

Sunday Worship

18th October 2020 Trinity 19 (in 'Corona time')

Gathering

Welcome – words from **Paul Henderson**

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: Christ is the King! O friends rejoice (A&M 486)

Collect:

Faithful Lord,
whose steadfast love never ceases
and whose mercies never come to an end:
grant us the grace to trust you
and to receive the gifts of your love,
new every morning,
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: How Deep the Father's Love for Us (Townend, A&M 144)

Liturgy of the Word

Bible Readings: Exodus chapter 32 verses 12 - end (read by Julie Brown)

Ending: This is the word of the Lord

Sermon: **Rev Ian Brown**

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 – Polly Richardson

Church Family News (Including October 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 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.

Lord, you stand at the door of my heart and knock. You wait for me and only I can let you in. I believe and trust in you and ask you now to fill me with your presence, that I may be your blessing to a world in need.

As we make our spiritual communion we join in with:

Music to be played: Anthem: Mass of St Thomas (Thorne) – Agnus Dei

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 Forth in the peace of Christ we go (A&M 475)

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: A Gaelic Blessing (Rutter)

