

**St Paul's Church, Egham Hythe**

# **Zoom Worship with Communion Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2020**

**A Celebration of Calling and  
Ministry to mark the 25<sup>th</sup>  
Anniversary of Rosie's Priesting**



Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father  
and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you  
**and also with you.**

**Hymn: I the Lord of Sea and Sky**

I, the Lord of sea and sky,  
I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.  
I who made the stars of night,  
I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

*Here I am, Lord. Is it I Lord?  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go Lord, if you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.*

I the Lord of snow and rain,  
I have borne my people's pain,  
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.  
I will break their hearts of stone,  
Fill their hearts with love alone.  
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?

*Here I am, Lord...*

I, the Lord of wind and flame,  
I will tend the poor and lame.  
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save:  
Finest bread I will provide  
Till their hearts be satisfied.  
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?  
*Here I am, Lord...*

### **Prayer of Confession**

*(we say sorry for the ways we have turned away from God)*

*We use the following responses*

Lord, have mercy	<b>All:</b>	<b>Lord, have mercy</b>
Christ, have mercy	<b>All:</b>	<b>Christ, have mercy</b>
Lord, have mercy	<b>All:</b>	<b>Lord, have mercy</b>

**Absolution** *(Hear God's words of forgiveness)*

### **Collect**

Almighty God, who built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Jesus Christ himself as the chief cornerstone: so join us together in unity of spirit by their doctrine, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; 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.**

### **Reading: Ephesians 4: 4-16**

I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

But each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ's gift. Therefore it is said, "When he ascended on high he made captivity itself a captive; he gave gifts to his people." (When it says, "He ascended," what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower parts of the earth? He who descended is the same one who ascended far above all the heavens, so that he might fill all things.)

The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until all of us come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to maturity, to the measure of the full stature of Christ. We must no longer be children, tossed to and fro and blown about by every wind of doctrine, by people's trickery, by their craftiness in deceitful scheming. But speaking the truth in love, we must grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by every ligament with which it is equipped, as each part is working properly, promotes the body's growth in building itself up in love.

## Reflection

### The Creed

Let us declare our faith and trust in God.

**All: We believe in God the Father,  
from whom every family in heaven  
and on earth is named.  
We believe in God the Son,  
who lives in our hearts through faith,  
and fills us with his love.  
We believe in God the Holy Spirit,  
who strengthens us with power from on high  
We believe in one God;  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

## Intercessions

## Peace

We are the body of Christ. In the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body. Let us then pursue all that makes for peace and builds up our common life.

### **Song: Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)** Hillsong United

You call me out upon the waters  
The great unknown where feet may fail  
And there I find You in the mystery  
In oceans deep my faith will stand.

*And I will call upon Your Name  
And keep my eyes above the waves  
When oceans rise my soul will rest in Your embrace  
For I am Yours and You are mine.*

Your grace abounds in deepest waters  
Your sovereign hand will be my guide  
Where feet may fail and fear surrounds me  
You've never failed and You won't start now. *So I will call...*

Spirit lead me where my  
trust is without borders  
Let me walk upon the waters  
Wherever You would call me  
Take me deeper  
than my feet could ever wander  
And my faith will be made stronger  
In the presence of my Saviour *(repeats)*

I will call upon Your Name  
Keep my eyes above the waves  
My soul will rest in Your embrace  
I am Yours and You are mine.



# Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord is here.

*All*     **His Spirit is with us.**

Lift up your hearts.

*All*     **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*All*     **It is right to give thanks and praise.**

And now we give you thanks  
that you call us into the communion of your love;  
your overflowing grace makes us  
partakers in the divine nature  
and a sign of your kingdom.  
Therefore with angels and archangels,  
and with all the company of heaven,  
we proclaim your great and glorious name,  
for ever praising you and *saying*:

*All*     **Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

Lord, you are holy indeed, the source of all holiness;  
grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit,  
and according to your holy will,  
these gifts of bread and wine  
may be to us the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ;  
who, in the same night that he was betrayed,  
took bread and gave you thanks;  
he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;  
do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper  
he took the cup and gave you thanks;  
he gave it to them, saying:  
Drink this, all of you;  
this is my blood of the new covenant,  
which is shed for you and for many  
for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this, as often as you drink it,  
in remembrance of me.

Great is the mystery of faith:

*All* **Christ has died:**

**Christ is risen:**

**Christ will come again.**

And so, Father, calling to mind his death on the cross,  
his perfect sacrifice made once for the sins of the whole world;  
rejoicing in his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension,  
and looking for his coming in glory,  
we celebrate this memorial of our redemption.  
As we offer you this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving,  
we bring before you this bread and this cup  
and we thank you for counting us worthy  
to stand in your presence and serve you.

Send the Holy Spirit on your people  
and gather into one in your kingdom  
all who share this one bread and one cup,  
so that we, in the company of all the saints,  
may praise and glorify you for ever,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord;  
by whom, and with whom, and in whom,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
all honour and glory be yours, almighty Father,  
for ever and ever.

*All* **Amen.**

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us:

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name;  
thy kingdom come; thy will be done;  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation;  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
the power and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**All                    Though we are many, we are one body,  
                         because we all share in one bread.**

As I take this in my hand I encourage  
you to hold out your own hands to  
receive Christ spiritually, through the  
gift of his body and blood.



*Silence may be kept*

All heaven declares the glory of the risen Lord.  
Who can compare with the beauty of the Lord?  
For ever he will be the Lamb upon the throne,  
I gladly bow the knee and worship him alone.

I will proclaim the glory of the risen lord.  
Who once was slain to reconcile us all to God.  
For ever you will be the Lamb upon the throne.  
I gladly bow the knee and worship you alone.

## **We pray together**

Faithful God, in baptism you have adopted us as your children, made us members of the body of Christ, and chosen us as inheritors of your kingdom: we thank you that in this Eucharist you renew your promises within us, empower us by your Spirit to witness and to serve, and send us out as disciples of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## **Hymn: Go forward people of God**

Go forward people of God  
today be a people of God who  
pray the moments one by one  
till God's kingdom comes.  
Take courage people of God,  
be bold jars of clay that inside will  
hold the shining love of Jesus bright as gold.



Go forward people of God  
today be a people of God who  
pray the moments one by one  
till God's kingdom comes.  
Keep faithful people of God and  
be healing salt in community  
Through your compassion and humility.

Go forward people of God  
today be a people of God who  
pray the moments one by one  
till God's kingdom comes.  
In friendship people of God unite,  
Let the flame of your love stay bright  
Till darkness melts in heaven's glorious light.

## **Blessing**

The God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing;  
and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy  
Spirit be with you now and always. **Amen.**