

# The Parish of Chapelthorpe linked with Ragata, Mara

Trinity 4 Proper 10 Year C

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## Introductory Sentence

I have come that they may have life, and may have it in all its fullness. *John 10:10*

## The Collect

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that with you as our ruler and guide we may so pass through things temporal that we lose not our hold on things eternal; grant this, heavenly Father, for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

## First Reading Deuteronomy 30.9-14

Moses spoke to the people, saying, The LORD your God will make you abundantly prosperous in all your undertakings, in the fruit of your body, in the fruit of your livestock, and in the fruit of your soil. For the LORD will again take delight in prospering you, just as he delighted in prospering your ancestors, when you obey the LORD your God by observing his commandments and decrees that are written in this book of the law, because you turn to the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul.

Surely, this commandment that I am commanding you today is not too hard for you, nor is it too far away. It is not in heaven, that you should say, 'Who will go up to heaven for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?' Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, 'Who will

cross to the other side of the sea for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?' No, the word is very near to you; it is in your mouth and in your heart for you to observe.

## Psalm 25.1-9

- 1 To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul; O my God, in you I trust; ♦ let me not be put to shame; let not my enemies triumph over me.
- 2 Let none who look to you be put to shame, ♦ but let the treacherous be shamed and frustrated.
- 3 Make me to know your ways, O Lord, ♦ and teach me your paths.
- 4 Lead me in your truth and teach me, ♦ for you are the God of my salvation; for you have I hoped all the day long.
- 5 Remember, Lord, your compassion and love, ♦ for they are from everlasting.
- 6 Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions, ♦ but think on me in your goodness, O Lord, according to your steadfast love.
- 7 Gracious and upright is the Lord; ♦ therefore shall he teach sinners in the way.
- 8 He will guide the humble in doing right ♦ and teach his way to the lowly.
- 9 All the paths of the Lord are mercy and truth ♦ to those who keep his covenant and his testimonies.

## Second Reading Colossians 1.1-14

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow-servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

### **Gospel Reading Luke 10.25-37**

A lawyer stood up to test Jesus. 'Teacher,' he said, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the law? What do you read there?' He answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.' And he said to him, 'You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.'

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?' He said, 'The one who showed him mercy.' Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, O Christ.**

### **Intercessory Response:-**

✠ Lord of compassion and love, **deliver us from all evil.**

**Prayers** are asked for:- Carol Hargreaves, Jessica Shaw,

Lord in a moment of silent prayer we bring before you those who are long term sick and have asked for our prayers: Graham Beynon-Fisher, Joan and Derek Bodden, Richard Priest, Reverend Alan Shaw, Mike Shaw, Kevin Marsh, Louise Hardy, John Garthwaite, June Drysdale, Malcolm Broadhead, Steve Fletcher, John Allen, Martin Dewart, Trevor Greig, Dorothy Grassby, Richard Seacome

We pray for the souls of the faithful departed:-  
'Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord, **and let light perpetual shine upon them.**

### **Prayer For Growth**

*God of Mission  
Who alone brings growth to your Church,  
Send your Holy Spirit to give  
Vision to our planning,  
Wisdom to our actions,  
And power to our witness.  
Help our church to grow in numbers,  
In spiritual commitment to you,  
And in service to our local community,  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen*

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