# Saint Thomas's Church Trinity Sunday Sunday, June 4, 2023 High Mass at 11 o'clock



Holy Trinity (detail), el Greco, 1579 Prado Museum, Madrid

# Saint Thomas's Anglican Church

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# Welcome!

On behalf of everyone who claims St. Thomas's as their spiritual home, we are happy you are with us, whether in person or via our livestream. If you are a visitor or newcomer, or even a longtime parishioner, but find it awkward or difficult to stand or kneel at the places indicated, remaining seated is perfectly acceptable. Please assume the posture most conducive to prayer throughout this service, or simply observe.

St. Thomas's has many peculiar ways that we cherish and are happy to share. If there seems to be no rhyme or reason for something, there might not be! But feel free to ask anyone after the service; it usually makes for entertaining conversation.

You are not obliged to engage any of us in conversation, though you should know that pretty much everyone here is happy to do so when we gather. You can always slip away without any judgement. We seem to have a lot of introverts here, so we understand the energy it takes to put yourself out there. Even if you're a raging extrovert, the experience of church can be disorienting. Relax and be yourself. Believe it or not, whether from near or far, God has led you here today. We want to honour what God is up to in your life, and we are here for you as you (re-) discover the joy and the challenge of the saving Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Fr. Nathan Humphrey, Rector

Low gluten communion hosts are available upon request. When you approach for communion, indicate to the priest that you require a low gluten host.



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# Celebrant and Homilist: Fr Shire

# Reader: David Kent

# Director of Music & Organist: Elizabeth Anderson

### MUSIC OF THE MASS

Missa Secunda, Hans Leo Hassler (1564-1612)

VOLUNTARY

Kyrie, Gott, heiliger Geist, BWV 671, J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

### THE PROCESSION

Let us go forth in peace.

In the Name of the Lord. Amen.

HYMN 184 - Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord



- 1 Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts, eternal King, By the heaven and earth adored; Angels and archangels sing, Chanting everlastingly To the blessed Trinity.
- 2 Since by thee were all things made, And in thee do all things live, Be to thee all honour paid, Praise to thee let all things give, Singing everlastingly To the blessèd Trinity.

- 3 Thousands, tens of thousands stand, Spirits blest before thy throne, Speeding thence at thy command; And when thy command is done, Singing everlastingly To the blessèd Trinity.
- 4 Cherubim and seraphim
  Veil their faces with their wings;
  Eyes of angels are too dim
  To behold the King of kings,
  While they sing eternally
  To the blessèd Trinity.
- 5 Thee, apostles, prophets, thee, Thee, the noble martyr band Praise with solemn jubilee, Thee, the Church in every land; Singing everlastingly To the blessèd Trinity.
- 6 Alleluia! Lord to thee, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Three in One, and One in Three Join we with the heavenly host, Singing everlastingly To the blessed Trinity.

ST ATHANASIUS Edward J. Hopkins Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862

# At the Rood

Let us bless the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit Let us praise and exalt him for ever.

### Collect

Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit: grant that we, who ever trust in thy loving-kindness, may always adore thy glory and majesty; who art one eternal Trinity in Unity, God over all, blessed for ever. **Amen.** 

HYMN 1 – Holy, Holy, Holy!





- 1 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee; Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and Mighty, God in Three Persons, Blessèd Trinity!
- 2 Holy, Holy! all the saints adore thee, Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea: Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, Which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.
- 3 Holy, Holy, Holy! though the darkness hide thee, Though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see, Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee Perfect in power, in love, and purity.
- 4 Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea; Holy, Holy! Merciful and Mighty, God in Three Persons, Blessèd Trinity!

NICAEA Rev J.B. Dykes, 1861 Bishop R. Heber, 1927

The People kneel.

