



## Sunday Service

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2020

The Sixth Sunday after Trinity

### Opening Prayer

Almighty God, we thank you that you love us more than we can possibly imagine. Through your Holy Spirit, pour into our hearts such love for you that, in all that we sing, say and do, the whole world may see the redeeming love of your Son. In His name, the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

### Bible reading

All the believers were one in heart and mind. No one claimed that any of their possessions was their own, but they shared everything they had. With great power the apostles continued to testify to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus. And God's grace was so powerfully at work in them all that there were no needy persons among them. For from time to time those who owned land or houses sold them, brought the money from the sales and put it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to anyone who had need. Joseph, a Levite from Cyprus, whom the apostles called Barnabas (which means "son of encouragement"), sold a field he owned and brought the money and put it at the apostles' feet.

Acts 4 : 32 - 37

### Reflection : What do we value?

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### A prayer for all those affected by coronavirus

Keep us good Lord, under the shadow of your mercy.  
Sustain and support the anxious, be with all those who care for the sick,  
and lift up all who are brought low;  
that we may find comfort knowing nothing can separate us from your love in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

### Final prayer

Eternal God, you have made us all in your image. May we serve you in all that we do, so that, through your Holy Spirit, we may share all our gifts and enable your will to be done here on earth. In the Name of Jesus our Lord. Amen.

### Blessing

Be with us, O God, as we go from this time together. In your name, may the lips that have sung your praise always speak your truth; may the ears which have heard your Word listen only to what is good; and may our lives as well as our praise be always pleasing to you.

And may the blessing of God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit be with us all, now and for ever more. Amen.