



FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

15th May 2022

Solemn Evensong and Benediction

at 6.30pm



Welcome to Old Saint Paul's

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to assist those with hearing difficulties.

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to get in touch, please email
welcome@osp.org.uk

The Solemn Evensong booklet will guide you through the service. This leaflet details only items special to today.

RESPONSES

Reading

PSALM 129

MANY a time have they fought against me from my youth up : may Israel now say.
Yea, many a time have they vexed me from my youth up : but they have not prevailed against me.
The plowers plowed upon my back : and made long furrows.
But the righteous Lord : hath hewn the snares of the ungodly in pieces.
Let them be confounded and turned backward : as many as have evil will at Sion.
Let them be even as the grass growing upon the house-tops : which withereth afore it be plucked up;
Whereof the mower filleth not his hand : neither he that bindeth up the sheaves his bosom.
So that they who go by say not so much as, 'The Lord prosper you : we wish you good luck in the Name of the Lord.'

PSALM 130

OUT of the deep have I called unto thee, O Lord :
Lord, hear my voice.
O let thine ears consider well : the voice of my complaint.
If thou, Lord, wilt be extreme to mark what is done amiss : O Lord, who may abide it?
For there is mercy with thee : therefore shalt thou be feared.
I look for the Lord; my soul doth wait for him : in his word is my trust.
My soul fleeth unto the Lord : before the morning watch, I say, before the morning watch.
O Israel, trust in the Lord, for with the Lord there is mercy : and with him is plenteous redemption.
And he shall redeem Israel : from all his sins.

PSALM 131

LORD, I am not high-minded : I have no proud looks.
I do not exercise myself in great matters : which are too high for me.
But I refrain my soul, and keep it low, like as a child that is weaned from his mother : yea, my soul is even as a weaned child.
O Israel, trust in the Lord : from this time forth for evermore.

FIRST READING Isaiah 60.1-14

OFFICE HYMN **100** [The New English Hymnal 100a.](#)
[The day draws on with golden light | Hymnary.org](#)

CANTICLES *Stanford* in G

SECOND READING Mark 16.9-16

COLLECT

O God,
who alone can bring harmony
to the minds of thy faithful people:
grant us grace to love the things thou dost
command,
and to desire the things thou dost promise;
that, amid the uncertain changes of this world,
our hearts may be firmly fixed
where true joys are to be found.

ANTHEM

Sing unto the Lord *Elizabeth Poston*

Our offerings are collected using the card reader on the welcome table at the front of the church

SECOND HYMN **105** [The New English Hymnal 105a.](#)
[Christ the Lord is risen again! | Hymnary.org](#)

Next Sunday's readings

Song of Songs 4.16-5.2;8.6-7; Luke 22.24-30

Notices

Vacancy

Simon is leaving us as church administrator on 30 June. If you are interested in this position please contact Fr John at rector@osp.org.uk

Safeguarding Training

This will take place on Thursday, 2nd June at 7.00pm in the Hall.
Contact Paul at children@osp.org.uk for more details.

Please register at

<https://tinyurl.com/22mnsfxh>

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Sunday

High Mass 10.30am; Solemn Evensong 6.30pm

Weekdays

Mass: Mon 12.20pm; Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri 8am; Fri 12.20pm

Morning Prayer: Mon–Fri 8am



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