

Holy Communion

Fourth Sunday after Trinity 10 July 2022

A warm welcome to our worship this morning. Whether a regular or a visitor, it is good to have you here.

At *All Saints* we continue to take precautions to keep everyone as safe as possible as we worship. If you wish to continue to observe *social distancing rules* during worship, please sit in the side aisles.

We encourage you to use the *hand sanitiser stations* when you arrive, before and after communion, and when you leave. *Face masks* are no longer mandatory, but if you feel more comfortable wearing one, these can be found at the back of church.

Personal photographs you take in our church, with children other than your own in them, are not to be published on social media sites (Instagram, Facebook etc.)

We stand as the bell sounds to mark the beginning of our worship. As we sing our first hymn the choir and altar party process into church.

HYMN

- Judge eternal, throned in splendour, Lord of lords and King of kings, with thy living fire of judgment purge this realm of bitter things: solace all its wide dominion with the healing of thy wings.
- 2 Still the weary folk are pining for the hour that brings release: and the city's crowded clangour cries aloud for sin to cease; and the homesteads and the woodlands plead in silence for their peace.
- 3 Crown, O Lord, thine own endeavour; cleave our darkness with thy sword; cheer the faint and feed the hungry with the richness of thy word; cleanse the body of this nation through the glory of the Lord.

GREETING

Minister In the name of the Father,

and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All Amen.

Minister The Lord be with you, All and also with you.

Words of welcome may be said.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

All 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.

CONFESSION

Deacon We come to God as one from whom no secrets are hidden, to ask for his forgiveness and peace.

Silence may be kept.

All 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 your our God.

and walk humbly with you, our God. Amen.

ABSOLUTION

Minister May the God of love

bring you back to himself, forgive you your sins,

and assure you of his eternal love,

in lesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

All Glory to God, we give you thanks and praise; of heav'nly joy and earthly peace we sing.
We worship you, to you our hearts we raise,
Lord God, almighty Father, heav'nly King.

Lord Jesus Christ, the Father's only Son, you bore for us the load of this world's sin.

O Lamb of God, your glorious vict'ry won, receive our pray'r, grant us your peace within.

Alone, O Christ, you only are the Lord, at God's right hand in majesty most high: who with the Spirit worshipped and adored: with all the heav'nly host we glorify.

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COLLECT

The president introduces a period of silent prayer with the words 'Let us pray' or a more specific bidding. The Collect is said.

Gracious Father, by the obedience of Jesus you brought salvation to our wayward world: draw us into harmony with your will, that we may find all things restored in him, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

All Amen.

FIRST READING Amos 7.7-17

This is what he showed me: the Lord was standing beside a wall built with a plumb-line, with a plumb-line in his hand. And the LORD said to me, 'Amos, what do you see?' And I said, 'A plumb-line.' Then the Lord said, 'See, I am setting a plumb-line in the midst of my people Israel; I will never again pass them by; the high places of

Isaac shall be made desolate, and the sanctuaries of Israel shall be laid waste, and I will rise against the house of Jeroboam with the sword.'

Then Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, sent to King Jeroboam of Israel, saying, 'Amos has conspired against you in the very centre of the house of Israel; the land is not able to bear all his words. For thus Amos has said, "Jeroboam shall die by the sword, and Israel must go into exile away from his land."

And Amaziah said to Amos, 'O seer, go, flee away to the land of Judah, earn your bread there, and prophesy there; but never again prophesy at Bethel, for it is the king's sanctuary, and it is a temple of the kingdom.'

Then Amos answered Amaziah, 'I am no prophet, nor a prophet's son; but I am a herdsman, and a dresser of sycomore trees, and the LORD took me from following the flock, and the LORD said to me, "Go, prophesy to my people Israel."

'Now therefore hear the word of the LORD. You say, "Do not prophesy against Israel, and do not preach against the house of Isaac." Therefore, thus says the LORD: "Your wife shall become a prostitute in the city, and your sons and your daughters shall fall by the sword, and your land shall be parcelled out by line; you yourself shall die in an unclean land, and Israel shall surely go into exile away from its land.""