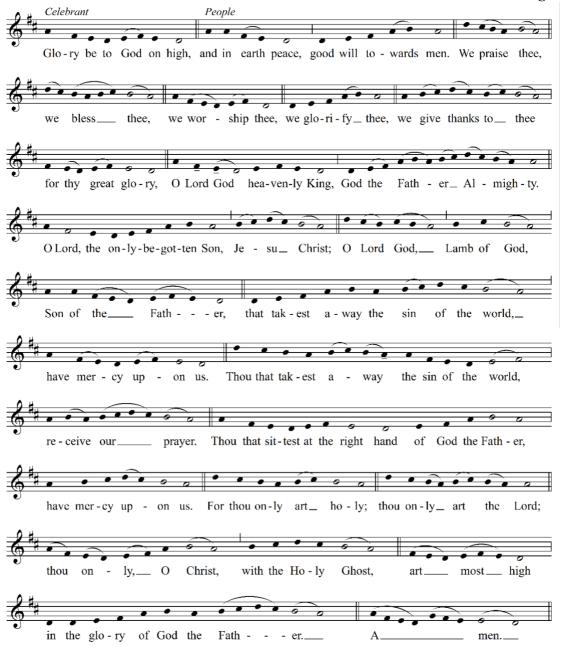
The Choir alone sings the Kyrie.

# KYRIE ELEISON

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us. Kyrie Eleison. Christe Eleison. Kyrie Eleison.

# GLORIA IN EXCELSIS DEO

Missa de Angelis



The People remain standing for the Collect.

### COLLECT OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you. **And with thy spirit.** Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, who hast given unto us thy servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of the Divine Majesty to worship the Unity: We beseech thee, that this holy faith may evermore be our defence against all adversities; who livest and reignest, one God, world without end. **Amen.** 

The People sit.

# FIRST LESSON Genesis 1.1-2. 4a

The First Lesson is written in the first chapter of the book of Genesis, beginning at the first verse.

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, 'Let there be light'; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

And God said, 'Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters.' So God made the dome and separated the waters that were under the dome from the waters that were above the dome. And it was so. God called the dome Sky. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day.

And God said, 'Let the waters under the sky be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear.' And it was so. God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, 'Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it.' And it was so. The

earth brought forth vegetation: plants yielding seed of every kind, and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the third day.

And God said, 'Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth.' And it was so. God made the two great lights—the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night—and the stars. God set them in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth, to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day.

And God said, 'Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky.' So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them, saying, 'Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth.' And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day.

And God said, 'Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind.' And it was so. God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good.

Then God said, 'Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth.' So God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

God blessed them, and God said to them, 'Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth.' God said, 'See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth,

everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food.' And it was so. God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all their multitude. And on the seventh day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done. So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation. These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

The word of the Lord.

# Thanks be to God.

People

The People remain seated for the Psalm.

### PSALM 8 Domine, Dominus noster VIII. 1. Cantor 1 O LORD our Governor, how excellent is thy Name in all the world: thou that hast set thy glory a-bove the hea-vens! People Out of the mouth of very babes and sucklings hast thou ordain-ed strength, because of thine en-e-mies: that thou mightest still the enemy and the a-veng-er. When I consider thy heavens, even the work of thy **fin**-gers: Cantor the moon and the stars, which thou hast or-dain-ed; People What is man, that thou art mindful of **him**: and the son of man, that thou vi-si-test him? Thou hast made him but little lower than the an-gels: Cantor 5 and dost crown him with glo-ry and wor-ship. People Thou makest him to have dominion over the works of thy hands: and thou hast put all things in subjection **un**-der his feet; All sheep and **ox**-en: yea, and the **beasts** of the field; Cantor The birds of the air, and the fishes of the sea: People and whatsoever moveth through the paths of the seas. O Lord our **Go-**vern-or: Cantor

how excellent is thy Name in all the world!

# THE EPISTLE 2 Corinthians 13.11-13

The Epistle is written in the thirteenth chapter of St. Paul's Second Epistle to the Corinthians beginning at the eleventh verse.

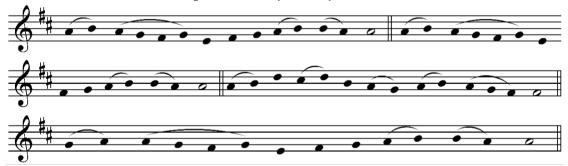
Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

# **SEQUENCE HYMN 183** – Be present, Holy Trinity



All 1 Be present, Holy Trinity,
Like splendour, and one Deity:
Of things above, and things below,
Beginning, that no end shall know.

Upper 2 Thee all the armies of the skyVoices Adore, and laud, and magnify;And Nature, in her triple frame,For ever sanctifies thy Name.

All 3 And we, too, thanks and homage pay,

Thine own adoring flock to-day; O join to that celestial song The praises of our suppliant throng!

