

First Reading

Read by Liz Boggis

A Reading from the letter of James

Who is wise and understanding among you?
Show by your good life
that your works are done with gentleness born of wisdom.
¹⁴But if you have bitter envy
and selfish ambition in your hearts,
do not be boastful and false to the truth.
¹⁵Such wisdom does not come down from above,
but is earthly, unspiritual, devilish.
¹⁶For where there is envy and selfish ambition,
there will also be disorder and wickedness of every kind.
¹⁷But the wisdom from above is first pure,
then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield,
full of mercy and good fruits,
without a trace of partiality or hypocrisy.
¹⁸And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace
for those who make peace.
^{4.1} Those conflicts and disputes among you,
where do they come from?
Do they not come from your cravings
that are at war within you?
²You want something and do not have it;
so you commit murder.
And you covet something and cannot obtain it;
so you engage in disputes and conflicts.
You do not have, because you do not ask.
³You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly,
in order to spend what you get on your pleasures.
⁷Submit yourselves therefore to God.
Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.
⁸Draw near to God,
and he will draw near to you.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn:

Brother, sister, let me serve you

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Whoever wants to be first must be last and servant of all

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Gospel

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

Glory to you O Lord

After leaving the mountain
Jesus and his disciples went on from there
and passed through Galilee.
He did not want anyone to know it;
³¹for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them,
'The Son of Man is to be betrayed into human hands,
and they will kill him,
and three days after being killed, he will rise again.'
³²But they did not understand what he was saying
and were afraid to ask him.
³³ Then they came to Capernaum;
and when he was in the house he asked them,
'What were you arguing about on the way?'
³⁴But they were silent,
for on the way they had argued with one another
about who was the greatest.
³⁵He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them,
'Whoever wants to be first
must be last of all and servant of all.'
³⁶Then he took a little child and put it among them;
and taking it in his arms, he said to them,
³⁷'Whoever welcomes one such child
in my name welcomes me,
and whoever welcomes me
welcomes not me but the one who sent me.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to You O Christ

Please remember to pray for the following friends of our Parish who are not able to worship with us at this time

Judith and Kevin Bryan, Peggy and Ken Bean. Ray Cobb,
John Davies, Margaret Pearce, Ellen Rogers, Pat Todd,
David and Lily Webb.

The Prayers

The prayers are led by Ray Boggis

Those for whom prayer has been asked:

The people of Haiti and Afghanistan

For those on active service in places of danger.

Dick and Caroline Seed our CMS Missionaries

The people infected by the Coronavirus

The Migrant and Refugee Crisis

Visitors to The Pop Up Shop

3 Naomi. Rebecca Hayes, Sonia Steggall, Lily Webb
2 Judith Everett, Mo Cobb, Joseph 2 Michael Brooke,
1 Vera Emeny, Leah Mitchell, Brian Stopher, Audrey
and those known privately to us.

who have died recently

Brian Maidstone,

Diane Dwyer

We remember the anniversary of death of

Reni Page 23 Sept 2013

Pat Rebbeck 23 September 2017

Offertory Hymn;

Meekness and Majesty

Communion Hymns:

Morning glory, star lit sky

Shout for Joy

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty God,
you have taught us through your Son
that love is the fulfilling of the law:
grant that we may love you with our whole heart
and our neighbours as ourselves;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Recessional Hymn:

God of grace and God of glory
