



Christ Church Worthing

HYMN, SONG AND SERVICE SHEET

The Second Sunday before Advent

18th November 2018

**10.30am Holy Communion
led by The Revd David Renshaw**

Please note that some may prefer to have a quiet time of prayer during the peace and sit rather than shaking hands

**6pm BCP Evensong
led by The 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: Hebrews 10: 11 - 25 read by Jenny Chandler

Gospel: Mark 13: 1 - 8 read by Val Grubb

Intercessions led by Janine Hobbs

The Organ Voluntary following our Service today will be:

Fuga para órgão in C minor, anon, probably late 18th century.

Lisbon.

Remaining services in November

22nd November 10.30am BCP Holy Communion

with The Revd George Butterworth

25th November 10.30am Morning Prayer

and Celebration of Life Service

with Canon Muriel Pargeter and The Revd David Renshaw

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Opening Hymn [368]

All my hope on God is founded;
he doth still my trust renew.
Me through change and chance he guideth,
only good and only true.
God unknown, he alone
calls my heart to be his own.

Pride of man and earthly glory,
sword and crown betray his trust;
what with care and toil he buildeth,
tower and temple fall to dust.
But God's power, hour by hour,
is my temple and my tower.

God's great goodness aye endureth,
deep his wisdom, passing thought:
splendour, light and life attend him,
beauty springeth out of naught.
Evermore from his store
new-born worlds rise and adore.

Daily doth th' Almighty giver
bounteous gifts on us bestow;
his desire our soul delighteth,
pleasure leads us where we go.
Love doth stand at his hand;
joy doth wait on his command.

Still from man to God eternal
sacrifice of praise be done,
high above all praises praising
for the gift of Christ his Son.
Christ doth call one and all:
ye who follow shall not fall.

Worship Songs

Restore, O Lord,
the honour of your name,
in works of sovereign power
come shake the earth again,
that all may see,
and come with reverent fear
to the living God,
whose kingdom shall outlast the years.

Restore, O Lord,
in all the earth your fame,
and in our time revive
the church that bears your name.
And in your anger,
Lord, remember mercy,
O living God,
whose mercy shall outlast the years.

Bend us, O Lord,
where we are hard and cold,
in your refiner's fire:
come purify the gold.
Though suffering comes
and evil crouches near,
still our living God
is reigning, he is reigning here.

Song 2

Jesus is King and I will extol him,
give him the glory and honour his name.
He reigns on high, enthroned in the heavens,
Word of the Father, exalted for us.

We have a hope that is steadfast and certain,
gone through the curtain and touching the throne.
We have a Priest who is there interceding,
pouring his grace on our lives day by day.

We come to him, our Priest and Apostle,
clothed in his glory and bearing his name,
laying our lives with gladness before him;
filled with his Spirit we worship the King.

O holy One, our hearts do adore you;
thrilled with your goodness we give you our praise.
Angels in light with worship surround him,
Jesus, our Saviour, for ever the same.

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Offertory Hymn [191]

O Thou who camest from above,
the fire celestial to impart
kindle a flame of sacred love
on the mean altar of my heart.

There let it for thy glory burn
with inextinguishable blaze,
and trembling to its source return,
in humble prayer and fervent praise.

Jesus, confirm my heart's desire
to work and speak and think for thee;
still let me guard the holy fire,
and still stir up the gift in me.

Ready for all thy perfect will,
my acts of faith and love repeat,
till death thy endless mercies seal,
and make the sacrifice complete.

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(Leviticus 6. 13)

Final Hymn [563]

Rejoice, the Lord is King!
your Lord and King adore;
mortals give thanks and sing,
and triumph evermore;
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice;
rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Jesus, the Saviour, reigns,
the God of truth and love;
when he had purged our stains
he took his seat above;
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice;
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

His kingdom cannot fail,
he rules o'er earth and heaven,
the keys of death and hell
are to our Jesus given;
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice;
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

He sits at God's right hand
till all his foes submit,
and bow to his command,
and fall beneath his feet:
*Lift up your heart, lift up your voice;
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!*

Rejoice in glorious hope!
Jesus the Judge shall come,
and take his servants up
to their eternal home.
*We soon shall hear the archangel's voice;
the trump of God shall sound, rejoice!*

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Please stay for coffee and a chat after the service!

