

# 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity (Fruitfulness)

*We say together the words printed in bold.*

*Greeting (A13, A35)*

God in Christ has revealed his glory.

**All** Come let us worship.

From the rising of the sun to its setting

**All** the Lord's name is greatly to be praised.

Give him praise, you servants of the Lord.

**All** O praise the name of the Lord!

Lord, direct our thoughts, and teach us to pray.

Lift up our hearts to worship you in spirit and in truth,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All** Amen.

*Opening Song (Praise my soul the King of heaven)*

*Notices*

*Tomorrow @ 10am (Pete Bailey)*

*Song (Heaven's voice brings the dawn)*

*Readings (Mike Chamberlain)*

*Sermon (Tim Pullen)*

*Song (You were the Word at the beginning (What a beautiful name) - Matt Green)*

### *Affirmation of Faith (E5)*

Do you believe and trust in God the Father?

*All* I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.

Do you believe and trust in his Son Jesus Christ?

*All* I believe in Jesus Christ, his 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 to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe and trust in the Holy Spirit?

*All* 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 everlasting.  
Amen.

### *Confession (B7, B60, B78)*

When the Lord comes,  
he will bring to light the things now hidden in darkness,  
and will disclose the purposes of the heart.  
Therefore in the light of Christ let us confess our sins.

*Silence for reflection*

We confess to you our selfishness and lack of love:  
fill us with your Spirit.  
Lord, have mercy.

**All Lord, have mercy.**

We confess to you our fear and failure in sharing our faith:  
fill us with your Spirit.  
Christ, have mercy.

**All Christ, have mercy.**

We confess to you our stubbornness and lack of trust:  
fill us with your Spirit.  
Lord, have mercy.

**All Lord, have mercy.**

May the Father of all mercies  
cleanse *you* from *your* sins,  
and restore *you* in his image  
to the praise and glory of his name,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All Amen.**

*Prayers (Anne Scothern)*

*The Collect*

Merciful God,  
your Son came to save us  
and bore our sins on the cross:  
may we trust in your mercy  
and know your love,  
rejoicing in the righteousness  
that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All Amen.**

## *The Lord's Prayer*

Trusting in the compassion of God,  
As our Saviour has taught us so we pray:

**All 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.**

## *Closing Song (God the maker of the heavens)*

### *The Blessing (J120)*

Glory to God,  
**All whose power, at work among us,  
can do infinitely more  
than all we can ask or conceive;  
to him be glory in the Church and in Christ Jesus,  
for ever and ever.**

*cf Ephesians 3.20,21*

And the blessing of God almighty,  
the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit  
be upon you and all those whom you love now and always.

**All Amen.**

## *The Dismissal*

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

*All* **In the name of Christ. Amen.**