

# St Andrew's, Chesterton

## Sung Eucharist

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Fourth Sunday before Lent

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### Introit - From the rising of the sun

From the rising of the sun unto the going down of the same, my name shall be great among the Gentiles, and in every place, incense shall be offered up unto my name: thus saith the Lord. (Malachi 1:11)

(F.A. Gore Ouseley, 1823-1889)

### Gathering Hymn

- 1 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty,  
the King of creation;  
O my soul, praise him, for he is  
thy health and salvation:  
all ye who hear,  
now to his temple draw near,  
joining in glad adoration.
- 2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things  
so wondrously reigneth,  
shieldeth thee gently from harm, or  
when fainting sustaineth:  
hast thou not seen  
how thy heart's wishes have been  
granted in what he ordaineth?
- 3 Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper  
thy work and defend thee;  
surely his goodness and mercy  
shall daily attend thee:  
ponder anew  
what the Almighty can do,  
if to the end he befriend thee.
- 4 Praise to the Lord! O let all that  
is in me adore him!  
All that hath life and breath, come now  
with praises before him!  
Let the Amen  
sound from his people again:  
gladly for aye we adore him!

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### The Greeting

In the name of the Father,  
And of the Son,  
And of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

The Lord be with you  
**And also with you.**

*The Service is introduced.*

### Confession

Christ the light of the world has come to dispel the darkness of our hearts. In his light let us examine ourselves and confess our sins.

**Most merciful God,  
Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
we confess that we have sinned  
in thought, word and deed.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart.  
We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.  
In your mercy  
forgive what we have been,  
help us to amend what we are,  
and direct what we shall be;  
that we may do justly,  
love mercy,  
and walk humbly with you, our God.  
Amen.**

*The president declares God's forgiveness:*

Almighty God,  
who forgives all who truly repent,  
have mercy upon you,  
pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,  
and keep you in life eternal;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### The Choir sing the Gloria

*Gloria in excelsis Deo  
et in terra pax hominibus bonæ voluntatis.  
Laudamus te, benedicimus te, adoramus te, glorificamus te,  
gratias agimus tibi propter magnam gloriam tuam,  
Domine Deus, Rex cælestis, Deus Pater omnipotens.  
Domine Fili Unigenite, Jesu Christe,  
Domine Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris,  
qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis;  
qui tollis peccata mundi, suscipe deprecationem nostram.  
Qui sedes ad dexteram Patris, miserere nobis.  
Quoniam tu solus Sanctus, tu solus Dominus, tu solus  
Altissimus, Jesu Christe, cum Sancto Spiritu: in gloria Dei  
Patris. Amen.*

[Glory be to God on high, and in earth peace, good will towards men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee for Thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesu Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world,

have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.

For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord; Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.]

## The Collect

O God,  
you know us to be set  
in the midst of so many and great dangers,  
that by reason of the frailty of our nature  
we cannot always stand upright:  
grant to us such strength and protection  
as may support us in all dangers  
and carry us through all temptations;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## Old Testament Reading – Isaiah 6:1-8

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. <sup>2</sup>Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. <sup>3</sup>And one called to another and said:

‘Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;  
the whole earth is full of his glory.’

<sup>4</sup>The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. <sup>5</sup>And I said: ‘Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!’

<sup>6</sup>Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs.

<sup>7</sup>The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: ‘Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out.’ <sup>8</sup>Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, ‘Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?’ And I said, ‘Here am I; send me!’

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Psalm 138 is sung



1. I will give thanks unto thee O Lord with / my whole / heart : even before the gods will / I sing / praise un-to / thee.

2. I will worship toward thy holy temple and praise thy Name,\* because of thy loving-/ kindness and / truth : for thou hast magnified thy / Name and · thy / word a-bove / all things.

3. When I called upon / thee thou / heardest me : and en- / -duedst · my / soul with · much / strength.

4. All the kings of the earth shall / praise thee · O / Lord : for they have / heard the / words of · thy / mouth.

5. Yea they shall sing in the / ways of · the / Lord : that / great is · the/ glory of · the / Lord.

6. For though the Lord be high,\* yet hath he re- / -spect un-to the / lowly : as for the proud,\* he be- / -holdeth them · a- / -far / off.

7. Though I walk in the midst of trouble / yet shalt thou · re- / -fresh me : thou shalt stretch forth thy hand upon the furiousness of mine enemies,\* and / thy right / hand shall / save me.

8. The Lord shall make good his loving- / kindness · to- / -ward me : yea thy mercy O Lord endureth for ever;\* despise not then the / works of / thine own / hands.

Glory be to the Father and / to the / Son : and / to the / Holy / Ghost; As it was in the beginning is now and / ever / shall be : world without / end A- / - / men.

