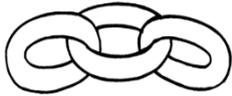


St Andrew's
Wollescote



Sunday 2nd May 2021
St Peter's Pedmore
and St Andrew's Wollescote



Notices

Welcome to worship for Sunday 2nd May for St Peter's Pedmore and St Andrew's Wollescote. Please contact David Nichol 01562 229470 for more information about future services.

In need of prayer? Please ring **Graham 01562 886756** (*for St Peter's*), or **Kath 01384 564026** (*for St Andrew's*).

Please do remember the financial needs of the churches. If you would usually bring your gift to church and make a donation on the day, please either send it to the appropriate church treasurer, or, if you would like your gift collected, please phone David Reeson on 01562 882641 (*for St Peter's*) or Michael 01562 885659 (*for St Andrew's*).



Your continued support is greatly appreciated. Donations can be left in the porch at 128 Ham Lane or phone 01562 720393 to arrange collection or bring them to church when it is open. To make a donation of money, see www.blackcountryfoodbank.org.uk or send cheques by post to

Black Country Foodbank, Albion Street, Brierley Hill, DY5 3EE.

St. Peter's Community Support



If you need support during this latest lockdown - with shopping, pharmacy trips - any other help - or a listening ear..... please phone Mary (01562 - 720393) or Pauline (01562 - 883783)

Worship for 5th Sunday of Easter

Welcome and Notices

Call to Worship

We meet in the presence of God

**All: who knows our needs,
hears our cries,
feels our pain,
and heals our wounds.**

Be with us, Spirit of God;

All: nothing can separate us from your love.

Breathe on us, breath of God;

All: fill us with your saving power.

Speak in us, wisdom of God;

All: bring strength, healing and peace.

The Lord is here.

All: His Spirit is with us.

Song

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty,
the King of creation!

O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy
health and salvation!

All ye who hear,

Now to His temple draw near;

Sing now in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all
things so wondrously reigneth,
Who, as on wings of an eagle,
uplifteth, sustaineth.

Hast thou not seen

How thy desires all have been
Granted in what He ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who hath fearfully,
wondrously, made thee!
Health hath vouchsafed and, when
heedlessly falling, hath stayed thee.
What need or grief
Ever hath failed of relief?
Wings of His mercy did shade thee.

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper
thy work and defend thee,
Who from the heavens the streams of
His mercy doth send thee.
Ponder anew
What the Almighty can do,
Who with His love doth befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that
is in me adore Him!
All that hath life and breath, come
now with praises before Him!
Let the Amen
Sound from His people again;
Gladly for aye we adore Him.

Christian Aid Week 10th – 16th May

Florence's story

Christian Aid Notices

Saying Sorry to God

Lord God, our maker and our redeemer,
this is your world and we are your people:
come among us and save us.
We have wilfully misused your gifts of creation;
Lord, be merciful:
All: forgive us our sin.

We have seen the ill-treatment of others
and have not gone to their aid;

Lord, be merciful:

All: forgive us our sin.

We have condoned evil and dishonesty
and failed to strive for justice;

Lord, be merciful:

All: forgive us our sin.

We have heard the good news of Christ,
but have failed to share it with others;

Lord, be merciful:

All: forgive us our sin.

We have not loved you with all our heart,
nor our neighbours as ourselves;

Lord, be merciful:

All: forgive us our sin.

May God who loved the world so much
that he sent his Son to be our Saviour
forgive us our sins
and make us holy to serve him in the world,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Bible Readings

Acts Chapter 8: verses 26 - end

John Chapter 15: verses 1 - 8

Song

Only by grace can we enter

Only by grace can we stand

Not by our human endeavour

But by the blood of the Lamb

Into Your presence You call us

You call us to come

Into Your presence You draw us
And now by Your grace we come
Now by Your grace we come

Lord, if You marked our transgressions, who would stand?
Thanks to Your grace we are cleansed by the blood of the Lamb
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Talk

Statement of Faith

Let us declare our faith in God.

We believe in God the Father,

**All: from whom every family
in heaven and on earth is named.**

We believe in God the Son,

**All: who lives in our hearts through faith,
and fills us with his love.**

We believe in God the Holy Spirit,

**All: who strengthens us
with power from on high.**

We believe in one God;

Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Prayers

The Collect

Risen Christ,

your wounds declare your love for the world

and the wonder of your risen life:

give us compassion and courage

to risk ourselves for those we serve,

to the glory of God the Father.

Amen

The Lord's Prayer

All: Our Father in heaven,

hallowed be your name

your kingdom come

your will be done,

on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins

**as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
And the glory are yours
now and for ever.
Amen.**

Final Song

Seek ye first the kingdom of God

And His righteousness

And all these things shall be added unto you

Allelu, alleluia

Man shall not live by bread alone

But by every word

That proceeds from the mouth of God

Allelu, alleluia

Ask and it shall be given unto you

Seek and ye shall find

Knock and the door shall be opened unto you

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Blessing

May the Lord bless us and keep us.

Amen.

May the Lord make his face to shine upon us,
and be gracious to us.

Amen.

May the Lord lift up his countenance upon us
and give us peace.

Amen.

May the Lord God almighty, Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
the holy and undivided Trinity,
guard us, save us,
and bring us to that heavenly city,
where he lives and reigns for ever and ever.

Amen.

And may the blessing

The Peace

Jesus says to his disciples,
'Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you.
Not as the world gives do I give to you.
Let not your hearts be troubled or afraid.'
The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: And also with you

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Over coffee – please phone someone and share the peace with them