Lower Voices 4 Light, sole and one, we thee confess, With triple praise we rightly bless; Alpha and Omega we own, With ev'ry spirit round thy throne.

All

5 To thee, O unbegotten One, And thee, O sole-begotten Son, And thee, O Holy Ghost, we raise Our equal and eternal praise.



O LUX BEATA TRINITAS Sarum Plainsong Tr. (1822) from the Latin (c. 10th cent.) by Rev. John M. Neale

# THE HOLY GOSPEL Matthew 28.16-20

The Lord be with you.

# And with thy spirit.

The Holy Gospel is written in the twenty-eighth chapter of the Gospel according to Saint Matthew, beginning at the sixteenth verse.

# Glory be to thee O Lord.

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise be to thee, O Christ.

The People sit at the invitation of the Preacher.

# **SERMON**

The People stand to sing the Creed. All who are able to kneel, please do so at "and was incarnate," rising after "and was made man."

# THE NICENE CREED Missa de Angelis Celebrant People I be-lieve in one\_\_\_ God the Fath-er Al-migh-ty, Mak-er of hea-ven and earth, And of all things vis - - - i - ble and And in one Lord Je - sus Christ, the on - ly - be - got - ten Son of God, Be-got-ten of the Fath -- er be - fore all worlds; God, of God; Light, of Light; Ve - ry God, of Ve - ry God; Be - got - ten not \_\_\_\_ made; Be - ing of one sub - stance with the Fath - er; Through whom all things were made: men and for our sal-va-tion came down from hea - ven, And was in - car - nate by

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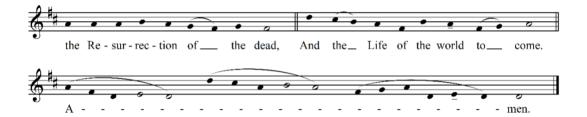
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### OFFERTORY SENTENCE

Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.

The People remain standing for the hymn.

# **OFFERTORY HYMN 812** – I bind unto myself to-day

AllI bind unto myself to-day The strong Name of the Trinity; By invocation of the same,

The Three in One, and One in Three.

Lower I bind this day to me for ever, By power of faith, Christ's Incarnation; Voices His baptism in Jordan river;

His death on Cross for my salvation; His bursting from the spicéd tomb;

His riding up the heavenly way;

His coming at the day of doom;

I bind unto myself to-day.

Upper Voices I bind unto myself the power Of the great love of Cherubim;

The sweet 'Well done' in judgment hour;

The service of the Seraphim,

Confessors' faith, Apostles' word

The Patriarchs' prayers, the Prophets' scrolls,

All good deeds done unto the Lord,

And purity of virgin souls.

- All
  4 I bind unto myself to-day
  The virtues of the star-lit heaven,
  The glorious sun's life-giving ray,
  The whiteness of the moon at even,
  The flashing of the lightning free,
  The whirling wind's tempestuous shocks,
  The stable earth, the deep salt sea,
  Around the old eternal rocks.
- All
  5 I bind unto myself to-day
  The power of God to hold and lead,
  His eye to watch, his might to stay,
  His ear to hearken to my need.
  The wisdom of my God to teach.
  His hand to guide, his shield to ward;
  The word of God to give me speech,
  His heavenly host to be my guard.
- All
  6 Christ be with me, Christ within me,
  Christ behind me, Christ before me,
  Christ beside me, Christ to win me,
  Christ to comfort and restore me.
  Christ beneath me, Christ above me,
  Christ in quiet, Christ in danger,
  Christ in hearts of all that love me,
  Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.
- 7 I bind unto myself the Name,
  The strong Name of the Trinity;
  By invocation of the same,
  The Three in One, and One in Three.
  Of whom all nature hath creation;
  Eternal Father, Spirit, Word;
  Praise to the Lord of my salvation,
  Salvation is of Christ the Lord.

The People remain standing as the thurifer approaches for the censing.

### PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Blessed be thou, Lord God of Israel, for ever and ever. All that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine. All things come of thee, and of thine own have we given thee. **Amen.** 

The People kneel.

### INTERCESSIONS

*Celebrant*: Sisters and brothers in Christ, with joyous hearts and in communion with the Holy Catholic Church, let us offer up our prayers to Almighty God.

