



Christ Church Worthing

HYMN, SONG AND SERVICE SHEET

Pentecost (Whit Sunday)

20th May 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: Acts 2: 1 - 21 read by Kevin Yapp

Gospel: John 15: 26-27, 16: 4B-15 read by Val Grubb

and

Intercessions led by John Bull

The organ Voluntary following our Service today will be:

Hymnus. Veni Creator Spiritus 3 verses (Tabulatura Nova III /XV)

by Samuel Scheidt 1587-1654 Halle

SERVICES IN MAY

24th May 12.30pm BCP Holy Communion
with Revd Alex Grubb

27th May 10.30am Morning Prayer
with Derek Hansen

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Opening Hymn [178]

Come, Holy Ghost, our souls inspire,
and lighten with celestial fire.
thou the anointing Spirit art,
who dost thy sevenfold gifts impart.

Thy blessed unction from above
is comfort, life, and fire of love.
enable with perpetual light
the dullness of our blinded sight.

Anoint and cheer our soiled face
with the abundance of thy grace.
keep far our foes, give peace at home:
where thou art guide, no ill can come.

Teach us to know the Father, Son,
and thee, of both, to be but One,
that through the ages all along,
this may be our endless song:

Praise to thy eternal merit,
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

*John Cosin: Public Domain
based on Veni, Creator Spiritus*

Worship Songs

Beauty for brokenness,
hope for despair,
Lord, in the suffering,
this is our prayer.
Bread for the children,
justice, joy, peace,
sunrise to sunset
your kingdom increase.

Shelter for fragile lives,
cures for their ills,
work for the craftsmen,
trade for their skills.
Land for the dispossessed,
rights for the weak,
voices to plead the cause
of those who can't speak.

*God of the poor,
friend of the weak,
give us compassion, we pray,
melt our cold hearts,
let tears fall like rain.
Come, change our love
from a spark to a flame.*

Refuge from cruel wars,
havens from fear,
cities for sanctuary,
freedoms to share.
Peace to the killing fields,
scorched earth to green,
Christ for the bitterness,
his cross for the pain.

Rest for the ravaged earth,
oceans and streams,
plundered and poisoned,
our future, our dreams.
Lord, end our madness,
carelessness, greed;
make us content with
the things that we need. *Refrain*

Lighten our darkness,
breathe on this flame,
until your justice
burns brightly again;
until the nations
learn of your ways,
seek your salvation
and bring you their praise.

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Song 2

Spirit of the living God,
fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the living God,
fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mould me,
fill me, use me,
Spirit of the living God,
fall afresh on me.

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Solutions Daybreak*

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.

*Charles Wesley: Public Domain
Leviticus 6. 13*

Final Hymn [192]

On the day of Pentecost,
when the twelve assembled,
came on them the Holy Ghost
in fire that tongues resembled
in fire that tongues resembled.

In the power of God he came,
as the Lord had told them,
in his blessed holy name
with wisdom to uphold them
with wisdom to uphold them.

In the Spirit then they stood
to proclaim Christ dying,
and that he for all men's good
doth live, true strength supplying
doth live, true strength supplying.

Still the might by which we live
from our God descendeth;
still his Spirit Christ doth give,
who guideth and defendeth
who guideth and defendeth.

Praise O praise our heavenly King
for his grace toward us,
gladly now his glory sing,
who doth his power afford us
who doth his power afford us.

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



All those whom we know who are sick, lonely, troubled or grieving; Our neighbouring churches 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; and the now homeless residents of the tower block in Sao Paulo which collapsed on 1st May after a terrible fire.

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.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY !



'BIBLE FOCUS -

THE ISSUES OF TODAY'



The '**Home Group**' within the church for those who do not attend one or who wish to join an additional one is held on the **FIRST Tuesday of each month at 2.30pm to 3.30pm**. Topics include: *Compassion, Fear, Anger, Hope, Security, Honesty and Loneliness*

CHRIST CHURCH ANNUAL FAIR
SATURDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER
from 10.30 am to 2.30 pm

We will be holding our Annual Fair and it's not too early to think about suitable items for sale! (no bric-a-brac please). All proceeds will be for our re-ordering.



22nd May 2018

Lunchtime Session 12.30pm to 1.30pm

A second in this series, led by

Canon Muriel Pargeter –

All are welcome!



Mary Fairfield will join us from CMS to speak about the work of this mission that the parish supports, at our **service of Morning Prayer at 10.30am on 27th May 2018.**

Talks in our Times

29th May 2018 12.30pm to 1.30pm



Revd Andrew Woodward, the Diocesan Bishop's Liaison Officer for the LGBTi Community will be speaking at lunchtime on this role, together with being Rural Dean for Brighton and part time parish priest also!

Entrance is free, coffee and tea served before and after, donations welcomed for Christ Church on exit.

"Integrity and honesty" are at the heart of "building trust and relationships" between the LGBTi community and the church

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6 pm 1662 BCP Evensong – Service order

Conducted by Revd Roger Walker

Hymn 196 *Spirit of God within me*

Confession etc. *(see booklet)*

Responses

Psalm 139 verses 1 - 11 *(see pointed sheet)*

1st Reading, Ezekiel 36: 22 – 28 *Reader: Mary Clarke*

Canticle – Magnificat *(see pointed sheet)*

2nd Reading, Acts 2: 22 - 38 *Reader: John Bull*

Canticle – Nunc Dimittis *(see pointed sheet)*

Creed, Responses, Collects *(see booklet)*

Hymn 174 *Breathe on me, Breath of God*

Prayers *led by Elliott Allison*

Hymn 418 *Father, Lord of all creation*

Sermon

Offertory Hymn 429 *Forth in the peace of Christ we go*

Blessing

Organ Voluntary

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