## Gospel Reading— Luke 5:1-11

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

### Glory to you, O Lord

Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, <sup>2</sup>he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. <sup>3</sup>He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. <sup>4</sup>When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, ‘Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch.’ <sup>5</sup>Simon answered, ‘Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets.’

<sup>6</sup>When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. <sup>7</sup>So they signalled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. <sup>8</sup>But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus’ knees, saying, ‘Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!’ <sup>9</sup>For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; <sup>10</sup>and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, ‘Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people.’

<sup>11</sup>When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

## Sermon

'Come apart, to stay, to gather;  
Come away, to pray together;  
Come awhile, unwind, recover;  
Come anew, to find, discover.'

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## The Creed

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord,  
Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father, God from God,  
Light from Light, true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, of one Being with the  
Father; through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit  
and the Virgin Mary and was made man.  
For our sake he was crucified  
under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son  
is worshipped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic  
and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism  
for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## Prayers of Intercession

*These responses may be used*  
Lord, in your mercy  
**Hear our prayer.**

*And at the end*  
Merciful Father,  
**Accept these prayers  
For the sake of your Son,  
Our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

## The Peace

Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.  
The peace of the Lord be always with you  
**and also with you.**



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## Offertory Hymn

- 1 Be still, for the presence of the Lord,  
the Holy One, is here;  
come bow before him now  
with reverence and fear:  
in him no sin is found —  
we stand on holy ground.  
Be still, for the presence of the Lord,  
the Holy One is here.
- 2 Be still, for the glory of the Lord  
is shining all around;  
he burns with holy fire,  
with splendour he is crowned:  
how awesome is the sight —  
our radiant King of light!  
Be still, for the glory of the Lord  
is shining all around.
- 3 Be still, for the power of the Lord  
is moving in this place:  
he comes to cleanse and heal,  
to minister his grace.  
No work too hard for him,  
in faith receive from him.  
Be still, for the power of the Lord  
is moving in this place.

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## The Eucharistic Prayer

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 mighty acts and the choir sing:*

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

*[Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Hosts.  
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory:  
Glory be to thee, O Lord most High.]*

*The Eucharistic Prayer continues and then ends with:*  
**Amen.**

*We kneel and keep a moment's silence*

## **The Lord's Prayer**

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us:

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name;  
thy kingdom come;  
thy will be done;  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us. And  
lead us not into temptation;  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
the power and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

## **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.**

## **Agnus Dei – Lamb of God**

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

## **Giving of 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.**

*The president and people receive communion. Visitors who are  
communicant members of their home churches are welcome to  
receive communion at St Andrew's. If you would prefer to receive  
a blessing instead, please signify this by bringing your order of  
service with you.*

*There will be two communion stations – one at the Nave altar  
and one at the South Aisle altar (for those wishing to kneel). If  
for health reasons you would prefer to receive the bread and  
wine by intinction by the priest, please come forward to the  
Nave altar and indicate this by pointing to the chalice held with  
the bread. Please also indicate if you require gluten-free bread.*

## **Communion Motet: Hymn to the Trinity (Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky, 1840-1893)**

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## **Prayer after Communion**

**Go before us, Lord, in all we do with your most  
gracious favour, and guide us with your continual  
help, that in all our works begun, continued and  
ended in you, we may glorify your holy name,  
and finally by your mercy receive everlasting life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## **Notices**

### **Sending Out Hymn**

1. Crown Him with many crowns  
The Lamb upon His throne  
Hark how the heavenly anthem drowns  
All music but its own  
Awake my soul and sing  
Of Him who died for thee  
And hail Him as thy matchless King  
Through all eternity.
2. Crown Him the Lord of love  
Behold His hands and side  
Rich wounds yet visible above  
In beauty glorified  
No angel in the sky  
Can fully bear that sight  
But downward bends each burning eye  
At mysteries so bright.
3. Crown Him the Lord of peace  
Whose power a sceptre sways  
From pole to pole  
That wars may cease  
And all be prayer and praise  
His reign shall know no end  
And round His pierced feet  
Fair flowers of paradise extend  
Their fragrance ever sweet.
4. Crown Him the Lord of years  
The Potentate of time  
Creator of the rolling spheres  
Ineffably sublime  
All hail Redeemer hail  
For Thou hast died for me  
Thy praise shall never never fail  
Throughout eternity.

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## **Blessing**

Christ the Son of God  
perfect in you the image of his glory and gladden your  
hearts with the good news of his kingdom;  
and the blessing of God almighty,  
the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit,  
be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
**In the name of Christ. Amen.**

*We very much hope you have enjoyed joining us for worship  
at St Andrew's Chesterton this morning. If you are new or  
visiting, please do introduce yourself and stay for  
refreshments in the St Andrew's Hall.*