At the end the reader may say

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Silence may be kept.

PSALM 82

- 1 God has taken his stand in the council of heaven; in the midst of the gods he gives judgement:
- 2 'How long will you judge unjustly and show such favour to the wicked?
- You were to judge the weak and the orphan; defend the right of the humble and needy;
- 4 'Rescue the weak and the poor; deliver them from the hand of the wicked.
- 'They have no knowledge or wisdom;they walk on still in darkness:all the foundations of the earth are shaken.
- 6 'Therefore I say that though you are gods and all of you children of the Most High,

- 7 'Nevertheless, you shall die like mortals and fall like one of their princes.'
- 8 Arise, O God and judge the earth, for it is you that shall take all nations for your possession.

SECOND READING Colossians 1.1-14

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow-servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

At the end the reader may say

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Silence may be kept.

HYMN

Dear Christ, uplifted from the earth, your arms stretched out above through every culture, every birth, to draw an answering love.

- Still east and west your love extends and always, near and far, you call and claim us as your friends and love us as we are.
- Where age and gender, class and race, divides us to our shame,
 you see a person and a face,
 a neighbour with a name.
- 4 May we, accepted as we are, yet called in grace to grow, reach out to others, near and far, your healing love to show.

Brian Wren (b. 1936) Words: © 1973, 1996, Stainer & Bell Ltd, London, England

GOSPEL READING Luke 10.25-37

All Alleluia! [x4]

Deacon Welcome with meekness the implanted word

that has the power to save your souls.

All Alleluia! [x4]

Deacon Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

All Glory to you, O Lord.

A lawyer stood up to test Jesus. 'Teacher,' he said, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the law? What do you read there?' He answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.' And he said to him, 'You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.'

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to

the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?' He said, 'The one who showed him mercy.' Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

After the Sermon silence may be kept.

CREED

Minister Let us declare our faith in God,

Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

All We believe in God, the Father, from whom every family

We believe in God the Son, who lives in our hearts through faith, and fills us with his love.

in heaven and on earth is named.

We believe in God the Holy Spirit, who strengthens us with power from on high.

We believe in one God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Minister In the power of the Spirit and in union with Christ, let us pray to the Father.

This response may be included:

Lord, in your mercy,

All hear our prayer.

And at the end:

Merciful Father,

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

Silence is kept.

PEACE

Minister 'Where two or three are gathered together in my name,' says the Lord,

'there am I in the midst of them'.

The peace of the Lord be with you.

All And also with you.

PREPARATION OF THE TABLE

HYMN

Alleluia, sing to Jesus!
His the sceptre, his the throne;
alleluia, his the triumph,
his the victory alone:
hark, the songs of peaceful Sion
thunder like a mighty flood;
Jesus out of every nation
hath redeemed us by his blood.

- Alleluia, not as orphans
 are we left in sorrow now;
 alleluia, he is near us,
 faith believes, nor questions how:
 though the cloud from sight received him,
 when the forty days were o'er,
 shall our hearts forget his promise,
 'I am with you evermore'?
- Alleluia, bread of angels, thou on earth our food, our stay; alleluia, here the sinful flee to thee from day to day: Intercessor, Friend of sinners, earth's Redeemer, plead for me, where the songs of all the sinless sweep across the crystal sea.
- 4 Alleluia, King eternal, thee the Lord of lords we own; alleluia, born of Mary, earth thy footstool, heaven thy throne: thou within the veil hast entered, robed in flesh, our great High Priest;

thou on earth both Priest and Victim in the eucharistic feast.

William Chatterton Dix (1837-1898)

TABLE PRAYER

Minister Wise and gracious God,

you spread a table before us;

nourish your people with the word of life

and the bread of heaven.

All Amen.

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Minister The Lord be with you, All and also with you.

Minister Lift up your hearts.

All We lift them to the Lord.

Minister Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All It is right to give thanks and praise.

Minister Living God, Father of light,

hope of nations, friend of sinners, builder of the city that is to come: your love is made visible in Jesus Christ, you bring home the lost, restore the sinner and give dignity to the despised.

