

# St Andrew's, Chesterton

## All-Age Communion

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### Fifth Sunday after Trinity

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## We are welcomed

Grace, mercy and peace  
from God our Father  
and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.  
**And also with you.**

*The service is introduced*

- 1 Let us build a house where love can dwell  
and all can safely live,  
a place where saints and children tell  
how hearts learn to forgive.  
Built of hopes and dreams and visions,  
rock of faith and vault of grace;  
here the love of Christ shall end divisions:  
*all are welcome, all are welcome,  
all are welcome in this place.*
- 2 Let us build a house where prophets speak,  
and words are strong and true,  
where all God's children dare to seek  
to dream God's reign anew.  
Here the cross shall stand as witness  
and as symbol of God's grace;  
here as one we claim the faith of Jesus:  
*all are welcome...*
- 3 Let us build a house where love is found  
in water, wine and wheat:  
a banquet hall on holy ground,  
where peace and justice meet.  
Here the love of God, through Jesus,  
is revealed in time and space;  
as we share in Christ the feast that frees us:  
*all are welcome...*
- 4 Let us build a house where hands will reach  
beyond the wood and stone  
to heal and strengthen, serve and teach,  
and live the Word they've known.  
Here the outcast and the stranger  
bear the image of God's face;  
let us bring an end to fear and danger:  
*all are welcome...*
- 5 Let us build a house where all are named,  
their songs and visions heard  
and loved and treasured, taught and claimed  
as words within the Word.  
Built of tears and cries and laughter,  
prayers of faith and songs of grace,  
let this house proclaim from floor to rafter:  
*all are welcome...*

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## We say sorry

God shows his love for us  
in that, while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.  
Let us then show our love for him  
by confessing our sins in penitence and faith.

**Father eternal, giver of light and grace,  
we have sinned against you and against our  
neighbour,  
in what we have thought,  
in what we have said and done,  
through ignorance, through weakness,  
through our own deliberate fault.  
We have wounded your love,  
and marred your image in us.  
We are sorry and ashamed,  
and repent of all our sins.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
who died for us,  
forgive us all that is past;  
and lead us out from darkness  
to walk as children of light. Amen.**

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

## We sing the Gloria

Glory, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest;  
peace to his people on earth, peace to his people on earth,  
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Glory, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest;  
peace to his people on earth, peace to his people on earth,  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our  
prayer, receive our prayer, receive our prayer.  
You alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory, in the glory,  
the glory of God the Father.  
Amen, amen, amen, amen, amen, amen.

## We pray the Collect Prayer

**Almighty God,**  
send down upon your Church  
the riches of your Spirit,  
and kindle in all who minister the gospel  
your countless gifts of grace;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## We read the Psalm together

- 1 Out of the depths have I cried to you, O Lord;  
Lord, hear my voice; let your ears consider well the  
voice of my supplication.
- 2 **If you, Lord, were to mark what is done amiss,**  
**O Lord, who could stand?**
- 3 But there is forgiveness with you,  
so that you shall be feared.
- 4 **I wait for the Lord; my soul waits for him;**  
**in his word is my hope.**
- 5 My soul waits for the Lord,  
more than the night watch for the morning,  
more than the night watch for the morning.
- 6 **O Israel, wait for the Lord,**  
**for with the Lord there is mercy;**
- 7 With him is plenteous redemption  
and he shall redeem Israel from all their sins.

This is the word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## We hear our Gospel Reading

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

*Mark 5:21-end*

When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered round him; and he was by the lake. <sup>22</sup> Then one of the leaders of the synagogue named Jairus came and, when he saw him, fell at his feet <sup>23</sup> and begged him repeatedly, 'My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well, and live.' <sup>24</sup> So he went with him.

