

Sunday 18th. August, 2024 11.00 am

The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

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Welcome & Intimations

Introit

Call to Worship

Hymn 63 All people that on earth do dwell, (Psalm 100)

- 1 All people that on earth do dwell,
sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;
him serve with fear, his praise forth tell,
come ye before him, and rejoice.
- 2 The Lord, ye know, is God indeed;
without our aid he did us make;
we are his folk, he doth us feed,
and for his sheep he doth us take.
- 3 O enter then his gates with praise,
approach with joy his courts unto;
praise, laud, and bless his name always,
for it is seemly so to do.
- 4 For why? the Lord our God is good;
his mercy is for ever sure;
his truth at all times firmly stood,
and shall from age to age endure.

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Call to Prayer

Prayer of Approach and Confession

Children's Address

Hymn 186 Father God, I wonder

1 Father God, I wonder
how I managed to exist
Without the knowledge of
Your parenthood and Your loving care.
But now I am Your child,
I am adopted in Your family,
And I can never be alone,
'Cause Father God, You're there beside me.

I will sing Your praises,
I will sing Your praises,
I will sing Your praises, forever more.

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Ephesians 5:15-20

ANTHEM

St. John 6:51-58

Hymn 542 Lord, speak to me, that I may speak

- 1 Lord, speak to me, that I may speak
in living echoes of your tone;
as you have sought, so let me seek
your erring children lost and lone.

- 2 O lead me, Lord, that I may lead
the wandering and the wavering feet;
O feed me, Lord, that I may feed
your hungry ones with manna sweet.
- 3 O strengthen me, that, while I stand
firm on the rock, secure but free,
I may stretch out a loving hand
to wrestlers with the troubled sea.
- 4 O teach me, Lord, that I may teach
the precious things which you impart;
and wing my words, that they may reach
the hidden depths of many a heart.
- 5 O fill me with your fullness, Lord,
until my very heart o'erflow
in kindling thought and glowing word,
your love to tell, your praise to show.
- 6 O use me, Lord, use even me,
just as you will, and when, and where,
until at last your face I see,
your rest, your joy, your glory share.

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Sermon

The Offering (& Sung Doxology: Hymn 807)

Prayer of Intercession & The Lord's Prayer

Our Father which art in heaven,

Hallowed be thy Name.

Thy Kingdom come.

Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

**And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
For thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for
ever. Amen.**

Hymn 200 Christ is made the sure foundation,

- 1 Christ is made the sure foundation,
Christ the head and corner-stone;
chosen of the Lord and precious,
binding all the Church in one,
holy Zion's help for ever,
and her confidence alone.
- 2 To this temple, where we call you,
Come, O Lord of hosts, today:
with your constant loving-kindness,
hear your servants as they pray,
and your fullest benediction
shed within its walls away.
- 3 Here bestow on all your servants
what they ask of you to gain,
what they gain from you for ever
with the blessed to retain,
and hereafter in your glory
evermore with you to reign.
- 4 Praise and honour to the Father,
praise and honour to the Son,
praise and honour to the Spirit,
ever Three and ever One,
One in might and One in glory,
while unending ages run.

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Benediction

Choral Amen (3-fold)