



Parish of Mottingham St Andrew with St Alban

8th August, 2021, 10.30 am, Trinity 10 – St Andrew's & St Alban's Churches

The St Alban's Eucharist is offered in honour of Revd Dave Warren. A warm welcome to Cecil Pascall as he is baptised.

Opening Hymn

Introduction to worship: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

The Lord be with you. **All: And also with you.**

Lord, your compassion is over all the earth. Lord have mercy.

All: Lord have mercy.

Your loving kindness is for all, and brings healing to our souls. Christ have mercy.

All: Christ have mercy.

Your faithfulness is revealed from generation to generation. Lord have mercy.

All: Lord have mercy.

Absolution

Gloria: (Said together): *Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world; have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. 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.*

Collect: The Collect/Prayer for the Day.

First Reading: (Ephesians 4:25 – 5:2)

Putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbours, for we are members of one another. Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and do not make room for the devil. Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labour and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, and be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you.

Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

This is the word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

Alleluia: *Whoever eats of the living bread that comes down from Heaven will live for ever.* **Alleluia.**

Gospel Reading: (John 6: 35, 41-51). *The Lord be with you.* **All: And also with you.**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John. **All: Glory to you O Lord.**

Jesus said to the crowd, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.'

Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, 'I am the bread that came down from heaven.' They were saying, 'Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, "I have come down from heaven"?' Jesus answered them, 'Do not complain among yourselves. No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. It is written in the prophets, "And they shall all be taught by God." Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **All: Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon - Revd Anne Hoad/Revd Ian Welch

Baptism of Cecil Pascall at St Alban's

Prayers Lord in your mercy. **All: Hear our prayer**

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

The Peace The Peace of the Lord be always with you. **All: And also with you.**

Hymn

Eucharistic Prayer:

The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give thanks and praise.

All: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power & might, heaven & earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith.

All: All: Christ has died: Christ is risen: Christ will come again.

The Lord's Prayer.

Celebrant: 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: Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. (X2

Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world. Grant us peace.

Celebrant: God's holy gifts, for God's holy people. **All: Jesus Christ is holy, Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.**

Prayer after Communion: **All: Almighty God; we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son, Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our souls and bodies, to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of your Spirit, to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.**

Blessing The Lord be with you. **All: And also with you.**

Closing Hymn

Dismissal Let us go in peace to love and serve the Lord. **All: In the name of Christ. Amen.**_____

Notices.

Revd Ian is on annual leave from 9th – 23rd August. There will be only one 10.30 am Eucharist at alternate churches while Revd Ian is on leave: on Sunday 15th August at St Andrew's, and Sunday 22nd August at St Alban's. There will be Midweek Eucharists at 10am on Wednesday 11th & Wednesday 18th August.

New Rectory Office Telephone Number: Please note, the office number for pastoral calls and hall bookings is now: 020 8488 8783.

Mid-week Eucharist: Wednesday 11th August, St Andrew's, 10.00 am.

Eucharist in honour of Revd Dave Warren & Baptism of Cecil Pascall, St Alban's Church, 10.30 am, Sunday 8th August, 2021.

PCC Vacancy: There is currently a vacant place for an elected member on the PCC. If any communicant member of the Church on the Electoral Roll would be interested in filling this vacancy, please contact Revd Ian..

Prayers for the sick: John Potts, Pip Bampton, Tom Biro, Roger Welch, Chloe Sissons, Jim Bulford, Helen Donaldson, Baby Cody, Baby Ruby, David and Janet Hughes, Betty Walsh, Sally Edwards, Wynne Bowen, Tracey Harison, Marion Harison, Baby Niamh King, Humphrey Butts, Everest Ungar, Eve Palmer, Baby Indigo, Elizabeth Mckenzie, Mark Burkitt, Ivor and Anne Harper, John Symons, Victoria Adeniran, Mary Clotilda.

We continue to hold our dear departed loved ones & friends in our prayers, In particular: Revd Dave Warren, Joyce Hails, David Howard, Paul Baldwin Alexander Campbell, and all whose Year's Mind falls at this time.