



St Peter's Hammersmith



HRH Queen Elizabeth II, 1926-2022

10.30 am

HOLY COMMUNION (11th September 2022)

Senior steward:

Richard Shaw

Stewards:

Jonty Graham, Jackie Hall

Readers:

Simon Gompertz, Nick Heaton

Intercessions:

Alice Keown

Chalice:

Richard Shaw

Crèche:

Children's club:

Coffee:

Fiona Hay, Laura Grimond, Jackie Hall

Flowers:

Libby Balch

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

The Lord be with you
and also with you.

We ask God for healing and forgiveness

You raise the dead to life in the Spirit:
Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

You bring pardon and peace to the broken in heart:
Christ, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.

You make one by your Spirit the torn and divided:
Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

The priest pronounces the Absolution, and we sing the Gloria

**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

O Lord our Heavenly Father, Almighty and Everlasting God,
by whom kings reign and princes decree justice:
We remember before thee
our late Sovereign Lady QUEEN ELIZABETH,
in thankfulness for the blessings
which thou hast bestowed upon us by her reign;
for the example she set of unwearied devotion to duty;
for her steadfast courage;
and for the love and loyalty borne to her
by a great family of peoples in all parts of the world.
And we beseech thee to give us grace
that having these thy mercies in remembrance,
we may with one heart and one mind
set forward the welfare of this land,
and hasten the coming of thy kingdom of peace and goodwill among men;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The Liturgy of the Word

Lamentations 3:22–26, 31–33

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. 'The Lord is my portion,' says my soul, 'therefore I will hope in him.' The Lord is good to those who wait for him, to the soul that seeks him. It is good that one should wait quietly for the salvation of the Lord. For the Lord will not reject for ever. Although he causes grief, he will have compassion according to the abundance of his steadfast love; for he does not willingly afflict or grieve anyone.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Please stand

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

Glory to you, O Lord.

John 6:35–40

Jesus said, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. But I said to you that you have seen me and yet do not believe. Everything that the Father gives me will come to me, and anyone who comes to me I will never drive away; for I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will, but the will of him who sent me. And this is the will of him who sent me, that I should lose nothing of all that he has given me, but raise it up on the last day. This is indeed the will of my Father, that all who see the Son and believe in him may have eternal life; and I will raise them up on the last day.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

We sit for a period of reflection, and stand to affirm our faith

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty.
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

We sit or kneel for intercessions, with the response

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.**

Liturgy of the Sacrament

We stand for the peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

Those who wish to make a donation to the offertory collection are reminded that collection plates and a card reader are available at the back of church at the end of the service

<p>HYMN 467 <i>Through all the changing scenes of life</i></p>

Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord be with you

and also with you.

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.

The priest praise God for his mighty acts, and all respond:

**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.**

The priest recalls the Last Supper, with the acclamation:

Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died:

Christ is risen:

Christ will come again.

The prayer continues and leads into the doxology, to which all respond:

Amen.

**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.**

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.**

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

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have mercy on us.**

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

Behold the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.
Blessed are those who are called to his supper.
**Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,
but only say the word, and I shall be healed.**

*Those who wish to receive the wine as well as the wafer should do so through intinction
(that is, dipping the wafer into the wine) rather than drinking directly from the chalice*

After all have received, the priest prays the post communion prayer, and we say together

**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.**

We remain seated for notices, and stand for the National Anthem

**God save our gracious King,
Long live our noble King,
God save the King!
Send him victorious,
Happy and glorious,
Long to reign over us,
God save the King!**

**Thy choicest gifts in store,
On him be pleased to pour,
Long may he reign:
May he defend our laws,
And ever give us cause
To sing with heart and voice
God save the King!**

The Blessing

God grant to the living, grace;
to the departed, rest;
to the Church, the King, the Commonwealth, and all humankind,
peace and concord;
and to us and all his servants, life everlasting;
and the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be upon you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

HYMN 114 Now is eternal life

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

MEN'S LUNCH, Tuesday 13th September, Black Lion Pub, at 12.30 pm. We look forward to seeing you there. Enquiries to richardmillar@supanet.com.

We're celebrating Harvest this year with **HARVEST SUPPER** on Friday 30 September. Delicious food from our fantastic catering team, with financial donations on the night to support the work of The Upper Room and the Glass Door. Cash bar. Doors open at 7 pm. It would be really helpful for our catering if you sign up on the list in the parish rooms & also advise of any dietary requirements.

For those with young children, or who can't make the supper, we're also holding a bring-your-own **HARVEST LUNCH** after the All Age Harvest service on Sunday October 2nd. All invited to bring some food to eat and share, and join in a relaxed lunch in the parish rooms or (hopefully!) in the church garden. Cash bar.

Come and exchange your books, (no more than four please) and find new and exciting reading at our **BOOK SWAP** in aid of **THE UPPER ROOM**, on Tuesday September 27th, at Hartswood Tennis Club in Hartswood Road. 10am to 12.30am. There will also be jewellery, pottery and some paintings and prints for a little early Christmas shopping. Delicious homemade refreshments. All proceeds to The Upper Room.

BUILDING PROJECT. We are excited to announce the successful completion of the replacement of the rainwater hoppers and downpipes and at the same time the success of the appeal to raise the necessary £50,000. St Peter's acknowledges the generosity of all who contributed to the appeal, including members of SPRA and local residents. It remains open as there are fees and other expenses to pay. The church's bank account is St Peter's Church 60-50-06 a/c 41721101. We are grateful especially to Follet Balch, Richard Millar, and Lucy Miller for their hard work in various capacities on this project, and above all to Richard Woods for leading the project with such aplomb. We are indebted to you all!

NEXT SUNDAY (18th September 2022)

8 am

HOLY COMMUNION

9 am

FAMILY WORSHIP

10.30 am

HOLY COMMUNION

6.30 pm

EVENING PRAYER

(Psalm 128 & 129; Daniel 1; Ephesians 4:17-32)