## **BRENTOR CHURCH**

# 24<sup>th</sup> October 2021 Last Sunday After Trinity Family Service Led by Liz Bastin



We warmly welcome everyone joining our service

## Welcome

#### The Greeting

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.

We have come together this morning to offer worship to our God, in the name of Christ and through the inspiration of the Holy Spirit.

We celebrate our Christian fellowship and the privilege we have to come and worship God together.

We are not once a week friends

We are the family of God.

We are not a cosy club

We are the body of Christ.

We are not just strangers meeting

We are temples of the Holy Spirit.

We are not here by accident

Our Father has called us to worship.

We are not just filling up an hour

Jesus wants us to know him better.

We are not just going through the motions

The Holy Spirit has some special work for us.

So come, draw near to our God

And God will draw near to us.

### Hymn All My Hope on God is Founded

#### Confession

Christ, the light of the world has come to dispel the darkness of our hearts.

In his light, let us examine ourselves and confess our sins.

God our Father, we come to you in sorrow for our sins.

For turning away from you and ignoring your will for our lives.

Father forgive us.

Save us and help us.

For behaving just as we wish, without thinking of you.

Father forgive us. Save us and help us.

For failing you by what we do and think and say.

Father forgive us. Save us and help us.

For letting ourselves be drawn away from you by temptations in the world around us.

Father forgive us. Save us and help us.

For living as if we were ashamed to belong to your Son.

Father forgive us. Save us and help us.

#### **Absolution**

May the God of love, bring us back to Himself, forgive us our sins, and assure us of His eternal love in Christ Jesus our Lord. **Amen** 

#### **The Collect**

God, our light and our salvation: illuminate our lives, that we may see your goodness in the land of the living, and looking on your beauty may be changed into the likeness of Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### Psalm 34 v1-9

- <sup>1</sup>I will bless the LORD at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth.
- <sup>2</sup> My soul makes its boast in the LORD; let the humble hear and be glad.
- <sup>3</sup> O magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt his name together.
- <sup>4</sup>I sought the LORD, and he answered me, and delivered me from all my fears.
- <sup>5</sup> Look to him, and be radiant; so your faces shall never be ashamed.
- <sup>6</sup> This poor soul cried, and was heard by the LORD, and was saved from every trouble.
- <sup>7</sup>The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear him, and delivers them.
- <sup>8</sup> O taste and see that the LORD is good; happy are those who take refuge in him.

<sup>9</sup> O fear the LORD, you his holy ones, for those who fear him have no want



Hymn- Be Thou My Vision

#### Gospel reading: Mark 10: v46-52

<sup>46</sup> They came to Jericho. As he and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. <sup>47</sup> When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" <sup>48</sup> Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" <sup>49</sup> Jesus stood still and said, "Call him here." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart; get up, he is calling you." <sup>50</sup> So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. <sup>51</sup> Then Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man said to him, "My teacher, let me see again." <sup>52</sup> Jesus said to him, "Go; your faith has made you well." Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.



## Sermon

**Hymn** Amazing Grace

## Prayers of Intercession *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.

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.

#### **Apostle's Creed**

All 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, 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.** 

# Hymn Lord the Light of Your Love is Shining. Blessing

May the everlasting blessing be with us wherever we go And the blessing of God be upon us

The blessing of the giver of life

The blessing of God be upon us

The blessing of the Christ of love

The blessing of God be upon us

The blessing of the Spirit of peace

The blessing of the Trinity be upon us now and evermore. Amen Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen





Please pray for all who are ill or anxious at home or in hospital, and those who have asked for our prayers: Nick & Julie, Dave & Wendy, Edward Walter, Lydia, Margaret, Lin Bristow, Beryl, Nick H, Peter Cameron, Dave, Natasha Brenchley, Kelly, Mark and Jack Corber, Izzy, Ian and Tony

<u>Please pray</u> for the souls of the recently departed, Jess, especially her family Sarah and friends.

<u>Please pray</u> for Nicola and Jason and their families as they are preparing for their marriage.

#### Your prayers this week are asked for:

Mon- All those on half term holidays.

Tues- Those travelling over this week with safety in mind.

**Wed-** Farmers and those working the land with difficult weather conditions.

Thurs- Hospitals and the health sector again stretched to the limit.

Fri- All those who work for others through voluntary work.

Sat- The faith of those in our Church communities working together.

#### Next week:

**9:45am:** Morning Prayer at Christ Church with Wendy Roderick **6pm:** All Souls Service at Christ Church with Helen and David Harris

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