

Service Booklet

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These are careful and uncertain times, guidelines are in place for all our sakes – stewards will be working to help us all keep safe, please respect and follow their requests as necessary.

To help yourself and others:

- remember to keep a distance of 2m from others (less is ok if you are moving past someone). Do not linger at the end of the service, if you want to talk to someone, go outside first.
- fill in your name and phone number on the slip that you will find in the pew – these will be kept for 3 weeks after a service in case they are needed for “Track and Trace”.
- spoken responses should be said in a normal speaking voice.
- Communion will be given in one kind (bread only) you’re your hands, follow the direction of the priest. The words of distribution will be said to the congregation altogether and then the bread administered in silence. If you come for a prayer of blessing, this will be in the form of a sign of the cross made silently over you. There is no obligation to receive the bread as part of your communion.
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*At the back of this booklet you’ll find
the collects and post-communion prayers for each week,
also a list of the readings for each Sunday.*

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The Eucharist

Welcome to All Saints Church. If you are new, or visiting us, do introduce yourself to a member of clergy. Please take time to read the notes on the front inside cover.

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¶ The Gathering

The Greeting

The president greets the people

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

All **and also with you.**

Words of welcome or introduction may be said.

Prayer of Preparation

This prayer is said

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.**

The Summary of the Law may be used

Our Lord Jesus Christ said: The first commandment is this:
'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God is the only Lord.
You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart,
with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.'
The second is this: 'Love your neighbour as yourself.'
There is no other commandment greater than these.
On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

All **Amen. Lord, have mercy.**

This invitation to confession, or other suitable words

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son Jesus Christ
to save us from our sins, to be our advocate in heaven, and to
bring us to eternal life. Let us confess our sins in penitence and
faith, firmly resolved to keep God's commandments and to live in
love and peace with all.

All **Most merciful God,
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.**

The president says

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.

All **Amen.**

The Gloria in excelsis may be used

All **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

The president introduces a period of silent prayer with the words 'Let us pray' or a more specific bidding. The Collect is said, and all respond (The Collect for the week can be found on pages 16-19 of this booklet)

All **Amen.**

¶ The Liturgy of the Word

Readings

Two readings from Scripture precede the Gospel reading.

At the end of each the reader says

This is the word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Reading

When the Gospel is announced the reader says

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

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

At the end

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

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

Sermon

The Creed

On Sundays and Principal Holy Days an authorized translation of the Nicene Creed is used.

All **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

The prayers usually include these concerns and may follow this sequence:

- ¶ The Church of Christ
- ¶ Creation, human society, the Sovereign and those in authority
- ¶ The local community
- ¶ Those who suffer
- ¶ The communion of saints

These responses may be used

Lord, in your mercy (or) Lord, hear us.
All **hear our prayer.** **Lord, graciously hear**
us.

And at the end

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

¶ The Liturgy of the Sacrament

The Peace

The president may introduce the Peace with these or other suitable words,

We are the body of Christ. In the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body. Let us then pursue all that makes for peace and builds up our common life.

and then says

The peace of the Lord be always with you
All **and also with you.**

Preparation of the Table Taking of the Bread and Wine

The table is prepared and bread and wine are placed upon it.

One or more of the prayers at the preparation of the table may be said.

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray
All **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.**

Breaking of the Bread

The president breaks the consecrated 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.**

The Agnus Dei is used as the bread is broken

All **Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.
Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.
Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us peace.**

Giving of Communion

The president this invitation to 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.

The words of distribution are said to all before the congregation receives.

The body and blood of Christ keep you in eternal life
All **Amen.**

The president and people receive communion. Communion will be given in one kind (bread only) into the hands. The words of distribution having been spoken to all, administration will take place without further words being used. All who wish to may receive but there is no obligation to do so.

To receive, please approach down the centre aisle from the back and return to your seat via the side aisles.

Prayer after Communion

Silence is kept. The Post Communion prayer is said by the president (The prayer for the week can be found on pages 16-19 of this booklet) then all say

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.**

¶ The Dismissal

The president may use this, or another suitable blessing

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 ...

All **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

The ministers and people depart.

An **Organ Voluntary** is offered as a part of our worship

Morning Worship

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Preparation

O Lord, open our lips
All **and our mouth shall proclaim your praise.**

Give us the joy of your saving help
All **and sustain us with your life-giving Spirit.**

The minister may say

We have come together in the name of Christ
to offer our praise and thanksgiving,
to hear and receive God's holy word,
to pray for the needs of the world,
and to seek the forgiveness of our sins,
that by the power of the Holy Spirit
we may give ourselves to the service of God.

