



Christ Church Worthing

HYMN, SONG AND SERVICE SHEET

**The Second Sunday before Lent/
The Fifth Sunday of Epiphany**

4th FEBRUARY 2018

**10.30am Holy Communion
led by Revd Alex Grubb and Canon Muriel Pargeter**

**6pm BCP Evensong
led by Revd Roger Walker**

There is prayer in the organ vestry every Sunday at 10 am for 15 minutes before the service and you are welcome to join at any time.

TODAY:

Epistle: Colossians 1: 15 - 20 read by Mary Clarke

Gospel: John 1: 1 – 14 read by Dorothy Foan

and

Intercessions led by John Nobbs

*The organ Voluntary following our Service today will be:
Introduction and Fugue no. 6 in E flat by William Herschel
1738-1822 (better known as the astronomer who discovered
Uranus, he composed several sets of pieces for the organ).*

SERVICES IN FEBRUARY

**8th February 12.30pm BCP Holy Communion
with Revd Alex Grubb**

**11th February 10.30am Morning Prayer
with Revd David Renshaw**

**14th February 12 noon – Ash Wednesday
Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes
with Canon Muriel
Pargeter**

**18th February 10.30am Holy Communion
with Canon Muriel Pargeter and Revd Alex Grubb**

**18th February 6pm BCP Evensong
with Revd Roger Walker**

**22nd February 12.30pm BCP Holy Communion
with Revd George Butterworth**

**25th February 10.30am Morning Prayer
with Derek Hansen**

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Opening Hymn [474]

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
in light inaccessible, hid from our eyes,
most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,
nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might;
thy justice, like mountains, high soaring above
thy clouds, which are fountains of goodness and love.

To all, life thou givest, to both great and small;
in all life thou livest, the true life of all;
we blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,
and wither and perish; but naught changeth thee.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of light,
thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;
all laud we would render; O, help us to see
'tis only the splendour of light hideth Thee.

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Worship Songs

Light of the world, you stepped down into darkness,
opened my eyes, let me see
beauty that made this heart adore you,
hope of a life spent with you.

*So here I am to worship,
here I am to bow down,
here I am to say that you're my God,
and you're altogether lovely,
altogether worthy,
altogether wonderful to me.*

King of all days oh so highly exalted,
glorious in heaven above.
Humbly you came to the earth you created,
all for love's sake became poor.

And I'll never know how much it cost
to see my sin upon that cross.
And I'll never know how much it cost
to see my sin upon that cross.

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Song 2

Seek ye first the kingdom of God
and his righteousness,
and all these things shall be added unto you,
hallelu, hallelujah!

Hallelujah! hallelujah!
Hallelujah! Hallelu, hallelujah!

You shall not live by bread alone,
but by every word
that proceeds from the mouth of God,
hallelu, hallelujah! *Refrain*

Ask and it shall be given unto you,
seek and you shall find.
Knock, and it shall be opened unto you,
hallelu, hallelujah. *Refrain*

If the Son shall set you free,
you shall be free indeed.
You shall know the truth and the truth shall set you free,
hallelu, hallelujah! *Refrain*

Let your light so shine before men
that they may see your good works
and glorify your Father in heaven,
hallelu, hallelujah! *Refrain*

Trust in the Lord with all your heart,
he shall direct your paths,
in all your ways acknowledge him,
hallelu, hallelujah! *Refrain*

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Offertory Hymn [262]

Oh Lord my God when I in awesome wonder
consider all the works thy hand hath made
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder
thy power throughout the universe displayed;

*Then sings my soul My Saviour God, to thee
how great thou art, how great thou art
Then sings my soul My Saviour God, to thee
how great thou art, how great thou art!*

When through the woods and forest glades I wander,
and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,
and hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze; *Refrain*

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing,
sent him to die, I scarce can take it in;
that on the cross, my burden gladly bearing
he bled and died to take away my sin. *Refrain*

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then shall I bow in humble adoration,
and there proclaim my God how great thou art !

*Then sings my soul My Saviour God, to thee
how great thou art, how great thou art
Then sings my soul My Saviour God, to thee
how great thou art, how great thou art!*

*Russian Hymn
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Final Hymn [250] *Choir omit vs 5 & 6*

All creatures of our God and King,
lift up your voice and with us sing,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam,
thou silver moon with softer gleam!

*O praise him, O praise him,
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

Thou rushing wind that art so strong,
ye clouds that sail in heaven along,
O praise him, alleluia!
Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice,
ye lights of evening, find a voice;

Thou flowing water, pure and clear,
make music for thy Lord to hear,
Alleluia, alleluia!
Thou fire so masterful and bright,
that givest man both warmth and light.

Dear mother earth, who day by day
unfoldest blessings on our way,
O praise him, alleluia!
The flower and fruits that in thee grow,
let them his glory also show:

Let all things their creator bless,
and worship him in humbleness,
O praise him, alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, Three in One!

*O praise him, O praise him,
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*



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(based on St. Francis of Assisi 1182-1226)*

***Please stay for coffee
and a chat after the service!***



Those clergy who are interested in joining the parish family, as the new priest in charge and those who are to interview prospective clergy applicants on behalf of the parish family, and all those known to us who are sick, lonely, troubled or grieving, as well as our neighbouring churches also in vacancy: St Andrew's and St Botolph's. Please pray also for church family members and residents in local Nursing & Care Homes whom Muriel and the pastoral team visit.



Open Church

Many thanks to all who come along to support our 'Open Church' days throughout the week; and especially to our fundraising Mission coffee mornings each Wednesday when we welcome donations for the many missions we support.

