



## Holy Communion

All Saints Church

Trinity Sunday

31 May 2026

*A warm welcome to our worship this morning. Whether a regular or a visitor, we are delighted to have you with us, and hope that you will enjoy the service.*

*All you need to **follow the service** is contained in this leaflet. For a large print, ask the person who gave you this leaflet. Please join in the responses in bold.*

***After the service** refreshments are served at the back of church, please join us.*

*We don't take cash collection during the service, however we welcome **donations** towards our mission and ever increasing maintenance costs. These can be left in the collection plate or be made using our contactless card machine at the back of the church. Alternatively you can scan the QR code on the last page.*

### Hymn

- 1 Father, Lord of all creation,  
ground of being, life and love;  
height and depth beyond description  
only life in you can prove:  
you are mortal life's dependence:  
thought, speech, sight are ours by grace;  
yours is every hour's existence,  
sovereign Lord of time and space.
- 2 Jesus Christ, the Man for others,  
we, your people, make our prayer:  
help us love — as sisters, brothers —  
all whose burdens we can share.  
Where your name binds us together  
you, Lord Christ, will surely be;  
where no selfishness can sever  
there your love the world may see.
- 3 Holy Spirit, rushing, burning  
wind and flame of Pentecost,  
fire our hearts afresh with yearning  
to regain what we have lost.  
May your love unite our action,  
never more to speak alone:  
God, in us abolish faction,  
God, through us your love  
make known.

*Stewart Cross (1928–1989)*

*Words: © Used by permission of Mrs Mary Cross*

### Greeting

Minister In the name of the Father,  
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All Amen.

Minister The Lord be with you.

All And also with you.

*Words of welcome may be said.*

## Prayer of Preparation

All 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.

## Confession

Deacon God the Father forgives us in Christ  
and heals us by the Holy Spirit.

Let us therefore put away  
all anger and bitterness, all slander and malice,  
and confess our sins to God our redeemer.

*cf Ephesians 4.30,32*

Minister We have not always worshipped God, our creator.  
Lord, have mercy.

All Lord, have mercy.

Minister We have not always followed Christ, our Saviour.  
Christ, have mercy.

All Christ, have mercy.

Minister We have not always trusted in the Spirit, our guide.  
Lord, have mercy.

All Lord, have mercy.

## Absolution

Minister May the Father forgive you by the death of his Son  
and strengthen you to live in the power of the Spirit  
all your days.

All Amen.

## Gloria

All/choir Glory to God in the highest, peace to his people on earth. [x2]  
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.  
Glory to God in the highest, peace to his people on earth. [x2]  
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, have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive, receive our prayer.  
Glory to God in the highest, peace to his people on earth. [x2]  
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. [x2]

## Collect

*The president introduces a period of silent prayer with the words 'Let us pray' or a more specific bidding. The Collect is said.*

Holy God, faithful and unchanging:  
enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth,  
and draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love,  
that we may truly worship you,  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All Amen.

## Reading 2 Corinthians 13.11-13

Brothers and sisters, put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

## Hymn

1 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;

holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

2 Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore thee,  
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,  
which wert and art and evermore shalt be.

3 Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide thee,  
though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,  
only thou art holy, there is none beside thee  
perfect in power, in love, and purity.

4 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
all thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea;  
holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

*Reginald Heber (1783-1826)*

## **Gospel reading Matthew 28.16-20**

**All/choir Alleluia!**

Cantor Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,  
one God who was, and who is, and who is to come, the Almighty.

**All/choir Alleluia!**

Deacon Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

**All Glory to you, O Lord.**

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**All Praise to you, O Christ.**

## **Sermon**

*After the Sermon silence may be kept.*

## **Affirmation of faith**

Minister Let us declare our faith in God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

**All** 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.

## **Prayers of Intercession**

Minister In the power of the Spirit and in union with Christ,  
let us pray to the Father.

*This response may be included:*

Lord, in your mercy,  
**All** hear our prayer.

*And at the end:*

Merciful Father,  
**All** accept these prayers for the sake of your Son,  
our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

## **Peace**

Minister Peace to you from God our heavenly Father.  
Peace from his Son Jesus Christ who is our peace.  
Peace from the Holy Spirit, the life-giver.

The peace of the triune God be always with you.  
**All** And also with you.

Minister Let us share with one another a sign of peace.

*We share with one another a sign of Christ's peace.*

## **Preparation of the table**

## Hymn

- 1 My God, how wonderful thou art,  
thy majesty how bright,  
how beautiful thy mercy-seat  
in depths of burning light!
- 2 How dread are thine eternal years,  
O everlasting Lord,  
by prostrate spirits day and night  
incessantly adored!
- 3 How wonderful, how beautiful,  
the sight of thee must be,  
thine endless wisdom, boundless power  
and awful purity!
- 4 O how I fear thee, living God,  
with deepest, tenderest fears,  
and worship thee with trembling hope  
and penitential tears!
- 5 Yet I may love thee too, O Lord,  
almighty as thou art,  
for thou hast stooped to ask of me  
the love of my poor heart.
- 6 No earthly father loves like thee,  
no mother, e'er so mild,  
bears and forbears as thou hast don  
with me, thy sinful child.
- 7 Father of Jesus, love's reward,  
what rapture will it be,  
prostrate before thy throne to lie  
and gaze and gaze on thee!

