

St Columba, Collingtree



***Morning Worship
31st October 2021 at 10:00 a.m.
Service Leader
Rev'd James Howson***

**A warm welcome to our online service this morning.
We really hope you enjoy worshipping with us today.**

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www.stcolumbacollingtree.org.uk*

We say together the words printed in bold.

Opening sentence.

He will stand and shepherd his flock in the strength of the Lord,
in the majesty of the name of the Lord his God.
And they will live securely, for then his greatness
will reach to the ends of the earth.

Micah 5 v 4

Hymn: Immortal, invisible God only wise

A Song of Praise

Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth,
burst into jubilant song with music;
make music to the LORD with the harp,
with the harp and the sound of singing,
with trumpets and the blast of the ram's horn—
shout for joy before the LORD, the King.
Let the sea resound, and everything in it,
the world, and all who live in it.
Let the rivers clap their hands,
let the mountains sing together for joy;
let them sing before the LORD,
for he comes to judge the earth.
He will judge the world in righteousness
and the peoples with equity.

From psalm 98

Prayers of Penitence

Jesus says, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand."
So let us turn away from sin and turn to Christ, confessing our sins in
penitence and faith.

**Almighty God, have mercy on us,
Forgive us all our sins and deliver us from all evil,
confirm and strengthen us in all goodness,
and bring us to everlasting life,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen**

Declaration of Forgiveness

May Almighty God, who sent his Son into the world to save sinners,
grant you his pardon and his peace, now and for ever.
Amen

Opening Prayer

The night has passed, and the day lies open before us;
so let us pray with one heart and mind.

Silence is kept

As we rejoice in the gift of this new day,
so may the light of your presence, O God,
set our hearts on fire for you; now and for ever.

Amen

Collect for 22nd Sunday after Trinity

Blessed Lord,
who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning:
help us so to hear them, to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them
that, through patience, and the comfort of your holy word,
we may embrace and for ever hold fast the hope of everlasting life,
which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Psalm 8: A psalm of David

¹ LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

You have set your glory in the heavens.

² Through the praise of children and infants

you have established a stronghold against your enemies,
to silence the foe and the avenger.

³ When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars, which you have set in place,

⁴ what is mankind that you are mindful of them,
human beings that you care for them?

⁵ You have made them a little lower than the angels
and crowned them with glory and honour.

⁶ You made them rulers over the works of your hands;
you put everything under their feet:

⁷ all flocks and herds, and the animals of the wild,

⁸ the birds in the sky, and the fish in the sea,
all that swim the paths of the seas.

⁹ LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Reading: Genesis 2 v 4 - 15

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Hymn: O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder...

Reading: 1 Corinthians 15 v 20 - 28

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Thanks be to God.

Talk

Listen to the Hymn: Jesus, what a beautiful name

Prayers: The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray

Our Father in heaven,

Hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,

Your will be done, on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours

Now and forever.

Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

Lord in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

Merciful Father

Accept these prayers

For the sake of your son,

Our saviour, Jesus Christ

Amen

Hymn: To God be the glory

Closing prayer

May God, who in Christ gives us a spring of water welling up to eternal life, perfect in you the image of His glory; and the blessing of God

Almighty, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, rest upon you now and always.

Amen.