

St Peter's Hammersmith

9th June 2024 (Holy Communion)

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10.30 am HOLY COMMUNION

Senior steward: Fiona Hay

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Chalice: Helen Kelly

Reader: William Illingworth, Lorna Robey

Intercessions: James Rawls

Children's club:

Coffee: Helen Kelly, Fiona Fox & Laura Grimond

Flowers: Joanna Woods

(tune: Richmond)

+ 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

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

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Liturgy of the Word

I Samuel 8:4-11, 16-20

All the elders of Israel gathered together and came to Samuel at Ramah, and said to him, 'You are old and your sons do not follow in your ways; appoint for us, then, a king to govern us, like other nations.' But the thing displeased Samuel when they said, 'Give us a king to govern us.' Samuel prayed to the Lord, and the Lord said to Samuel, 'Listen to the voice of the people in all that they say to you; for they have not rejected you, but they have rejected me from being king over them. Just as they have done to me, from the day I brought them up out of Egypt to this day, forsaking me and serving other gods, so also they are doing to you. Now then, listen to their voice; only—you shall solemnly warn them, and show them the ways of the king who shall reign over them.'

So Samuel reported all the words of the Lord to the people who were asking him for a king. He said, 'These will be the ways of the king who will reign over you: he will take your sons and appoint them to his chariots and to be his horsemen, and to run before his chariots; he will take your male and female slaves, and the best of your cattle and donkeys, and put them to his work. He will take one-tenth of your flocks, and you shall be his slaves. And in that day you will cry out because of your king, whom you have chosen for yourselves; but the Lord will not answer you in that day.'

But the people refused to listen to the voice of Samuel; they said, 'No! but we are determined to have a king over us, so that we also may be like other nations, and that our king may govern us and go out before us and fight our battles.'

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Mark 3:31-35

Jesus' mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to Jesus and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, 'Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.' And he replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking at those who sat around him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

We stand to affirm our faith

Do you believe and trust in God the Father, who made the world?

We believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in his Son Jesus Christ, who redeemed humanity?

We believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in the Holy Spirit, who gives life to the people of God?

We believe and trust in him.

This is the faith of the Church.

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

Amen.

We sit or kneel for intercessions, for which the following response may be used

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.

If you would like to make a donation to the church, collection plates and a card reader are available at the back of church at the end of the service, or you can give online by scanning the QR code on the back of the order of service.

HYMN 355

Eternal Ruler of the ceaseless round

(tune: Song 1)

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.

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

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

The congregation are invited to communion with the words

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 are asked to do so through intinction (that is, dipping the wafer into the wine) rather than drinking directly from the chalice. Please ask the priest if you require a gluten-free wafer.

As we receive, the choir sing the anthem.

HYMN 273 And now, O Father, mindful of the love (tune: Unde et memores)

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 blessing

HYMN 361 Forth in the peace of Christ we go (tune 322: Duke Street)

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

PARISH LUNCH, with **TEDDY BEARS' PICNIC**, Sunday 30th June. All welcome to stay for lunch after church as we celebrate St Peter's Day, with BBQ, cold buffet, salmon, salads, strawberries & cream, cheese, etc., and bar in the church garden, and the teddy bears' picnic for children: dress up your teddy and bring them to the picnic, with teddy bear parade, music, prize for best dressed teddy, face-painting and more.

MEN LUNCHING, gathering again on Tuesday 11th June at the Black Lion at 12.30. All welcome.

WOMEN LUNCHING will be held at the Roebuck which has had a facelift! And looks very good. So do hope to see all who can make it on Thursday 13th June at 12.30 pm. Any questions do please contact Ruth Hawkins on 07899747044.

ST PETER'S SCHOOL SUMMER FAIR, Saturday 15th June, 12-4 pm in St Peter's Square. Lots of great activities, BBQ & bar, raffle, cake stall, class stalls, bouncy castle, Sharky & George games, EDI and SEN stalls, and more. They are looking for donations for the raffle; if you can offer anything for the list of prizes, email janepta21@gmail.com

BEDFORD PARK FESTIVAL, 7th to 23rd June. A two-week arts and community festival with concerts, theatre productions, art and photography shows, film, walks, talks and children's events, including paintings from our very own Denis Browne. Details at www.bedfordparkfestival.org

OPERA INTEGRA return to St Peter's Church on Thursday 20th June, 7.30 pm, for a summer concert with excerpts from La bohème, Aida, Arabella, and more. Details and tickets at https://operaintegra.org.uk/

One of Australian most talented and versatile pianists, **STEFAN CASSOMENOS** playing a unique blend of classical pieces and contemporary compositions, including music from Bryars, Beethoven, and Bradshaw. St Peter's Church, Saturday 22nd June, 7 pm. Tickets from EventBrite at https://tinyurl.com/bddbmbcj

SINGWEST SUMMER CONCERT, Monday 1st July, St Peter's Church. Concert starts 7.30pm, drinks outside St Peter's Church at 7pm. Donations for the church at the end of concert

To **DONATE TO ST PETER'S**, use the card machines or leave cash at the exit, or scan the QR code with your phone and donate online.



3rd SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (June 16th)

8 am HOLY COMMUNION

9 am **FAMILY WORSHIP**

10.30 am HOLY COMMUNION

6.30 pm **EVENING PRAYER**

(Psalm 40; I Samuel 3:1-10; Acts 10:34-48)