

20 October 2024 | 9am

Pentecost 22

WELCOME to St Peter's Church today. I am delighted that you can join us in worship.

If you are a newcomer or visiting, I especially look forward to meeting you and hope that you feel welcome. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to ask one of the greeters at the door, or someone in the pew next to you.

I hope you can stay and enjoy morning tea after the service. Bp Peter Watson.

TODAY'S SERVICE

SUNG EUCHARIST

CELEBRANT & PREACHER BP PETER WATSON

ORGANIST DR BRETT MCKERN
CANTOR JENNY DAVEY

SETTING DUDMAN

A Hearing Loop is available in the pews on the left-hand side of the church. Toilets are available in the Lower Hall and a mobility access toilet in the David Armstrong Room.

FOR THE
SON of Man
CAME NOT
TO SERVE AND TO
BUT TO SERVE AND TO
BU

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Please stand

- 1 Hallelujah! sing to Jesus,
 his the sceptre, his the throne
 hallelujah! his the triumph,
 his the victory alone;
 hark, the songs of peaceful Zion
 thunder like a mighty flood:
 'Jesus out of every nation
 has redeemed us by his blood.'
- 2 Hallelujah! not as orphans, are we left in sorrow now; hallelujah! he is near us, faith believes, nor questions how; though the cloud from sight received him when the forty days were o'er, shall our hearts forget his promise, 'I am with you evermore'?
- 3 Hallelujah! bread of heaven, and on earth our food, our stay; hallelujah! here the sinful flee to you from day to day; intercessor, friend of sinners, earth's redeemer, plead for me where the songs of all the sinless sweep across the crystal sea.
- 4 Hallelujah! King eternal,
 you the Lord of lords we own;
 hallelujah! born of Mary,
 earth your footstool, heav'n your throne:
 you within the veil have entered,
 robed in flesh, our great high priest;
 you on earth both priest and victim
 in the eucharistic feast.

William Chatterton Dix, 1837 - 1898

Tune: Hyfrydol

The Celebrant greets the people with a welcome

Christ is risen, Alleluia.

He is risen indeed, Alleluia.

SENTENCE

Celebrant

The Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.

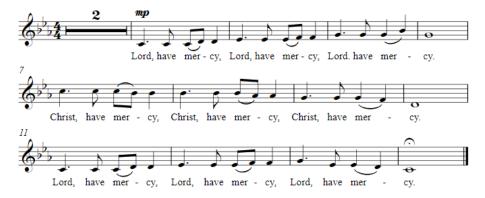
Mark 10.45

Let us pray.

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.

KYRIE ELEISON



THE CONFESSION

Senior Server

Christ our Passover Lamb has been offered for us, therefore we come to celebrate the festival.

Silence

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, with a sincere and true heart.

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.

THE ABSOLUTION

Celebrant

Almighty God, who has promised forgiveness to all who turn to him in faith:

pardon you and set you free from all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS



COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant

God of unchangeable power, when the heaven and earth were made, the morning stars sang together and the host of heaven shouted for joy: open our eyes to the wonders of creation and teach us to use all things for good, to the honour of your glorious name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Please sit.

FIRST READING

A reading from the Book of Job 38: 1-7

Then the Lord spoke to Job out of the storm. He said: ² 'Who is this that obscures my plans with words without knowledge? ³ Brace yourself like a man; I will question you, and you shall answer me. ⁴ 'Where were you when I laid the earth's foundation? Tell me, if you understand. ⁵ Who marked off its dimensions? Surely you know! Who stretched a measuring line across it? ⁶ On what were its footings set, or who laid its cornerstone – ⁷ while the morning stars sang together and all the angels shouted for joy?

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



- Bless the Lord | O my | soul:O Lord my | God how | great you | are!
- Clothed with | majesty and | honour: wrapped in | light as | in a | garment.
- You have stretched out the | heavens like a | tent-cloth: and laid the beams of your | dwelling • up|on their | waters;
- 4 You make the | clouds your | chariot: and |ride up|on the | wings of the | wind;
- 5 You make the | winds your | messengers: and | flames of | fire your | ministers;
- You have set the earth on | its found|ations: so |that it shall | never be | moved.

- 7 The deep covered it | as with a | mantle: the waters | stood a|bove the | hills.
- 8 At your re | buke they | fled: at the voice of your | thunder • they | hurried • a|way;
- 9 They went up to the mountains they went | down by the | valleys: to the place which | you had ap|pointed | for them.
- 10 You fixed a limit which they | may not | pass: they shall not return a|gain to | cover the | earth.
- †26 Lord how various | are your | works: in wisdom you have made them all and the | earth is | full of • your | creatures.

SECOND READING

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews 5:1 - 10

Every high priest is selected from among the people and is appointed to represent the people in matters related to God, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. ² He is able to deal gently with those who are ignorant and are going astray, since he himself is subject to weakness. ³ This is why he has to offer sacrifices for his own sins, as well as for the sins of the people. ⁴ And no one takes this honour on himself, but he receives it when called by God, just as Aaron was. ⁵ In the same way, Christ did not take on himself the glory of becoming a high priest. But God said to him, 'You are my Son; today I have become your Father.' 6 And he says in another place, 'You are a priest for ever, in the order of Melchizedek.' 7 During the days of Jesus' life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with fervent cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. 8 Son though he was, he learned obedience from what he suffered 9 and, once made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him 10 and was designated by God to be high priest in the order of Melchizedek.

