

## 6th Sunday After Easter

### Family Breakfast Club

#### God's Beautiful Creation

### Hymns

167 Gives Me Oil in My Lamp  
151 For I'm Building a People of Power  
1 A New Commandment

### Collect

Creator God,  
you made the goodness of the land,  
the riches of the sea  
and the rhythm of the seasons;  
as we thank you for your gracious providing  
may we cherish and respect this planet  
and its peoples,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord..  
Amen

### Psalm 8

1 O Lord our governor,  
♦ **how glorious is your name in all the world!**  
2 Your majesty above the heavens is praised  
♦ **out of the mouths of babes at the breast.**  
3 You have founded a stronghold against your foes  
♦ **that you might still the enemy and the avenger.**  
4 When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers,  
♦ **the moon and the stars that you have ordained,**

5 What is man, that you should be mindful of him;

♦ **the son of man, that you should seek him out?**

6 You have made him little lower than the angels

♦ **and crown him with glory and honour.**

7 You have given him dominion over the works of your hands

♦ **and put all things under his feet,**

8 All sheep and oxen,

♦ **even the wild beasts of the field,**

9 The birds of the air; the fish of the sea

♦ **and whatsoever moves in the paths of the sea.**

10 O Lord our governor;

♦ **how glorious is your name in all the world!**

### Gospel John 1:1-3

The Gospel of Christ according to John  
**Glory to you, O Lord.**

#### The Word Became Flesh

1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

2 He was in the beginning with God.

3 All things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came into being. What has come into being 4 in him was life, and the life was the light of all people. 5 The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ**

### Closing Prayer

God our Father,

We thank you for this time of worship,  
which we have shared as a Family.

Guide us as we go from here

To love and serve you day by day.

May we never forget your presence,

But live in the peace of Christ

And in the power of your Spirit. Amen

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen

#### Chatterbox

Every Wednesday 10:30 am to 12:30pm.

All Welcome - tea - coffee - cakes - meet & chat.

#### Zoom Prayers & Bible Study

Friday 2pm Zoom Prayers.

#### Community Larder

Tuesdays from 11am to 12:30.

#### Stantonbury Churches Newsletter

Available by email or ask for a hard copy.

Copy on inside Notice Board.

### Cross and Stable Charities AGM

will be held on Wednesday 4th  
June at 7:30 in the Vestry.

### Management Committee AGM

will be held on Tuesday 10th  
June at 7pm.

## Hail

Hail, gladdening Light,  
of his pure glory poured  
who is the immortal Father,  
heavenly, blest,  
holiest of holies,  
Jesus our Lord.

*Sung at evening prayer*

*within a hundred years of the death of Jesus.*

*at a time when worshippers risked death for attending*

*Written by 'Athenogenes' in the early 2nd century*

## Zoom Link to 11 am Sunday 25th May

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85922248518?pwd=Tm4vd00wancwVk52cCtqNm5tMWRZdz09>

**Meeting ID: 859 2224 8518. Passcode: 830413**

Sunday 25th May 2025

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Hail, gladdening Light,

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### TODAY

6th after Easter  
Family Breakfast Club  
From 10 am  
Communion 11 am

### THIS SUNDAY

Psalm 8  
John 1:1-3

### NEXT SUNDAY:

Acts 16.16-34  
Psalm 97  
Rev 22.12 fwd assorted  
John 17.20-26

### NEXT SUNDAY

After Ascension  
Signed Communion  
At 11 am  
Led by Peter

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