And a large crowd followed him and pressed in on him. <sup>25</sup> Now there was a woman who had been suffering from haemorrhages for twelve years. <sup>26</sup> She had endured much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had; and she was no better, but rather grew worse. <sup>27</sup> She had heard about Jesus, and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, <sup>28</sup> for she said, 'If I but touch his clothes, I will be made well.' <sup>29</sup> Immediately her haemorrhage stopped; and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. <sup>30</sup> Immediately aware that power had gone forth from him, Jesus turned about in the crowd and said, 'Who touched my clothes?' <sup>31</sup> And his disciples said to him, 'You see the crowd pressing in on you; how can you say, "Who touched me?"' <sup>32</sup> He looked all round to see who had done it. <sup>33</sup> But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling, fell down before him, and told him the whole truth. <sup>34</sup> He said to her, 'Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease.'

<sup>35</sup> While he was still speaking, some people came from the leader's house to say, 'Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the teacher any further?' <sup>36</sup> But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the leader of the synagogue, 'Do not fear, only believe.' <sup>37</sup> He allowed no one to follow him except Peter, James, and John, the brother of James. <sup>38</sup> When they came to the house of the leader of the synagogue, he saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. <sup>39</sup> When he had entered, he said to them, 'Why do you make a commotion and weep? The child is not dead but sleeping.' <sup>40</sup> And they laughed at him. Then he put them all outside, and took the child's father and mother and those who were with him, and went in where the child was. <sup>41</sup> He took her by the hand and said to her, 'Talitha cum', which means, 'Little girl, get up!' <sup>42</sup> And immediately the girl got up and began to walk about (she was twelve years of age). At this they were overcome with amazement. <sup>43</sup> He strictly ordered them that no one should know this, and told them to give her something to eat.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, O Christ.**

## We explore God's Word to us

### We sing

- 1 Brother, sister, let me serve you,  
let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace  
to let you be my servant too.
- 2 We are pilgrims on a journey,  
and companions on the road;  
we are here to help each other  
walk the mile and bear the load.
- 3 I will hold the Christ-light for you  
in the night-time of your fear;  
I will hold my hand out to you,  
speak the peace you long to hear.
- 4 I will weep when you are weeping;  
when you laugh, I'll laugh with you;  
I will share your joy and sorrow  
till we've seen this journey through.
- 5 When we sing to God in heaven,  
we shall find such harmony,  
born of all we've known together  
of Christ's love and agony.
- 6 Brother, sister, let me serve you,  
let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace  
to let you be my servant too.

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## We say together what we believe

Let us declare our faith in God.

**We believe in God the Father,  
from whom every family  
in heaven and on earth is named.**

**We believe in God the Son,  
who lives in our hearts through faith,  
and fills us with his love.**

**We believe in God the Holy Spirit,  
who strengthens us  
with power from on high.**

**We believe in one God;  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

## We share a time of prayer

Including:

Parliament's Prayer

Lord, the God of righteousness and truth, grant to our King and his government, to Members of Parliament and all in positions of responsibility, the guidance of your Spirit.

May they never lead the nation wrongly through love of power, desire to please, or unworthy ideals but laying aside all private interests and prejudices keep in mind their responsibility to seek to improve the condition of all mankind; so may your kingdom come and your name be hallowed. Amen.

## We share the Peace

God will speak peace to his people,  
to those who turn to him in their hearts.

The peace of the Lord be always with you  
**and also with you.**



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## We sing during our Offertory

- 1 For the healing of the nations,  
Lord, we pray with one accord,  
for a just and equal sharing  
of the things that earth affords.  
To a life of love in action  
help us rise and pledge our word.
- 2 Lead us forward into freedom,  
from despair your world release,  
that, redeemed from war and hatred,  
all may come and go in peace.  
Show us how through care and goodness  
fear will die and hope increase.

3 All that kills abundant living,  
let it from the earth be banned:  
pride of status, race or schooling,  
dogmas that obscure your plan.  
In our common quest for justice  
may we hallow life's brief span.

4 You, Creator-God, have written  
your great name on humankind;  
for our growing in your likeness  
bring the life of Christ to mind;  
that by our response and service  
earth its destiny may find.