Intercessor: I bid your prayers for the church universal throughout the world; for Andrew our bishop, for Kevin and Riscylla his suffragans, for\_\_\_\_\_ according to the Anglican cycle of prayer, for \_\_\_\_\_ according to the Diocesan cycle of prayer, and for \_\_\_\_ according to the Parish cycle of prayer, and for all who serve and minister to God's people. (Silence.)



*Intercessor*: I bid your prayers for Charles, King of Canada, and for all in civil authority under him in our country, province, and city. May God guide them in the ways of justice and peace; that all may honour one another and serve the common good. (*Silence*.)

Lord, in thy mercy,

We beseech thee, hear our prayer.

*Intercessor:* I bid your prayers for the world, for those places affected by war, conflict, calamity, or disaster, especially for Ukraine and Sudan, and all other places we now name, silently or aloud. May God grant us the spirit of respect and forbearance for all nations and peoples. *Silence*.

Lord, in thy mercy,

We beseech thee, hear our prayer.

*Intercessor*: I bid your prayers for all who serve the needs of others in our community, for the volunteers and guests of the Friday Food Ministry, and for all those who labour in and use shelters, drop-in programs, foodbanks, and other social services. May God aid us to love him with all our hearts, souls, minds, and strength, and to love our neighbours as ourselves. (*Silence.*)

Lord, in thy mercy,

We beseech thee, hear our prayer.

Intercessor: I bid your prayers for God's blessings upon all people, giving thanks to God for the people, neighbours, and friends of this parish, and especially for all those present in person or via livestream; for newcomers and visitors this morning both near and far; and for all other thanksgivings we now name, silently or aloud [We give thanks especially for] May God's abiding presence be with us always, that we may be a blessing to all people. (Silence.)
Lord, in thy mercy, We beseech thee, hear our prayer.
<i>Intercessor</i> : I bid your prayers for all those in need, for the sick, and for all those suffering in mind, body, or estate; for elders, for prisoners, for refugees and

those suffering in mind, body, or estate; for elders, for prisoners, for refugees and migrants, for the oppressed, for those who mourn, and for all others for whom our prayers are asked\_\_\_\_\_. May God grant that they will be comforted by the everpresent love of our Lord. (Silence.)

Lord, in thy mercy,

We beseech thee, hear our prayer.

Intercessor: I bid your prayers for the souls of the departed, especially \_\_\_\_\_ who have died in recent days, and those whose year's mind is at this time \_\_\_\_\_, that they may share with the Blessed Virgin Mary, Blessed Thomas, and all the saints in God's eternal kingdom. May God grant that their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace and rise in glory. (Silence.)

Lord, in thy mercy,

We beseech thee, hear our prayer.

*Celebrant*: O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of thy people; in the multitude of thy mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to thee for help; for thou art gracious, O lover of souls, and to thee we give glory, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

# INVITATION, CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Ye that do truly and earnestly repent you of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbours, and intend to lead the new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in his holy ways: Draw near with faith, and take this holy Sacrament to your comfort; and make your humble confession to Almighty God, meekly kneeling upon your knees.

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men: We acknowledge and confess our manifold sins and wickedness, Which we from time to time most grievously have committed, By thought, word, and deed, Against thy Divine Majesty. We do earnestly repent, And are heartily sorry for these our misdoings. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, Forgive us all that is past;

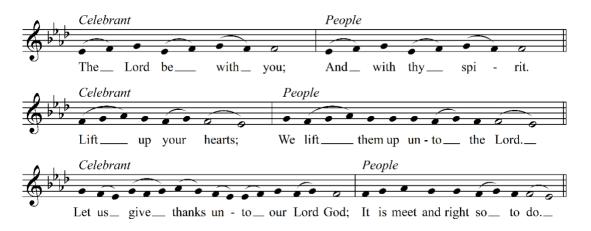
And grant that we may ever hereafter Serve and please thee In newness of life, To the honour and glory of thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Celebrant alone stands to impart the Absolution.

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all them that with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him: Have mercy upon you; pardon and deliver you from all your sins; confirm and strengthen you in all goodness; and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

# The People remain kneeling.

### **EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**



It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God, Creator and Preserver of all things.

For with thy co-eternal Son and Holy Spirit, thou art one God, one Lord, in Trinity of Persons and in Unity of Substance; and we celebrate the one and equal glory of thee, O Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee and saying: \* Taken from page 254 of the BAS, in order to match music.

