

Service Sheet

4th June 2023, 10.30am St Mary's
Trinity Sunday

Welcome to St Mary's Church! We are so glad you are here – whether you are in the church building or watching online. If you are here for the first time or visiting, please say hello (in the chat feature online, or to the service leader or a member of the welcome team in church). You can find out more about our church on our website (www.denhamparish.church) or Facebook page (facebook.com/denhamparish.church).

Christoph Lindner, Rector

WELCOME

SONG

Hello - Welcome

In the name of the Lord I said

Hello - Welcome

We're here to praise the Lord

We really missed you

What's been happening

Good to see you, we really care

We have a father

Who's gonna bless us all

Now we're here to praise His name

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HYMN

All creatures of our God and King

Lift up your voice and with us sing

Alleluia, alleluia

Thou burning sun with golden beam

Thou silver moon with softer gleam

O praise Him O praise Him

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Let all things their Creator bless

And worship Him in humbleness

O praise Him alleluia!

Praise, praise the Father,

praise the Son

And praise the Spirit three in One

O praise Him O praise Him

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

CONFESSION

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 and his resurrection. Amen.

ABSOLUTION

May almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you your sins, and bring you to everlasting life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

COLLECT

Holy God, faithful and unchanging: enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth, and draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love, that we may truly worship you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

ALL-AGE TALK

'Which name is written on your shoes?'

BAPTISM OF MICHELLE SCOTT, AMANDA, LILY, LEILA AND LOUIE GODBOLT

Faith is the gift of God to his people. In baptism the Lord is adding to our number those whom he is calling.

People of God, will you welcome them and uphold them in their new life?

With the help of God we will.

Profession of Faith

Do you believe and trust in God the Father, source of all being and life, the one for whom we exist?

I 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?

I 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?

I 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.

The Baptism

Do not be ashamed to confess the faith of Christ crucified.

Fight valiantly as a disciple of Christ, against sin, the world, and the devil, and remain faithful to Christ to the end of your life.

The Welcome

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism: by one Spirit we are all baptised into one body.

We welcome you into the fellowship of faith; we are children of the same heavenly Father; we welcome you.

Lighting of the Baptism Candle

God has delivered us from the dominion of darkness and has given us a place with the saints in light. You have received the light of Christ; walk in this light all the days of your life.

Shine as a light in the world, to the glory of God the Father.

SONG

*Our God is a great big God,
our God is a great big God,
our God is a great big God
and he holds us in his hands.*

He's higher than a skyscraper
and He's deeper than a submarine.
He's wider than the universe
and beyond my wildest dreams.
And he's known me and he's loved me
since before the world began.
How wonderful to be a part
of God's amazing plan.

(The children leave for Sunday Club)

ANNOUNCEMENTS & BANNERS

FIRST READING: 2 Cor 13. 11-13

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. ¹²Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. ¹³The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SECOND READING: Matt 28. 16-20

¹⁶ Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷ When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. ¹⁸ And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

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SERMON

OFFERTORY HYMN

There is a Redeemer,
Jesus, God's own Son,
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
Holy One.

*Thank you, O my Father,
For giving us your Son,
And leaving your Spirit
Til the work on earth is done.*

Jesus, my Redeemer.
Name above all names,
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
O for sinners slain.

When I stand in glory,
I will see his face,
And there I'll serve my King for ever,
In that holy place.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the splendour, and the majesty; for everything in heaven and on earth is yours.

All things come from you, and of your own do we give you. Amen.

PRAYERS

We pray for our five mission partners: Bible Reading Fellowship, Church Army, SHOC/Trinity, Tearfund and Wycliffe Bible Translators. We thank you for their sharing of good news in action and word and pray that you would sustain and inspire them. May they see rich fruit in their work for you.

Merciful Father,
accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

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

HYMN

Go forth and tell!
O Church of God awake!
God's saving news
to all the nations take:
proclaim Christ Jesus,
Saviour, Lord and King
that all the world
his worthy praise may sing

Go forth and tell!
God's love embraces all;
he will in grace
respond to all who call;
how shall they call;
if they have never heard
The gracious invitation
of His word?

Go forth and tell!
where still the darkness lies;
in wealth or want,
the sinner surely dies:
give us, O Lord,
concern of heart and mind,
A love like Yours
which cares for all mankind

Go forth and tell!
the doors are open wide:
share God's good gifts
let no one be denied;
live out your life
as Christ your Lord shall choose,
your ransomed pow'rs
for his sole glory use

Go forth and tell!
O Church of God, arise!
Go in the strength
which Christ your Lord supplies;
go till all nations
His great name adore
and serve Him, Lord and King,
for evermore

ACTION GRACE

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ
The love of God
And the fellowship of the Holy Spirit
Be with us all evermore

BLESSING

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Diary

Weds 7th June

9.30am: Little Lions toddler group
St Mark's. Contact:
eddalindner18@gmail.com

Saturday 24th June, 4.30pm

Ordination of Azita Jabbari as
Priest at St Mary's Wendover

PLEASE NOTE: Sadly, seating is
limited and Azita only has a small
number of 'tickets', which have all
been allocated. We will publish the
link for the live stream nearer the
time.

Second Sunday Picnic @ St Mary's

Bring your picnic lunch and join us
after the service every second
Sunday of the month:
June 11th, July 9th, August 13th
Sitting outside if sunny and inside
the Vestry if raining.

Let's pray together....

- That the church of Jesus would be sharing his Good News in action and word - here in Denham and around the world.
- For our PCC and all those entrusted with leadership in our church.
- For those who have lost loved ones; especially the families of Olive Young, Janet Bird, Terence Skelton and David Webster



Handling Anger in the Family

A course for parents /
carers
with children age
5 - 16 years



*Please pick up a flyer with full details at
the back.*

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