

# TRINITY BUCKINGHAM CHURCH

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with Christ in our hearts and God's work through our hands*



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## The 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

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# Morning Prayer during the Sundays of Pentecost

**Prelude**

**Martha Dudich**

## **Opening Sentences**

Thus says the high and lofty One who inhabits eternity, whose name is Holy, "I dwell in the high and holy place and also with the one who has a contrite and humble spirit, to revive the spirit of the humble and to revive the heart of the contrite." *Isaiah 57:15*

## **Confession and Absolution**

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Silence is kept.*

**God of all mercy,**

**we confess that we have sinned against you,  
opposing your will in our lives.**

**We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves,  
and in the world you have created.**

**We repent of the evil that enslaves us,  
the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf.**

**Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ,  
that we may abide in your love  
and serve only your will. Amen.**

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

## **The Invitatory and Psalter**

*One:* O God, let our mouth proclaim your praise.

*Many:* **And your glory all the day long.**

**Praise to the Holy and Undivided Trinity, One God: as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.**

*Antiphon:* The mercy of the Lord is everlasting: Come let us adore him.

## **Jubilate *Psalm 100***

May all lands be joyful before you, O God, \*  
serve with gladness  
and come before your presence with a song.  
For we know that you are God; \*  
you yourself have made us, and we are yours;  
we are your people and the sheep of your pasture.  
We shall enter your gates with thanksgiving,  
go into your courts with praise, \*  
give thanks to you and call upon your Name.  
For you are good;  
your mercy is everlasting; \*  
and your faithfulness endures from age to age.

*Antiphon:* The mercy of the Lord is everlasting: Come let us adore him.

## **Psalm 88: 1-15**

Your love, O God, for ever will I sing; \*  
from age to age my mouth will proclaim your faithfulness.  
For I am persuaded that your love is established for ever; \*  
you have set your faithfulness firmly in the heavens.  
“I have made a covenant with my chosen one; \*  
I have sworn an oath to David my servant:  
‘I will establish your line for ever, \*  
and preserve your throne for all generations.’ ”  
The heavens bear witness to your wonders, O God, \*  
and to your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones;  
For who in the skies can be compared to you, O God; \*  
who is like you among the gods?  
You are much to be feared in the council of the holy ones, \*  
great and terrible to all those round about you.  
Who is like you, O God of hosts? \*  
O Mighty One, your faithfulness is all around you.  
You rule the raging of the sea \*  
and still the surging of its waves.  
You have crushed Rahab of the deep with a deadly wound; \*  
you have scattered your enemies with your mighty arm.

Yours are the heavens; the earth also is yours; \*  
you laid the foundations of the world and all that is in it.  
You have made the north and the south; \*  
Tabor and Hermon rejoice in your Name.  
You have a mighty arm; \*  
strong is your hand and high is your right hand.  
Righteousness and justice are the foundations of your throne; \*  
love and truth go before your face.  
Happy are the people who know the festal shout; \*  
they walk, O God, in the light of your presence.

**Praise to the Holy and Undivided Trinity, One God: as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.**

### **First Reading**

**Romans 6:12-23**

Do not let sin exercise dominion in your mortal bodies, to make you obey their passions. No longer present your members to sin as instruments of wickedness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and present your members to God as instruments of righteousness. For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace.

What then? Should we sin because we are not under law but under grace? By no means! Do you not know that if you present yourselves to anyone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to righteousness? But thanks be to God that you, having once been slaves of sin, have become obedient from the heart to the form of teaching to which you were entrusted, and that you, having been set free from sin, have become slaves of righteousness. I am speaking in human terms because of your natural limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and to greater and greater iniquity, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness for sanctification.

When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. So what advantage did you then get from the things of which you now are ashamed? The end of those things is death. But now that you have been freed from sin and enslaved to God, the advantage you get is sanctification. The end is eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people. **Thanks be to God.**

**Canticle 9 The First Song of Isaiah *Ecce, Deus***

*Isaiah 12:2-6*

**Surely, it is God who saves me; \***

**I will trust in him and not be afraid.**

**For the Lord is my stronghold and my sure defense, \*  
and he will be my Savior.**

**Therefore you shall draw water with rejoicing \*  
from the springs of salvation.**

**And on that day you shall say, \***

**Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his Name;**

**Make his deeds known among the peoples; \***

**see that they remember that his Name is exalted.**

**Sing the praises of the Lord, for he has done great things, \*  
and this is known in all the world.**

**Cry aloud, inhabitants of Zion, ring out your joy, \***

**for the great one in the midst of you is the Holy One of Israel.**

**Praise to the Holy and Undivided Trinity, One God: as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and will be for ever. Amen.**

**The Second Reading**

**Matthew 10:40-42**

Jesus said, "Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple--truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward."

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**Reflection**

**The Rev. Dr. Nancy Burton Dilliplane**

**Sacred Music**

**Martha Dudich**

## **The Apostle's Creed**

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

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.

He 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,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again 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.

## **The Prayers**

### ***The Lord's Prayer***

Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.

## **Suffrages**

- V. Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance;  
R. Govern and uphold them, now and always.  
V. Day by day we bless you;  
R. We praise your name for ever.  
V. Lord, keep us from all sin today;  
R. Have mercy upon us, Lord, have mercy.  
V. Lord, show us your love and mercy;  
R. For we put our trust in you.  
V. In you, Lord, is our hope;  
R. And we shall never hope in vain.

## **Collect of the Day**

Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## **Collect for Guidance**

Heavenly Father, in you we live and move and have our being: We humbly pray you so to guide and govern us by your Holy Spirit, that in all the cares and occupations of our life we may not forget you, but may remember that we are ever walking in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

## **Collect for Social Justice**

Grant, O God, that your holy and life-giving Spirit may so move every human heart and especially the hearts of the people of this land, that barriers which divide us may crumble, suspicions disappear, and hatreds cease; that our divisions being healed, we may live in justice and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

## **Collect for Mission**

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far off and to those who are near: Grant that

people everywhere may seek after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out your Spirit upon all flesh; and hasten the coming of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*Prayers, Thanksgivings and Intercessions may be offered silently or aloud.*

## **The General Thanksgiving**

**Almighty God, Father of all mercies,  
we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks  
for all your goodness and loving-kindness  
to us and to all whom you have made.  
We bless you for our creation, preservation,  
and all the blessings of this life;  
but above all for your immeasurable love  
in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;  
for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.  
And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,  
that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise,  
not only with our lips, but in our lives,  
by giving up our selves to your service,  
and by walking before you  
in holiness and righteousness all our days;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,  
be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.**

## **Benediction**

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

Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine: Glory to God from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*Ephesians 3:20,21*

## **Postlude**

**Martha Dudich**

### Sources:

The Book of Common Prayer, 1979  
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