

## All Saints, Clifton

FAMILY EUCHARIST

16<sup>th</sup> September 2018

(Start Back Sunday)

*A warm welcome to everyone, please stay for refreshments after the service*

“It’s all in a Name.”



Welcome in the name of Christ, God’s grace, mercy and peace be with you.  
**And also with you.**

**Greeting:**

Informal: turn and welcome someone you know by name...

Introduction: “It’s All in a Name”

Hymn: **NEH 374** How Sweet The Name of Jesus Sounds  
*The collection will be taken during this hymn*

1 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds  
in a believer's ear!  
It soothes our sorrows, heals our  
wounds,  
and drives away our fear.

2 It makes the wounded spirit whole  
and calms the troubled breast;  
'tis manna to the hungry soul,  
and to the weary, rest

3 Dear name! the rock on which I build,  
My shield and hiding place,  
My never- failing treasury filled  
With boundless stores of grace

4 Jesus! my shepherd, brother, friend,  
my Prophet, Priest, and King,  
my Lord, my Life, my Way, my End,  
accept the praise I bring.

5 Weak is the effort of my heart,  
how cold my warmest thought;  
but when I see you as you are,  
I'll praise you as I ought.

6 Till then I would your love proclaim  
with every fleeting breath;  
and may the music of your name  
refresh my soul in death.

**Introduction to Confession:**

The Spirit of the Lord fills the world and knows our every word and deed.  
Let us then open ourselves to the Lord and confess our sins in penitence and  
faith.

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you  
and against our neighbour, in thought and word and deed.  
Through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault.  
We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins.**

**For the sake of your son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past  
And grant that we may serve you in newness of life  
To the glory of your name.**

**Amen.**

**Absolution:**

May the God of love bring us back to himself, forgive us our sins, and assure us of his eternal love

In Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

**Collect (Prayer for Today)**

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully to hear the prayers of your people who call upon you; and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil them; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**Amen.**

**Reading:**

*Mark 8: 27-end*

Jesus went on with his disciples to the villages of Caesarea Philippi; and on the way he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that I am?" And they answered him, "John the Baptist; and others, Elijah; and still others, one of the prophets." He asked them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered him, "You are the Messiah." And he sternly ordered them not to tell anyone about him. Then he began to teach them that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again. He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, "Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things."

He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels."

**Presentation:** Mthr. Wendy Bray.

**Creed:**

Let us declare our faith in God.

**We believe in God the Father,  
From whom every family  
in heaven and earth is named.**

**We believe in God the Son,  
Who lives in our hearts through faith,  
And fills us with his love.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,  
Who strengthens us  
with power from on high.**

**We believe in one God:  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.  
Amen.**

**The Peace:**

Christ is our peace.  
He has reconciled us to God  
in one body by the cross.  
We meet in his name and share his peace.  
The peace of the Lord be always with you:

**And also with you.**

( After the peace please follow the offertory procession and gather around the altar in a circle.)

**Eucharistic Prayer:**

The Lord is here

**All: His Spirit is with us.**

Lift up your hearts.

**All: We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **All: It is right to give thanks and praise.**

It is always right to give you thanks,

God our Creator,  
loving and faithful,  
holy and strong.  
You made us  
and the whole universe,  
and filled your world with life.

You sent your Son to live among us,  
Jesus our Saviour, Mary's child.  
He suffered on the cross;  
He died to save us from our sins;  
He rose in glory from the dead.

You send your Spirit  
to bring new life to the world,  
and clothe us with power from on high.  
And so we join the angels  
to celebrate and sing:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

Father, on the night before he died,  
Jesus shared a meal with his friends.  
He took the bread, and thanked you.  
He broke it, and gave it to them, saying:  
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.  
Do this to remember me.

After the meal, Jesus took the cup of wine.  
He thanked you, and gave it to them, saying:  
Drink this, all of you.  
This is my blood,  
the new promise of God's unfailing love.  
Do this to remember me.

Great is the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

Father, as we bring this bread and wine,  
and remember his death and resurrection,  
send your Holy Spirit,  
that we who share these gifts  
may be fed by Christ's body and his blood.

Pour your Spirit on us  
that we may love one another,  
work for the healing of the earth,  
and share the good news of Jesus,  
as we wait for his coming in glory.

For honour and praise belong to you, Father,  
with Jesus your Son, and the Holy Spirit:  
one God, for ever and ever.

**Amen.**

As our Saviour has taught us, so we pray:

**Our Father in heaven,  
Hallowed be your name,  
Your kingdom come,  
Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sin,  
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 forever.**

**Amen.**

Every time we eat this bread and drink this cup  
**We proclaim the Lord's death, until he comes.**

## **Giving of Communion:**

### **Post Communion Prayer:**

Almighty God, you have taught us through your Son that love is the fulfilling of the law: grant that we may love you with our whole heart and our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### **Hymn: NEH 338 “At the Name of Jesus.”**

1 At the name of Jesus  
Every knee shall bow,  
Every tongue confess him  
King of glory now:  
'Tis the Father's pleasure  
We should call him Lord,  
Who from the beginning  
Was the mighty Word.

3 Humbled for a season,  
To receive a name  
From the lips of sinners  
Unto whom he came,  
Faithfully he bore it  
Spotless to the last,  
Brought it back victorious,  
When from death he passed:

5 In your hearts enthrone him;  
There let him subdue  
All that is not holy,  
All that is not true:  
Crown him as your captain  
In temptation's hour;  
Let his will enfold you  
In its light and power.

2 At his voice creation  
Sprang at once to sight,  
All the angels faces  
All the hosts of light,  
Thrones and Dominations,  
Stars upon their way,  
All the heavenly orders,  
In their great array.

4 Bore it up triumphant  
With its human light,  
Through all ranks of creatures,  
To the central height,  
To the throne of Godhead,  
To the Father's breast;  
Filled it with the glory  
Of that perfect rest.

6 Brothers, this Lord Jesus  
Shall return again,  
With his Father's glory,  
With his angel train;  
For all wreaths of empire  
Meet upon his brow,  
And our hearts confess him  
King of glory now.

**Blessing and dismissal:**

God the Father, who has given to his Son the name above every name,  
strengthen you to proclaim Christ as Lord.

And the Blessing of God Almighty, the Father the Son and the Holy Spirit,  
be with you now and always.

**Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**In the name of Christ.**

**Amen.**