

A Prayer for all those who continue to suffer from Covid 19

Keep us, good Lord,
under the shadow of your mercy.
Sustain and support the anxious.
Be with those who care for the sick, especially those on the 'Front Line',
and lift up all who are brought low;
that we may find comfort,
knowing that nothing can separate us from your love
in Jesus name we pray. Amen
and bless those who work to provide them
with shelter, food and friendship.
We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.
Let us pray for the coming of God's kingdom in the words our Saviour taught
us;
Our Father who are in Heaven....

Collect for Today

**O God our defender,
storms rage about us and cause us to be afraid:
rescue your people from despair,
deliver your sons and daughters from fear,
and preserve us all from unbelief:
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.**

HYMN 22 - You shall cross the barren desert but you shall not die of thirst

Blessing:

Dismissal:

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord
in the name of Christ. Amen

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St. Matthew's Parish, Irishtown

3rd Sunday after Trinity

20th June 2021 - Morning Prayer

The Gathering of God's People

Greeting

The Lord be with you
and also with you.

'Sentence of Scripture'

"Thus says the Lord of hosts: Render true judgments, show kindness and mercy to one another; do not oppress the widow, the orphan, the alien, or the poor; and do not devise evil in your hearts against one another." *Zechariah 7:9-10*

HYMN 581- I the Lord of sea and sky I have heard my people cry.

Beloved in Christ,
We come together to offer to Almighty God,
Our worship and praise and thanksgiving,
to confess our sins and to receive God's forgiveness,
To hear his holy word proclaimed,
To bring before him our needs and the needs of the world,
And to pray that in the power of his Spirit
We may serve him and know the greatness of his love.

Let us confess our sins to God our Father.

Confession

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:**

by what we have done

and by what we have failed to do.

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

Absolution

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent,
Have mercy on you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
Confirm and strengthen you in all goodness
And keep you in eternal life
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Proclaiming and Receiving the Word

O Lord, open our lips

And our mouth will proclaim our praise.

O God, make speed to save us

O Lord make haste to help us.

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.

Praise the Lord

The Lord's name be praised.

Jubilate

1 O shout to the Lord in triumph | all the | earth;

serve the Lord with gladness

and come before his | face with | songs of | joy.

2 Know that the Lord | he is | God; „

it is he who has made us and we are his

we are his | people · and the | sheep of · his | pasture.

3 Come into his gates with thanksgiving

and into his | courts with | praise; „

give thanks to him and | bless his | holy | name.

4 For the Lord is good

his loving mercy | is for | ever,

his faithfulness through | out all | gene | rations.

The Old Testament Reading- 1 Samuel 17 v 57- 18 v 5 & 10-16

Psalm 9 v 9-20

New Testament Reading – Mark 4 v 35-41

Sermon

Apostles Creed

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary.**

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, died and was buried;

he descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again;

He ascended into heaven.

He is seated at the right hand of the Father,

And he will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life eternal. Amen

Prayers

The Lord be with you

And also with you.

Let us pray.