



## THE FEAST OF ST PETER AND ST PAUL APOSTLES AND MARTYRS

# SUNDAY 28 JUNE 2020 SOLEMN EUCHARIST

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WELCOME to St Peter's Church – whether you are a regular member of the church or if you have never been in person. If you are new to our church I pray you will join us when we are able to meet together again.

Due to the threat of the Coronavirus, we are unable to meet as the church in public services. This service sheet is to accompany the video to be found at <a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1IijXcNGCFieJLoEBv5vPg">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1IijXcNGCFieJLoEBv5vPg</a>; on our Facebook page (St Peter's Anglican Church, Cremorne); or on our website (stpeterscremorne.org.au).

During this time we are seeking to provide Bible and prayer resources, and other ways to connect with one another, in order to continue to encourage each other in our faith – please contact the church office to be added to the distribution list.

Perhaps after this service, in lieu of our usual morning tea, why not consider telephoning someone else from St Peter's, or another friend, to share something you found encouraging?

If you have any needs from St Peter's you can contact the parish office on 9953 1050 or info@stpeterscremorne.org.au between 9am and midday on Tuesdays and Thursdays or contact me, the rector, Rev'd Tim St Quintin on 0401 289 919 or rector@stpeterscremorne.org.au .

Please continue to care for one another, telephone each other, and identify anyone with particular needs. Please let the rector, the pastoral care team, or the church office know if you yourself are sick or have particular needs.

With every blessing in Christ,

Tim St Quintin

Rector

## **INTROIT** Fanfare For St Peter's Day by John Kilpatrick (1941-)

Tu es Petrus et super hanc petram ædificabo ecclesiam meam. et portæ inferi non, non prævaberunt adversus eam. Et tibi dabo claves regni, regni cælorum.

Thou art Peter, and upon this rocke I wil buylde my Church: and the gates of hel shal not overcome it. And I wil give unto Thee the keyes of the kingdome of heaven

#### **ACCLAMATION**

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever.

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

#### SENTENCE

Simon Peter answered, "You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God." And Jesus answered him, "Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven.

Matthew 16:16-17

All Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden:
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.

#### COLLECT

Almighty God, whose apostles Peter and Paul glorified you in their deaths as in their lives: grant that your Church, inspired by their teaching and example, and knit together in unity by your Spirit, may ever stand firm upon the one foundation, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

#### HYMN

For all the saints who from their labours rest, who to the world their Lord by faith confessed, your name, O Jesus be for ever blessed.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

You were their rock, their fortress and their might, you were their captain in the well fought fight, in deepest darkness still their one true light.

Alleluia!

So may your servants, faithful, true and bold fight as the saints who nobly fought of old and win, with them the victor's crown of gold.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

O blest communion, fellowship divine! we feebly struggle, they in glory shine, all yours, all joined in unity divine.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long, steals on the ear the distant triumph song, and hearts are brave again, and arms are strong.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

The golden evening brightens in the west; soon, soon, to faithful warriors comes their rest, the peaceful calm of paradise the blest.

Alleluia!

But, see, there breaks a yet more glorious day; the saints triumphant rise in bright array; the King of Glory passes on His way.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest shore, through heaven's gates the holy people pour, the Three-in-One for ever they adore.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Words: William How 1874 Music: Ralph Vaughan Williams 1906 Tune: Sine Nomine

#### KYRIE ELEISON

Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, Lord, have mercy.

#### THE CONFESSION

Sub-Deacon

We are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses.

Let us then run our race. Laying aside every weight and bringing our sins to the Lord in penitence and faith.

Merciful God,

our maker and our judge,

we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, and in what we have failed to do:

we have not loved you with our whole heart;

we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves;

we repent, and are sorry for all our sins.

Father, forgive us.

Strengthen us to love and obey you in newness of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### **ABSOLUTION**

The Rt Rev'd Rob Forsyth

#### **GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**

All Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Cantor Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

## All Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Cantor 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.

## All Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Cantor 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.

## All Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Amen.



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Cantor: 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.



#### MINISTRY OF THE WORD

#### FIRST READING

A reading from the book of the prophet Ezekiel 34:11-16

<sup>11</sup> For thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. <sup>12</sup> As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. <sup>13</sup> I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. <sup>14</sup> I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. <sup>15</sup> I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. <sup>16</sup> I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

Hear the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

## **PSALM 34: 1-10**

Of David. When he pretended to be insane before Abimelek, who drove him away, and he left.

- <sup>1</sup> I will extol the LORD at all times; his praise will always be on my lips.
- <sup>2</sup>I will glory in the LORD; let the afflicted hear and rejoice.
- <sup>3</sup>Glorify the LORD with me:

let us exalt his name together.

- <sup>4</sup>I sought the LORD, and he answered me; he delivered me from all my fears.
- <sup>5</sup>Those who look to him are radiant:

their faces are never covered with shame.

- <sup>6</sup> This poor man called, and the LORD heard him; he saved him out of all his troubles.
- <sup>7</sup>The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear him, and he delivers them.
- <sup>8</sup> Taste and see that the LORD is good; blessed is the one who takes refuge in him.
- <sup>9</sup> Fear the LORD, you his holy people, for those who fear him lack nothing.
- The lions may grow weak and hungry, but those who seek the LORD lack no good thing.

