

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 9, 2025

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Sunday 9th November 2025 – Pentecost 22 Yr C

Greeter: ***Roger T***

Leader: ***Helen***

Meditation Song:

TIS 745 - Seek Ye First

(please remain seated)

1. Seek ye first the Kingdom of God
And his righteousness

and all these things
shall be added unto you
Alellu, alleluia

Alleluia, Alleluia
Alleluia, allelu, alleluia

2. Ask and it shall be given unto you
Seek and you shall find
Knock and it shall be
opened unto you
Alellu, alleluia

Alleluia, Alleluia
Alleluia, allelu, alleluia

3. We shall not live by bread alone
But by every word
That proceeds
From the mouth of the Lord
Alellu, alleluia

Alleluia, Alleluia
Alleluia, allelu, alleluia

Welcome:

Greeting:

May Christ be with you
And also with you

Christ Candle:

We light this candle as a reminder of the presence of Christ with us

Be our light
Be our guide
Be our hope

Moment of Stillness

Acknowledgement of Country: Helen

Sharing on cross artwork by Safina Stewart

Call to Worship: Helen

Psalm 145 (Inclusive Bible)

1 I will extol you, my God, my Ruler,
and I will bless your Name forever and ever!

**2 Every day will I bless you,
and I will praise your Name forever and ever!**

3 Great you are, YHWH, and greatly to be praised;
your greatness is unfathomable.

**4 Generation after generation praises your works
and proclaims your mighty deeds;**

5 they'll speak of the splendor
of your glorious majesty,
and I will meditate on your wondrous acts.

**17 YHWH, you are just in all your ways
and loving toward all that you have created.**

18 You are near to all who call upon you,
all who call upon you in truth.

**19 You fulfill the desires of those who revere you;
you hear their cry and save them.**

20 You watch over all who love you, YHWH,

but you'll destroy all who are corrupt.

**21 My mouth will speak your praise, YHWH,
and may all creation bless your holy Name forever and ever!**

Hymn: TIS 148 (tune TIS 513) All Things Praise You

1. All things praise you, Lord most high
Heaven and earth, and sea and sky
All were for your glory made
That your greatness thus displayed
Should all worship bring to you
So we praise you, Lord, anew

2. All things praise you - night to night
Sings in silent hymns of light
All things praise you - day by day
Hymns your power in burning ray
Time and space are praising you
So we praise you, Lord, anew

3. All things praise you: heaven's high shrine
Rings with melody divine
Lowly bending at your feet
Seraph and archangel meet
Know their highest bliss to be
Ever praising: so may we

4. All things praise you, glorious Lord
Great Creator, powerful word
Omnipresent Spirit, now
At your throne we humbly bow
Lift our hearts in praise to you
So we praise you, Lord, anew

Prayer of Confession and Words of Assurance:

(Iona Abbey Worship Book)

Before God, with the people of God,
I confess to my brokenness
To the ways I wound my life,
the lives of others,
and the life of the world

**May God forgive you,
Christ renew you,
and the Spirit enable you to grow in love.**

Amen

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we confess to our brokenness
To the ways we wound our life,
the lives of others,
and the life of the world.**

May God forgive you,
Christ renew you,
and the Spirit enable you to grow in love.

Amen!

Peace:

May the peace of Christ be with you
And also with you

Sharing of the peace

Moment for the young at heart: Emma

Bible Readings:

Psalm 98

O sing to the LORD a new song,
for he has done marvelous things.
His right hand and his holy arm
have gotten him victory.
2 The LORD has made known his victory;
he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations.
3 He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness
to the house of Israel.
All the ends of the earth have seen
the victory of our God.
4 Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth;
break forth into joyous song and sing praises.
5 Sing praises to the LORD with the lyre,
with the lyre and the sound of melody.
6 With trumpets and the sound of the horn
make a joyful noise before the King, the LORD.
7 Let the sea roar and all that fills it,
the world and those who live in it.
8 Let the floods clap their hands;
let the hills sing together for joy
9 at the presence of the LORD, for he is coming
to judge the earth.
He will judge the world with righteousness
and the peoples with equity.

