Parish of Sanderstead and Hamsey Green All Saints' Church, Sanderstead

# PARISH EUCHARIST

Sunday 5 June 2022

#### **PENTECOST**

Commemoration of the Platinum Anniversary of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II



Welcome, in the name of Jesus Christ, to this Parish Eucharist on Pentecost Sunday, celebrating the coming of the promised Holy Spirit and the inauguration of the Church.

Today we join with a grateful nation to give thanks for 70 years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, who once said: "Each day is a new beginning, I know that the only way to live my life is to try to do what is right, to take the long view, to give of my best in all that the day brings, and to put my trust in God."

After the service you are welcome to join us in St Catherine's Aisle where we will gather to pray for a new Incumbent in this Parish, after which we will raise our glasses to Her Majesty in grateful thanks for 70 years of happy and faithful service. You may notice that the music for each of our hymns this morning reflects the four nations of our United Kingdom.

This service is being live-streamed. If you are watching at home, you may wish to prepare a table and light a candle so that we can share Holy Communion together.

If you would like to know more about the Christian faith, please contact Revd Jeremy Groombridge via our website, www.sanderstead-parish.org.uk

Please gather in silence, reflecting on - and giving thanks for - Her Majesty's long life of service.



#### **GOD SAVE OUR GRACIOUS QUEEN!**

Long live our noble Queen!
God save the Queen!
Send her victorious,
Happy and glorious,
Long to reign over us,
God save the Queen.

Thy choicest gifts in store
On her be pleased to pour,
Long may she reign.
May she defend our laws,
And ever give us cause,
To sing with heart and voice,
God save the Queen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.** 

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

And also with you.

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

Let your ways be known upon earth, All your saving power among the nations.

We gather together to worship God and in thanksgiving for the seventy years of faithful service of our Sovereign Lady Queen Elizabeth. We give thanks for her example of faithfulness to God and to her people, and pray God's blessing on her that she may continue to fulfil the promises she has made with generosity and joy.



Alleluia. Christ is risen.

He is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Jesus Christ, whom we worship, is our crucified, risen and ascended Lord and we have walked with him through his journey of love. We have faced the agony of his suffering and death on a cross. We have rejoiced at his bursting free from the bonds of death. We have enjoyed his risen presence with us and his revelation of himself through the breaking of bread. We have seen his return to the throne before which every knee shall bow

and every tongue confess that this Jesus is Lord. And now, with the followers of his own time, we await the coming of the promised Holy Spirit, his gift to his people, through whom we make Christ known to the world.

#### The Choir sings: "Holy Spirit Come"

Holy Spirit come: make in us your home, send us comfort from above, fill the world with fire of love.
Give our lives direction, Lord, seeking to fulfil thy word.
From all strife give us release, may we live our lives in peace.
Holy Spirit come: make in us your home.

Words & Music, John Jones.

As we wait in silence, fill us with your Spirit.
As we listen to your word, fill us with your Spirit.
As we worship you in majesty, fill us with your Spirit.

As we long for your refreshing, fill us with your Spirit.
As we long for your renewing, fill us with your Spirit.
As we long for your equipping, fill us with your Spirit.
As we long for your empowering, fill us with your Spirit.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom 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.

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#### Hymn

#### SPIRIT OF GOD, unseen as the wind,

gentle as is the dove, teach us the truth and help us believe, show us the Saviour's love.

You spoke to us long, long ago, gave us the written word; we read it still, needing its truth, through it God's voice is heard.

Spirit of God, unseen as the wind, gentle as is the dove; teach us the truth and help us believe, show us the Saviour's love.

Without your help we fail our Lord, we cannot live his way; we need your power, we need your strength, following Christ each day.

Margaret V. Old (1932-2001)

#### Prayers of Penitence



Our Lord Jesus Christ said:
The first commandment is this:
'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God is the only Lord;
You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength'.

The second is this: 'Love your neighbour as yourself'.
There is no other commandment greater than these.
On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets

#### Amen. Lord, have mercy

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son Jesus Christ to save us from our sins, to be our advocate in heaven, and to bring us to eternal life.

Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith, firmly resolved to keep God's commandments and to live in love and peace with all.

