Parish Church Of St Peter's Church Hascombe



MORNING PRAYER

A Service of the Word.

Order of Service.

Opening Hymn.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

The Lord be with you: **and also with you.**

We prepare to worship God saying: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayers of Penitence

Our Lord Jesus Christ said: The first commandment is this: 'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God is the only Lord. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.' The second is this: 'Love your neighbour as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

We kneel to confess our sins in penitence and faith, firmly resolved to keep God's commandments and to live in love and peace with all.

God our Father, we come to you in sorrow for our sins. For turning away from you And ignoring your will for our lives. Father forgive us Save us and help us.

For behaving just as we wish Without thinking of you. Father forgive us. Save us and help us.

For Failing you by what we do, And think and say,. Father forgive us. Save and help us.

For letting ourselves be drawn away from you By temptations in the world around us. Father forgive us. Save us and help us.

For living as though we were ashamed To belong to your son. Father, forgive us. **Save us and help us.**

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon us, pardon and deliver us from all our sins, confirm and strengthen us in all goodness, and keep us in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Second Hymn

The Old Testament Reading.

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

The Epistle.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

The talk and presentation.

The Affirmation of Faith

Do you believe and trust in God the Father, Creator of heaven and earth? I believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in his son Jesus Christ , who redeemed the world? I believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in the Holy Spirit Who gives life to the people of God? 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. Amen.

Third Hymn

The Prayers of Intercession

The Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray: 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.

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

The Peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you: **and also with you.**

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

The Final Hymn

The Dismissal and blessing

Gracious God, You have given us much today, Grant us also a thankful spirit. Into your hands we commend ourselves And those we love. Stay with us, and when we take our rest, Renew us for the service of your son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Blessing.

The Lord bless us and keep us, The Lord make his face to shine upon us and be gracious to us. The Lord lift up his countenance upon us and give us peace.

The Lord Almighty, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, Holy and undivided Trinity, Guard us and save us and bring us to the heavenly city Where he lives and reigns, now and forever. Amen.

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