

Sunday 13 October 2024

## TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

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### Today's services

8am Said Eucharist		9.15am Joyful Noise	
Celebrant	Fr Daniel Sandham	Celebrant	Fr Daniel Sandham
Preacher	Alison Perera	Preacher	Sarah Elkins
		<i>Texts for this service are on the screen</i>	
10.30am Sung Eucharist			
Celebrant	Fr Daniel Sandham		
Preacher	Alison Perera		
Entrance hymn	362 Come, let us join our cheerful songs		
Offertory hymn	453 Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour		
Anthem	Tantum Ergo (Therefore so great a sacrament) No. 1 in D-Anton Bruckner		
Communion hymn	787i Take my life, and let it be 592 As the deer pants for the water		
Recessional hymn	704 Let all the world		
Organ voluntary	Sonata in F (Hob. 23), 1st movement, Moderato-Haydn		
6pm Choral Evensong			

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## Joyful Noise

**Luke 19.1-10** Jesus was going through the city of Jericho. In Jericho there was a man named Zacchaeus. He was a wealthy, very important tax collector. He wanted to see who Jesus was, but he was too short to see above the crowd. He ran ahead to a place where he knew Jesus would come. He climbed a sycamore tree so he could see Jesus. When Jesus came to that place, he looked up and saw Zacchaeus in the tree. He said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down! I must stay at your house today." Zacchaeus came down quickly. He was pleased to have Jesus in his house. All the people saw this and began to complain, "Look at the kind of man Jesus stays with. Zacchaeus is a sinner!" But Zacchaeus said to the Lord, "I will give half of my money to the poor. If I have cheated anyone, I will pay that person back four times more!" Jesus said, "Salvation has come to this house today. This man truly belongs to the family of Abraham. The Son of Man came to find lost people and save them."

## Said and Sung Eucharists

**Hebrews 4.12-end** Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account.

Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

### Psalm 90:12-end



O Lord my God, in you I take refuge.

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So teach us to number our days  
that we may apply our hearts to wisdom.  
Turn again, O Lord; how long will you delay?  
Have compassion on your servants.

**O Lord my God, in you I take refuge.**

Satisfy us with your loving-kindness in the  
morning;  
that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.  
Give us gladness for the days you have afflicted us,  
and for the years in which we have seen  
adversity.

**O Lord my God, in you I take refuge.**

Show your servants your works,  
and let your glory be over their children.

May the gracious favour of the Lord our God be upon us;  
prosper our handiwork; O prosper the work of our hands.

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**Mark 10.17-31** As he was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, 'Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' Jesus said to him, 'Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: "You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honour your father and mother." ' He said to him, 'Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth.' Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, 'You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.' When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions.

Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, 'How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!' And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, 'Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.' They were greatly astounded and said to one another, 'Then who can be saved?' Jesus looked at them and said, 'For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.'

Peter began to say to him, 'Look, we have left everything and followed you.' Jesus said, 'Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age - houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields, with persecutions - and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.'

## Notices

**PRAYER MINISTRY** This will be available after our 10.30am Sung Eucharist on Sunday. Just remain in your place after the service has finished, and one of the team will happily pray with you, for your own needs or those of another.

**CHORAL EVENSONG** Our termly Choral Evensong takes place this Sunday evening at 6pm, with a guest preacher and a feast of glorious music.

**ALL SOULS** Our annual Requiem Eucharist for the faithful departed takes place on Sunday 3 November at 6pm. Names of the departed can be added to the list at the back of church (block capitals, please!), or emailed to [office@spwh.org](mailto:office@spwh.org)

**GIVING TO ST PAUL'S** It has never been easier to donate money to St Paul's on a regular basis. You can set up a monthly, quarterly or annual donation using the Parish Giving Scheme ([www.parishgiving.org.uk](http://www.parishgiving.org.uk)), which also lets you Gift Aid your donation. If you are not already giving regularly to St Paul's, please think and pray about how much you could give to help us in our mission to Grow Faith in Winchmore Hill.

**ORGAN UPDATE** As feared, the problems affecting the organ are related to the electronics. We are now waiting for the specialist to visit in order for the faults to be rectified.

**HARVEST THANK YOU** We had a wonderful celebration for Harvest Festival last Sunday: joyful and faith-filled All-Together Eucharist, followed by an immensely fun snail race, and then a delicious and convivial Harvest Roast. (Check out the photos on Instagram and Facebook.) Thank you to everyone who made it such a grand day!

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES** Looking ahead, get these dates in your diaries now!

Friday 22 November: Bangers & Mash evening

Sunday 1 December: 10am All-Together Eucharist for Advent Sunday

Sunday 8 December: St Paul's Trust AGM and Tea (Speaker: Fr Marcus Walker)

Wednesday 18 December: Carols on the Green

Sunday 26 January: 10am All-Together Eucharist for Patronal Festival (Preacher: The Bishop of Lynn, The Rt Revd Jane Steen)

**MAINTENANCE TASKS** We are setting up a team of people from the parish who would be willing to undertake minor maintenance tasks for the church and hall on a voluntary basis, with requests for help sent out using a WhatsApp group. If you are good (or very good!) at DIY, and wouldn't mind helping at least occasionally, please send an email to Fr Daniel with your telephone number.

**WREN ADMISSIONS** If you require a reference for a Wren Academy application for September 2025, then please ensure your completed Supplementary Information Form (SIF) is received by the Parish Office by Sunday 13 October. Forms will then be available to collect from 17 October. Note that Wren defines regular attendance as 'Sunday services on at least two occasions per month for at least the last two years as at the date of application', and Fr Daniel exclusively uses data from our signing-in process when giving references.

## This week's diary

Morning Prayer and Evening Prayer are usually said publicly in church Monday-Thursday at 9.10am and 5pm. Everyone is welcome. The church is normally open every day for prayer, reflection and visitors.

<b>Day</b>		<b>Observance</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Service/event</b>	<b>Prayer intention</b>
Sunday	13	<b>TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY</b>	8am 9.15am 10.30am  6pm	Said Eucharist Joyful Noise Sung Eucharist with children's groups Choral Evensong	<i>Our parish and its people</i>
Monday	14		8pm	PCC Standing Committee	<i>Peace in the Middle East</i>
Tuesday	15	St Teresa of Avila			<i>Teachers</i>
Wednesday	16		12.30pm 1.30pm 7.30pm	Eucharist Toddler Group Committee Chairs	<i>Local councillors</i>
Thursday	17	St Ignatius of Antioch	1pm	Mothers' Union Lunch	<i>The persecuted church</i>
Friday	18	<b>St Luke the Evangelist</b>	7.30pm	Choir practice	<i>The spread of the gospel</i>
Saturday	19				<i>Prisons</i>
Sunday	20	<b>TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY</b>	8am 9.15am 10.30am  12pm	Said Eucharist Joyful Noise Eucharist Sung Eucharist with children's groups Holy Baptism	<i>Our parish and its people</i>