Peter and Mary Stewart have asked for our prayers this month for **Swaziland**. Please pray for the school for deaf children who are reading newly translated bible stories and especially for the leader of the Bible Society there. May we remember them; and give thanks that many poor people can buy a bible through bartering with produce like chickens or maize!



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY !

Poetry at Christ Church

Hugh Hellicar, a member of our Christ Church family will be giving a talk on Poetry at Christ Church on **Tuesday, 6th February at 12.30pm**. Hugh was a Schoolmaster in the Sixties and was priested in the Seventies when he ministered to Nursing Homes. He co-founded 'Rainbow Poetry' in 1994 organising readings in Care Homes on an ecumenical basis. This work continues on an inter-faith footing. Hugh himself is an accomplished poet and has written and produced many poetry books. He and his wife Mary run the regular group held in the Church every month on the third Thursday at 2.30pm to 3.30pm where all are welcome to join in.

LENT..

There are to be sessions of **Lenten Prayers** held **every Tuesday morning in Lent** in the Organ vestry, from **10.30am to 11am**

and.....

Canon Muriel Pargeter will lead two Lent sessions:

Tuesday, 27th February – 12.30 to 1.30pm

‘LEARNING TO LISTEN’

and

Tuesday, 27th March – 12.30 to 1.30pm

‘LEARNING TO LIVE’

LENT LUNCHESES

**Saturday, 17th February and Saturday, 24th March
2018**

from 12 noon - 1.30pm

**Homemade Soup, Roll and Butter with Ham or
Cheese,
Fruit, followed by Tea or Coffee**

**Minimum donation of £4 for
The Mission to Seafarers**

*On Sunday 11th February, **Lenten boxes** will be given out for people to donate money throughout Lent for Mission to Seafarers. Money collected can be handed to the treasurer at any time when the boxes become full – please consider Gift Aiding your donations if you pay tax in the UK.*

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER
to be held at Christ Church
on Friday, 2nd March 2018 at 2.30pm

Jenny Chandler and Sylvia Anning are our parish representatives so please ask them for more information!

We would appreciate it if **all** our church family could come and support this very important day, as this is the first time that we have hosted this annual event.

Despite the name, **EVERYONE** is very welcome, men, women and children. During the weeks leading

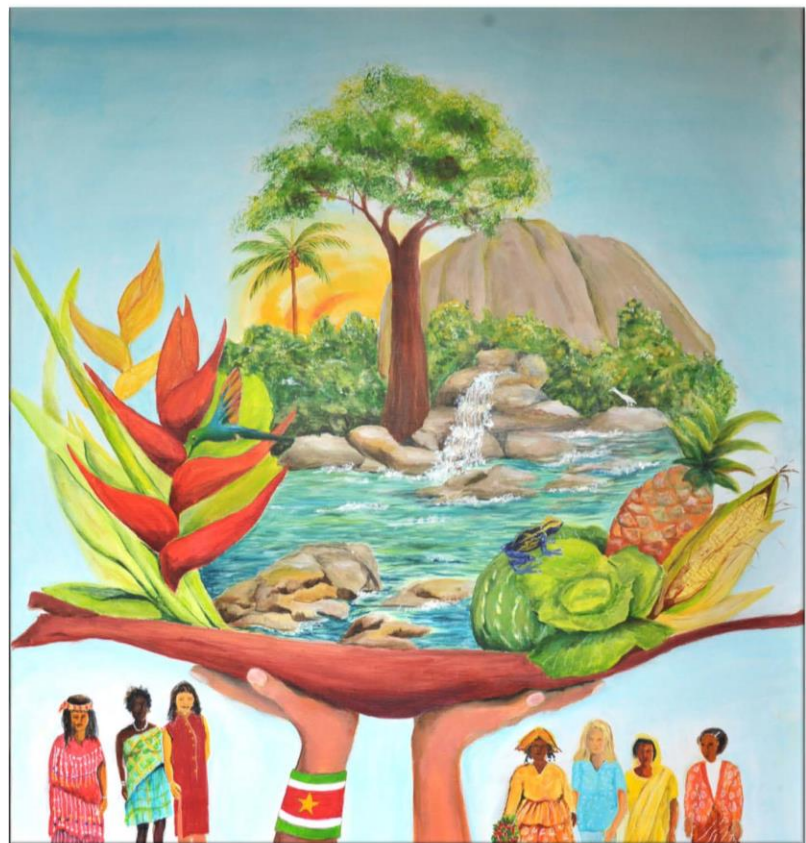
up to the day, each Sunday, we will be singing one of each of the hymns or songs that will be in the service, so we are all familiar with them.

For more information, you can also visit their website at:

www.wwdp.org.uk

SURINAME

All God's Creation is Very Good!



6 pm 1662 BCP Evensong – Service order

Conducted by Revd Roger Walker

Hymn 267 *Thou whose almighty word*

Confession etc. *(see booklet)*

Responses

Psalm 65 *(see pointed sheet)*

1st Reading, Genesis 2: 4b - end *Reader: Joan Pemble*

Canticle – Magnificat *(see pointed sheet)*

2nd Reading, Luke 8: 22 - 35 *Reader: Sue Caple*

Canticle – Nunc Dimittis *(see pointed sheet)*

Creed, Responses, Collects *(see booklet)*

Hymn 185 *Like the murmur of the dove's song*

Prayers *led by John Bull*

Hymn 22 *The day thou gavest Lord is ended*

Sermon

Offertory Hymn 377 *Angel voices ever singing*

Blessing

Organ Voluntary

Our thanks to Revd Roger Walker for leading our service tonight - please stay for coffee or tea and a chat afterwards!