#### SECOND READING

A reading from Paul's Second Letter to Timothy 4:6-8,17-18

- <sup>6</sup> As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. <sup>7</sup> I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. <sup>8</sup> From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.
- <sup>17</sup> But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. <sup>18</sup> The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

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#### GOSPEL READING

## The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 21:15-22 Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

<sup>15</sup> When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.' 16 A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Tend my sheep.' 17 He said to him the third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, 'Do you love me?' And he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep. 18 Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go.' 19 (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, 'Follow me.'20 Peter turned and saw the disciple whom Jesus loved following them; he was the one who had reclined next to Jesus at the supper and had said, 'Lord, who is it that is going to betray you?' 21 When Peter saw him, he said to Jesus, 'Lord, what about him?' 22 Jesus said to him, 'If it is my will that he remain until I come, what is that to you? Follow me!'

### **SERMON** The Rt Rev'd Rob Forsyth

#### **HYMN**

O the deep, deep love of Jesus, vast, unmeasured, boundless, free, rolling as a mighty ocean in its fullness over me.
Underneath me, all around me, is the current of his love; leading onward, leading homeward to that glorious rest above.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus – spread his praise from shore to shore;

he who loves us ever loves us, changes never, nevermore; he who died to save his loved one intercedes for them above; he who called them his own people watches over them with love.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus, love of every love the best; vast the ocean of his blessing, sweet the haven of his rest.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus – for my heaven of heavens is he; this my everlasting glory; Jesus' mighty love for me.

Words: Samuel Trevor Francis 1834-1925 Music: Thomas John Williams 1869-1944

Tune: Ebenezer

#### THE NICENE CREED

Sub-Deacon
Let us together affirm the faith of the Church:

We believe in one God, the Father, the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, of one being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary
and became truly human.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance

with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living
and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

## We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord,

#### THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Let us pray for the world and for the Church.

Please use the prayers listed at the end of the service sheet, concluding with the Lord's Prayer

Conclusion to the Intercessions
Hear us, Father, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us to 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.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

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

now and for ever. Amen now and for ever. Amen

#### PREPARATION FOR HOLY COMMUNION

I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak.

Ezekiel 34:15-16

We do not presume to come to your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies.

We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table.

But you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy.

Grant us, therefore gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

#### THE GREETING OF PEACE

We are the body of Christ **His Spirit is with us.** 

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

All glory and honour be yours always and everywhere, mighty Creator, ever-living God.

We give you thanks and praise for our Saviour Jesus Christ, who by the power of your Spirit was born of Mary and lived as one of us.

By His death on the cross and rising to new life, he offered the one true sacrifice for sin and obtained an eternal deliverance for his people.

And now we give you thanks because you have called us into the fellowship of the apostles Peter and Paul and all your saints and set before us the example of their witness and the fruit of your Spirit in their lives.

Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and saying:

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.

Merciful God, we thank you for these gifts of your creation, this bread and wine, and we pray that by your Word and Holy Spirit, we who eat and drink them may be partakers of Christ's body and blood.

On the night he was betrayed Jesus took bread; and when he had given you thanks he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, 'Take, eat. This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

After supper, he took the cup, and again giving you thanks he gave it to his disciples saying, 'Drink from this, all of you. This is my blood of the new covenant shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

Therefore we do as our Saviour has commanded: proclaiming his offering of himself made once for all upon the cross, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again, we celebrate, with this bread and this cup, his one perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world.

### Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Renew us by your Holy Spirit, unite us in the body of your Son, and bring us with all your people into the joy of your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom, and in whom, in the

fellowship of the Holy Spirit, we worship you, Father, in songs of neverending praise:

Blessing and honour and glory and power are yours for ever and ever. Amen

#### THE COMMUNION

The gifts of God for the people of God.

Come let us take this holy sacrament of the body and blood of Christ in remembrance that he died for us, and feed on him in our hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

## O Come Ye Servants of the Lord - Christopher Tye (c1505-72)

Sung by the choir.

O come, ye servants of the Lord, And praise His holy name; From early morn to setting sun, His might on earth proclaim. His laws are just, and glad the heart, He makes his mercies known: Ye princes, come he people too, And bow before His throne.

(translator of the original Latin, "Laudate Nomen Domini" unknown)

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Bountiful God, at this table you graciously feed us with the bread of life and the cup of eternal salvation. May we who have reached out our hands to receive this sacrament be strengthened in your service; we who have sung your praises tell of your glory and truth in our lives; we who have seen the greatness of your love see you face to face in your kingdom and come to worship you with all your saints for ever.

Father, we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice through Jesus Christ our Lord. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.

#### **GOD'S BLESSING**

The Rt Rev'd Rob Forsyth

God give you grace to follow St Peter and St Paul in faith and hope and love; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen** 

#### DISMISSAL

Sub-Deacon

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the Name of Christ, Amen.