In the face of Jesus Christ your light shines out, flooding lives with goodness and truth, gathering into one a divided and broken humanity.

With people from every race and nation, with the Church of all the ages, with apostles, evangelists and martyrs we join the angels of heaven in their unending song:

All Holy, holy, holy is the Lord, holy is the Lord God Almighty.
Holy, holy, holy is the Lord, holy is the Lord god almighty.
Who was, and is, and is to come. Holy, holy, holy is the Lord.

Minister We praise and bless you, loving Father,

through Jesus Christ, our Lord;

and as we obey his command, send your Holy Spirit, that broken bread and wine outpoured may be for us the body and blood of your dear Son.

On the night before he died he had supper with his friends and, taking bread, he praised you. He broke the bread, gave it to them and said:

Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me.

When supper was ended he took the cup of wine. Again he praised you, 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 for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

All Worthy, worthy, worthy is the Lord, worthy is the Lord God Almighty. Worthy, worthy, worthy is the Lord, worthy is the Lord God Almighty. Who was and is and is to come. Worthy, worthy, worthy is the Lord.

So, Father, we remember all that Jesus did, in him we plead with confidence his sacrifice made once for all upon the cross.

Bringing before you the bread of life and cup of salvation, we proclaim his death and resurrection until he comes in glory.

Lord of all life, help us to work together for that day when your kingdom comes and justice and mercy will be seen in all the earth.

Look with favour on your people, gather us in your loving arms and bring us with [N and] all the saints to feast at your table in heaven.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, O loving Father, for ever and ever.

All Blessing and honour and glory and power be yours for ever and ever.

All Glory, glory, glory to the Lord, glory to the Lord God Almighty.
Glory, glory, glory to the Lord, glory to the Lord God Almighty.
Who was and is and is to come. Glory, glory, glory to the Lord.

Silence may be kept.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Minister As our Saviour taught us, so 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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

(Or) 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

The president breaks the consecrated bread.

Minister 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.

All Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is the Lord, Jesus is the Lord God Almighty.

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is the Lord, Jesus is the Lord God Almighty.

Who was and is and is to come. Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is the Lord.

GIVING OF COMMUNION

Minister 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.

All Amen.

Please wait to be directed forward to receive communion.

HYMNS

- Jesus, Lord, we look to thee, let us in thy name agree: show thyself the Prince of peace; bid all strife for ever cease.
- Make us of one heart and mind, courteous, pitiful, and kind, lowly, meek in thought and word, altogether like our Lord.
- 3 Let us for each other care, each the other's burden bear; to thy church the pattern give, show how true believers live.
- 4 Free from anger and from pride, let us thus in God abide; all the depths of love express, all the heights of holiness.

Charles Wesley (1707-1788)

Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One, is here; come bow before him now with reverence and fear: in him no sin is found — we stand on holy ground.

Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here.

- 2 Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around; he burns with holy fire, with splendour he is crowned: how awesome is the sight our radiant King of light! Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around.
- 3 Be still, for the power of the Lord is moving in this place:
 he comes to cleanse and heal, to minister his grace.
 No work too hard for him, in faith receive from him.
 Be still, for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.

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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Minister Eternal God, comfort of the afflicted and healer of the broken, you have fed us at the table of life and hope: teach us the ways of gentleness and peace, that all the world may acknowledge the kingdom of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

All 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.

NOTICES

HYMN

1 Ye that know the Lord is gracious, ye for whom a corner-stone stands, of God elect and precious, laid that ye may build thereon, see that on that sure foundation ye a living temple raise,

towers that may tell forth salvation, walls that may re-echo praise.

- 2 Living stones, by God appointed each to his allotted place, kings and priests, by God anointed, shall ye not declare his grace? Ye, a royal generation, tell the tidings of your birth, tidings of a new creation to an old and weary earth.
- 3 Tell the praise of him who called you out of darkness into light, broke the fetters that enthralled you, gave you freedom, peace and sight: tell the tale of sins forgiven, strength renewed and hope restored, till the earth, in tune with heaven, praise and magnify the Lord.

