

St Peter's Hammersmith

10th November 2024 (Remembrance Sunday)

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10. 30 am	HOLY COMMUNION
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Chalice:	Augustus Savage
Reader:	Mike Illingworth
Intercessions:	Simon Brooke
Children's club:	NA
Coffee:	L&Q Robey, Heli Coxhead, Lou Devonshire
Flowers:	Ruth Hawkins

+ 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

Almighty Father, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of all: govern the hearts and minds of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule; 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

Romans 8:31-39

What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else? Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written, 'For your sake we are being killed all day long; we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered.' No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.** 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. This is our faith. We believe and trust in one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Act of Remembrance

Please stand for the procession to the war memorial.

If you are worried that your baby or young child may disturb the two minutes silence, we would invite you to take them out into the meeting room at this point for the duration of the Act of Remembrance.

The wreath is laid this morning by Nicholas Brandram, a former Captain in the British Army. Following training at Sandhurst, Nick was commissioned into the Scots Guards, and served from 2004-2012 in infantry and intelligence roles. Nick's first operational deployment was to Bosnia, where post-conflict British troops were involved in peace keeping and hunting war criminals involved in the genocide. Nick next deployed to Iraq, where the Multi-National Force was fighting against Sunni hit squads and Shia militias, following which he deployed to Helmand Province in Afghanistan, where the International Security Assistance Force was in combat against the Taliban and Al-Qaeda. Nick also deployed to Africa and Europe in his time in the military.

As the wreath is laid, the following words are used:

They shall not grow old, as we that are left grow old; Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning, we will remember them.

We will remember them.

The Last Post is sounded, followed by two minutes silence, then the Reveille. We sing the first verse of the National Anthem. 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.

Donations received today in church will be split between the British Legion and Combat Stress.

You can give via the collection plates, the card readers at the back of church, or by scanning the QR code with your phone.



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, and the prayer 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.

During communion, the choir sing the anthem 'In war, Resolution' (M. Archer)

HYMN 239 L	ord of All Hopefulness
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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 488 Jerusalem

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

QUIZ NIGHT, Saturday 16th November, from 7 pm. Tickets £20 a head, including curry supper (with veg option), with cash bar. There is a limited number we can squash in, so sign up at the back of church, or email the office to book a spot.

MEMORIAL FOR STEVE HAUDE. Do have a look at the mock-up of the proposed memorial plaque (brass, on wood) for our late beloved Virger, on the south side of the nave, near the office, which we hope to have installed in the next few weeks.

MEN LUNCHING at the Black Lion at 12.30pm on Tuesday 12th November. All welcome. Any queries to richardmillar@supanet.com.

WOMEN LUNCHING return to The Elder Press Café for our lunch on Thursday 14th November at 12.30 pm. Any queries, contact Ruth Hawkins on 07899747044.

WREATH-MAKING WORKSHOP. Wed 4th Dec, 7pm in church, with former florist (!) Lizzie Tree. Mulled wine & mince-pies. £30 per wreath, all materials included.

Denis Browne is producing **CHRISTMAS CARDS** with a painting of St Peter's for sale for church funds. Cards will need to be ordered in advance (5 cards for £5); samples are in church. He will also be producing a **2025 CALENDAR** for sale later this month.

BOOK SWAP for The Upper Room, Nov 20th 10-12.30, Hartswood Tennis Club. Bring some books, enjoy cakes & coffee, chat with friends and support The Upper Room!

ADDISON JAZZ CHOIR AND ENSEMBLE present an evening of music and songs. More details and tickets from https://www.addisonsingers.com/

HELP FOR UKRAINE. Caroline Langton's sister is driving a truck to Ukraine on 19th November with supplies to help those in the conflict. She's looking for donations of warm, thick socks for adults, and colouring pencils/books & jigsaws /puzzles for children. Caroline will be in church on Sunday to collect any donations.

DEANERY SYNOD, St Paul's, Hammersmith, Tuesday 26th November 7pm, with Bishop Graham Tomlin, talking about his work at the Centre for Cultural Witness.

SABBATICAL. After 25 years of ordained ministry, Charles has been offered 3 months sabbatical in early 2025, and will be spending 6 weeks in New York with an Episcopal church. The wardens are arranging cover at St Peter's during his absence. If you have useful or interesting connections in New York, do let Charles know - he will be looking for people to meet and things to do!

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.



	NOVEMBER 17th (2nd Sunday before Advent)
8 am	HOLY COMMUNION
9 am	FAMILY WORSHIP
10.30 am	HOLY COMMUNION
6.30 pm	EVENING PRAYER (Ps.95, Proverbs 8:1-21, James 4:7-19)