



**23rd February 2025**  
**St Peter's Pedmore**

Let us gather for worship

Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus  
Christ be with you  
**and also with you.**

Let everything be said and done in the name of the Lord Jesus,  
**giving thanks to God through Jesus Christ.**

Sing psalms, hymns and sacred songs:

**let us sing to God with thankful hearts.**

Open our lips, Lord:

**and we shall praise your name.**

Song

Jesus, be the centre

Be my source, be my light

Jesus

Jesus, be the centre

Be my hope, be my song

Jesus

*Be the fire in my heart*

*Be the wind in these sails*

*Be the reason that I live*

*Jesus, Jesus*

Jesus, be my vision

Be my path, be my guide

Jesus

*Be the fire ....*

Be the fire

Yes, Be the fire

*Be the fire ....*

Jesus, be the centre

Be my source, be my light

Jesus

Be my source, be my light  
Jesus

Let us confess our sins

St Paul says 'Be imitators of God; love as Christ loved;  
do not grieve the Holy Spirit; put away all anger and bitterness, all  
slander and malice.'

So let us confess our sins to God, who forgives us in Christ.

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father,  
we have sinned against you  
and against our neighbour  
in thought and 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.**

May the God of love bring us back to himself, forgive us our sins, and  
assure us of his eternal love in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Let us praise God for his forgiveness

You put a new song in my mouth:

a song of praise to you, my God.

**You put a new song in my mouth:**

**a song of praise to you, my God.**

I waited patiently for you, Lord;

you bent down to me and heard my cry for help.

**You put a new song in my mouth.**

Many shall see, and stand amazed,

and put their trust in you, Lord.

**You put a new song in my mouth.**

I love to do your will, Lord God;  
your law is deep in my heart.

**You put a new song in my mouth.**

I proclaimed your righteousness in the gathering of  
God's people;

I did not hold back from speaking out.

**You put a new song in my mouth.**

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

**You put a new song in my mouth:  
a song of praise to you, my God.**

Song

He is exalted

The King is exalted on high

I will praise Him

He is exalted, forever exalted

And I will praise His name

He is the Lord

Forever His truth shall reign

Heaven and earth

Rejoice in His holy name

He is exalted

The King is exalted on high

Let us hear God's word

Bible Readings

Revelation 4

Luke 8:22-25

Song

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord;  
holy is the Lord God almighty.

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord;  
holy is the Lord God almighty,  
who was, and is, and is to come.

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord!

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is the Lord;  
Jesus is the Lord God almighty.  
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is the Lord;  
Jesus is the Lord God almighty,  
who was, and is, and is to come.  
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is the Lord!

Worthy, worthy, worthy is the Lord;  
worthy is the Lord God almighty.  
Worthy, worthy, worthy is the Lord;  
worthy is the Lord God almighty,  
who was, and is, and is to come!  
Worthy, worthy, worthy is the Lord.

Glory, glory, glory to the Lord;  
glory to the Lord God almighty.  
Glory, glory, glory to the Lord;  
glory to the Lord God almighty,  
who was, and is, and is to come.  
Glory, glory, glory to the Lord.

Talk

Let us declare our faith in God, saying  
**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.**

Song

Be still and know that I am God.  
Be still and know that I am God.  
Be still and know that I am God.

I am the Lord that healeth thee.  
I am the Lord that healeth thee.  
I am the Lord that healeth thee.

In Thee, O Lord, I put my trust.  
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In Thee, O Lord, I put my trust.

Let us turn to God in prayer

Prayers of intercession

The Collect

Almighty God,  
you have created the heavens and the earth  
and made us in your own image:  
teach us to discern your hand in all your works  
and your likeness in all your children;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things,  
now and for ever. **Amen**

Prayers of Intercession

**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.**

Song

My Jesus, my Saviour

Lord there is none like you

All of my days, I want to praise

The wonders of your mighty love

My comfort, my Shelter

Tower of refuge and strength

Let every breath, all that I am

Never cease to worship you

Shout to the Lord, all the earth

Let us sing.

Power and majesty, praise to the king.

Mountains bow down and the seas will roar

At the sound of your name

I sing for joy at the works of your hands

Forever I'll love you, forever I'll stand

Nothing compares to the promise I have in you

Jesus, lord of time,

**hold us in your eternity.**

Jesus, image of God,

**travel with us the life of faith.**

Jesus, friend of sinners,

**heal the brokenness of our world.**

Jesus, lord of tomorrow,

**draw us into your future. Amen.**

The love of the Lord Jesus draw you to himself, the power of the Lord Jesus strengthen you in his service, the joy of the Lord Jesus fill your hearts; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

## Notices to take home

23<sup>rd</sup> February 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday before Lent

9.00 am Holy Communion Revelation 4 and Luke 8:22-25

10.30 am Morning Worship Revelation 4 and Luke 8:22-25

6.00 pm Evensong Genesis 1:1-2:3 and Mark 6:25-end

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February Holy Communion at St Peter's

2<sup>nd</sup> March Sunday before Lent

9.00 am Holy Communion 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2 and Luke 9:28-36

10.30 am Holy Communion 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2 and Luke 9:28-36

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March Ash Wednesday

10.00 am Holy Communion at St Andrew's

7.30 pm Holy Communion at St Peter's

### **Lent Course**

There is a Lent course on the Creed starting 11<sup>th</sup> March – please collect a flyer for full details.

### **Church Electoral Roll**

The roll is renewed this year and everyone on the roll must fill in a form to remain on the roll. Forms will be available in Church, from the Church Office and Mary Medcraft from Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> of February. These forms must be complete and returned to Church, the Church Office or Mary Medcraft by Sunday March 8<sup>th</sup>. After March 8<sup>th</sup> no more new names can be added until after the APCM (Sunday April 6<sup>th</sup>).

The new roll will be completed and posted in Church by March 22<sup>nd</sup>. It will remain posted for 14 days for checking for any errors.

Any problems, please contact Mary Medcraft (Enrolment Officer for the PCC) on 01562720165.

### **An eco tip**

Green your home. Combat climate change and reduce heating costs by identifying and sealing drafts around your home. Find the gaps that let the cold air in and warm air out (think keyholes, letterboxes, cracks around the edges or bottoms of windows and doors, loft hatches, floorboards, etc.) and fix these gaps using the correct materials and online tutorials. Additionally, place foil or radiator panels to reflect heat into your room. Pray for those who might be experiencing the cold this winter

### **Black Country Food Bank**

The needs of the Foodbank are: Packets of Pasta in Sauce, Instant Noodles, Breakfast Cereal, Tinned Veg, Tinned Potatoes, Tinned Soup, Long Life Milk, Tea Bags 40's, Small Jars of Coffee, Toilet Rolls, Bars of Soap, Shampoo and Roll-on Deodorant.