

St Peter's Hammersmith

I7th November 2024 (2nd Sunday before Advent)

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10. 30 am	HOLY COMMUNION
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Richard Millar

Ruth Hawkins

M.Magnusson, C.Illingworth, L.Grimond

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Intercessions: Children's club:

Coffee:

Flowers:

+ 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

Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life: grant that we, having this hope, may purify ourselves even as he is pure; that when he shall appear in power and great glory we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he 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

Daniel 12.1-3

At that time Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars for ever and ever.

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.

As Jesus came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, 'Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!' Then Jesus asked him, 'Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down.' When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, 'Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?' Then Jesus began to say to them, 'Beware that no one leads you astray. Many will come in my name and say, ''I am he!'' and they will lead many astray. When you hear of wars and rumours of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

We sit for at the sermon

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. 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.

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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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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 'Jesu, The Very Thought of Thee' (E. Bairstow)

HYMN 342	Breathe on me, Breath of God
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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 362 Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken

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

EVENING PRAYER, tonight at 6. 30 pm. Officiant Simon Brooke, Reader Richard Sanders (Psalm 95, Proverbs 8:1-21, James 4:7-19).

CHRISTMAS PRESENT TREE to provide presents for local children in need. Take a tag, buy and wrap a gift, and return to church by 17th December! Donations of suitable food (cakes/chocolates/crackers etc.) for Christmas food bank parcels also welcome.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY, Sunday 1st December, 3-5 pm, with, arts & crafts, singing, festive disco, bring-and-share party tea, bar, and (if we've all been very very good) a special visitor from Lapland. Booking (£5 a head) essential.

CHRISTINGLE, Sunday December 8th, 4.30pm. Begin the build up to Christmas, with candles, oranges and sweets at our ever-popular Christingle service. All ages welcome!

WREATH-MAKING WORKSHOP. Wed 4th Dec, 7pm in church, with former florist (!) Lizzie Tree. Mulled wine & mince-pies. £30 per wreath, all materials included. Book via the link on the website, or email lizzie@stpetersw6.org

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.

MEMORIAL FOR STEVE HAUDE. Thank you to all who have given feedback! Lots of different views, so the proposed compromise on wording is: "Virger, Tenor, Benefactor".

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. Sat 30th Nov in church. Details and tickets from https://www.addisonsingers.com/

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. Charles will be spending 6 weeks in New York with an Episcopal church in January/February. The wardens are arranging cover at St Peter's during his absence. If you have interesting connections in New York, do let Charles know!

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	NOVEMBER 24th (Christ the King)
8 am	HOLY COMMUNION
9 am	FAMILY WORSHIP
10.30 am	HOLY COMMUNION
4 pm	CONFIRMATION WITH COMMUNION