



COLLECTS

and

READINGS

for

SUNDAYS

The Fifth Sunday of Lent (*Passion Sunday*) - Sunday 29 March

Ezekiel 37.1-14

Psalm 130

Romans 8.6-11

John 11.1-45

**Most merciful God,
who by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ
delivered and saved the world:
grant that by faith in him who suffered on the cross
we may triumph in the power of his victory;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

Palm Sunday - Sunday 5 April

Liturgy of the Palms:

Matthew 21.1-11

Psalm 118.1-2,19-29

Liturgy of the Passion:

Isaiah 50.4-9a

Psalm 31.9-16

Philippians 2.5-11

Matthew 26.14 - 27.66

**Almighty and everlasting God,
who in your tender love towards the human race
sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ
to take upon him our flesh
and to suffer death upon the cross:
grant that we may follow the example of his patience and
humility,
and also be made partakers of his resurrection;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

Monday of Holy Week - Monday 6 April

Isaiah 42.1-9

Psalm 36.5-11

Hebrews 9.11-15

John 12.1-11

Tuesday of Holy Week - Tuesday 7 April

Isaiah 49.1-7

Psalm 71.1-14

1 Corinthians 1.18-31

John 12.20-36

Wednesday of Holy Week - Wednesday 8 April

Isaiah 50.4-9a

Psalm 70

Hebrews 12.1-3

John 13.21-32

MAUNDY THURSDAY - Thursday 9 April

Exodus 12.1-14

Psalm 116.1,10-17

1 Corinthians 11.23-26

John 13.1-17,31b-35

**God our Father,
you have invited us to share in the supper
which your Son gave to his Church
to proclaim his death until he comes:
may he nourish us by his presence,
and unite us in his love;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

GOOD FRIDAY - Friday 10 April

Isaiah 52.13 - 53.12

Psalm 22

Hebrews 10.16-25 *or* Hebrews 4.14-16; 5.7-9

John 18.1 - 19.42

**Almighty Father,
look with mercy on this your family
for which our Lord Jesus Christ was content to be betrayed
and given up into the hands of sinners
and to suffer death upon the cross;
who is alive and glorified with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever
Amen.**

EASTER DAY - Sunday 12 April

Acts 10.34-43

Psalm 118.1-2,14-24

Colossians 3.1-4

John 20.1-18 *or* Matthew 28.1-10

**Lord of all life and power,
who through the mighty resurrection of your Son
overcame the old order of sin and death
to make all things new in him:
grant that we, being dead to sin
and alive to you in Jesus Christ,
may reign with him in glory;
to whom with you and the Holy Spirit
be praise and honour, glory and might,
now and in all eternity.
Amen.**

The Second Sunday of Easter - Sunday 19 April

Acts 2.14a,22-32

Psalm 16

1 Peter 1.3-9

John 20.19-31

**Almighty Father,
you have given your only Son to die for our sins
and to rise again for our justification:
grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness
that we may always serve you
in pureness of living and truth;
through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Third Sunday of Easter - Sunday 26 April

Acts 2.14a,36-41

Psalm 116.1-3,10-17

1 Peter 1.17-23

Luke 24.13-35

**Almighty Father,
who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples
with the sight of the risen Lord:
give us such knowledge of his presence with us,
that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life
and serve you continually in righteousness and truth;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Fourth Sunday of Easter - Sunday 3 May

Acts 2.42-47

Psalm 23

1 Peter 2.19-25

John 10.1-10

**Almighty God,
whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life:
raise us, who trust in him,
from the death of sin to the life of righteousness,
that we may seek those things which are above,
where he reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Fifth Sunday of Easter - Sunday 10 May

Acts 7.55-60

Psalm 31.1-5,15-16

1 Peter 2.2-10

John 14.1-14

**Almighty God,
who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ
have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life:
grant that, as by your grace going before us
you put into our minds good desires,
so by your continual help
we may bring them to good effect;
through Jesus Christ our risen Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Sixth Sunday of Easter - Sunday 17 May

Acts 17.22-31

Psalm 66.7-18

1 Peter 3.13-22

John 14.15-21

**God our redeemer,
you have delivered us from the power of darkness
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,
so by his continual presence in us he may raise us
to eternal joy;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

ASCENSION DAY - Thursday 21 May

Acts 1.1-11 *or* Daniel 7.9-14

Psalm 47

Ephesians 1.15-23

Luke 24.44-53

**Grant, we pray, almighty God,
that as we believe your only-begotten Son our Lord Jesus Christ
to have ascended into the heavens,
so we in heart and mind may also ascend
and with him continually dwell;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Seventh Sunday of Easter - Sunday 24 May

Acts 1.6-14

Psalm 68.1-10,32-35

1 Peter 4.12-14; 5.6-11

John 17.1-11

**O God the King of glory,
you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ
with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:
we beseech you, leave us not comfortless,
but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us
and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

PENTECOST (*Whit Sunday*) - Sunday 31 May

Acts 2.1-21 *or* Numbers 11.24-30

Psalm 104.26-36,37b

1 Corinthians 12.3b-13

John 20.19-23 *or* John 7.37-39

**God, who as at this time
taught the hearts of your faithful people
by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit:
grant us by the same Spirit
to have a right judgement in all things
and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort;
through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

