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| Jesus Christ has died.  **Jesus Christ has died.**  Jesus Christ is risen.  **Jesus Christ is risen.**  Jesus Christ will come again.  **Jesus Christ will come again.**  *The president prays for the Holy Spirit to come upon us.*  **The Lord’s Prayer**  *We pray the Lord’s Prayer in either its contemporary form.*  **Breaking of the Bread**  We break this bread  to share in the body of Christ.  **Though we are many, we are one body,**  **because we all share in one bread.**  **Invitation to Communion**  Jesus is the Lamb of God  who takes away the sin of the world.  Blessed are those who are called to his supper.  **Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word and I shall be healed.**  **Prayer after Communion**  *Silence is kept.*  *The president prays the Post Communion prayer.*  **Notices**  *Notices are shared. Banns of Marriage may be read.*  **The Blessing and Dismissal**  *The president assures us of God’s blessing*  Following God’s saints in the ways of holiness and truth, go in the peace of Christ.  Go in the peace of Christ.  **Thanks be to God.**    ***Please leave church following the direction arrows and please sanitise your hands as you leave.***  **Gospel Reading**  *The Gospel reading is introduced.*  Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew*.* **Glory to you, O Lord.**  *The gospel of the day is from Matthew 5 The Beatitudes*  *C:\Users\martin.cox\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\IE\029MTWB1\beatitudes-1[1].jpg*  *At the end* This is the Gospel of the Lord **Praise to you, O Christ.**  **Address**  *A minister shares with us.*  **Affirmation of Faith**    *Please* ***stand.***  Let us declare our faith in God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.    **We believe in God the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on 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 God the Holy Spirit, who strengthens us with power from on high.**  **We believe in one God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.**  **Prayers of Intercession**  We pray for the world, the church and those known to us who need our prayers.  God of life,  **in your mercy, hear our prayer.** |  | C:\Users\martin.cox\Downloads\Team logo 3 sm.JPG  Material for this service is taken from Common Worship: Services and Prayers for the Church of England Published by Church House Publishing, London  Copyright: The Archbishops’ Council, 2000  **Team Eucharist for Sunday 1 November 2020**  **St Stephen’s, Astley**  *Welcome to our worship today. Please remain* ***seated*** *throughout the service and follow the instructions for action and movement that will be given.*    **Gathering**  *The president introduces the service.*  *The president reads a sentence of scripture.*    **Confession**  *The president invites us to say sorry to God.*  Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.** Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.** Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**  *We are assured of God’s forgiveness.*  **Prayer of the Day**  *The president prays the prayer of the day.*  Let us pray.  Image result for praying hands clip art free  **Ministry of the Word**  *We hear a reading from the New Testament.*  For the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**  *At the end.*  Merciful Father, **accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**  **The Peace**  *The president introduces the peace.*  The peace of the Lord be always with you.  **And also with you.**  **Ministry of the Sacrament**  To you we come, Father of lights, with angels and saints, where heaven and earth unite. **May Jesus meet us in the breaking of the bread.**  The Lord is here. **His Spirit is with us.**  Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**  Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give thanks and praise.**  *The president praises God for his wonderful acts in creation.*  **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**  **C:\Users\martin.cox\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\IE\SB28Q20C\holy-communion-clipart[1].jpg**  *The president remembers the Last Supper.* |