

Parishes of Kirkby Ireleth and Broughton & Duddon

THE SUNDAY SUPPLEMENT

24th March 2024 – Palm Sunday

Holy Communion

Hymns

- 14 All glory, laud and honour
762 You are the King of Glory
583 Ride on, ride on in majesty
610 *Soul of my Saviour*
572 Praise to the holiest

Introduction

Hosanna to the Son of David, the King of Israel

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord
Hosanna in the highest.**

Collect

True and humble king,
Hailed by the crowd as Messiah;
Grant us the faith to know you and love you
That we may be found beside you
On the way to the cross,
Which is the path of glory.

Amen

An Old Testament reading – Allison

Lamentations 5: 1 – 7, 19 - 22

- ¹ Remember, O LORD, what has befallen us;
look, and see our disgrace!
² Our inheritance has been turned over to
strangers,
our homes to aliens.
³ We have become orphans, fatherless;
our mothers are like widows.
⁴ We must pay for the water we drink;
the wood we get must be bought.
⁵ With a yoke on our necks we are hard driven;
we are weary, we are given no rest.
⁶ We have made a pact with Egypt and Assyria,
to get enough bread.
⁷ Our ancestors sinned; they are no more,
and we bear their iniquities.
¹⁹ But you, O LORD, reign for ever;
your throne endures to all generations.

²⁰ Why have you forgotten us completely?

Why have you forsaken us these many
days?

²¹ Restore us to yourself, O LORD, that we may
be restored;

renew our days as of old—

²² unless you have utterly rejected us,
and are angry with us beyond measure.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Psalm 11:8 19 - end

¹⁹ Open to me the gates of righteousness,
that I may enter through them
and give thanks to the LORD.

²⁰ This is the gate of the LORD;
the righteous shall enter through it.

²¹ I thank you that you have answered me
and have become my salvation.

²² The stone that the builders rejected
has become the chief cornerstone.

²³ This is the LORD's doing;
it is marvellous in our eyes.

²⁴ This is the day that the LORD has made;
let us rejoice and be glad in it.

²⁵ Save us, we beseech you, O LORD!
O LORD, we beseech you, give us success!

²⁶ Blessed is the one who comes in the name of
the LORD.

We bless you from the house of the LORD.

²⁷ The LORD is God,
and he has given us light.

Bind the festal procession with branches,
up to the horns of the altar.

²⁸ You are my God, and I will give thanks to you;
you are my God, I will extol you.

²⁹ O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,
for his steadfast love endures for ever.

A New Testament reading – Sue

Romans 8: 18 - 28

I consider that the sufferings of this present
time are not worth comparing with the glory
about to be revealed to us. For the creation

waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God; for the creation was subjected to futility, not of its own will but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and will obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labour pains until now; and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope, we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

Likewise, the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

A Gospel reading – Stuart

Luke 19: 28 - 40

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to St Luke

Glory to you, O Lord.

After he had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem.

When he had come near Bethphage and Bethany, at the place called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of the disciples, saying, 'Go into the village ahead of you, and as you enter it you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, "Why are you untying it?" just say this: "The Lord needs it."' So those who were sent departed and found it as he had told them. As

they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, 'Why are you untying the colt?' They said, 'The Lord needs it.' Then they brought it to Jesus; and after throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. As he rode along, people kept spreading their cloaks on the road. As he was now approaching the path down from the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to praise God joyfully with a loud voice for all the deeds of power that they had seen, saying,

'Blessed is the king
who comes in the name of the Lord!
Peace in heaven,
and glory in the highest heaven!'

Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, 'Teacher, order your disciples to stop.' He answered, 'I tell you, if these were silent, the stones would shout out.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Post Communion

Lord Jesus Christ,
you humbled yourself in taking the form of a servant,
and in obedience died on the cross for our salvation:
give us the mind to follow you
and to proclaim you as Lord and King,
to the glory of God the Father.

Amen



Palm Sunday procession - Honduras