

Parishes of Kirkby Ireleth and Broughton & Duddon

THE SUNDAY SUPPLEMENT

25TH OCTOBER – TRINITY 21

Holy Communion

Hymns

428 Love divine, all loves excelling

964 Gloria

259 Hail to the Lords' anointed

409 Lord for the years

HC

413 Lord of all hopefulness

Collect

Almighty God,
in whose service lies perfect freedom:
teach us to obey you
with loving hearts and steadfast wills;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Old Testament – Joan

Deuteronomy 34. 1 - 12

Then Moses went up from the plains of Moab to Mount Nebo, to the top of Pisgah, which is opposite Jericho, and the Lord showed him the whole land: Gilead as far as Dan, all Naphtali, the land of Ephraim and Manasseh, all the land of Judah as far as the Western Sea, the Negeb, and the Plain - that is, the valley of Jericho, the city of palm trees - as far as Zoar. The Lord said to him, "This is the land of which I swore to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, saying, 'I will give it to your descendants.' I have let you see it with your eyes, but you shall not cross over there." Then Moses, the servant of the Lord, died there in the land of Moab, at the Lord's command. He buried him in a valley in the land of Moab, opposite Beth-peor, but no one knows his burial place to this day. Moses was one hundred twenty years old when he died; his sight was unimpaired, and his vigour had not abated. The Israelites wept for Moses in the plains of Moab thirty days; then the period of mourning for Moses was

ended.

Joshua, son of Nun, was full of the spirit of wisdom because Moses had laid his hands on him, and the Israelites obeyed him, doing as the Lord had commanded Moses. Never since has there arisen a prophet in Israel like Moses, whom the Lord knew face to face. He was unequalled for all the signs and wonders that the Lord sent him to perform in the land of Egypt, against Pharaoh and all his servants and his entire land, and for all the mighty deeds and all the terrifying displays of power that Moses performed in the sight of all Israel.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Psalm 90. 1-6, 13-17

- 1 Lord, you have been our dwelling place
in all generations.
- 2 Before the mountains were brought forth
or ever you had formed the earth and the
world, from everlasting to everlasting you are
God.
- 3 You turn us back to dust
and say, "Turn back, you mortals."
- 4 For a thousand years in your sight
are like yesterday when it is past
or like a watch in the night.
- 5 You sweep them away; they are like a
dream, like grass that is renewed in the
morning;
- 6 in the morning it flourishes and is renewed;
in the evening it fades and withers.
- 13 Turn, O Lord! How long?
Have compassion on your servants!
- 14 Satisfy us in the morning with your
steadfast love, so that we may rejoice and be
glad all our days.
- 15 Make us glad as many days as you have

afflicted us

and as many years as we have seen evil.

16 Let your work be manifest to your servants and your glorious power to their children.

17 Let the favour of the Lord our God be upon us and prosper for us the work of our hands - O prosper the work of our hands!

New Testament – Chris

1 Thessalonians 2. 1 - 8

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy,

To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace. We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labour of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of persons we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy from the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia but in every place your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gospel reading - Stuart

Matthew 22. 34 - end

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Mark

Glory to you, O Lord.

When the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of them, an expert in the law, asked him a question to test him. "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" He said to him, "'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.' This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbour as yourself.' On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets."

Now while the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them this question: "What do you think of the Messiah? Whose son, is he?" They said to him, "The son of David." He said to them, "How is it then that David by the Spirit calls him Lord, saying,

'The Lord said to my Lord,

"Sit at my right hand,

until I put your enemies under your feet'"?

"If David thus calls him Lord, how can he be his son?" No one was able to give him an answer, nor from that day did anyone dare to ask him any more questions.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Post communion

Father of light,

in whom is no change or shadow of turning,
you give us every good and perfect gift
and have brought us to birth by your word of truth:

may we be a living sign of that kingdom
where your whole creation will be made perfect
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen