

St Paul's Church Pew Sheet



Sunday 16th May 2010: 7th Sunday of Easter

We welcome you to St Paul's Church

'Serving God in the Jewellery Quarter'



We have a loop system installed, if you wish to use it please turn your hearing aid to 'T'

6.30pm Sung Evensong

Readings:

Acts 16.16-34

This incident in Philippi, when Paul drives a spirit out of a slave girl, serves to demonstrate that there are spirits which enslave us, and there is the Holy Spirit who frees us to worship, through Christ, the one true God.

Revelation 22.12-14, 16-17, 20-end

John's revelation climaxes with a multi-faceted vision of Christ promising salvation according to works, and then by faith. In the end, no matter what we have done, if we have ears to hear the Spirit's invitation, then we can drink the water of life freely. But we shouldn't delay, because the End is nigh.

John 17.20-end

Jesus ends his prayer in the Upper Room by emphasising the importance of unity. As he is one with the Father, Jesus prays that the disciples may be one with him and the Father, and also with each other. This will enable them to make more disciples, who will also be one in Jesus and the Father, so the world will know that God loves everyone.

Psalm: 97

Collect:

O God the King of glory,
who hast exalted thine only Son Jesus Christ
with great triumph unto thy kingdom in heaven:
we beseech thee, leave us not comfortless,
but send to us thine Holy Spirit to comfort us
and exalt us unto the same place
whither our Saviour Christ is gone before;
who liveth and reigneth with thee,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Anthem: Come, ye faithful – R.S. Thatcher

'Come, ye faithful, raise the strain of triumphant gladness; God hath brought his Israel into joy from sadness; 'Tis the spring of souls today, Christ hath burst his prison, and from three day's sleep in death as a sun has risen. Now the queen of seasons, bright with the day of splendour, with the royal feast of feasts, comes its joy to render; comes to glad Jerusalem who, with true affection, welcomes in unwearied strains Jesu's resurrection. Neither might the gates of death, nor the tomb's dark portal, nor the watchers, nor the seal, hold thee as a mortal; but today amidst the twelve Thou didst stand, bestowing that thy peace which evermore passeth human knowing.'

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HENRY T. SMART



1. The Lord is King, the earth may be / glad there / of:
yea the multitude of the isles / may be / glad there / of.

2. Clouds and darkness are / round a / bout him:
righteousness and judgement are the habi / tation / of
his / seat.

3. There shall go a / fire be / fore him:
and burn up his / enemies on / every / side.

4. His lightnings gave shine / unto the / world:
the earth / saw it and / was a / fraid.

5. The hills melted like wax at the / presence of the /
Lord:
at the presence of the / Lord of the / whole / earth.

6. The heavens have de / clared his / righteousness:
and all the / people have / seen his / glory.

7. Confounded be all they that worship carved images,
and that delight in / vain / gods:
worship / him / all ye / gods.

8. Sion heard of it / and re / joiced:
and the daughters of Judah were glad be / cause of thy /
judgements O / Lord.

9. For thou Lord are higher than all that are / in the /
earth:
thou art exalted / far above / all / gods.

10. O ye that love the Lord, see that ye hate the / thing
which is / evil:
the Lord preserveth the souls of his saints, he shall deliver
them / from the / hand of the un / godly.

11. There is sprung up a / light for the / righteous:
and joyful gladness for / such as are / true / hearted.

12. Rejoice in the / Lord ye / righteous:
and give thanks for a re / membrance / of his / holiness.

Glory be to the Father, and / to the / Son:
and / to the / Holy / Ghost
As it was in the beginning, is now and / ever / shall be:
world without / end. / A / men

For your information:

Tonight's hymns: 172, 164, 165, 166

Organ Voluntary: Visiting organist

We pray for the sick:

John & Joan Tovey, Derek Burns & Beryl Hancox

This week:

Wednesday 19th May

1.05pm Said Eucharist
6pm Evening Prayer

Thursday 20th May

3.00pm Ladies tea at the Vicarage

Next Sunday:

Sunday 23rd May Pentecost
11am Normandy Veterans Service
6.30pm Choral Eucharist

Readers for the 6.30pm Service

Genesis 11: 1-9; John Barber
Acts 2: 1-21; John Bristow

The sides-people are: Pete Beavan & Jean Stevens

On teas & coffees: Hannah & Jean Stevens

News

- **The wine and Candles** for today have been sponsored by Joy & Derek Burns
- **Volunteers required for** selling refreshments on Fridays & Saturdays between 11am – 3pm. If you think you can help out, please see the Vicar.

**Please join us for refreshments
after the service**

The weekly Pew Sheet is also available
on our website

Future dates to remember:

Wednesday 26th May

1.05pm Said Eucharist
6pm Evening Prayer

Sunday 30th May Trinity Sunday

6.30pm Sung Evensong

Wednesday 2nd June

10.00am cleaning party meets in church
1.05pm Said Eucharist
6pm Evening Prayer

Thursday 3rd June ThursdayLive

1.15-1.45pm Organ recital by Paul Carr

Sunday 6th June

11am Choral Eucharist for the Anniversary
of the Consecration of the church,
followed by a *bring and share* lunch.

Monday 7th June

6.30-9.30pm Photography & art event – please see the
Vicar for all the details.

Wednesday 9th June

1.05pm Said Eucharist
6pm Evening Prayer

Sunday 13th June 2nd Sunday after Trinity

6.30pm Choral Eucharist

Wednesday 16th June

1.05pm Said Eucharist has been CANCELLED
6pm Evening Prayer

Sunday 20th June 3rd Sunday after Trinity- GIFT DAY

6.30pm Sung Evensong

Wednesday 23rd June

1.05pm Said Eucharist
6pm Evening Prayer

Saturday 26th June

7.00pm Concert by the Phoenix Singers

Sunday 27th June 4th Sunday after Trinity

6.30pm Choral Eucharist

Wednesday 30th June

1.05pm Said Eucharist
6pm Evening Prayer

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