*Frederick William Faber (1814–1863)*

## Table prayer

Minister Pour upon the poverty of our love,  
and the weakness of our praise,  
the transforming fire of your presence.

**All Amen.**

## Eucharistic prayer

Minister The Lord is here.

**All His spirit is with us.**

Minister Lift up your hearts.

**All We lift them to the Lord.**

Minister Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All It is right to give thanks and praise.**

Minister Father of all, we give you thanks  
for every gift that comes from heaven.  
To the darkness Jesus came as your light.  
With signs of faith and words of hope

he touched untouchables with love  
and washed the guilty clean.

This is his story.

**All This is our song: Hosanna in the highest.**

Minister The crowds came out to see your Son,  
yet at the end they turned on him.

On the night he was betrayed  
he came to table with his friends  
to celebrate the freedom of your people.

This is his story.

**All This is our song: Hosanna in the highest.**

Minister Jesus blessed you, Father, for the food;  
he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and said:  
This is my body, given for you all.

Jesus then gave thanks for the wine;  
he took the cup, gave it and said:

This is my blood, shed for you all for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this in remembrance of me.

This is our story.

**All This is our song: Hosanna in the highest.**

Minister Therefore, Father, with this bread and this cup  
we celebrate the cross on which he died to set us free.  
Defying death he rose again and is alive with you  
to plead for us and all the world.

This is our story.

**All This is our song: Hosanna in the highest.**

Minister Send your Spirit on us now,  
that by these gifts we may feed on Christ  
with opened eyes and hearts on fire.  
May we and all who share this food  
offer ourselves to live for you  
and be welcomed at your feast in heaven  
where all creation worships you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit:

**All Blessing and honour and glory and power  
be yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

## The Lord's Prayer

Minister As our Saviour taught us, with confidence we pray.

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

## Breaking of the bread

*The president breaks the consecrated bread.*

Minister We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All Though we are many, we are one body,  
because we all share in one bread.

All/choir Jesus, Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:  
have mercy on us [x2].

Jesus, bread of life, you take away the sins of the world:  
have mercy on us [x2].

Jesus, Prince of Peace, you take away the sins of the world:  
grant us your peace [x4].

## Giving of Communion

Minister Draw near with faith.

Receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ which he gave for you,  
and his blood which he shed for you.

Eat and drink in remembrance that he died for you,  
and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

*Please wait to be directed forward to receive communion.*

## Communion hymn

- 1 Father of heaven, whose love profound  
a ransom for our souls hath found,  
before thy throne we sinners bend,  
to us thy pardoning love extend.
- 2 Almighty Son, incarnate Word,  
our Prophet, Priest, Redeemer, Lord,  
before thy throne we sinners bend,  
to us thy saving grace extend.
- 3 Eternal Spirit, by whose breath  
the soul is raised from sin and death,  
before thy throne we sinners bend,  
to us thy quickening power extend.
- 4 Thrice Holy! Father, Spirit, Son;  
mysterious Godhead, Three in One,  
before thy throne we sinners bend,  
grace, pardon, life to us extend.

*Edward Cooper (1770-1833)*

## Motet Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky: Holy, holy, holy

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;  
holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!  
Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore thee,  
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,  
which wert and art and evermore shalt be.  
Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide thee,  
though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,  
only thou art holy, there is none beside thee  
perfect in power, in love, and purity.  
Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
all thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea;  
holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

## Prayer after Communion

Minister Almighty and eternal God,  
you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit,  
and live and reign in the perfect unity of love:  
hold us firm in this faith,  
that we may know you in all your ways  
and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory,  
who are three Persons yet one God,  
now and for ever.

**All** We thank you, Lord, that you have  
fed us in this sacrament, united us with Christ,  
and given us a foretaste of the heavenly banquet  
prepared for all peoples. Amen.

## Notices

### Hymn

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| 1 Thou, whose almighty word<br>chaos and darkness heard,<br>and took their flight;<br>hear us, we humbly pray,<br>and where the gospel-day<br>sheds not its glorious ray,<br>let there be light. | 3 Spirit of truth and love,<br>life-giving, holy Dove,<br>speed forth thy flight;<br>move on the water's face,<br>bearing the lamp of grace,<br>and in earth's darkest place<br>let there be light. |
| 2 Thou, who didst come to bring<br>on thy redeeming wing<br>healing and sight,<br>health to the sick in mind,<br>sight to the inly blind,<br>O now to all humankind<br>let there be light.       | 4 Holy and blessed Three,<br>glorious Trinity,<br>Wisdom, Love, Might;<br>boundless as ocean's tide<br>rolling in fullest pride,<br>through the earth far and wide<br>let there be light.           |

*John Marriott (1780–1825)*

### Blessing

**Minister** God the Holy Trinity  
make you strong in faith and love,  
defend you on every side,  
and guide you in truth and peace;  
and the blessing of God almighty,  
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,  
be among you and remain with you always.