#### **RECESSIONAL HYMN**

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation; O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation: Come all who hear, Brothers and sisters draw near, Praise him in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who in all things is wondrously reigning, And, as on wings of an eagle, uplifting, sustaining: Have you not seen All that is needed has been Sent by his gracious ordaining?

Praise to the Lord, who will prosper our work, and defend us; Surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend us; Ponder anew All the Almighty can do, As with his love he befriends us.

Praise to the Lord, who when darkness of sin is abounding, Who, when the godless do triumph, our best hopes confounding, Sheds forth his light, Scatters the horrors of night,

Saints with his mercy surrounding.

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him! All that has life and breath, come now with praises before him! Let the Amen Sound from his people again: Gladly for ever we adore him.

Words: Joachim Neander - 1650-1680

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## THE PRAYERS

Below are some set prayers to guide you, as well as our weekly prayer points that you may use to shape your own prayers. The Family Prayers are intended to be accessible for all ages, and other prayers are included.

#### **FAMILY PRAYERS**

For the next few weeks, we are encouraging families to download and use the Kids Pray prayer cards, which can be found here: <a href="https://youthworks.net/kidspray">https://youthworks.net/kidspray</a>

#### THANKSGIVING PRAYER

Gracious God, our heavenly Father, we humbly thank you for all your gifts so freely given: for life and health and safety, for work and rest and friendship, and for the wonder of creation.

We thank you for preserving throughout history a people for yourself.

Above all, we praise you for our Saviour Jesus Christ, for his death and resurrection, for your life-giving Spirit, and the hope of sharing in your glory.

Fill our hearts with all joy and peace in believing; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### A PRAYER FOR ST PETER'S

GOD OUR FATHER, send your Holy Spirit upon the people of this parish. Give us a greater love for all. Make us more compassionate for the sick, the lonely, and all in need, more zealous in the inspiration of the young, more concerned about the wider mission of the Church, and more generous in our giving of service and money. Help each one of us to know what we ought to do, and give us strength and courage faithfully to do it, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

#### OTHER INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

God of everlasting love, you generously provide all things for us. We pray for people everywhere: make your way known to them, your saving power among all nations (especially we pray for...).

We pray for the welfare of your church here on earth: guide and govern it by your good Spirit, so that all who call themselves Christians may be led in the way of truth, and hold the faith in unity of spirit, in the bond of peace, and in righteousness of life (especially we pray for...).

We commend to your fatherly goodness all who are afflicted or distressed in body, mind or circumstances (especially we pray for...).

Relieve them according to their needs, give them patience in their sufferings, and deliver them from all their afflictions.
All this we ask for the sake of Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.

## **WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS**

#### THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION

We pray for the Anglican Communion, for Justin of Canterbury, Philip our Primate, Glenn our Archbishop, Chris our Bishop and the Northern Region. Give thanks for the work and witness of St Peter's Cathedral, Adelaide; St Peter's Cathedral, Armidale; St Paul's Cathedral, Bendigo; St Paul's Cathedral, Melbourne; St Paul's Cathedral, Rockhampton; St Paul's Cathedral, Sale.

#### ST PETER'S PARISH AND LOCAL CHURCHES

For our Rector Rev'd Tim St Quintin and Mak Miyashita Miyashita, our Ministry Assistant. For the relationships that hold our parish together and

provide a welcoming congregation for new members to join. For Rev'd Rev'd Dr Max Wood and the parishioners of St Luke's, Mosman.

#### THE WIDER WORLD AND LOCAL COMMUNITY

For world peace and for all world leaders in their responsibility to those under their care. For our Governor General, our State Governor, Prime Minister and Premier, and all who have responsibility for government administration. For those affected by domestic and international border restrictions that prevent them from visiting family and friends over an extended period and with uncertainty for the future.

#### **OUR PARISHIONERS**

Cameron, Rachel, Poppy and Monty; Cheryl; Melinda, Jeff and Ryan; Patrick, Annie, Thomas, Alice and Grace; Helen; David, Jo, Caroline and Julia; Ken and Judy; Christine; Barbara and Bruce; John; Neil and Pamela.

#### THE SICK

The immediate sick

Ingrid, Rein, Malcolm, Peter, Mitsunobu, Janne, Moses, Pamela, Peter, Maryanne, Georgina.

Those requiring on-going prayer

Rev'd Greg, Sharon, Bobbie Dee, Roger, Inga, Geoff, Joy, Penelope, Anne, Elizabeth, Vatche, Richard, Di, Noel, Howard, Max, Tom, Gigi, Frank, Judith, Jenny, Sally.

Those in residential care
Peter and Patricia; Glenyth; Ros; Jeremy.

#### **FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

We praise God for his faithful servants in every age. We pray that we, with all who have died in the faith of Christ, may be brought to a joyful resurrection and the fulfilment of God's eternal kingdom. We remember the recently deceased, and those whose anniversary occurs at this time, especially Hazel, Lilian, Audrey, Colin, Arthur and Graham (family and friends of Elizabeth Hazel) and our parishioners Thea Barker, Nicholas Martin, Roy Edwards, Louisa Wilson and Alan Peterson.