



Harvest
Thanksgiving Sunday

October 10, 2021
10:30 am

Prelude *Jim Hodgkinson*

Priest The grace of our Lord Jesus
Christ and the love of God
and the fellowship of the
Holy Spirit be with you all.

People **And also with you.**

Hymn #259
For the Fruit of All Creation
(vs 1,2,3)

Opening Prayer

Let us pray together:
Almighty God,
to you all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from you 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.**

Dear friends in Christ,
as we turn our hearts and minds
to worship God, our creator
let us confess our sins:

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against
you in thought, word, and deed, by
what we have done
and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with
our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbours
as ourselves.
We are truly sorry
and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us,
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your name. Amen.

Almighty God have mercy upon you,
pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
confirm and strengthen you in all
goodness, and keep you in eternal life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Peal of Bells *Peter Ryde*

First Reading Joel 2:21-27

Reader: *Susan Gardner Marklevitz*

Psalm 126

126:1 When the LORD restored the fortunes of Zion, we were like those who dream.

126:2 Then our mouth was filled with laughter, and our tongue with shouts of joy; then it was said among the nations, "The LORD has done great things for them."

126:3 The LORD has done great things for us, and we rejoiced.

126:4 Restore our fortunes, O LORD, like the watercourses in the Negeb.

126:5 May those who sow in tears reap with shouts of joy.

126:6 Those who go out weeping, bearing the seed for sowing, shall come home with shouts of joy, carrying their sheaves.

Gradual (CP 405)

Alleluia

The Gospel Matthew 6:25-33

The Rev. Canon Tom Patterson

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ

At the conclusion of the Gospel:

The Gospel of Christ

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Homily

The Rev. Canon Dr. Lorne Mitchell

Hymn #262

Come Ye Thankful People Come
(vs 1,4)

Hear O Israel

Let us say together:

Hear, O Israel,

The Lord our God, the Lord is one.

Love the Lord your God

With all your heart, with all your soul,

With all your mind,

And with all your strength.

This is the first commandment.

The second is like it:

Love your neighbour as yourself.

There is no commandment greater than these.

Prayers of the People

Intercessor: Marylou Kingham

In peace let us pray to the Lord, saying:

Creator, Hear and Have Mercy.

Hymn #402

*Come and fill our hearts with your peace
(3x)*

The Lord's Prayer

Gathering our prayers into one let us pray
as our saviour taught us,

**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 forever. Amen.**

Prayer for the Day

Creator of the fruitful earth,
you made us stewards of all things.
Give us grateful hearts for all your
goodness, and steadfast wills to use your
bounty well, that the whole human
family, today and in generations to come,
may with us give thanks for the riches of
your creation. We ask this in the name of
Jesus our Lord.
Amen.

The Peace

Priest The peace of the Lord
 be always with you.
People **And also with you**

Doxology

**Glory to God, whose power working in
us, can do infinitely more than we can
ask or imagine. Glory to God from
generation to generation, in the Church
and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever.
Amen.**

The Blessing

Hymn #399

Now thank we all our God (vs 1,2)

Dismissal

Deacon
Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!

People
Thanks be to God!

Postlude

Jim Hodgkinson

The flowers on the Altar today are given to The Glory of God
and in Loving Memory of

~ *Heather McKeand-Proctor* ~

By Pam Ayres & Karen Haslam

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The Potted Mums are given to The Glory of God
and in Loving Memory of

~ *Orville Mussell* ~

By Helen Mussell & Family

Our Worship Team this Week

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The Rev. Canon Tom Patterson

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