



Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2021  
Twentieth Sunday after Trinity

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- **Service Details Sunday 17th October**

**10.00am Holy Communion (BCP)**

*Psalm 104: 1-10; Job 38: 1-7; Hebrews 5: 1-10; Mark 10: 35-45*

*Preacher & President: Reverend Rebecca Tuck*

*Collect for the Twentieth Sunday after Trinity*

*God, the giver of life, whose Holy Spirit wells up within your Church: by the Spirit's gifts equip us to live the gospel of Christ and make us eager to do your will, that we may share with the whole creation the joys of eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.*

*Amen*

*Psalm 104: 1-10*

*1 Praise the Lord, O my soul*

*O Lord my God, thou art become exceeding glorious; thou art clothed with majesty and honour.*

*2 Thou deckest thyself with light as it were with a garment  
and spreadest out the heavens like a curtain.*

*3 Who layeth the beams of his chambers in the waters  
and maketh the clouds his chariot, and walketh upon the wings of the wind.*

*4 He maketh his angels spirits  
and his ministers a flaming fire.*

*5 He laid the foundations of the earth  
that it never should move at any time.*

*6 Thou coveredst it with the deep like as with a garment  
the waters stand in the hills.*

*7 At thy rebuke they flee  
at the voice of thy thunder they are afraid.*

*8 They go up as high as the hills, and down to the valleys beneath  
even unto the place which thou hast appointed for them.*

*9 Thou hast set them their bounds which they shall not pass  
neither turn again to cover the earth.*

*10 He sendeth the springs into the rivers  
which run among the hills.*

### First Reading Job 38: 1-7

Then the LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind: 'Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you shall declare to me.

'Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?

### Epistle: Hebrews 5: 1-10

Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, 'You are my Son, today I have begotten you'; as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek.'

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

### Gospel: Mark 10: 35-45

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, 'Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.' And he said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' And they said to him, 'Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.' But Jesus said to them, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?' They replied, 'We are able.' Then Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.'

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, 'You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

### Prayers of Intercession

Please pray for George Francis, Anne and Peter Bond, Jill Jones and Abi Johns.

Please also pray for the repose of the soul of David Watt, Rosemary Tynan, Alexandra Martin and Michael Longley.

- **News and Notices**

**All Souls Service** – Monday 1st November

If you would like the name of a loved one read out at this service, please let Julia know by email asap.

**A great big thank you!**

to Richard Smillie and the wonderful team of people who helped lay the cable on Tuesday to give us Wi-Fi in the Parish room.

**Exercise class on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October at 9.30am until 10.30am** in church followed by coffee and pastries. All welcome! Please bring a duster!

**Private Prayer**

The church is open for private prayer every day from 10am – 5pm. There will be occasional changes to these days if weddings or funerals are taking place in church.

**Changes to COVID protection**

Just a reminder of these:

1. There is no longer a requirement to book-in for services.
2. We will continue to maintain some distance in seating.
3. We request that face-coverings be worn at all services.
4. The Peace will continue to be 'COVID style' i.e. no physical contact.
5. The priest will sanitise as usual and will distribute the bread only and may say softly 'The body of Christ'.
6. You are invited to join in with singing with a face covering if you would like to.

We shall continue to review these measures regularly.

**Congratulations** to Colette Cox and Olive Thornton who celebrate their birthdays on Tuesday. Congratulations and a happy 18<sup>th</sup> birthday on Wednesday to Rebecca Edgal. Happy Birthday on that day also to John Barter and Tom Curry. Happy Anniversary also to Paul and Judy Waine. Archie Wilks celebrates his birthday on Friday and a happy birthday to Eleanor Waine for Saturday . Love and congratulations to you all!

**Diary for the week ahead**

Morning Prayer in church – Monday to Friday at 9.00am. If the main door is not open, please use the side door.

Morning Prayer on zoom continues. If you'd like to join us, please let Ros Parker know.  
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Readings for Morning Prayer

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> October – Luke the Evangelist

*Ps. 145; Isa. ch. 55; Luke 1: 1-4*

**11:00 Funeral of David Watt**

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October

*Ps. 132; 2 Macc. 6: 12-end; John 15: 12-17*

**12:30 Funeral of Alexandra Martin**

*14:00-17:00 Seniors Club in the Parish Room*

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> October

*Ps. 119: 153-end; 2 Macc. 7: 1-19; John 15: 18-end*

*9.00-11.00 Bambies in the Parish Room*

**12:00 Funeral and Burial of Michael Longley**

*18:00 Standing Committee Meeting at the Vicarage*

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October

*Ps. 143; 2 Macc. 7: 20-41; John 16: 1-15*

*19:30 Bell-ringing practice*

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October

*Ps. 144; Tobit ch. 1; John 16: 16-22*

*19.00 Choir Practice in Church*

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

*Ps. 147; Tobit ch. 2; John 16: 23-end*

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> October – Last Sunday after Trinity**

10.00 Parish Communion

*Ps. 34: 1-8; Job 42: 1-6, 10-end; Heb. 7: 23-end; Mark 10: 46-end*

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