

The Last Sunday after Pentecost: the Reign of Christ

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[For the Lord has chosen Zion; he has desired her for his habitation: "This shall be my resting-place for ever; here will I dwell, for I delight in her.

R I will surely bless her provisions, and satisfy her poor with bread. I will clothe her priests with salvation, and her faithful people will rejoice and sing. **R** There will I make the horn of David flourish; I have prepared a lamp for my anointed. As for his enemies, I will clothe them with shame; but as for him, his crown will shine." **R**] *Refrain* The Lord will dwell in Zion for ever.

Psalms 132:1-13 (14-19)

A Reading from The Revelation to John.

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty. *Revelation 1:4b-8.*

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Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, our Lord and King, grant that the peoples of the earth, now divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his gentle and loving rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

A Reading from the Second Book of Samuel.

Now these are the last words of David: The oracle of David, son of Jesse, the oracle of the man whom God exalted, the anointed of the God of Jacob, the favourite of the Strong One of Israel: The spirit of the Lord speaks through me, his word is upon my tongue. The God of Israel has spoken, the Rock of Israel has said to me: One who rules over people justly, ruling in the fear of God, is like the light of morning, like the sun rising on a cloudless morning, gleaming from the rain on the grassy land. Is not my house like this with God? For he has made with me an everlasting covenant, ordered in all things and secure. Will he not cause to prosper all my help and my desire? But the godless are all like thorns that are thrown away; for they cannot be picked up with the hand; to touch them one uses an iron bar or the shaft

of a spear. And they are entirely consumed in fire on the spot.

2 Samuel 23:1-7

Psalms

Refrain: The Lord will dwell in Zion for ever. Lord, remember David, and all the hardships he endured; How he swore an oath to the Lord and vowed a vow to the Mighty One of Jacob: "I will not come under the roof of my house," nor climb up into my bed; I will not allow my eyes to sleep, nor let my eyelids slumber; Until I find a place for the Lord, a dwelling for the Mighty One of Jacob. **R** "The ark! We heard it was in Ephraim; we found it in the fields of Jearim. Let us go to God's dwelling place; let us fall upon our knees before his footstool." **R** Arise, O Lord, into your resting-place, you and the ark of your strength. Let your priests be clothed with righteousness; let your faithful people sing with joy. For your servant David's sake, do not turn away the face of your anointed. **R** The Lord has sworn an oath to David; in truth, he will not break it:

"A son, the fruit of your body will I set upon your throne. If your children keep my covenant and my testimonies that I shall teach them, their children will sit upon your throne for evermore." **R**



Prayer after Communion

Almighty God, you have made us a royal priesthood in the kingdom of your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Make known his victory through us, we pray, that all the world may see his light. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

Prayer over the Gifts

Eternal God, by your grace you have raised us up and enthroned us with Christ in the heavenly realms. Receive all we offer you this day, and lead us in those good works for which you have created us. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

John 18:33-37

THE TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY

Morning Prayer

PSALM 132. *Memento, Domine.*

- L**ORD, remember David, / and all his trouble;
2 How he swore unto the LORD, / and vowed
a vow unto the Mighty One of Jacob:
3 'I will not come within the tabernacle of mine
house, / nor climb up into my bed;
4 I will not suffer mine eyes to sleep, / nor mine
eyelids to slumber;
5 Until I find out a place for the LORD, / an
habitation for the Mighty One of Jacob.'
- 6 Lo, we heard of the same at Ephrathah, / and
found it in the fields of the Wood.
7 We will go into his dwelling-place, / and fall
low on our knees before his footstool.
8 Arise, O LORD, into thy resting-place, / thou,
and the ark of thy strength.
9 Let thy priests be clothed with righteousness; /
and let thy saints sing with joyfulness.
10 For thy servant David's sake, / turn not away
the face of thine anointed.
11 THE LORD hath made a faithful oath unto
David, / and he shall not shrink from it:
12 'Of the fruit of thy body / shall I set upon
thy throne.
13 If thy children will keep my covenant, and my
testimonies that I shall teach them, / their children
shall sit upon thy throne for evermore.'
14 For the LORD hath chosen Sion; / he hath
longed for her to be an habitation for himself:
15 'This shall be my rest for ever: / here will
I dwell, for I have a delight therein.
16 I will bless her victuals with increase, / and
will satisfy her poor with bread.
17 I will clothe her priests with salvation, / and
her saints shall rejoice and sing.
18 There shall I make the horn of David to
flourish: / I have ordained a lantern for mine
anointed.
19 As for his enemies, I shall clothe them with
shame; / but upon himself shall his crown
flourish.'