# The Choir alone sings:

### SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. ♣ Blessed is he that cometh in the Name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus, Dominus Deus Sabaoth:
Pleni sunt caeli et terra gloria tua.
Hosanna in excelsis.

♣ Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini.
Hosanna in excelsis.

# The Celebrant continues,

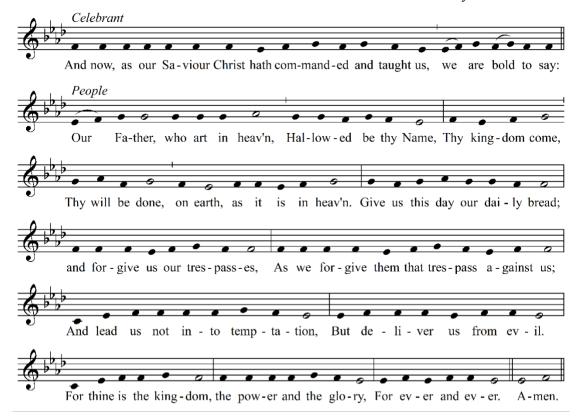
Blessing and glory and thanksgiving be unto thee Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of thy tender mercy didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the Cross for our redemption; who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memorial of that his precious death, until his coming again.

Hear us, O merciful Father, we most humbly beseech thee; and grant that we receiving these thy creatures of bread and wine, according to thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood; who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took Bread; and, when he had given thanks, he brake it; and gave it to his disciples, saying, Take, eat; this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me.

Likewise after supper he took the Cup; and, when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, Drink ye all, of this; for this is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the remission of sins: Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me.

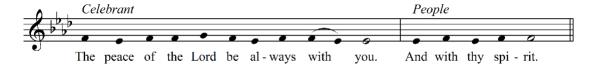
Wherefore, O Father, Lord of heaven and earth, we thy humble servants, with all thy holy Church, remembering the precious death of thy beloved Son, his mighty resurrection, and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again in glory, do make before thee, in this sacrament of the holy Bread of eternal life and the Cup of everlasting salvation, the memorial which he hath commanded; And we entirely desire thy fatherly goodness mercifully to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, most humbly beseeching thee to grant, that by the merits and death of thy Son Jesus Christ, and through faith in his blood, we and all thy whole Church may obtain remission of our sins, and all other benefits of his passion; And we pray that by the power of thy Holy Spirit, all we who are partakers of this holy Communion may be fulfilled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; through Jesus Christ our Lord, by whom and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be unto thee,





# FRACTION & PEACE

A period of silence is kept. The consecrated Bread is broken.



### PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

All who intend to receive Holy Communion pray together:

# We do not presume

to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, Trusting in our own righteousness, But in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy So much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord, Whose property is always to have mercy: Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, So to eat the Flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, And to drink his Blood, That our sinful bodies may be made clean by his Body, And our souls washed through his most precious Blood, And that we may evermore dwell in him, And he in us. Amen.

The Choir alone sings:

### **AGNUS DEI**

- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us thy peace.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem.

The Celebrant turns to face the People and says,

# **INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

Behold the Lamb of God; behold him that taketh away the sin of the world. Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldest come under my roof, but speak the word only, and my soul shall be healed.

# **COMMUNION INSTRUCTIONS**

All baptized Christians are warmly invited to receive Communion as directed by the Sidespeople. Please receive the host (bread) on the right palm of the hand (supported underneath by the left palm). To receive the cup, gently guide with your hand the base of the chalice. Please refrain from intinction (dipping the host into the cup), as diocesan policy does not allow us to do so.

Low gluten communion hosts are available upon request. When you approach for communion indicate to the priest that you require a low gluten host.

If you have not been baptized or are not receiving communion, please cross your arms over your chest in the shape of an X to receive a blessing.

If you wish to inquire about baptism for yourself or your child, we would love to speak with you!

### **COMMUNION DEVOTIONS**

An Act of Spiritual Communion, which may be prayed silently by those not receiving:

My Jesus, I believe that thou art truly present in the Holy Sacrament. And since I cannot now receive thee sacramentally, I beseech thee to come spiritually into my heart. I unite myself unto thee, and embrace thee with all the affections of my soul. Let me never be separated from thee. Let me live and die in thy love. Amen.

### ANIMA CHRISTI

The following devotion may be prayed silently by communicants and non-communicants.