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

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Cantor

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

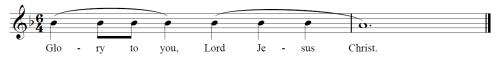
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

The Son of Man came to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for all. **Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

A reading from the holy gospel according to Mark 10:35 - 45



Then James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came to him, 'Teacher,' they said, 'we want you to do for us whatever we ask.' 36 'What do you want me to do for you?' he asked. 37 They replied, 'Let one of us sit at your right and the other at your left in your glory.' 38 'You don't know what you are asking,' Jesus said. 'Can you drink the cup I drink or be baptised with the baptism I am baptised with?' 39 'We can,' they answered. Jesus said to them, 'You will drink the cup I drink and be baptised with the baptism I am baptised with, ⁴⁰ but to sit at my right or left is not for me to grant. These places belong to those for whom they have been prepared.' 41 When the ten heard about this, they became indignant with James and John. 42 Jesus called them together and said, 'You know that those who are regarded as rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their high officials exercise authority over them. ⁴³ Not so with you. Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, 44 and whoever wants to be first must be slave of all. 45 For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'

This is the gospel of the Lord.



SERMON

Please sit

HYMN

Please stand

A new commandment I give unto you that you love one another as I have loved you, that you love one another as I have loved you. By this will others know that you are my disciples if you have love one for another; by this shall all know that you are my disciples if you have love one for another.

Repeat

Source unknown

Tune: New Commandment

THE NICENE CREED

Senior Server Let us together affirm the faith of the Church:

All stand

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 giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead, ♣ and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Senior Server
Let us pray for the world and for the Church.
Please sit/kneel

Each petition ends with this response: Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

As our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are confident 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

PREPARATION FOR HOLY COMMUNION

All stand

Celebrant

But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

John 20:31

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

Celebrant

We are the body of Christ.

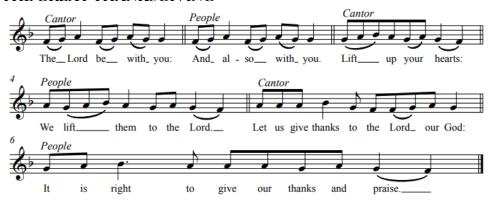
His Spirit is with us.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

All may exchange a sign of peace with a handshake and greeting, "Peace be with you".

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING



Celebrant

All glory and honour be yours always and everywhere, mighty Creator, everliving God.

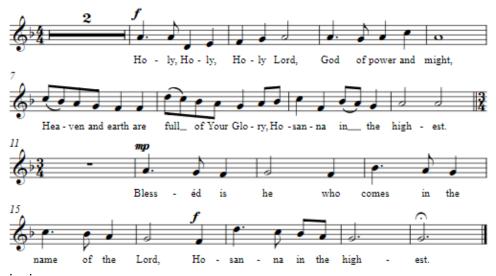
We give you thanks and praise for your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, who by the power of your Spirit was born of Mary and lived as one of us.

He is the true Paschal Lamb who was offered for us and has taken away the sin of the world.

And now we give you thanks that you raised him in triumph from the dead.

By his death, He has destroyed death and by his rising to life again has restored us to eternal life.

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



singing:

Celebrant

And now, gracious God, we thank you for these gifts of bread and wine, and pray that we who receive them, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, according to our Saviour's word, in remembrance of his suffering and death, may share his body and blood.

On the night before he died, 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.

Cantor

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith,



Celebrant

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 never-ending praise:



THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ. We who are many are one body,

for we all share in the one bread.

AGNUS DEI



INVITATION

Celebrant

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.

As the sacrament is received the communicant responds. Amen.

All baptised Christians who love and serve the Lord Jesus are welcome to join in the sharing of Holy Communion. If you are not yet ready to receive Communion, we encourage you to come forward for a prayer of blessing. Please indicate your desire for a blessing by holding your hands behind your back.

The congregation sits or kneels. Silence for prayerful reflection may be kept.

SENTENCE

Celebrant

Not so with you. Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, ⁴⁴ and whoever wants to be first must be slave of all.

Mark 10:43 - 44

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

All stand

Let us pray.

Eternal God, giver of life, in the breaking of the bread we know the risen Lord. May we who celebrate this holy feast walk in his risen light and bring new life to all creation.

