

Sunday Worship

Sept 20 2020 Trinity 15 (in 'Corona time')

Gathering

Welcome – words from **Ian Brown**

Greeting

The light and peace of Jesus Christ be with you
and also with you.

The glory of the Lord has risen upon us.

Let us rejoice and sing God's praise for ever.

Hymn: Guide me O thou great redeemer

Collect:

Lord God,
defend your Church from all false teaching
and give to your people knowledge of your truth,
that we may enjoy eternal life
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen

Prayers of penitence:

Invitation to Confession:

In baptism we died with Christ, so that as Christ was raised from the dead, we also might walk in newness of life. Let us receive new life in him as we confess our sins in penitence and faith

Confession:

Jesus Christ, risen Master and triumphant Lord,
we come to you in sorrow for our sins,
and confess to you our weakness and unbelief.
We have lived by our own strength,
and not by the power of your resurrection.
In your mercy, forgive us.

All: Lord, hear us and help us.

We have lived by the light of our own eyes,
as faithless and not believing.
In your mercy, forgive us.

All: Lord, hear us and help us.

We have lived for this world alone,
and doubted our home in heaven.
In your mercy, forgive us.

All: Lord, hear us and help us.

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

Amen.

Hymn: Dear Lord and father of mankind

Liturgy of the Word

Bible Readings: Exodus chapter 16 verses 2-15 (read by Julie Brown)

Ending: This is the word of the Lord

St Matthew chapter 20 verses 1-16 (read by Julie Brown)

Ending: This is the word of the Lord

Sermon: Paul Henderson

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,
the communion of saints,**

the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.
Amen.

Prayers of Intercession and Lord's Prayer – Mary Bentall

Church Family News

Including September birthdays

The Peace

God is love
And those who live in love live in God
And God lives in them
The peace of the Lord be always with you.
All: And also with you

Spiritual communion (with short explanation)

We are invited to make a spiritual communion with God who comes to meet us wherever we are. There are no special words or prayers for this. All the Church has ever thought necessary is a true desire to receive Christ, a lively faith in Christ, and a genuine love for Christ and his people.

Music to be played: The Lord is my light (Taize)

Lord Jesus Christ, bread of life, we have come together in your name to feast in your presence and be strengthened in your service as the body of Christ here on earth. We look forward to the day when we will share together in broken bread and wine outpoured again and to that greater day when we will drink of the fruit of the vine in the kingdom of God.

HYMN To God be the glory great things he has done

Ending:

Eternal God

Our beginning and our end

Accompany us in this day's journey

Dawn on our darkness

Open our eyes to praise you for your creation

And to see the work you set before us today

Take us and use us

To bring to others the new life you give in Jesus Christ our Lord

And the blessing

Music to end: In my Father's house (Welsh male voice choir)