Soul of Christ, sanctify me.

Body of Christ, save me.

Blood of Christ, inebriate me.

Water from the side of Christ, wash me.

Passion of Christ, strengthen me.

O good Jesu, hear me.

Within thy wounds hide me.

Suffer me not to be separated from thee.

From the malicious enemy defend me.

In the hour of my death call me.

And bid me come to thee,

That with thy saints I may praise thee,

For ever and ever. Amen.

# **MOTET** 'Twas in the year that King Uzziah died,' Joel Martinson (b. 1960)

'Twas in the year that King Uzziah died, A vision by Isaiah was espied: A lofty throne the Lord was set thereon: And with his glory all the temple shone. Bright Seraphim were standing round about. Six wings had every of that quire devout. With twain he awesome veil'd his face, and so With twain he dreadful veil'd his feet below, With twain did he now hither, thither fly: And thus aloud did one to other cry: 'Holy is God, the Lord of Sabaoth, Full of his glory, are earth and heaven, both.' And at their cry the lintels moved apace, And clouds of incense fill'd the Holy Place.

(Isaiah 6.1-4)

The People may sit or kneel for the hymn.

# COMMUNION HYMN 369 - Bright the vision that delighted

- 1 Bright the vision that delighted Once the sight of Judah's seer; Sweet the countless tongues united To entrance the prophet's ear.
- 2 Round the Lord in glory seated Cherubim and seraphim Filled his temple, and repeated Each to each the alternate hymn.
- 3 'Lord, thy glory fills the heaven; Earth is with its fulness stored; Unto thee be glory given, Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord.'
- 4 Heaven is still with glory ringing, Earth takes up the angels' cry, Holy, Holy, Holy, - singing, 'Lord of hosts, the Lord most high.'
- 5 With his seraph train before him, With his holy Church below, Thus unite we to adore him, Bid we thus our anthem flow:

6 'Lord, thy glory fills the heaven; Earth is with its fulness stored; Unto thee be glory given, Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord.'

REDHEAD No. 56 Richard Redhead. 1853 Bishop R. Mant, 1837

The People kneel.

# **PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee that thou dost graciously feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; assuring us thereby of thy favour and goodness towards us; and that we are living members of his mystical body, which is the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs through hope of thy everlasting kingdom. And here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee. And although we are unworthy, yet we beseech thee to accept this our bounden duty and service, not weighing our merits, but pardoning our offences; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. **Amen.** 

# BLESSING

May God the Holy Trinity make you strong in faith and love, defend you on every side, and guide you in truth and peace; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.** 

### Please stand.

### DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.** 

# CONCLUDING HYMN 407 – Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us

- 1 Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us O'er the world's tempestuous sea; Guard us, guide us, keep us, feed us, For we have no help but thee; Yet possessing every blessing, If our God our Father be.
- 2 Saviour, breathe forgiveness o'er us; All our weakness thou dost know; Thou didst tread this earth before us, Thou didst feel its keenest woe; Lone and dreary, faint and weary, Through the desert thou didst go.
- 3 Spirit of our God, descending, Fill our hearts with heavenly joy; Love with every passion blending, Pleasure that can never cloy; Thus provided, pardoned, guided, Nothing can our peace destroy.

MANNHEIM Friedrich Filitz, 1847 James Edmeston, 1821

VOLUNTARY

Prelude in C Major, BWV 545, J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

The Altar flowers are given to the honour and glory of Almighty God:

Those at the High Altar in loving memory of my brother Ron Willems, from Gloria and Don Wiebe.

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# **DAILY OFFICE SCHEDULE**

Morning Prayer and Evening Prayer services generally last 15-25 minutes and are a great way to begin and/or end the day!

# MORNING PRAYER

8:30 am, Monday-Friday 9:30 am, Saturday 7:30 am, Sunday

### **EVENING PRAYER**

5:00 pm, Monday-Friday 5:00 pm Sunday (Choral Evensong)

Choral Evensong on Sundays is followed by Eucharistic devotions.

# **DAILY MASS SCHEDULE**

### **SUNDAY**

Low Mass 8:00 am Sung Mass 9:30 am High Mass 11:00 am

### **WEEKDAY LOW MASS**

12:15 pm, Monday, Wednesday, Friday 5:30 pm Tuesday, Thursday 10:00 am Saturday

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