



Morning Prayer – June 28 – 4th After Pentecost

Welcome / Historical Tidbit

Opening Music: Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus

Opening Sentence: “You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, that you may declare the wonderful deeds of him who called you out of darkness into his marvellous light.”
(1 Peter 2:9)

Officiant: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Officiant: Let us pray. We thank you, O God that you have again brought us together on the Lord’s Day to praise you for your goodness and to ask your blessing. Give us grace to see your hand in the week that is past, and your purpose in the week to come, through Christ our Lord.

Amen

Officiant: Dear friends in Christ, as we turn our hearts and minds to worship God, let us confess our sins:

People: Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart, we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways to the glory of your name. Amen.

Officiant: Merciful God, grant to your faithful people pardon and peace, that we may be cleansed from all our sins and serve you with a quiet mind, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. **Amen**

Officiant: The peace of the Lord be with always with you.

People: And also with you.

(The peace is exchanged among the zoom participants)

The Proclamation of the Word:

Genesis 22: 1-14

Psalms 13

How long, O Lord, will you forget me forever? * **how long will you hide your face from me?**
How long shall I have perplexity in my mind, and grief in my heart, day after day? * **how long shall my enemy triumph over me?**

Look upon me and answer me, O Lord, my God; * **give light to my eyes, lest I sleep in death;**
Lest my enemy say, “I have prevailed over him,” * **and my foes rejoice that I have fallen.**

But I put my trust in your mercy; * **my heart is joyful because of your saving help.**

I will sing to the Lord, for he has dealt with me richly; * **I will praise the name of the Lord Most High.**

Loving and merciful God, hear the prayers of those who cry to you, and shine with the light of your presence on those who live in the shadow of death. May we rejoice in your saving help and sing you songs of praise in the name of our risen Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen

Romans 6: 12-23

Matthew 10: 40-42

Homily – Dorothy

Music: Servant Song

Officiant: Let us join now in a confession of faith:

Hear our Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one.

Love the Lord your God

with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind and with all your strength.

This is the first and great commandment.

The second is like it: Love your neighbour as yourself.

There is no commandment greater than these.

Prayers of the People: Joan

Collect of the Day: Almighty God, you have taught us through your Son that love fulfills the law. May we love you with all our heart, all our soul, all our mind, and all our strength, and may we love our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen**

The Lord's Prayer: 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.

Closing Music: Be Thou My Vision

Dismissal:

Officiant: Glory to God,

People: whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine.

Glory to God from generation to generation, in the church and in Christ Jesus, forever and ever. Amen.

Music: May the Lord