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BLESSING

Minister The peace of God, which passes all understanding,

keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; 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

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All In the name of Christ. Amen.

ORGAN VOLUNTARY Norman Cocker: Tuba tune

The people and ministers depart.

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OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR

Those who suffer in body, mind or spirit, among them Richard H, Kay G, Jonathan, Ron W, Kath T, June M, Jenny A, Andrew E, Clive F, John B, Doreen and Keith J, John W.

The housebound and those in residential homes: Shirley C, Diana B.

If you would like to add a name to our prayer list, please obtain the consent of the person you wish us to pray for. Then tell Pat Thomas whom to pray for and the reason why.

REMEMBER THE DEPARTED

Those whose anniversaries fell on this past week: Evelyn Lecount, Edward Lock, Florence Mary Davis, Ken Ward, Doreen Peggy Lawrence, Ken Matthews, Jack Donald, Ivy McNamie, Jean Cobb, Tom Bellamy, Betty Abbott, Betty Saxby, Anthony Murray Brown, Pam and Paul Dollimore, Olga White, Albert Bass, Ann Tobin, Jean Roberts.

NOTICES

All Hallows' Summer Quiz sheets are available from Bob and Margaret Addie £1.00. There are also some in the church hall, available on coffee morning days. The closing date for entries is 1 August.

Tea @2 Tuesday 12 July in St Andrew's Hall.

All are invited to the annual meeting of the Inter Faith Group on Tues 12 July at 19:30 in the Victoria Centre. Kevin Johnstone will talk about the Ukrainian resettlement program in the town.

Compline tonight: As there is a Deanery Evensong at All Hallows at 6pm this evening there will no Compline on Zoom.

Harrison Cook has resigned as Director of Music for All Saints. He will be taking up a full time job in Gloucestershire, and we wish him well on his new venture, giving grateful thanks for his service to the music of this church over the last 5 years. Harrison's contact details remain unchanged. If you would like to leave a message of thanks and Good Luck to him, please do sign the card at the table by the East Door. There is also a collection towards a gift from the Parish.

As an **interim** measure Tony Edwards, Music Director of All Hallows, has kindly agreed to play for us on Sunday mornings and run choir practices for All Saints' Choir on a Wednesday evening from 7pm-8pm.

Canon Paula

DIARY

Mon 11 July 18:00 - 19:15 18:15 - 19:30 19:00 - 21:00 19:30 - 21:00	Benedict of Nursia St Mary's Church Hall All Hallows' Hall All Hallows' Hall St Mary's Church Hall	Cubs Brownies, Rainbows AH PCC meeting Scouts
Tues 12 July 8:30 - 9:00 9:30 - 12:00 9:30 - 15:00 14:00 - 15:00	Zoom All Hallows' Hall All Saints St Andrew's Hall	Morning Prayer coffee shop school rehearsal Tea @2
Wed 13 July 9:30 - 12:00 10:30 - 12:30 12:00 - 15:00 12:15 - 13:00 19:00 - 20:00 19:00 - 20:30	All Hallows' Hall All Hallows All Saints All Hallows All Saints All Hallows' Hall	coffee shop open to the public school performance Midweek Eucharist AS choir practice Guides
Thurs 14 July 8:30 - 9:00 10:00 - 10:30 18:15 - 19:30 19:00 - 20:00	John Keble Zoom All Saints All Hallows' Hall All Saints	Morning Prayer Holy Communion Beavers AS PCC meeting
Fri 15 July 9:30 - 12:00 19:00 - 20:30	Swithun All Hallows' Hall All Hallows	coffee shop AH choir practice
Sat 16 July 9:30 - 12:00 10:30 - 12:30	All Hallows' Hall All Hallows	coffee shop open to the public
Sun 17 July 9:15 - 10:30 11:15 - 12:30 12:00 - 14:00 18:00 - 18:30 19:30 - 21:30	Trinity 5 All Saints All Hallows Vicarage garden Zoom Dale End, Croyland Rd	Eucharist Eucharist Sunday School Summer Party Compline Explorers

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