

**Parish Church of St Peter,  
Jersey**



**Mass for the  
THIRD SUNDAY *before* ADVENT  
together with Newsletter 84  
07 Nov 2021**

## **+ The Order for today's Mass**

*The Priest welcomes the People & announces the hymn.*

### **Opening Hymn: 63 – Be thou my guardian and my guide**

*The Priest announces the Intention of this Mass and then says:*

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**

The Lord be with you **And also with you**

*The Priest says the **Collect for Purity:***

ALMIGHTY God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid; Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen**

**Prayer of Confession:**

Almighty God, **our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and against our neighbour in thought, word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past and grant that we may serve you in newness of life, to the glory of your name. Amen**

*The Priest pronounces **The Absolution:***

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon you + pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

**Gloria in Excelsis:**

Glory to God in the highest,  
**and peace to his people on earth.**  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:

receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

***The Collect for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday before Advent:***

Almighty Father, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of all: govern the hearts and minds of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

***Jonah 3.1-5, 10***

3.1 The word of the Lord came to Jonah a second time, saying, 2 'Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you.' 3 So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the Lord. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. 4 Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, 'Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!' 5 And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth. 10 When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it. *(pause)*

This is the word of the Lord      **Thanks be to God**

***Hebrews 9.24-end***

9.24 For Christ did not enter a sanctuary made by human hands, a mere copy of the true one, but he entered into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. 25 Nor was it to offer himself again and again, as the high priest enters the Holy Place year after year with blood that is not his own; 26 for then he would have had to suffer again and again since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the age to remove sin by the sacrifice of himself. 27 And just as it is appointed for mortals to die once, and after that the judgement, 28 so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin, but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him. *(pause)*

This is the word of the Lord      **Thanks be to God**

## **Gradual Hymn: 636 – The Lord’s my Shepherd**

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to St Mark:

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

### **Mark 1.14-20**

1.14 Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, 15 and saying, ‘The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.’

16 As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the lake—for they were fishermen. 17 And Jesus said to them, ‘Follow me and I will make you fish for people.’ 18 And immediately they left their nets and followed him. 19 As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. 20 Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him. *(pause)*

This is the Gospel of the Lord **Praise to you, O Christ.**

### **The Sermon**

#### **The Intercessions**

*These are not printed out, so enjoy listening to the prayers for loved ones and make these prayers your own to God. The prayers end with:*

And so we join our prayers to those of all the Saints, as we say:

Merciful Father,

**Accept these prayers,**

**for the sake of your Son, our saviour Jesus Christ. Amen**

#### **The Peace:**

The Peace of the Lord be with you **And also with you**

*(then, when the priest asks you to do so give each other a wave and a smile)*

### **Hymn after the Peace: 129 – Dear Lord and Father**

#### **The Great Thanksgiving:**

The Lord be with you

**And also with you**

Lift up your hearts

**We lift them to the Lord**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God **It is right to give thanks and praise**

*The priest then says the **Proper preface**, at the climax of which, all join in by saying (at 0800) or singing (at 1030):*

**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**

*The priest begins the **Prayer of Consecration**, in the middle of which he says:*

Great is the mystery of faith

**Christ has died, Christ has risen, Christ will come again**

*The priest then completes the prayer, at the end of which all say: **Amen***

***The Lord's Prayer:***

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.**

***The Fraction:***

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ

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

***The Sanctus:***

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us peace.**

***The call to Holy Communion:***

Draw near and receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ, which was given for you. Take this in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

***+All receive Communion in one kind only, namely the bread***

***Post Communion Hymn: 141 – Father hear the prayer we offer***

***Post Communion Collect:***

O God of peace, whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed the kingdom and restored the broken to wholeness of life: look with compassion on the anguish of the world, and by your healing power make whole both people and nations; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen**

***'Thank-you prayer' after receiving Communion:***

Almighty God, **we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. Through Him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of your Spirit, to live and work to your praise and glory, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

***The Blessing followed by the Dismissal:***

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord  
**In the name of Christ. Amen**

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**PRAY FOR THE SICK:** Rozelle Alexander; Samantha Buckingham; Ed; Elis; Jo English; Donald English; Audrey Gem; Val Hammett; Gerald Harrison; Peter Heath; Lester Huelin; Jay; Jack Johns; Jimmy; Fr Tony Keogh; Rita Lane; Joan Le Feuvre; Stephan Mauger; Sarah Michael; David Payne; Norman Perree; John Phillips; John Le Riche; Riley; John Le Sueur.  
**PRAY FOR THE DEPARTED:** Ann Dupre; Stanley Journeaux; Valerie Leathem.