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and against our neighbour in thought and word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault.

We are truly sorry 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 grant that we may serve you in newness of life to the glory of your name.

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.

#### 'Gloria in Excelsis'



Glory to God in the highest and 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.

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.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord.
You alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen

#### The Collect for Pentecost

#### O God,

who 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 Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.

#### A Collect for the Platinum Jubilee

#### **Gracious God,**

we give you thanks for the reign of your servant Elizabeth our Queen, and for the example of loving and faithful service which she has shown among us.

Help us to follow her example of dedication and to commit our lives to you and to one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### The Liturgy of the Word



#### First Reading: Acts 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup> Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup> They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. <sup>4</sup> All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

<sup>5</sup> Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven. <sup>6</sup> When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because each one heard their own language being spoken. <sup>7</sup> Utterly amazed, they asked: "Aren't all these who are speaking Galileans? <sup>8</sup> Then how is it that each of us hears them in our native language? <sup>9</sup> Parthians, Medes and Elamites; residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, <sup>10</sup> Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya near Cyrene; visitors from Rome <sup>11</sup> (both Jews and converts to Judaism); Cretans and Arabs—we hear them declaring the wonders of God in our own tongues!" <sup>12</sup> Amazed and perplexed, they asked one another, "What does this mean?"

- <sup>13</sup> Some, however, made fun of them and said, "They have had too much wine."
- <sup>14</sup> Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: "Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say. <sup>15</sup> These people are not drunk, as you suppose. It's only nine in the morning! <sup>16</sup> No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel:
  - <sup>17</sup> "In the last days, God says,
     I will pour out my Spirit on all people.
    Your sons and daughters will prophesy,
     your young men will see visions,
     your old men will dream dreams.
  - <sup>18</sup> Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy.
  - <sup>19</sup> I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood and fire and billows of smoke.

 The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord.
 And everyone who calls

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

#### Hymn



#### SOURCE AND FOUNT OF ALL CREATION,

on the name of the Lord will be saved.'

Pour your Spirit from above
On the bearers of your image,
Offspring of a human love.
Human hopes and human graces
Break beneath the weight of sin;
Fear and envy wrench asunder
World without and self within.

Human love is unavailing
Counter-weight to sin and strife;
Love of God alone can hold us
On the way that leads to life.
Praised be God, whose Son our Saviour
Human nature has restored,
Living, dying, raised in glory,
to the likeness of its Lord.

Trace, O Christ, salvation's pattern,
God and sinner reconciled,
In an all-embracing story:
New creation, new-born child.
Word incarnate, world's Redeemer,
Here in us your work repeat,
Signed and sealed your own for ever,
Till the pattern stands complete.

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Christ our universal Saviour,
Nature's poet, nature's priest,
Through life's troubled waters bring us
to the eucharistic feast,
Where rejoicing saint and sinner
Praise the Lord of time and space,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
Fount of being, source of grace.

Peter Baelz (1923-2000)

#### **Gospel Reading:** John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

Hear the good news of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John. **Glory to you, O Lord.** 

<sup>26</sup> "But when the Helper comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who proceeds from the Father, He will testify of Me. <sup>27</sup> And you also will bear witness, because you have been with Me from the beginning.

<sup>4b</sup> And these things I did not say to you at the beginning, because I was with you.

<sup>5</sup> "But now I go away to Him who sent Me, and none of you asks Me, 'Where are You going?' 6 But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your heart. 7 Nevertheless I tell you the truth. It is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you; but if I depart, I will send Him to you. 8 And when He has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment: 9 of sin, because they do not believe in Me; 10 of righteousness, because I go to My Father and you see Me no more; <sup>11</sup> of judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged. 12 "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. 13 However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will quide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come. <sup>14</sup> He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare it to you. 15 All things that the Father has are Mine. Therefore I said that He will take of Mine and declare it to you.

This is the gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.



# Anthem "In Our Service" sung by the choir

No gilded throne, nor gleaming crown of sapphire

Can sure outshine an earthly vow

To serve, to live with dignity.

With humble stewardship and sacrifice,

A pledge of unity: a vow of love.

Though earthly rulers' rules are often fleeting,
Truth comes to those who nobly dare
To live a life of constancy;
To love thy neighbour and thy family,
A living ministry: an act of love.