Prayers of Penitence

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

God be gracious to us and bless us,
and make your face shine upon us:
Lord, have mercy.
All **Lord, have mercy.**

May your ways be known on the earth,
your saving power among the nations:
Christ, have mercy.
All **Christ, have mercy.**

You, Lord, have made known your salvation,
and reveal your justice in the sight of the nations:
Lord, have mercy.

All **Lord, have mercy.**

May the God of love bring us back to himself,
forgive us our sins, and assure us of his eternal love
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

This prayer of thanksgiving, or another seasonal one, is said

Blessed are you, Lord our God,
creator and redeemer of all;
to you be glory and praise for ever.
From the waters of chaos you drew forth the world
and in your great love fashioned us in your image.
Now, through the deep waters of death,
you have brought your people to new birth
by raising your Son to life in triumph.
May Christ your light ever dawn in our hearts
as we offer you our sacrifice of thanks and praise.
Blessed be God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit:

All **Blessed be God for ever.**

The Word of God

*One or more readings appointed for the day are read.
The readings may be followed by a time of silence.*

The reader may say

This is the word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

*The readings may be followed by a time of silence, after which the
responsory is said*

Awake, O sleeper, and arise from the dead.

All **And Christ shall give you light.**

You have died and your life is hid with Christ in God.

All **Awake, O sleeper, and arise from the dead.**

Set your minds on things that are above,
not on things that are on the earth.

All **And Christ shall give you light.**

When Christ our life appears
you will appear with him in glory.

All **Awake, O sleeper, and arise from the dead,
and Christ shall give you light.**

from Colossians 3

*The Benedictus (The Song of Zechariah), may be said by one voice or
alternate verses between the leader and the congregation*

- 1 Blessed be the Lord the God of Israel,
who has come to his people and set them free.
- 2 He has raised up for us a mighty Saviour,
born of the house of his servant David.
- 3 Through his holy prophets God promised of old
to save us from our enemies,
from the hands of all that hate us,
- 4 To show mercy to our ancestors,
and to remember his holy covenant.
- 5 This was the oath God swore to our father Abraham:
to set us free from the hands of our enemies,
- 6 Free to worship him without fear,
holy and righteous in his sight all the days of our life.
- 7 And you, child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High,
for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way,
- 8 To give his people knowledge of salvation
by the forgiveness of all their sins.
- 9 In the tender compassion of our God
the dawn from on high shall break upon us,
- 10 To shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of
death, and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

**Glory to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning is now
and shall be for ever.
Amen.**

A sermon is preached when Morning Prayer is the principal service.

The Creed

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

**We 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.**

**We 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

Intercessions are offered

Collect of the day is said (*The Collects can be found on pages 16-19 of this booklet*)

and the Lord's Prayer

Gathering our prayers and praises into one,
as our Saviour taught us, so we pray

All **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.**

The Conclusion

The Peace

May the peace of God,
which passes all understanding,
keep our hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

All **Amen.**

The peace of the Lord be always with you
All **and also with you.**

Readings, Collects and Post-Communion Prayers

12th July The Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Genesis 25.19-34; Psalm 119.105-112; Romans 8.1-11. Matthew 13.1-9,18-23

Collect

Almighty God,
send down upon your Church
the riches of your Spirit,
and kindle in all who minister the
gospel your countless gifts of grace;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion

Grant, O Lord, we beseech you,
that the course of this world may be so
peaceably ordered
by your governance,
that your Church may joyfully serve you
in all godly quietness;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

19th July The Sixth Sunday after Trinity

Genesis 28.10-19a; Psalm 139.1-11,23,24* ; Romans 8.12-25; Matthew 13.24-30,36-43

Collect

Merciful God,
you have prepared for those
who love you such good things
as pass our understanding:
pour into our hearts such love
toward you that we, loving you
in all things and above all things,
may obtain your promises,
which exceed all that we can desire;
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.