ANNOUNCEMENTS - November 21, 2021

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We are delighted that you are with us for worship today!

Every person who is baptized is invited to the Lord's Table to receive Holy Communion with us. Gluten-free wafers are available. Please ask. All people are welcome to come forward at the time of Communion. Please cross your arms to indicate a prayer of blessing if you do not wish to receive Communion.

Receiving Communion during pandemic: To receive Communion, please line up down the centre aisle while practicing social distancing. Approach the Clergy with your mask on and arms fully outstretched hands together. You will receive a wafer only. Immediately step aside, move your mask, consume the wafer and return to your pew using a side aisle.

The flowers on the High Altar today are given to the glory of God,
and in loving memory of our parents, Bernard and Irene Forknall, Frank and Natalie Higgs, and Mary from Brian and Natalie and family.

Prayer List: The Rev Don Goodwin, John Bate, Dee Padfield, Sandy, Jason, Allie, Dev Kauenhofen, Paul Robertson, Danielle Clarke, Ralph Brose, Diana Davis Duerkop, Gill Cleghorn, Elspeth Stevenson, Rosalind Walton, Jean Robinson, Todd Cole, Leann/Ella/Avalea, Lynne, Rob, Michael Wheeler, Jim Stewart, Harriet, Patricia Dennis, Veronica Poland, Janet Lakins, Nancy Burwash, The Rev. Rudy Myers, Tom and Lesley, Barbara Tait, John Poland, Lucy and Dave Archer, Pam, David Holden, Jane Baldwin. We pray for all those known to us, and those whose needs are only known to God.

Parish Cycle of Prayer: We pray for our Maintenance and Fabric Committee, Brad Barbeau. On our Parish List we pray for Bishop George and Theo Bruce, Megan Bruce-Ariki and Zack Ariki, Heather Buchan, Donna Bull, Nancy Burwash and their families.

UPCOMING WORSHIP

Wednesday, 24 November, 12:15 - The Little Flock, Holy Eucharist, Lady Chapel,

The Rev. Gerry Moore, *Clement, Bishop of Rome*

Thursday, 25 November - 10:30am - Eucharist with Prayers for Healing (Lady Chapel),

The Ven. John M. Robertson, *Clement, Bishop of Rome*

Friday, 26 November, 11:50pm Coventry Litany of Reconciliation with

The Ven. David Selzer, Front Steps of the Cathedral

Readings for 28 November – First Sunday of Advent

Registration is not required for REGULAR Sunday Services as of November 21.

Jeremiah 33:14-16, Psalm 25:1-9, 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13, Luke 21:25-36

- 8:00 am - Holy Communion (BCP) – **Sermon:**
- 9:15 am - Sung Eucharist (BAS Contemporary) – **Sermon:**
- 11:00 am – Choral Eucharist (BAS Traditional) – **Sermon:** The Ven. David Selzer

Christmas Events at St George's - Registration is required for the following:

Procession with Carols on Advent Sunday - Sunday 28 November at 7:00pm

Advent Concert Series, Saturdays in December:

- Matthew Larkin (organ) - Saturday 4 December at 12:00 noon
- Alexandre Huneault (piano) - Saturday 11 December at 12:00 noon
- Palenai Piano Duo - Saturday 18 December at 12:00 noon

Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols - Sunday 19 December at 7:00pm

Christmas Eve - 4:00pm and 10:00pm

Christmas Day - 10:00am

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