Through Christ, and with all your saints,
we offer ourselves
and our lives to your service.
Send us out in the power of your Spirit,
to stand with you in your world.
We ask this through Jesus Christ, the servant,
our friend and brother. Amen.**

Community Notices

Blessing

Recessional Hymn

1. Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won;
angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,
kept the folded grave-clothes, where thy body lay.

*Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won;*

2. Lo, Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb,
lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom;
let the church with gladness, hymns of triumph sing,
for her Lord is living, death has lost its sting.

Thine be the glory

3. No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of life;
life is nought without thee: aid us in our strife;
make us more than conquerors,
through thy deathless love;
bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above.

Thine be the glory....

Dismissal of the Community

Grace be with you.

Thanks be to God.

Go in peace.

Amen. We go in the name of Christ.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH 17 - 23 JUNE

The Way of Grace	10.00-12.00	Tuesday	Parish Hall
Operation Cover up	9.30- 1200	Tuesday	Christ Church Room
Mahjong	1.00pm	Tuesday	Christ Church Room
Men's Group	9.30am	Wednesday	Windross Farm
Bridge Club	10.00am	Wednesday	Parish Hall

Vivienne will be away at Ministry Conference, Church of the Good Shepherd, Massey, Wednesday/Thursday (021 251 3825)

Eucharist combined	9.30am	Sunday	Christ Church
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We welcome Archdeacon Michael Berry who will preside and preach

READINGS NEXT SUNDAY:

Job 38 : 1 – 11

2 Corinthians 6 : 1 – 13

Mark 4 : 35 - 41

Help needed with gardening at All Souls 🌹🌸🌻. If you would like to join a small group of volunteers for a few hours once a month to help with general gardening work in our lovely grounds, we would love to have a chat over coffee after church on **Sunday June 30th.**

Any help will be wonderful and gratefully appreciated.

Joyce Ph 0274849874

**HAVE YOU BEEN UNWELL
OR ARE YOU GOING INTO HOSPITAL?**

Please let Vivienne know, so we can visit and keep you in our prayers.

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