
Pew-sheet for Sunday 24th May

The Day of Pentecost

(Whit Sunday)

Today's services

Liturgical Colour: Red

8.45am Morning Prayer on Zoom

Meeting ID 833 3035 8290

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10.00am Holy Communion at the
church of St Peter & St Paul, Cosgrove

Collect for today

God, who as at this time
taught the hearts of your faithful
people by sending to them the light
of your Holy Spirit:
grant us by the same Spirit to have
a right judgement in all things
and evermore to rejoice in his holy
comfort;
through the merits of Christ Jesus
our Saviour,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Amen

Post Communion prayer for today

Faithful God,
who fulfilled the promises of Easter
by sending us your Holy Spirit
and opening to every race and
nation the way of life eternal:
open our lips by your Spirit,
that every tongue may tell of your
glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Readings for this morning's service of Holy Communion

First Reading: Acts 2.1-21
(printed in service sheet)

**Second Reading: 1 Corinthians
12:3b-13**

no one speaking by the Spirit of God
ever says 'Let Jesus be cursed!' and no
one can say 'Jesus is Lord' except by
the Holy Spirit.

⁴Now there are varieties of gifts, but
the same Spirit; ⁵and there are
varieties of services, but the same
Lord; ⁶and there are varieties of
activities, but it is the same God who
activates all of them in everyone. ⁷To
each is given the manifestation of the
Spirit for the common good. ⁸To one is
given through the Spirit the utterance
of wisdom, and to another the
utterance of knowledge according to
the same Spirit, ⁹to another faith by
the same Spirit, to another gifts of
healing by the one Spirit, ¹⁰to another
the working of miracles, to another
prophecy, to another the discernment
of spirits, to another various kinds of
tongues, to another the interpretation
of tongues. ¹¹All these are activated
by one and the same Spirit, who allots
to each one individually just as the
Spirit chooses.

¹²For just as the body is one and has
many members, and all the members
of the body, though many, are one
body, so it is with Christ. ¹³For in the
one Spirit we were all baptized into one
body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—
and we were all made to drink of one
Spirit.

For the Word of the Lord;
Thanks be to God.

The Gospel Reading: **John 20.19-23**

Alleluia, alleluia. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful people and kindle in us the fire of your love.

Alleluia.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
Glory to you, O Lord.

¹⁹ When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' ²⁰ After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. ²¹ Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' ²² When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³ If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Upcoming services and prayer

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Every Wednesday

8.00pm, a short service of **Night Prayer** on our South Cleley [Facebook page](#).

Every Thursday

5.00pm Meditation Prayer

Contact [Mary McVay](#) so she can send you the details.

Sunday 31st May

8.00am Holy Communion at Potterspury

10.00am Worship for All at Potterspury

Saturday 6th June

11.00am Wedding (Naomi Fleming & Craig Leath) at Yardley Gobion

Sunday 7th June

10.00am Holy Communion at Wicken

4.00pm Celtic Footsteps at Potterspury

Additional readings for this Sunday

Psalm 104.26-35

²⁶ There go the ships, and Leviathan that you formed to sport in it.

²⁷ These all look to you to give them their food in due season;

²⁸ when you give to them, they gather it up; when you open your hand, they are filled with good things.

²⁹ When you hide your face, they are dismayed; when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.

³⁰ When you send forth your spirit, they are created; and you renew the face of the ground.

³¹ May the glory of the Lord endure for ever; may the Lord rejoice in his works—

³² who looks on the earth and it trembles, who touches the mountains and they smoke.

³³ I will sing to the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

³⁴ May my meditation be pleasing to him, for I rejoice in the Lord.

³⁵ Let sinners be consumed from the earth,

and let the wicked be no more.
Bless the Lord, O my soul.
Praise the Lord!

Numbers 11.24-30

So Moses went out and told the people the words of the Lord; and he gathered seventy elders of the people, and placed them all around the tent. ²⁵ Then the Lord came down in the cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders; and when the spirit rested upon them, they prophesied. But they did not do so again.

²⁶ Two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the spirit rested on them; they were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. ²⁷ And a young man ran and told Moses, 'Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp.' ²⁸ And Joshua son of Nun, the assistant of Moses, one of his chosen men, ^[a] said, 'My lord Moses, stop them!' ²⁹ But Moses said to him, 'Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the Lord's people were prophets, and that the Lord would put his spirit on them!' ³⁰ And Moses and the elders of Israel returned to the camp.
