Parish Church of St Peter, Jersey



Mass for the Feast of St Luke together with the Newsletter 81. 17 Oct 2021

+ The Order for today's Mass

The Priest welcomes the People & announces the hymn.

Opening Hymn: 93 – Christ whose glory fills the skies

The Priest announces the Intention of this Mass and then says: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**

The Lord be with you And also with you

Priest:

ALMIGHTY God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid; Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen*

Prayer of Confession:

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and against our neighbour in thought, word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past and grant that we may serve you in newness of life, to the glory of your name. Amen

The Priest pronounces The Absolution:

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon you + pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Gloria in Excelsis: 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 sin 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.

The Collect for the Feast of St Luke:

Almighty God, you called Luke the physician, whose praise is in the gospel, to be an evangelist and physician of the soul: by the grace of the Spirit and through the wholesome medicine of the gospel, give your Church the same love and power to heal; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Isaiah 35.3-6

3 Strengthen the weak hands, and make firm the feeble knees. 4 Say to those who are of a fearful heart, 'Be strong, do not fear! Here is your God. He will come with vengeance, with terrible recompense. He will come and save you.' 5 Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf unstopped; 6 then the lame shall leap like a deer, and the tongue of the speechless sing for joy. For waters shall break forth in the wilderness, and streams in the desert; (pause)

This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

2 Timothy 4.5-17

5 As for you, always be sober, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, carry out your ministry fully. 6 As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. 7 I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. 8 From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. 9 Do your best to come to me soon, 10 for Demas, in love with this present world, has deserted me and gone to Thessalonica; Crescens has gone to Galatia, Titus to Dalmatia. 11 Luke alone is with me. Get Mark and bring him with you, for he is useful in my ministry. *(pause)* This is the word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

Gradual Hymn: 162 – For all your saints still active

For Luke, the faithful doctor, We thank you; for he shows The healing Christ, who reaches To share our pains and woes. Stretch out your hand to save us, To cleanse us deep within, And make us whole to serve you, To heal this world of sin.

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to St Luke: Glory to you, O Lord.

Luke 10.1-9

10.1 After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. 2 He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. 3 Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. 4 Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. 5Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" 6And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. 7 Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. 8 Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; 9 cure the sick who are there, and say to them, "The kingdom of God has come near to you." (pause)

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

The Sermon

The Intercessions

These are not printed out, so enjoy listening to the prayers for loved ones and make these prayers your own to God. The prayers end with: And so we join our prayers to those of all the Saints, as we say: Merciful Father,

Accept these prayers,

for the sake of your Son, our saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

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

Hymn after the Peace: 659 - Thine arm, O Lord, in days of old (t: 497 Forest Green)

The Lord be with you And also with you Lift up your hearts We lift them to the Lord Let us give thanks to the Lord our God It is right to give thanks and praise

The priest then says the Proper preface, at the climax of which, all join in by saying (at 0800) or singing (at 1030): Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and 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

The priest begins the Prayer of Consecration, in the middle of which he says: Great is the mystery of faith **Christ has died, Christ has risen, Christ will come again** The priest then completes the prayer, at the end of which all say: **Amen**

The Lord's Prayer:

Our Father, who art in heaven,the power and the glory, For ever and ever. Amen

The Fraction: We break this bread to share in the body of Christ **Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread**

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us peace.

The call to Holy Communion:

Draw near and receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ, which was given for you. Take this in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

+All receive Communion in one kind only, namely the bread

Post Communion Hymn: 675 - Through all the changing scenes of life

Post Communion Collect:

Almighty God, who sent your Holy Spirit to St Luke, the Physician, filling him with joy and boldness to preach the gospel: by the power of the same Spirit, strengthen us to witness to your truth and to draw everyone to the fire of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

'Thank-you prayer' after receiving Communion:

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of our Lord 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, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

The Blessing, followed by the Dismissal:

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord In the name of Christ. Amen

PRAY FOR THE SICK: Rozelle Alexander; Samantha Buckingham; Ed; Elis; Jo English; Donald English; Audrey Gem; Val Hammett; Gerald Harrison; Peter Heath; Lester Huelin; Jay; Jack Johns; Jimmy; Fr Tony Keogh; Rita Lane; Joan Le Feuvre; Stephan Mauger; Sarah Michael; David Payne; Norman Perree; John Phillips; John Le Riche; Riley; Doreen Schofield-Fost; John Le Sueur. **PRAY FOR THE DEPARTED:** Lesley Quinn; Barry Lane;

ALL SOULS DAY (being observed on Wednesday, 03 Nov)

1000 REQUIEM MASS with Music: Please put the **names** of departed loved ones you wish to be mentioned by name at the Requiem: sheet provided in church, or email or phone FrM. CHURCH OPEN week beginning **17 Oct as follows:**

- Sun: 0800 Mass; 1030 Mass with music
- Mon: 1200 The Angelus & Private Prayer until 1300

Wed: 1000 Requiem Mass

Fri: 1200 The Angelus & Private Prayer until 1300

Sun 24 Oct Feast of SS Simon & Jude: 0800 Mass; 1030 Sung Mass

Sun 31 Oct Feast of All Saints (obs.): 0800 Mass; 1030 Sung Mass

Wed 03 Nov Feast of All Souls (obs.): 1000 Sung Mass