## Outside Service June 11th, St George's Churchyard: 9:30am

# **Thanksgiving**



We are allowed to sing (outside), but please follow these guidelines to keep everyone safe:

- Keep 2m distant from other households, especially when singing.
- Bring this order of service on your phone/tablet.
- Follow the instructions of the Stewards, please ask if you would like a chair.
- We are using the churchyard in front of St George, there are trip hazards due to tombs and plants please take care.
- If you are able please use the space between the tombs, leaving the paths for access and those less able.
- Masks do not have to be worn outside but must be worn to go into church (including using the toilet).

If you would like to make a donation to St George's Church please use our <u>Give a Little</u> page



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#### We Gather

## **Welcome and Prayer**

Minister: Be with us Mighty God

All: You are the Creator, source of all life

Minister: Be with us, Son of the Most High

All: You are Word, showing us love in Jesus.

Minister: Be with us sustaining presence

All: You are Spirit, with us always in wisdom and joy.

Be with us Sovereign God this day and always

**Hymn:** Great is Thy Faithfulnes

"Great is Thy faithfulness, " O God my Father, There is no shadow of turning with Thee; Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

"Great is Thy faithfulness!" "Great is Thy faithfulness!"
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided—
"Great is Thy faithfulness," Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest, Sun, moon and stars in their courses above, Join with all nature in manifold witness To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

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Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

"Great is Thy faithfulness!" "Great is Thy faithfulness!" Morning by morning new mercies I see; All I have needed Thy hand hath provided— "Great is Thy faithfulness," Lord, unto me!

#### **We say sorry** (learn how to say sorry in sign language)

Today we are thinking about who God is, His many names. We remember that God is the source of life, word made flesh and spirit of life - a mighty awesome God who invites each of us to share life. But sometimes we ignore the invitation or forget to share that life with others.

Minister: We have not always worshipped God, our Creator

All: We are sorry.

Minister: We have not always followed Christ and His ways.

All: We are sorry.

Minister: We have not always trusted in the Spirit, our Helper and Guide.

All: We are sorry.

Minister: May Almighty God have mercy on us,

forgive us our sins and bring us to everlasting life,

through Jesus our Lord.

All: Amen

#### **Gloria**

Sing the Peruvian Gloria as God's forgiven people using flags and percussion.

#### We listen

Go and find anything around you, on you or in the churchyard beginning with H,K,S,T,A,N. Bring them to the front.

**Hymn:** Thank You Lord For This New Day

Thank you, Lord, for this new day, Thank you, Lord, for this new day, Thank you, Lord, for this new day, Right were we are.



Thank you, Lord, for food to eat, Thank you, Lord, for food to eat, Thank you, Lord, for food to eat, Right where we are.

Thank you, Lord, for clothes to wear, Thank you, Lord, for clothes to wear, Thank you, Lord, for clothes to wear, Right where we are.

Thank you, Lord, for all your gifts, Thank you, Lord, for all your gifts, Thank you, Lord, for all your gifts, Right where we are.

### **Story**

Jesus heals the Leper Luke 17:11-19. From Lion Storyteller Bible

#### **A Reflection**

## We Respond

Here is a Thank you postcard - who would you like to particularly thank from the last year and the Pandemic we have all lived in. Write the postcard, post it or deliver it by hand to practice the gift of thanksgiving. I wonder who you will thank.

## **Prayers**

Sing Kumbaya

Kumbaya my Lord, kumbaya Kumbaya my Lord, kumbaya Kumbaya my Lord, kumbaya Oh Lord, kumbaya

Someone's crying, Lord....
Someone's singing, Lord....
Someones's sleeping, Lord....
Someone's thanking, Lord....

## The Lord's Prayer

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen

#### The Peace

Minister: God makes peace within us - let us claim it.

God makes peace between us - let us share it.

The peace of the Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

**Hymn:** Our God is a Great Big God.

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.

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

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.
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## We go out into the World

Minister: May God keep you in all your days.

May Christ shield you all your ways.

May the Spirit bring you healing and peace. May God Almighty drive all darkness from you

and pour upon you blessing and light.

All: Amen

Jesus is the King will play.

## **For your Prayers**

- All areas still badly affected by the Covid 19 pandemic.
- Wisdom for the government and their advisers as they make decisions about the easing of lockdown rules and those working on the vaccine and its distribution.
- All those who have lost there home through war, unrest or disaster.
- In the life of our community: The Corriett.
- In the life of our church: the Treasurer and Churchwardens.
- Within 'Churches Together': Dursley Tabernacle U.R.C.
- The homes and families of: Springhill, Ashmead, Drake Lane, Alexandra Close, Budding Way and The Avenue.
- Those suffering or sorrowing, especially: Dave, Roger and Margaret.
- The recently departed.

## **Notices**

## A Sacred Space at St George's, 6pm.

#### This week:

Both Churches open for Private Prayer 10am-4pm Morning prayer on Facebook Live at 9am Life Group – Wednesday 7:30pm

## Next Sunday - July 18th

9:30am Holy Communion@ St George, Live Streamed to YouTube 3.00pm Animal Thanksgiving Service @ St Cyr Church Field (no evensong)

#### Join our email list

To receive service details, zoom links, news and the magazine in your inbox. Fill in a form on the welcome table, scan the QR code or visit camandstinchcombe.org.uk/contact

Animal Thanksgiving Service on the 18th July at 3pm followed by a picnic. Bring your pets under the supervision of the owner. A moment to give thanks for all wonderful creatures great and small. If you have one, please bring your funny story about your pet and let's share them together. Bring your own picnic, drinks will be provided. Weather permitting on the Church Field, Wick Lane, Stinchcombe, GL11 6BG, inside Church if wet.

**Pop Up Cafes** are running over the Summer. Will be held at St George's on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> August 10:30-12:30. Please can you email or see Fiona with offers of help - either in providing cake or helping with serving drinks. Thank you.