So ev'ry day, we strive to do what's right; Not choosing spite, nor breeding hate. A life of faith and honesty. As courage is the key to progress, We'll surely journey on, sustained by love.

The truth is, Christ gives the pattern for our love;
And surely love will life sustain.
With endless grace of heart and mind,
A life lived ever in God's service:
A faithful Child of God,
To show us holy life,
And in eternity,
A vow of love.

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We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy, catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.



These prayers end with...

Merciful Father

Accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

#### The Liturgy of the Sacrament



The president greets the people in peace



God has made us one in Christ. He has set his seal upon us and, as a pledge of what is to come, has given the Spirit to dwell in our hearts.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

#### Hymn

## LORD OF THE CHURCH, we pray for our renewing:

Christ over all, our undivided aim.
Fire of the Spirit, burn for our enduing,
wind of the Spirit, fan the living flame!
We turn to Christ amid our fear and failing,
the will that lacks the courage to be free,
the weary labours, all but unavailing,
to bring us nearer what a church should be.

[cont.]

Lord of the Church, we seek a Father's blessing, a true repentance and a faith restored, a swift obedience and a new possessing, filled with the Holy Spirit of the Lord! We turn to Christ from all our restless striving, unnumbered voices with a single prayer: The living water for our souls' reviving, in Christ to live, and love and serve and care.

Lord of the Church, we long for our uniting, true to one calling, by one vision stirred; one cross proclaiming and one creed reciting, one in the truth of Jesus and his word. So lead us on; till toil and trouble ended, One Church triumphant one new song shall sing, To praise his glory, risen and ascended, Christ over all, the everlasting King!

Timothy Dudley-Smith (b.1926)

#### The Eucharistic Prayer (Prayer E)

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** 

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, always and everywhere to give you thanks, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, your only Son our Lord. This day we give you thanks because in fulfilment of your promise, you pour out your Spirit upon us, filling us with your gifts, leading us into all truth, and uniting peoples of many tongues in the confession of one faith. Your Spirit gives us grace to call you Father, to proclaim your Gospel to all nations and to serve you as a royal priesthood.

Therefore, we join our voices with angels and archangels, and with all those in whom the Spirit dwells, to proclaim the glory of your name, for ever praising you and singing:

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

We praise and bless you, loving Father, through Jesus Christ, our Lord; and as we obey his command, send your Holy Spirit, that broken bread and wine outpoured may be for us the body and blood of your dear Son.

On the night before he died he had supper with his friends and, taking bread, he praised you. He broke the bread, gave it to them and said: Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.

When supper was ended he took the cup of wine.

Again, he praised you, gave it to them and said:

Drink this, all of you;

this is my blood of the new covenant,

which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.

Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

So Father, we remember all that Jesus did, in him we plead with confidence his sacrifice made once for all upon the cross.

Bringing before you the bread of life and cup of salvation, we proclaim his death and resurrection until he comes in glory.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus

### Dying you destroyed our death, rising you restored our life. Lord Jesus, come in glorv

Lord of all life, help us to work together for that day when your kingdom comes and justice and mercy will be seen in all the earth. Look with favour on your people, gather us in your loving arms and bring us with all the saints to feast at your table in heaven.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, O loving Father, for ever and ever.

Amen

Let us pray



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.

The priest breaks the consecrated 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.

#### The Invitation

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us. Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, Grant us peace.

The Holy Communion is distributed.

Everyone is invited. All who receive Holy Communion in their own churches are welcome. The stewards will guide you.

If you would prefer to partake in just one form - a wafer - please indicate by saying "one" to the Priest. When receiving communion, it is customary to say 'Amen' as you receive the elements. If you do not wish to receive Communion, bow your head for a prayer of blessing.

Time of Quiet

## Prayer after Communion

Faithful God, who fulfilled the promises of Easter by sending to us your Holy Spirit and opening to every race and nation the way of life eternal, open our lips by your Spirit, that every tongue may tell of your glory, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice.

Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen

Any Notices and announcements.

#### Prayer of God's Blessing

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,

be among you, and remain with you always.

Amen.