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## The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord is here  
**His spirit is with us.**

Lift up your hearts.  
**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give thanks and praise.**

It is indeed right,  
it is our duty and our joy,  
at all times and in all places  
to give you thanks and praise,  
holy Father, heavenly King,  
almighty and eternal God,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
For he is our great high priest,  
who has loosed us from our sins  
and has made us to be a royal priesthood to you,  
our God and Father.  
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*:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and God of  
might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.  
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he, blessed is he, blessed is he who comes  
in the name, he who comes in the name of the  
Lord, Hosanna in the highest.  
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.  
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.**

*The President continues with the words of consecration, leading  
to the response:*

Great is the mystery of faith:  
**Christ has died:  
Christ is risen:  
Christ will come again.**

*The Eucharistic prayer continues, and concludes  
Amen.*

*We kneel and keep a moment's silence*

## **The Lord's Prayer**

As our Saviour taught us, so we 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.  
Lead us not into temptation  
but deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours  
now and for ever. Amen.**

## **Breaking of the Bread**

We break this bread  
to share in the body of Christ.  
**Though we are many, we are one body,  
because we all share in one bread.**

## **We sing the Agnus Dei**

Jesus, Lamb of God, Jesus, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sins of the world:  
have mercy on us.  
Jesus, Lamb of God, Jesus, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sins of the world:  
have mercy on us.  
Jesus, Lamb of God, Jesus, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sins of the world:  
grant us your peace, grant us your peace.

## **Giving of Communion**

God's holy gifts  
for God's holy people.

**Jesus Christ is holy,  
Jesus Christ is Lord,  
to the glory of God the Father.**

*The president and people receive communion. Visitors who are communicant members of their home churches are welcome to receive communion at St Andrew's. If you would prefer to receive a blessing instead, please signify this by bringing your order of service with you. There will be two communion stations – one at the Nave altar (for receiving the bread dipped in the wine), and one at the South Aisle altar (for receiving the bread and the wine separately), and for kneeling – if that is your preference.*

## **We sing during Communion**

1 Leader: Thuma mina. All: Thuma mina, thuma mina, thuma mina, Somandla.	2 Leader: Send me, Lord. All: Send me, Jesus, send me, Jesus, send me, Jesus, send me, Lord.
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3 Leader: Lead me, Lord.  
All: Lead me, Jesus,  
lead me, Jesus,  
lead me, Jesus,  
lead me, Lord.

4 Leader: Fill me, Lord.  
All: Fill me, Jesus,  
fill me, Jesus,  
fill me, Jesus,  
fill me, Lord.

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Music: African melody scored by Notman KB, Ljungsbro and Lars Parkman

## **We pray after Communion**

**Grant, O Lord, we beseech you,  
that the course of this world may be so peaceably  
ordered by your governance,  
that your Church may joyfully serve you in all godly  
quietness; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**

## **Notices**

### **We sing**

- 1 Go forth and tell! O Church of God, awake!  
God's saving news to all the nations take:  
proclaim Christ Jesus, Saviour, Lord and King,  
that all the world his glorious praise may sing.
- 2 Go forth and tell! God's love embraces all,  
he will in grace respond to all who call:  
how shall they call if they have never heard  
the gracious invitation of his word?
- 3 Go forth and tell! The doors are open wide:  
share God's good gifts — let no one be denied;  
live out your life as Christ your Lord shall choose,  
your ransomed powers for his sole glory use.
- 4 Go forth and tell! O Church of God, arise!  
Go in the strength which Christ your Lord supplies;  
go till all nations his great name adore  
and serve him, Lord and King for evermore.

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## **Blessing**

The God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing;  
and the blessing of God Almighty:  
the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit  
be among you and remain you always. **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
**In the name of Christ. Amen**

*We very much hope you have enjoyed joining us for worship at St Andrew's Chesterton this morning. If you are new or visiting, please do join us for refreshments in the St Andrew's Hall.*