Post Communion

God of our pilgrimage,
you have led us to the living water:
refresh and sustain us
as we go forward on our journey,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

26th July The Seventh Sunday after Trinity

Genesis 29.15-28, Psalm 128 ; Romans 8.26-39; Matthew 13.31-33,44-52

Collect

Generous God,
you give us gifts and make them grow:
though our faith is small as mustard
seed,
make it grow to your glory
and the flourishing of your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion

Lord God, whose Son is the true vine
and the source of life, ever giving
himself that the world may live: may we
so receive within ourselves the power
of his death and passion that, in his
saving cup, we may share his glory and
be made perfect in his love; for he is
alive and reigns, now and for ever.

2nd August The Eighth Sunday after Trinity

Genesis 32.22-31; Psalm 17.1-7,16*; Romans 9.1-5; Matthew 14.13-21

Collect

Almighty Lord and everlasting God,
we beseech you to direct,
sanctify and govern
both our hearts and bodies
in the ways of your laws
and the works of your commandments;
that through your most mighty
protection, both here and ever,
we may be preserved in body and soul;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus
Christ, who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion

Strengthen for service, Lord,
the hands that have taken holy things;
may the ears which have heard your
word be deaf to clamour and dispute;
may the tongues which have sung your
praise be free from deceit;
may the eyes which have seen
the tokens of your love
shine with the light of hope;
and may the bodies
which have been fed with your body
be refreshed with the fullness of your
life; glory to you for ever.

9th August The Ninth Sunday after Trinity

Genesis 37.1-4,12-28; Psalm 105.1-6,16-22,45b*; Romans 10.5-15; Matthew 14.22-33

Collect

Almighty God, who sent your Holy
Spirit to be the life and light of your
Church: open our hearts
to the riches of your grace,
that we may bring forth the fruit
of the Spirit in love and joy and peace;
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.

Post Communion

Holy Father, who gathered us here
around the table of your Son
to share this meal with the whole
household of God:
in that new world where you reveal
the fullness of your peace,
gather people of every race
and language to share in the eternal
banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord.

16th August The Tenth Sunday after Trinity

Genesis 45.1-15; Psalm 133; Romans 11.1-2a, 29-32; Matthew 15.[10-20]21-28

Collect

Lord of heaven and earth,
as Jesus taught his disciples
to be persistent in prayer,
give us patience and courage
never to lose hope, but always
to bring our prayers before you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion

God of our pilgrimage, you have willed
that the gate 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.

23rd August *The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity*

Exodus 1.8 - 2.10; Psalm 124; Romans 12.1-8; Matthew 16.13-20

Collect

God of glory,
the end of our searching,
help us to lay aside all that prevents us
from seeking your kingdom,
and to give all that we have
to gain the pearl beyond all price,
through our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Post Communion

Lord of all mercy,
we your faithful people have celebrated
that one true sacrifice which takes away
our sins and brings pardon and peace:
by our communion keep us firm
on the foundation of the gospel
and preserve us from all sin;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

30th August *The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity*

Exodus 3.1-15; Psalm 105.1-6,23-26,45b*; Romans 12.9-21; Matthew 16.21-28

Collect

God of constant mercy,
who sent your Son to save us:
remind us of your goodness,
increase your grace within us,
that our thankfulness may grow,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion

God of all mercy, in this eucharist
you have set aside our sins
and given us your healing:
grant that we who are made whole
in Christ may bring that healing
to this broken world,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

6th September *The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity*

Exodus 12.1-14; Psalm 149; Romans 13.8-14; Matthew 18.15-20

Collect

Almighty God,
you search us and know us:
may we rely on you in strength
and rest on you in weakness,
now and in all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion

God our creator, you feed your
children with the true manna,
the living bread from heaven:
let this holy food sustain us
through our earthly pilgrimage
until we come to that place
where hunger and thirst are no more;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

13th September The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Exodus 14.19-31; Psalm 114; Romans 14.1-12; Matthew 18.21-35

Collect

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence:
give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; 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.

Post Communion

Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord.

20th September The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

Exodus 16.2-15; Psalm 105.1-6,37-45*; Philippians 1.21-30; Matthew 20.1-16

Collect

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; 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.

Post Communion

Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy; and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall, keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

27th September The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

Exodus 17.1-7; Psalm 78.1-4,12-16*; Philippians 2.1-13; Matthew 21.23-32

Collect

Lord of creation, whose glory is around and within us: open our eyes to your wonders, that we may serve you with reverence and know your peace at our lives' end, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion

Almighty God, you have taught us through your Son that love is the fulfilling of the law: grant that we may love you with our whole heart and our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