#### Closing Hymn

LORD, FOR THE YEARS your love has kept and guided, urged and inspired us, cheered us on our way, sought us and saved us, pardoned and provided: Lord of the years, we bring our thanks today.

Lord, for that word, the word of life which fires us, speaks to our hearts and sets our souls ablaze, teaches and trains, rebukes us and inspires us: Lord of the word, receive your people's praise.

Lord, for our land, in this our generation, spirits oppressed by pleasure, wealth and care: for young and old, for commonwealth and nation, Lord of our land, be pleased to hear our prayer.

Lord, for our world, when we disown and doubt you, loveless in strength, and comfortless in pain, hungry and helpless, lost indeed without you: Lord of the world, we pray that Christ may reign.

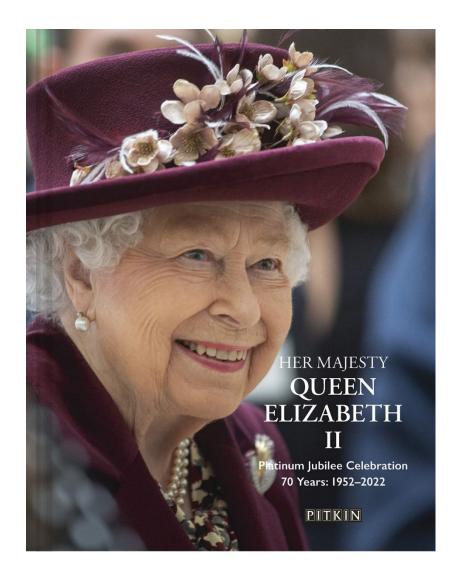
Lord, for ourselves, in living power remake us, self on the cross, and Christ upon the throne, past put behind us, for the future take us, Lord of our lives, to live for Christ alone.

Timothy Dudley-Smith (b.1926)

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

#### In the name of Christ. Amen

Voluntary: Crown Imperial (William Walton).



NOW in St. Catherine's Aisle - Prayer Time for new incumbent and raising our glasses to Her Majesty! We will now gather in St Catherine's Aisle, to pray for a new incumbent in this Parish, after which we will raise our glasses to Her Majesty in grateful thanks for 70 years of service. Please join us if you can.

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# **NOTICES for SUNDAY 5th June**

## Sun 12 June – Family Worship + Communion

**9.30am** Trinity

Theme: God revealed in Burning Bush

# (Sun 12 June) - Gresham Primary School

**12 – 3pm** Platinum Jubilee Summer Fair (see attached flyer)

## Wed 15 June – Skittles Evening

Skittles Evening at the Scout Hut in Farm Fields Wednesday June 15th 7.15 for 7.30pm, hosted by the Mothers' Union and the Men's group. Drinks and nibbles provided. It would be helpful for catering purposes if you plan to attend to let Rosemary Kempsell (rosemarykempsell@gmail.com) or Dick Hibberd (dick.hibberd@googlemail.com) know by Sunday 12th June. No worries if you haven't played skittles before as all ages, levels of experience and fitness can be accommodated. Small donation to cover the cost of the hall welcome.

## Thurs 16 June – Midweek Communion

**12.30pm** Short service of Communion in St. Catherine's Aisle, *led by Bishop David Atkinson* 

#### Sun 19 June – Parish Eucharist

9.30am 1st Sunday after Trinity & Fathers' Day

Theme: Still small voice, God intervenes

## **CAN YOU HELP with these children's events?**

If you can help, please let Sue Thomas or Judith Robinson know. Email: children@sanderstead-parish.org.uk

- Messy Church Sun 26 June, 3.30 5pm
- Holiday Club Tues 30<sup>th</sup> and Wed 31<sup>st</sup> August

## CAN YOU HELP with any of the following community events?

If you can help, please let Revd Jeremy or the churchwardens know as soon as possible so we can start planning.

- **Gruffy Fayre** Sat 2 July, 12.30pm 5pm we will need as many helpers as possible to be in and around our tent.
- Sanderstead Community Day Sat 24 September we will need volunteers in and around our tent.
- **Christmas Lunch** 25<sup>th</sup> December Providing lunch to local people who might otherwise be on their own on Christmas Day. We need someone to organise the event and several people to help out on the day.