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.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Celebrant

Gracious God, all things come from you, and you teach us to be generous with what we have. We pray that our gifts may be wisely used for the ministry of the gospel and the relief of those in need, for the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

NOTICES

Please sit

GOD'S BLESSING

Celebrant

Almighty God, who redeemed us through the resurrection of Christ, who raised us to newness of life through the waters of baptism, and has brought us out of slavery into everlasting freedom, give you joy and peace in faith and bring you into your eternal inheritance; and the blessing of God almighty, ** the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

DISMISSAL

Senior Server

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord:

In the name of Christ, Amen.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Please stand

- Let all the world in every corner sing: My God and King! The heavens are not too high, his praise may thither fly; the earth is not too low, his praises there may grow. Let all the world in every corner sing: My God and King!
- Let all the world in every corner sing:
 My God and King!
 The church with psalms must shout,
 no door can keep them out;
 but, above all, the heart
 must bear the longest part.
 Let all the world in every corner sing:
 My God and King!

George Herbert 1593 - 1633

Tune: Luckington

ORGAN POSTLUDE

As a courtesy to those who remain in the church to listen to the organ postlude in its entirety, you are encouraged to enjoy conversation and fellowship outside the building.

PARISH BULLETIN WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS

FOR GOD'S KINGDOM

Lord our God, giver of all grace, have mercy on your Church throughout the world. Renew its life; restore its unity; sanctify its worship; empower its witness; and make it a fit instrument for the furtherance of Christ's kingdom among all people, to the glory of his great name. Amen.

THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION

We pray for the Anglican Communion, for Justin of Canterbury, Geoffrey, Primate of Australia, Kanishka our Archbishop and Bishop Chris and Anglican Church of Rwanda.

PRAYERS FOR THE PARISH AND LOCAL CHURCHES

For our Locum Rev'd Mark Wormell and our Honorary Associate Minister Peter Watson. We pray for Neutral Bay Uniting Church.

PRAY FOR MINISTRY AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Taldumande Youth Services.

PRAYERS FOR THE COMMUNITY

King Charles as he visits Australia at this time. Prime Minister and Leader of the Opposition and our Federal Member for North Sydney.

PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD

Regions of the world impacted by war and conflict; Ukraine, Gaza, Yemen, Myanmar, Sudan.

OUR PARISHIONERS

Dale Berry, Strephon Billinghurst, Sharon & Prabhu Boddu, Caroline Bowyer and Audrey Bradshaw.

THOSE WHO HAVE ASK FOR ONGOING PRAYER

Sofia Awad, Anne Blake, Marty McCallum, Gill Stemp, Janne, Pamela, Susan Upton, Margie & Rein, Russ McLean, Giuseppe & Maria, Kevin Matheson, and Lesley Lambkin.

THOSE IN RESIDENTIAL CARE - Fr Robert Alexander, Judy Chapman, Kathy Moss, Patricia Reuben, Stan Thomas, and those who attend our monthly services at Bougainvillea, Neutral Bay and BUPA Mosman.

THE 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.

SEARCH FOR A NEW RECTOR

Please pray for the parish nominators, Helen, Bronwyn, John, Bruce and Edwina, as they seek to ensure we have someone to serve us as rector.

PRAY FOR HSC STUDENTS 2024

We pray for those Year 12 students sitting HSC and IB exams over the next few weeks and we pray for them as they also prepare for life beyond secondary school.

We especially pray for those known to us including Theo Dayton, Dominic Bunsell and R.J Woolley & the year 12 cohort at Forest High School. The HSC begins on Monday 15 October and finishes on Friday 8 November 2024.



October 2024

Mon 21 Oct	10am - 11:30am	Discussion Group
Tues 22 Oct	10am	Eucharist Service & morning tea
	10am	Table Group – Café Laon
Wed 23 Oct	10am	Men's Table Group – Parish Meeting
		Room
	7:30pm	Table Group at a home in Cremorne

REV MARK WORMELL ON LEAVE

Rev Mark will be on leave from Monday 14 October – Friday 1 November.

NEXT MINI PRODUCE STALL

- Will take place on SUNDAY 3 NOVEMBER
- Cash sales only.
- Orders taken for Lemon Butter if wanted. Please write your name on the sheet in the DA Room.
- Home made goods very welcome.
- All proceeds to mission outreach.



SUNDAY ROSTERS

	This week 20 October Pentecost 22	Next Week 27 October Pentecost 23
First Reading	Job 38: 1 – 7	Job 42.1-6, 42.10-17
Psalm	Isaiah 53:4 - 12	Psalm 34.1-8
Second Reading	Psalm 104: 1–10, 26	Psalm 126
Gospel	Hebrews 5:1 - 10	Mark 10.46-52
Preacher	Bp Peter Watson	Bp Peter Watson
Celebrant	Bp Peter Watson	Bp Peter Watson
Senior Server	John Halford	Roy Bartlett
Crucifer	Laura Mock	John Halford
Thurifer		
Acolyte		
Welcomer	Phillip Wood	Barbara Gordon
Sideperson	Sue Paul	Laura Mock
Readers	Barbara Gordon	David Cohen
	Gill Stemp	Kah Lin Wormell
Intercessor	Esme Parker	Cheryl Dunn
Chalice	Alison Peterson	Barbara Gordon
Livestream	Taylor Mock	Prabhu Boddu
Morning tea	Helen Fordham	Sue Paul
	Margaret MacNabb	Audrey Bradshaw
Sacristy Linen	Edwina Waddy	Barbara Gordon