TRINITY SUNDAY - Sunday 7 June

Isaiah 40.12-17,27-31

Psalm 8

2 Corinthians 13.11-13

Matthew 28.16-20

**Almighty and everlasting God,
you have given us your servants grace,
by the confession of a true faith,
to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity
and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity:
keep us steadfast in this faith,
that we may evermore be defended from all adversities;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

CORPUS CHRISTI

(Day of Thanksgiving for Holy Communion) - Thursday 11 June

Genesis 14.18-20

Psalm 116.10-17

1 Corinthians 11.23-26

John 6.51-58

**Lord Jesus Christ,
we thank you that in this wonderful sacrament
you have given us the memorial of your passion:
grant us so to reverence the sacred mysteries
of your body and blood
that we may know within ourselves
and show forth in our lives
the fruits of your redemption;
for you are alive and reign with the Father
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The First Sunday after Trinity - Sunday 14 June

Exodus 19.2-8a

Psalm 100

Romans 5.1-8

Matthew 9.35 - 10.8 [9-23]

**O God,
the strength of all those who put their trust in you,
mercifully accept our prayers
and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature
we can do no good thing without you,
grant us the help of your grace,
that in the keeping of your commandments
we may please you both in will and deed;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Second Sunday after Trinity - Sunday 21 June

Jeremiah 20.7-13

Psalm 69.8-11[12-17]18-20

Romans 6.1b-11

Matthew 10.24-39

**Lord, you have taught us
that all our doings without love are nothing worth:
send your Holy Spirit
and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love,
the true bond of peace and of all virtues,
without which whoever lives is counted dead before you.
Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Third Sunday after Trinity - Sunday 28 June

Jeremiah 28.5-9

Psalm 89.1-4,15-18

Romans 6.12-23

Matthew 10.40-42

**Almighty God,
you have broken the tyranny of sin
and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts
whereby we call you Father:
give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service,
that we and all creation may be brought
to the glorious liberty of the children of God;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Fourth Sunday after Trinity - Sunday 5 July

Zechariah 9.9-12

Psalm 145.8-15

Romans 7.15-25a

Matthew 11.16-19,25-30

**O God, the protector of all who trust in you,
without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy:
increase and multiply upon us your mercy;
that with you as our ruler and guide
we may so pass through things temporal
that we lose not our hold on things eternal;
grant this, heavenly Father,
for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Fifth Sunday after Trinity - Sunday 12 July

Isaiah 55.10-13

Psalm 65.[1-7]8-13

Romans 8.1-11

Matthew 13.1-9,18-23

**Almighty and everlasting God,
by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church
is governed and sanctified:
hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people,
that in their vocation and ministry
they may serve you in holiness and truth
to the glory of your name;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Sixth Sunday after Trinity - Sunday 19 July

Wisdom of Solomon 12.13,16-19 *or* Isaiah 44.6-8

Psalm 86.11-17

Romans 8.12-25

Matthew 13.24-30,36-43

**Merciful God,
you have prepared for those who love you
such good things as pass our understanding:
pour into our hearts such love toward you
that we, loving you in all things and above all things,
may obtain your promises,
which exceed all that we can desire;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Seventh Sunday after Trinity - Sunday 26 July

1 Kings 3.5-12

Psalm 119.129-136

Romans 8.26-39

Matthew 13.31-33,44-52

**Lord of all power and might,
the author and giver of all good things:
graft in our hearts the love of your name,
increase in us true religion,
nourish us with all goodness,
and of your great mercy keep us in the same;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Seventh Sunday after Trinity - Sunday 2 August

Isaiah 55.1-5

Psalm 145.8-9,15-22

Romans 9.1-5

Matthew 14.13-21

**Almighty Lord and everlasting God,
we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern
both our hearts and bodies
in the ways of your laws
and the works of your commandments;
that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever,
we may be preserved in body and soul;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Ninth Sunday after Trinity - Sunday 9 August

1 Kings 19.9-18

Psalm 85.8-13

Romans 10.5-15

Matthew 14.22-33

**Almighty God,
who sent your Holy Spirit
to be the life and light of your Church:
open our hearts to the riches of your grace,
that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit
in love and joy and peace;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Tenth Sunday after Trinity - Sunday 16 August

Isaiah 56.1,6-8

Psalm 67

Romans 11.1-2a,29-32

Matthew 15.10-28

**Let your merciful ears, O Lord,
be open to the prayers of your humble servants;
and that they may obtain their petitions
make them to ask such things as shall please you;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.**

‘MAY THE GOD OF PEACE
HIMSELF SANCTIFY YOU
ENTIRELY; AND MAY YOUR
SPIRIT AND SOUL AND BODY BE
KEPT SOUND AND BLAMELESS
AT THE COMING OF OUR LORD
JESUS CHRIST. THE ONE WHO
CALLS YOU IS FAITHFUL,
AND HE WILL DO THIS.’

1 THESSALONIANS 5.23-24

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