

4th Sunday after Trinity

Sunday 5 July 2020

Welcome

Welcome in the name of Christ.

God's grace, mercy and peace be with you
and also with you.

We meet in the name of God;

Father, Son and Holy Spirit

Saying sorry

We come to God as one from whom no secrets are hidden,
to ask for his forgiveness and peace.

Receiving Forgiveness

Most merciful God,

Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,

we confess that we have sinned

in thought, word and deed.

We have not loved you with our whole heart.

We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.

In your mercy

forgive what we have been,

help us to amend what we are,

and direct what we shall be;

that we may do justly,

love mercy,

and walk humbly with you, our God.

Amen.

May the God of love and power
forgive *us* and free *us* from *our* sins,
heal and strengthen *us* by his Spirit,
and raise *us* to new life in Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The Collect

The Collect for the fourth Sunday after Trinity

Gracious Father,
by the obedience of Jesus
you brought salvation to our wayward world:
draw us into harmony with your will,
that we may find all things restored in him,
our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Amen

Readings

Luke 4:16-21 (NRSVA)

¹⁶ When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, ¹⁷ and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written:

¹⁸ “The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
because he has anointed me
to bring good news to the poor.

He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives
and recovery of sight to the blind,
to let the oppressed go free,

¹⁹ to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favour.”

²⁰ And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. ²¹ Then he began to say to them, “Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.”

John 7:37-39 (NRSVA)

³⁷ On the last day of the festival, the great day, while Jesus was standing there, he cried out, “Let anyone who is thirsty come to me, ³⁸ and let the one who believes in me drink. As the scripture has said, ‘Out of the believer’s heart shall flow rivers of living water.’” ³⁹ Now he said this about the Spirit, which believers in him were to receive; for as yet there was no Spirit, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

Talk – Rev’d Clare Connell

Song – Breathe on me, Breath of God

- 1 Breathe on me, breath of God
 Fill me with life anew
 That I may love what Thou dost love
 And do what Thou wouldst do
- 2 Breathe on me, breath of God
 Until my heart is pure
 Until with Thee I will one will
 To do and to endure
- 3 Breathe on me, breath of God
 Till I am wholly Thine
 Till all this earthly part of me
 Glows with Thy fire divine
- 4 Breathe on me, breath of God
 So shall I never die
 But live with Thee the perfect life
 Of Thine eternity

Affirming our Faith

Let us declare our faith in God

**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.

cf Ephesians 3

Intercessions

The Blessing

Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.