2 Thessalonians 2:13-17 (Inclusive Bible)

13 But we ought to thank God always for you, sisters and brothers loved by Christ, because God chose you from the beginning—to be saved by the sanctifying Spirit and by believing in the truth. 14 God called you through our preaching of the Good News, so that you might gain the glory of our Savior Jesus Christ. 15 Therefore, sisters and brothers, stand firm. Hold fast to the traditions you received from us, either by word of mouth or by letter. 16 May our Savior Jesus Christ and our Abba God—who loved us and in mercy gave us eternal consolation and hope—17 console your hearts and strengthen them

for every good work and word.

Luke 20:27-38

27 Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to him 28 and asked him a question: “Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man’s brother dies leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. 29 Now there were seven brothers; the first married a woman and died childless; 30 then the second 31 and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. 32 Finally the woman also died. 33 In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her.”

34 Jesus said to them, “Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage, 35 but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. 36 Indeed, they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. 37 And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. 38 Now he is God not of the dead but of the living, for to him all of them are alive.”

Hear the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Reflection: *Tristan Green*

Moment of Silence

Hymn: TIS 650 Brother, Sister Let Me Serve You

1. Brother, sister let me serve you
Let me be as Christ to you
Pray that I might have the grace
To let you be my servant, too
2. We are pilgrims on a journey
And companions on the road
We are here to help each other
Walk the mile and bear the load.
3. I will hold the Christ-light for you
In the night time of your fear
I will hold my hand out to you
Speak the peace you long to hear
4. I will weep when you are weeping
When you laugh, I'll laugh with you
I will share your joy and sorrow
Till we've seen this journey through
5. When we sing to God in heaven
We shall find such harmony
Born of all we've known together
Of Christ's love and agony
6. Brother, sister let me serve you
Let me be as Christ to you
Pray that I might have the grace
To let you be my servant, too

Prayers of the People: Heather

The Lord's Prayer: Heather

(Contemporary Version UIW2)

**Life-Giver, Pain-Bearer, Love-Maker.
Source of all that is and that shall be,
Father and Mother of us all,
Loving God, in whom is heaven:**

The hallowing of your name echo through the universe!
The way of your justice be followed by the peoples of the world!
Your heavenly will be done by all created beings!
Your commonwealth of peace and freedom
sustain our hope and come on earth.

With the bread we need for today, feed us.
In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us.
In times of temptation and testing, strengthen us.
From trials too great to endure, spare us.
From the grip of all that is evil, free us.

For you reign in the glory of the power that is love,
now and for ever.

Amen.

Community News – Helen

Offering Prayer - Helen

Generous God;
Over and over your grace sustains us,
over and over your love provides for us,
over and over your arm steadies us.
We give you these gifts,
of money and of ourselves
with gratitude and joy,
thankful that you are God over all.
We pray that you will use these gifts and us to bring justice in your world.
In Jesus' name we pray.

Amen.

Hearing from our children - Helen

Song: Oh How Good It Is

1. Oh, how good it is

When the family of God
Dwells together in spirit
In faith and unity
Where the bonds of peace
Of acceptance and love
Are the fruit of His presence here among us

Chorus

So with one voice we'll sing to the Lord
And with one heart we'll live out His word
Till the whole earth sees
The Redeemer has come
For He dwells in the presence of His people

2. Oh how good it is
On this journey we share
To rejoice with the happy
And weep with those who mourn
For the weak find strength
The afflicted find grace
When we offer the blessing of belonging

Chorus

So with one voice we'll sing to the Lord
And with one heart we'll live out His word
Till the whole earth sees
The Redeemer has come
For He dwells in the presence of His people

3. Oh how good it is
To embrace His command
To prefer one another
Forgive as He forgives
When we live as one
We all share in the love
Of the Son with the Father

And the Spirit

Chorus

So with one voice we'll sing to the Lord
And with one heart we'll live out His word
Till the whole earth sees
The Redeemer has come
For He dwells in the presence of His people

Benediction: Helen

Go from this place
To live your faith in action
Do justice, love mercy
And walk humbly with your God

And may God, who is Love overflowing
Creator, Christ and Spirit
Be with you now and remain with always

3-fold-Amen

Pastoral Prayers: David

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