



St Peter's Pedmore
Worship for 3rd April 2022
5th Sunday of Lent

Call to Worship

The Lord our God, the Almighty, reigns.

**Let us rejoice and shout for joy,
giving God the glory.**

Glory to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;

**as it was in the beginning is now
and shall be for ever. Amen.**

Song

WE HAVE COME INTO THIS PLACE

And gathered in His name to worship Him,

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We have come into this place

And gathered in His name

To worship Christ the Lord,

Worship Him, Christ the Lord.

So forget about yourself

And concentrate on Him and worship Him,

So forget about yourself

And concentrate on Him and worship Him,

So forget about yourself

And concentrate on Him

And worship Christ the Lord,

Worship Him, Christ the Lord.

He is all my righteousness,
I stand complete in Him and worship Him,
He is all my righteousness,
I stand complete in Him and worship Him,
He is all my righteousness,
I stand complete in Him
And worship Christ the Lord,
Worship Him, Christ the Lord.

Let us lift up holy hands
And magnify His name and worship Him,
Let us lift up holy hands
And magnify His name and worship Him,
Let us lift up holy hands
And magnify His name
And worship Christ the Lord,
Worship Him, Christ the Lord.

Saying Sorry to God

**God of mercy,
we acknowledge that we are all sinners.
We turn from the wrong that we have thought and said and
done,
and are mindful of all that we have failed to do.
For the sake of Jesus, who died for us,
forgive us for all that is past,
and help us to live each day
in the light of Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

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.

Song

YOU ARE THE KING OF GLORY,

You are the Prince of Peace;

You are the Lord of heaven and earth,

You're the Sun of righteousness.

Angels bow down before You,

Worship and adore, for

You have the words of eternal life,

You are Jesus Christ the Lord.

Hosanna to the Son of David!

Hosanna to the King of kings!

Glory in the highest heaven,

For Jesus the Messiah reigns. .

Bible Readings

Isaiah 43 : 16-21

John 12 : 1-8

Talk

What we believe

Do you believe and trust in God the Father,
source of all being and life,

the one for whom we exist?

We believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in God the Son,

who took our human nature,

died for us and rose again?

We believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy Spirit,
who gives life to the people of God
and makes Christ known in the world?

We believe and trust in him.

This is the faith of the Church.

This is our faith.

**We believe and trust in one God,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

Amen.

Song

THE KING OF LOVE my Shepherd is,
Whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am His
And He is mine forever.

Where streams of living water flow
My ransomed soul He leadeth,
And where the verdant pastures grow
With food celestial feedeth.

Perverse and foolish oft I strayed,
But yet in love He sought me,
And on His shoulder gently laid,
And home rejoicing brought me.

In death's dark vale I fear no ill
With Thee, dear Lord, beside me;
Thy rod and staff my comfort still,
Thy cross before to guide me.

Thou spread'st a table in my sight;

Thy unction grace bestoweth:
And O what transport of delight
From Thy pure chalice floweth!

And so through all the length of days
Thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise
Within Thy house forever.

Prayers

The Collect

Gracious Father,
you gave up your Son
out of love for the world:
lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion,
that we may know eternal peace
through the shedding of our Saviour's blood,
Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Let us pray for the coming of God's kingdom
in the words our Saviour taught us.

**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 and the evil one.
For the kingdom, the power,
And the glory are yours
now and for ever.
Amen.**

Final Hymn

KING OF KINGS, MAJESTY,
God of heaven living in me.
Gentle Saviour, closest Friend,
Strong Deliverer, Beginning and End:
All within me falls at Your throne.

Your majesty, I can but bow;
I lay my all before You now.
In royal robes I don't deserve,
I live to serve Your majesty.

Earth and heaven worship You,
Love eternal, faithful and true,
Who bought the nations, ransomed souls,
Brought this sinner near to Your throne:
All within me cries out in praise.

Final prayer and Blessing

To a troubled world
peace from Christ.
To a searching world
love from Christ.
To a waiting world
hope from Christ.

May the Blessing.....

