

Summer Programme Services

**in-church in St Peter's at 10:00am
on-line via Facebook from 10:00am**

Sunday 15th August 2021
the tenth Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

by Stephen Lloyd

HYMN: Jesus is Lord! Creation's voice proclaims it

Jesus is Lord! creation's voice proclaims it,
for by his power each tree and flower was planned
and made.

Jesus is Lord! the universe declares it -
sun, moon and stars in heaven cry: 'Jesus is Lord!'

Jesus is Lord, Jesus is Lord!

Praise him with 'Hallelujahs', for Jesus is Lord!

Jesus is Lord! yet from his throne eternal
in flesh he came to die in pain on Calvary's tree.
Jesus is Lord! from him all life proceeding -
yet gave his life a ransom thus setting us free.

Jesus is Lord, Jesus is Lord!

Praise him with 'Hallelujahs', for Jesus is Lord!

Jesus is Lord! o'er sin the mighty conqueror;
from death he rose and all his foes shall own
his name.

Jesus is Lord! God sends his Holy Spirit
to show by works of power that Jesus is Lord.

Jesus is Lord, Jesus is Lord!

Praise him with 'Hallelujahs', for Jesus is Lord!

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
we have sinned against you
and against our neighbour
in thought and word and deed,
through negligence, through weakness,
through our own deliberate fault.
We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
who died for us,
forgive us all that is past
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life
to the glory of your name. Amen.**

May the God of love and power
forgive us and free us from our sins,
heal and strengthen us by his Spirit,
and raise us to new life in Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

SOMETHING EXTRA

with Morvern Cox

BIBLE READING: Ephesians 5.3-20

read by Matt Wallace

³ But among you there must not be even a hint of sexual immorality, or of any kind of impurity, or of greed, because these are improper for God's holy people. ⁴ Nor should there be obscenity, foolish talk or coarse joking, which are out of place, but rather thanksgiving. ⁵ For of this you can be sure: no immoral, impure or greedy person – such a person is an idolater – has any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and of God. ⁶ Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of such things God's wrath comes on those who are disobedient. ⁷ Therefore do not be partners with them.

⁸ For you were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Live as children of light ⁹ (for the fruit of the light consists in all goodness, righteousness and truth) ¹⁰ and find out what pleases the Lord. ¹¹ Have nothing to do with the fruitless deeds of darkness, but rather expose them. ¹² It is shameful even to mention what the disobedient do in secret. ¹³ But everything exposed by the light becomes visible – and everything that is illuminated becomes a light. ¹⁴ This is why it is said:

'Wake up, sleeper,
rise from the dead,
and Christ will shine on you.'

¹⁵ Be very careful, then, how you live – not as unwise but as wise, ¹⁶ making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. ¹⁷ Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is. ¹⁸ Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit, ¹⁹ speaking to one another with psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit. Sing and make music from your heart to the Lord, ²⁰ always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON

*preacher: Revd Andrew Towner
Vicar of St John's & St Peter's, Carlisle
& Chair of Church Society Council*

THE CREED

**I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ,
his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living
and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic * Church, [* ie. 'universal' or 'whole']
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

THE PRAYERS

led by Mark Wallace

to finish with the Lord's Prayer...

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen.**

HYMN: Let your kingdom come

Your glorious cause, O God,
engages our hearts:
may Jesus Christ be known
wherever we are.
We ask not for ourselves, but for Your renown;
the cross has saved us so we pray:
Your kingdom come.
*Let Your kingdom come,
let Your will be done
so that everyone might know Your Name.
Let Your song be heard everywhere on earth,
till Your sovereign work on earth is done —
let Your kingdom come.*

Give us Your strength, O God,
and courage to speak;
perform Your wondrous deeds
through those who are weak.
Lord use us as You want, whatever the test,
by grace we'll preach Your gospel
till our dying breath.
Let Your kingdom come...

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THE CONCLUSION

**The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
be with us all evermore. Amen.**

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