



# **SUNDAY** 6th AUGUST 2023

## THE NINTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

#### **SERVICES TODAY**

**Holy Communion.** 9.00 am p.180

**Holy Communion** 10.30am p. 201

### **Collect of the Day**

Almighty God, who sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your Church: Open our hearts to the riches of his grace, that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in love and joy and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Romans 9: 1-5** NIV p.1135 Psalm 17: 1-7, 16 **BCP** p.607

Gospel –Matthew 14: 13-21 p.981

### **Post Communion Prayer.**

Holy Father, who gathered us here around the table of your Son to share this meal with the whole household of God:

In that new world where you reveal the fulness of your peace,

gather people of every race and language to share in the eternal banquet

of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

### 10.30am - Holy Communion

Opening Hymn 44 Praise and thanksgiving, Father, we offer,

The Gathering of God's People

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Proclaiming and Receiving the Word

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Gradual O God od Bethel, by whose hand

Hymn 657 thy children still are fed;

The Gospel, **NIV** p. 981

Sermon

Psalm 17: 1-7, 16

The Nicene Creed p.205

#### The Prayers of the People

Intercessions

Prayer of Humble Access p.207

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Offertory Alleluia! sing to Jesus **Hymn 398** his the sceptre, his the throne;

Celebrating at the Lord's Table

The Communion p.208

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Going out as God's People

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Closing Guide me, O thou great Jehovah Hymn 647 pilgrim through this barren land;

**Dismissal** 

### **READINGS for** —SUNDAY 6th AUGUST 2023

### The Epistle

The Epistle reading is from the letter of St. Paul to the Romans, in the ninth chapter beginning at the first verse.

I speak the truth in Christ – I am not lying, my conscience confirms it through the Holy Spirit – I have great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. For I could wish that I myself were cursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my people, those of my own race, the people of Israel. Theirs is the adoption to sonship; theirs the divine glory, the covenants, the receiving of the law, the temple worship and the promises. Theirs are the patriarchs, and from them is traced the human ancestry of the Messiah, who is God over all, for ever praised! Amen.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

### **SERVICES FOR AUGUST & SEPTEMBER 2023**

<u>Sunday 13th August</u> <u>(10th Sunday after Trinity)</u>	9.00am	Holy Communion	Genesis 37: 1-4, 12-28 Psalm 105: 1-6,16-22,45
	10.30 am	Morning Prayer	Matthew 14: 22-33
<u>Sunday 20th August</u> (11th Sunday after Trinity)	9.00am	Holy Communion	Genesis 45: 1-15 Psalm 133
	10.30 am	Morning Prayer	Matthew 15:10-20,21-28
Sunday 27th August (12th Sunday after Trinity)	9.00am	Holy Communion	Exodus 1: 8-2:10 Psalm 124
	10.30 am	Morning Prayer	Matthew 16: 13-20
Sunday 3rd September (13th Sunday after Trinity)	9.00am	Holy Communion	Romans 12: 9-21 Psalm 105: 1-6,23-26,45
	10.30 am	Holy Communion	Matthew 16: 21-28
Sunday 10th September (14th Sunday after Trinity)	9.00am	Holy Communion	Exodus 12: 1-14 Psalm 149
	10.30 am	Morning Prayer	Matthew 18: 15-20
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### The Gospel

Hear the Gospel of our Saviour Christ, according to St Matthew, in the fourteenth chapter, beginning at the thirteenth verse.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

### (Jesus feeds the five thousand)

When Jesus heard what had happened, he withdrew by boat privately to a solitary place. Hearing of this, the crowds followed him on foot from the towns. When Jesus landed and saw a large crowd, he had compassion on them and healed those who were ill.

As evening approached, the disciples came to him and said, 'This is a remote place, and it's already getting late. Send the crowds away, so that they can go to the villages and buy themselves some food.'

Jesus replied, 'They do not need to go away. You give them something to eat.'

'We have here only five loaves of bread and two fish,' they answered.

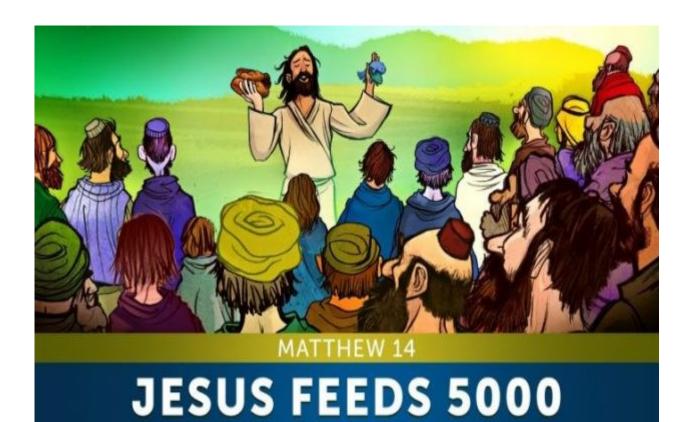
'Bring them here to me,' he said. And he told the people to sit down on the grass.

Taking the five loaves and the two fish and looking up to heaven, he gave thanks and broke the loaves. Then he gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the people. They all ate and were satisfied, and the disciples picked up twelve basketfuls of broken pieces that were left over. The number of those who ate was about five thousand men, besides women and children.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

## 6th August



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