Services at St. Peter's

Sunday 3rd April

9.00am Holy Communion – *Isaiah 43:16-21 & John 12:1-8*

10.30am Morning Worship - *Isaiah 43:16-21 & John 12:1-8*

Wednesday 6th April - 10am Mid-Week Communion at St Andrew's

Thursday 7th April at 11.15am

The Funeral of Margaret Pickering at St Peter's

Margaret's family would be please if you could join them at The Hogarths Stone Manor Hotel DY10 4PJ

Sunday 10th April Palm Sunday

9.00am Holy Communion – *Isaiah 50:4-9 & Luke 19:28-40*

10.30am Morning Worship - *Isaiah 50:4-9 & Luke 19:28-40*

3.00pm Palm Sunday Forest Church in the church grounds

Wednesday 13th April – 10am Mid-Week Communion at St Peter's

Thursday 14th April – 7.30pm Maundy Thursday Communion at St Peter's

Friday 15th April – 12.00pm Good Friday at the cross at St Andrew's

Friday 15th April – 2.00 pm Good Friday at the cross at St Peter's



Palm Sunday Forest Church (celebration and activities all outdoors)

On Sunday 10th April at 3pm (for a prompt start!) in St Peter's Churchyard Please arrive through the gate off St Peter's

Church car park (not St Peter's Centre)

We'll be exploring the story of Palm Sunday and the events of Holy week leading up to Easter. We'll have a short celebration time with a story from the Bible and some songs and then we've got some great activities to do as a family and we'll finish with a drink and hot dogs!

Please book by emailing stpeterspedmore@hotmail.com with your family name and the number of adults and children in your group.

Upon your booking we'll send you confirmation and also some safety notes for the afternoon.

One of the values of Forest Church is that we continue whatever the weather! So unless there's a major risk we'll carry on rain or shine. Let's hope for shine! But do come prepared for the weather that day – which of course in April could be wellies and waterproofs or sunhats and suncream!!

Monday 11th April at 12.45pm

A service of Thanksgiving and Celebration for Ken Guest at St Peter's (*following a private cremation at Stourbridge Crematorium*)

Please come in bright clothes. All are welcome to refreshments following the service at the Foley Arms

Sunday 17th April Easter Day

9.00am Holy Communion – Acts 20:1-18 & Luke 24:1-12

10.30am Morning Worship with communion - Acts 20:1-18 & Luke 24:1-12

Wednesday 20th April – Midweek Communion at St Andrew's

Green Lent



This Lent why not check out the A Rocha greener Lent programme
<https://ecochurch.arocha.org.uk/go-green-er-for-lent/>

The alternative is this programme that will get you outside during Lent

<https://ecochurch.arocha.org.uk/>

Bible Quest Group

The Quest group will be looking at the book of Job Meeting on Zoom on alternate Tuesdays at 8pm. If you wish to join in, please let Richard know and he will give you the link. Contact: Corrinne Sarjeant or Richard Sarjeant on 01384 377699

Thursday evening mixed home group

We meet fortnightly between 7pm and 9pm for prayer and bible study. New members are always welcome. For details contact Mary Medcraft on 01562 720165.

Christian Aid Week

Someone is needed to co-ordinate Christian Week in Pedmore. This would mean being the link person with the local organizer and arranging for the envelope delivery to take place. There are two ways that this can be done either deliver and collect in the traditional manner or deliver only. If you can help with this, please have a word with David Nichol 01527 229470.



Flowers for Easter

If anyone would like to make a donation towards the cost of the flowers for Easter, there will be a donation box at the back of Church for the next 4 weeks. Thank you, Anne and Kyrle on behalf of the Flower Guild.



Your continued support is greatly appreciated.

Donations can be left in church or the porch at The Rectory or 128 Ham Lane. To make a donation of money, send cheques by post to: **Black Country**

Foodbank, Albion Street, Brierley Hill, DY5 3EE or see www.blackcountryfoodbank.org.uk

Ukraine crisis

Thank you to everyone who supported the coffee morning for Ukraine over £673 was raised.