***Daily Hope 0800 804 8044*** – new Church of England **FREE** telephone line to hear hymns, daily prayers and reflections...do have a listen!

***TODAY'S TEAM (7<sup>th</sup>):***

**0800 Reader-**Ariel W. **1030 Almoner-**Mary K; **Welcomer-**Jan F; **Lector-**Jason L; **Intercessor-**Daphne H; **Flowers-**Mary K.

***NEXT WEEK'S TEAM (14<sup>th</sup>) Remembrance Sunday:***

**0800 Reader-** Sue J; **1030 Almoner-** Mary K; **Welcomer-**Howard B; **Lectors-**The Constable & a Procurer; **Flowers-**Pat S.

***CHURCH OPEN week beginning 07 Nov, as follows:***

**Sun: 07 Nov** 0800 Mass; 1030 Sung Mass

**Mon:** 01 Nov 1200 The Angelus & Private Prayer until 1300

**Wed:** 10 Nov 1000 Mass

**Fri:** 12 Nov 1200 The Angelus & Private Prayer until 1300

**Sun 14 Nov REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY:**

**0800 Mass & Act of Remembrance; 1030 Civic Service & Act of Remembrance**

**Sun 21 Nov Sunday Next before Advent:** 0800 Mass; 1030 Sung Mass

## **Special Services and events:**

28 Nov **ADVENT SUNDAY: 1600 Advent Carol Service by candlelight** (50m)

### **CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL 5-12 DEC:**

03-04 *Trees Set up days 10-1800*

05 Dec **ADVENT 2 1600 Christmas Tree Festival 'Turning on the lights Service' by candlelight** (40mins), which is the start of the Christmas Tree Festival

06-11 *Open each day 10-1800*

09 *1800 St George's School Carol Service*

12 **ADVENT 3 1600 Christmas Tree Festival 'Christingle Service' by candlelight** (40mins), which concludes the Christmas Tree Festival.

13 *Clear up Day 10-1800; 14 Clear up half day 10-1300*

14 *1800 St Peter's School Carol Service*

19 **ADVENT 4** *Usual morning services*

#### **24 CHRISTMAS EVE**

*10-1530 Bell ringing by ancient custom*

**1600 Family Crib Carol Service by Candlelight** (45mins)

*17-1800 Bell ringing by ancient custom*

*22-2300 Bell ringing by ancient custom*

**2315 Midnight Mass & Carols by Candlelight** (60 mins)

#### **25 CHRISTMAS DAY**

*0930-1030 Bell ring by ancient custom*

**1030 Family Mass with Carols** (45 mins)

*1130-1500 Bell ring by ancient custom*

#### **26 FEAST OF ST STEPHEN**

*1030 Sung Mass with Carols*



#### **HATS for SEAFARERS**

Many thanks to those who, knitted hats for the Mission to Seafarers, to be given to those who work upon the seas: There were a selection of designs. If you know of anyone else who might like to do this work and you want me to send copies of the patterns on to them, please just let me know their address. 37 were gifted at the SEA SUNDAY MASS in the summer, by a number of industrious individuals. Any more hats that come in will be blessed during the 1600 Lighting the Trees-lights Service on 5 Dec. Father Michael

#### **STAMPS FOR THE LEPROSY MISSION**

Please save your used stamps especially in the approach to Christmas. Leave them attached to the small part of the envelope that they are on and either bring them to Church or bag them up and bring them to The Rectory. The Mission will be able to use the stamps to raise money for it's wonderful charity work amongst those who have Leprosy. All the Stamps will be blessed on 12 Dec at the 1600 Christingle Service by Candlelight. Fr Michael

## **NEW ROTA**

**The new rota will be produced in the next few days.**

**In the meantime, the names of those asked to be on duty for the 14 Nov are to be found detailed earlier in this issue.**



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