***If anyone feels that they would like to lead Intercessions
occasionally at morning or evening services, please see Janine***

Many thanks to all who supported the Mini-Market morning in any way last Saturday. Special thanks to those who supplied the delicious cakes, pies and puddings etc. The event was well attended by both church members and visitors, some of whom were visiting our church for the first time. £417 was raised for our re-ordering fund !

Dorothy



All those whom we know that are lonely, troubled, sick or grieving; our neighbouring church St Andrew's, in vacancy; and church family members and residents in local nursing & care homes whom Muriel and the pastoral team visit.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL. We will be putting up our annual display of trees all day on Tuesday 4th and during the afternoon of Thursday 6th December. If you would like to provide and decorate a tree for a charity which you support, please let Ken Hobbs know in good time.



Wednesday, 5th December
Heene School Choir join us for their annual Carol Singing for the Bible Society Coffee Morning: 10.30am to 12 noon.

PARISH MAGAZINE

All articles/contributions for the December magazine and all future issues, please email to annphotiades@btinternet.com or alternatively leave a copy in the Church Office marked for Ann's attention. The deadline for articles for December is 16th November, and for the January edition, it is 7th December.

Many thanks. **Editor**



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.

Keeping in touch!

Christ Church operates a taxi service for those who find it difficult to get to church on a Sunday, or through the week. If you would like to use the service, please talk with Joan, Sylvia or Lorraine. They can then give you the phone number and the password to book a cab. **You do not then have to pay the driver. This is not dependent in any way on ability to pay**, this is to help people get to church, without worrying if they have change, or need to call at the last minute etc. If people feel they would like to contribute towards the cost of the fares, they merely place their donation in a Gift Aid envelope, marked 'Taxi'.





Change of name!

All branches of England, Wales and Northern Ireland were asked by the National Committee to consider thoughtfully and prayerfully whether the time has

come to remove the word “Women” from the movement’s title. Of all those branches that took part in the consultation, 71% said “Yes”, 26% said “No” and 3% were undecided.

The National Committee at their AGM in May discussed the matter thoroughly, taking into account feedback and comments and voted to remove the word “Women’s” from the name of the movement in England, Wales and Northern Ireland.

The movement will now be known as World day of Prayer – women led, global, ecumenical movement.

Jenny and Sylvia, as Christ Church’s representatives, went to the King’s centre, Burgess Hill on Tuesday 30th October for the preparation day for 2019. The service was attended by 108 people. The theme is to be: Come – everything is ready, prepared by the women of Slovenia.

Modern Slovenia became independent on 27th June 1991. It lies at the heart of Europe, bordered by Italy, Austria, Croatia and Hungary. It is a land of natural beauty, with a great variety of scenery and climate.

The 2019 World day of Prayer Service for Worthing central will be held at Emmanuel URC Church, St Michael's Rd, Worthing BN11 4SD on Friday 1st March 2019. Please put the date in your diaries, more information to follow in the New Year!

Jenny and Sylvia

6 PM 1662 BCP EVENSONG – SERVICE ORDER

Conducted by The Revd Roger Walker

Hymn 547 Oft in danger, oft in woe

Confession etc. (see booklet)

Responses

Psalm 95 (see pointed sheet)

1st Reading, Daniel 3: 13 - end Reader: Mary Clarke

Canticle – Magnificat (see pointed sheet)

2nd Reading: Matthew 13: 24-30,36-43 Reader: John Bull

Canticle – Nunc Dimittis (see pointed sheet)

Creed, Responses, Collects (see booklet)

Hymn 386 Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart

Prayers led by Elliott Allison

Hymn 457 Hark my soul, it is the Lord

Sermon

Offertory Hymn 455 Guide me O thou great Redeemer

Blessing

Organ Voluntary

**OUR THANKS TO THE REVD ROGER WALKER FOR LEADING
OUR SERVICE TONIGHT – PLEASE STAY FOR COFFEE OR TEA
AND A CHAT AFTERWARDS**