

**9.30am Morning Worship for 2nd October 2022, 16th Sunday
after Trinity**

Greeting and Welcome:

Trust in the Lord and do good; dwell in the land and enjoy safe pasture. Take delight in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart.

From Psalm 37

O Lord, open our lips, **and our mouth shall proclaim your praise.**

Give us the joy of your saving help, **and sustain us with your life-giving Spirit.**

We have come together in the name of Christ to offer our praise and thanksgiving, to hear and receive God's holy word, to pray for the needs of the world, and to seek the forgiveness of our sins, that by the power of the Holy Spirit we may give ourselves to the service of God.

Song: Be still, for the presence of the Lord

Flames Sunday School: We pray for the children and leaders who go to Flames

We say sorry to God and to one another:

“O Lord, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not listen? Or cry to you, “violence!” and you will not save? ... Then the Lord answered me and said: there is still a vision for the appointed time; it speaks of the end, and does not lie. If it seems to tarry, wait for it; it will surely come, it will not delay. The righteous live by their faith.” (*Habakkuk 1:2, 2:2,3*)

We keep a short time of silence

Lord our God, in our sin we have avoided your call. Our love for you is like a morning cloud, like the dew that goes away early. Have mercy on us; deliver us from judgment; bind up our wounds and revive us; in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

May God our Father forgive us our sins, and bring us to the eternal joy of his kingdom, where death has no dominion.
Amen.

Song: Here in the presence of Christ I stand

Psalm 37: 1-9

Music Side: Do not fret because of those who are evil or be envious of those who do wrong;

***Chapel Side:* for like the grass they will soon wither, like green plants they will soon die away.**

³Trust in the Lord and do good; dwell in the land and enjoy safe pasture.

⁴**Take delight in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart.**

⁵Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him and he will do this:

⁶**He will make your righteous reward shine like the dawn, your vindication like the noonday sun.**

⁷Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him; do not fret when people succeed in their ways, when they carry out their wicked schemes.

⁸**Refrain from anger and turn from wrath; do not fret – it leads only to evil.**

⁹For those who are evil will be destroyed, but those who hope in the Lord will inherit the land.

ALL: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and shall be for ever, Amen.

New Testament Reading:

2 Timothy 1:1-14

This is the Word of the Lord, **Thanks be to God**

Song: From the breaking of the dawn

Gospel Reading:

Luke 17:5-10.

This is the Word of the Lord, **Thanks be to God**

Talk

Song: Jesus, be the centre

Our belief:

Let us declare our faith in God:

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers *concluding with the Lord's Prayer:*

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, and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And 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.

Notices

Closing Hymn: Be thou my vision O Lord of my heart

Closing prayer:

Lord of creation, whose glory is around and within us: open our eyes to your wonders, and open our hearts to your voice, that we may serve you with reverence and joy; for your Kingdom and your glory, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Let us bless the Lord; **Thanks be to God.**