



**Truro
Cathedral**
sacred space, common ground

Sunday 5th of May 2024
The Sixth Sunday of Easter
BCP - The Fifth Sunday after Easter

Worship in Truro Cathedral today

8:00am Holy Communion – The Book of Common Prayer, Dean Simon Robinson
10:00am Choral Eucharist - President: Dean Simon, Preacher: Canon Elly Sheard
Tea and Coffee will be served afterwards in the North Transept
4:00pm Choral Evensong Preacher: Dean Simon Robinson

10:00am Choral Eucharist - This morning's hymns are:

Processional hymn: 137 Come down, O Love divine
Offertory hymn: 408 Love Divine, all love's excelling
Post Communion hymn: 112 Jesus lives!

Music today at Choral Eucharist

Introit If ye love me *Tallis* Mass setting: Mass in G *Schubert*
Motet Christ rising again from the dead *Byrd* Voluntary 111. Allegro *J.S Bach*

Collect

God our redeemer, you have delivered us from the power of darkness
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,
so by his continual presence in us he may raise us
to eternal joy; 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.**

First Reading - Acts 10.44–end

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, 'Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?' So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

Responsorial Psalm 98

Choir All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

Response **All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.**

Sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvellous things.

His own right hand and his holy arm have won for him the victory. **Response**

The Lord has made known his salvation;

his deliverance has he openly shown in the sight of the nations.

He has remembered his mercy and faithfulness

towards the house of Israel,

and all the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. **Response**

Sound praises to the Lord, all the earth; break into singing and make music.

Make music to the Lord with the lyre, with the lyre and the voice of melody. **Response**

With trumpets and the sound of the horn sound praises before the Lord, the King.

Let the sea thunder and all that fills it, the world and all that dwell upon it. **Response**

Let the rivers clap their hands and let the hills ring out together before the Lord,
for he comes to judge the earth.

In righteousness shall he judge the world and the peoples with equity. **Response**

Second reading - 1 John 5 1-6

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

Gospel Reading - John 15.9-17

As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete. "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.

Post Communion Prayer

God our Father, whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life:
may we thirst for you, the spring of life and source of goodness, through him who is alive
and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen**

This week we are praying for: Philip Sharp, Christine Lidgeley, Albert Jackson, Margaret, Jo, Andrew May, May Kincaid, Alison, Ann Churchill, Tracey M, John James, Fiona Davie, June Parnell, Barbara Cowdry, Clive Gough, Jill Jacobs, Pam Smith, Elisabeth Sheard, Ruth Hawkins
RIP James Henderson, Joyce Poore

News, notices and the diary for the week beginning 6th of May 2024

Food bank

Thank you again to all those who contribute to our monthly collection for Truro Foodbank. Sunday May 5th our next collection date, so please give as generously as you are able. Truro Foodbank have told us that in the first three months of this year, the donation weight from the Cathedral is 42.5 kilos which equates to 71 meals. In the calendar year of 2023 donations (from the Cathedral) totalled 459 kilos which equates to 765 meals. They remain grateful for all the help we give them.

Monday 6th Bank Holiday	11:00 Holy Communion (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 11.30 Morning Prayer (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 15:00 Said Evening Prayer (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) <i>General visiting hours 12:00-15:00</i>
Tuesday 7th	09.00 Holy Communion (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 09.30 Morning Prayer (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 17:30 Choral Evensong
Wednesday 8th	09.00 Holy Communion (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 09.30 Morning Prayer (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 17:30 Solemn Evensong on the Eve of Ascension <i>St Michael Protector of Cornwall</i>
Thursday 9th Ascension day	09.00 Choral Eucharist sung by the Choristers (<i>High altar</i>) 09.30 Morning Prayer (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 12:10 Christian meditation (<i>Finn cross</i>) 17:30 Solemn Eucharist for Ascension (<i>High altar</i>)
Friday 10th	09.00 Holy Communion (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 09.30 Morning Prayer (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 11:00 BCP Holy Communion (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 16:00 Said Evening Prayer (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 19:30 The Sixteen: Choral Pilgrimage 2024
Saturday 11th	09.00 Holy Communion (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 09.30 Morning Prayer (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>) 16:00 Said Evening Prayer (<i>Jesus Chapel</i>)

Next Sunday, 12th of May 2024: The Seventh Sunday of Easter

08:00	BCP Holy Communion Dean Simon Robinson
10:00	Choral Eucharist President Canon Sue Wallace, Preacher Canon Jane Vaughan Wilson
14:00	Remember our Child Annual service Canon Alan Bashforth
16:00	Choral Evensong Preacher Dean Simon Robinson

Cathedral Guides

We are currently seeking more people to join our volunteer team of cathedral guides, helping others to experience and appreciate the wonder of our glorious cathedral. Please get in touch with Charmian Law to find out more: CharmianLaw@trurocathedral.org.uk

Regular Giving

Our thanks go to the many members of the congregation who give monthly via the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS). It is a reliable and easy way to contribute and keep track of your giving, and when you give regularly there are no deductions for administration costs – the whole of your gift is passed directly to the cathedral. You can even opt in to Gift Aid, boosting the value of your contribution by 25% at no extra cost to yourself. To join, visit www.parishgiving.org.uk, call 0333 002 1271 (9 – 5, Monday to Friday) or pick up a form in the cathedral.

Ascension Day: Thursday 9th of May 2024

There will be a Choral Eucharist at 09:00AM as well as Solemn Eucharist at 17:30 PM on Ascension Day. Please consider joining us in the morning to celebrate Our Ascended Lord, Jesus Christ.

The service will take place at the High Altar.