**All** Amen.

### Dismissal

**Deacon** Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**All** In the name of Christ. Amen.

*The people and ministers depart.*

**Organ voluntary** Kenneth Leighton: Fanfare

<b>Mon 1 June</b>	<b>Justin</b>	
9:00-9:30	Zoom	Morning Prayer
9:15-11:00	All Hallows' Hall	Little Acorns pre-school group
18:00-19:15	St Mary's Hall	4 <sup>th</sup> Cubs
18:15-19:30	All Hallows' Hall	Brownies & Rainbows
18:30-19:15	All Saints	Organ lesson
19:30-21:00	St Mary's Hall	4 <sup>th</sup> Scouts
<b>Tues 2 June</b>		
9:00-9:30	Zoom	Morning Prayer
9:30-12:00	All Hallows' Hall	coffee shop
10:00-10:30	All Saints Lady Chapel	Said Eucharist
14:00-15:00	All Hallows' Hall	Bible study
<b>Wed 3 June</b>		
9:00-9:30	Zoom	Morning Prayer
9:00-10:00	All Saints	school collective worship
9:30-12:00	All Hallows' Hall	coffee shop
10:30-13:00	All Hallows	open to the public
12:15-12:45	All Hallows	Holy Communion
19:00-20:30	All Hallows	bell ringing
19:00-20:30	All Hallows' Hall	Guides
<b>Thurs 4 June</b>	<b>Corpus Christi</b>	
9:00-9:30	Zoom	Morning Prayer
14:00-16:00	All Hallows	Handbell practice
18:15-19:30	St Mary's Hall	4 <sup>th</sup> Beavers
19:30-20:30	All Hallows	Corpus Christi service
<b>Fri 5 June</b>	<b>Boniface (Wynfrith) of Crediton</b>	
9:30-12:00	All Hallows' Hall	coffee shop
18:30-19:45	All Saints	junior choir practice
19:30-20:45	All Saints	adult choir practice
<b>Sat 6 June</b>		
9:30-10:15	All Hallows	MU Holy Communion
9:30-12:00	All Hallows' Hall	coffee shop
9:30-10:30	Dale End	4 <sup>th</sup> Squirrels
10:30-12:30	All Hallows	open to the public
<b>Sun 7 June</b>	<b>Trinity 1</b>	
9:15-10:15	All Saints	Sung Eucharist
11:15-12:15	All Hallows	Sung Eucharist
18:00-18:30	Zoom	Compline
19:30-21:30	All Hallows' Hall	Pegasus Explorers

## Our prayers are asked for

Those who suffer in **body, mind or spirit**, among them Carol, Kay G, Jo Thraves, Glennis Eades, Rita Hawkes, William, Ann, Audrey and Liz Coxall.

**The housebound and those in residential homes:** Shirley Cockerill, Susan Poolman, Jenny Attewell, Margaret Eady, Richard Hole.

*To add a name to our prayer list, please obtain the consent of the person you wish us to pray for. Then please email Pat Thomas (pat\_@hotmail.co.uk).*

## Remember the departed

**Those whose anniversaries fell on this past week:** Molly King, Myfanvy Lee, Stanley Carter, Gwen Clipstone, Richard Reynolds Willows, Rachael Lovell, Joan Tomkins, Roy Sharpe, William Marsh, Jesse Rudd, Mary Anderson, William Dickens, Charles Bailey, Pamela Byles, Molly Walton, Gisela Watkins, Dermot Sheehan, Rosamund Gardner, George Wills, Lee Johnson, Arabella Lawrence, Jean Parry, Eileen Gough.

## Notices

**Said Eucharist** Tuesday 2 June 10:00, All Saints, Lady Chapel.

**Next Bible Studies** on Mark's Gospel:

Tuesday 2 June 14:00, All Hallows' Hall;

Monday 8 June 19:30, All Saints Lady Chapel. All welcome.

**Corpus Christi service** Thursday 4 June 19:30, All Hallows.

**Wellingborough Inter Faith group meets** Thursday 11 June 19:00, Victoria Centre, Park Road. The theme is *Hospital Chaplaincy*. All welcome.

**All Saints coffee morning** 13 June 10:00-12:00. Raising funds for Finley and Alyssa's trip to the World Scout Jamboree in Poland.

**Choir Festival Evensong for RSCM *Music Sunday*** 14 June 18:00, All Hallows. Various church choirs celebrate church music together. Everyone welcome.

**Informal Celtic Eucharist** Saturday 20 June 9:30, All Saints Lady Chapel.

**All Saints and All Hallows, Wellingborough**

[allhallowsandallsaintswellingborough.co.uk](http://allhallowsandallsaintswellingborough.co.uk)

07525705289 / 01933 278484

[office@allhallowsandallsaintswellingborough.co.uk](mailto:office@allhallowsandallsaintswellingborough.co.uk)

*Copyright acknowledgement (where not already indicated above): setting © David Ogden: Mass of New Wine; Common Worship: Times and Seasons © The Archbishops' Council 2006, published by Church House Publishing. Hymns reproduced from Ancient & Modern Electronic Words Edition*

